

IHELLP[®] Social History Questions

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Domain	Example Questions
Income	
General	Do you ever have trouble making ends meet?
Food Income	Do you ever have a time when you don't have enough food? Do you have WIC? Food Stamps?
Housing	
Housing	Is your housing ever a problem for you?
Utilities	Do you ever have trouble paying your electric/heat/telephone bill?
Education	
Appropriate Education Placement	How is your child doing in school? Is he/she getting the help to learn what he/she needs?
Early Childhood Program	Is your child in Head Start, preschool, or early childhood enrichment?
Legal Status	
Immigration	Do you have questions about your immigration status? Do you need help accessing benefits or services for your family?
Literacy	
Child Literacy	Do you read to your child every night?
Parent Literacy	How happy are you with how you read?
Personal Safety	
Domestic Violence	Have you ever taken out a restraining order? Do you feel safe in your relationship?
General Safety	Do you feel safe in your home? In your neighborhood?



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