#### **Consent Form**

Thank you for your answers. These will be combined with thousands of others. What we learn will help us understand how we can improve the health of people living in South Yorkshire. May we contact you again? Yes No May we use the information you provide to look at the benefit of health treatments? Yes No May we look at your health records? Yes No Please fill in your forename, surname and address if different to those printed to the left: Forename (print) Surname (print) Address Postcode Please fill in your preferred contact details below: Telephone Mobile phone\* Email\* \*Optional Signature Thank you for completing the Health Questionnaire. Please put it in the prepaid envelope and post it to the researchers. NO STAMP NEEDED. If you have any queries or require further information about this study please contact Dr Clare Relton or Dr Joanna Blackburn at ScHARR, University of Sheffield, FREEPOST - SF1314, Sheffield, S1 1AY. **Tel:** 0114 222 0796 **Email:** syc@sheffield.ac.uk **Online questionnaire:** http://syc.shef.ac.uk 8



# Health Questionnaire

### South Yorkshire Cohort

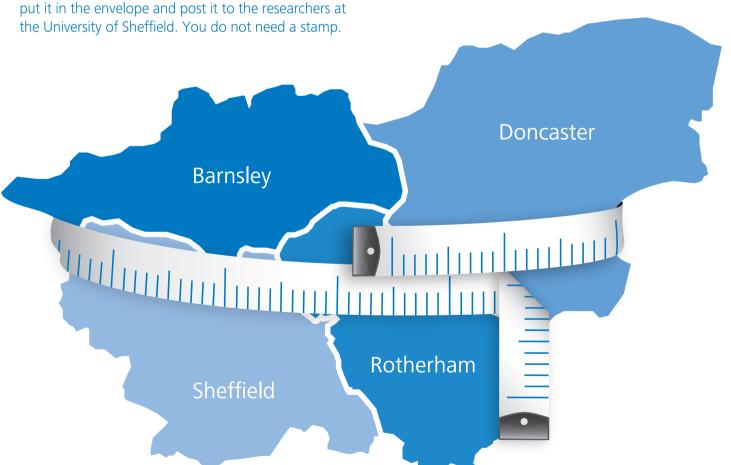
Welcome to the South Yorkshire Cohort! Please help us by filling in this questionnaire. Your answers will help us understand how we can improve the health of people living in South Yorkshire.

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The questionnaire will take 5-10 minutes to complete.

When you have completed the questionnaire, please put it in the envelope and post it to the researchers at

You can also fill in the questionnaire online by going to **http://syc.shef.ac.uk** and following the instructions. Please return the questionnaire within 3 weeks.









## About you

Your sex								
Your date of birth d d m m y y y y								
How many children do you have (under 18)?								
Your height feet inches OR cm								
Your weight stone lbs OR kgs								
Your waist measurement inches <b>OR</b> cm  Please use the tape measure enclosed and measure at the narrowest point between your hips and your ribs, usually just above the belly button.								
Which ethnic group do you belong to?								
White Asian or Asian British								
☐ British ☐ Indian								
☐ Irish ☐ Pakistani ☐ Pakistani ☐ Pangladashi								
☐ Other white background ☐ Bangladeshi ☐ Other Asian background								
Mixed Black or Black British								
☐ White and Black Caribbean ☐ Caribbean								
White and Black African African								
<ul><li>☐ White and Asian</li><li>☐ Other Black background</li><li>☐ Other mixed background</li></ul>								
Chinese or other ethnic group Gypsy/traveller								
☐ Chinese ☐ Gypsy / traveller								
Other ethnic group								
Thinking about your own life and personal circumstances, how satisfied are you with your life as a whole?								
Completely Dissatisfied Completely Satisfied								
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# You and your work

Are you currently employed?							
The following questions refer to your current main job, or (if you are not working now) to your last main job. Please tick one box only per question.							
Employee or self-employed: Do (did) you work as an employee or are (were) you self-employed?  ☐ Employee ☐ Self-employed with employees ☐ Self-employed / freelance without employees							
Number of employees: For employees: indicate below how many people work (worked) for your employer at the place where you work (worked).  For self-employed: indicate below how many people you employ (employed).  1-24 25 or more							
Supervisory Status: Do (did) you supervise any other employees?  A supervisor or foreman is responsible for overseeing the work of other employees on a day-to-day basis  Yes No							
Occupation  Please tick one box to show which <b>best</b> describes the sort of work you do. (If you are not working now, please tick a box to show what you did in your last job). PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ONLY							
Modern professional occupations such as: teacher - nurse - physiotherapist - social worker - welfare officer - artist - musician - police officer (sergeant or above) - software designer							
Clerical and intermediate occupations such as: secretary - personal assistant - clerical worker - office clerk - call centre agent - nursing auxiliary - nursery nurse							
Senior managers or administrators (usually responsible for planning, organising and co-ordinating work and for finance) <i>such as:</i> finance manager - chief executive							
Technical and craft occupations such as: motor mechanic - fitter - inspector - plumber - printer - tool maker - electrician - gardener - train driver							
Semi-routine manual and service occupations such as: postal worker - machine operative - security guard - caretaker - farm worker - catering assistant - receptionist - sales assistant							
Routine manual and service occupations such as: HGV driver - van driver - cleaner - porter - packer - sewing machinist - messenger - labourer - waiter / waitress - bar staff							
Middle or junior managers such as: office manager - retail manager - bank manager - restaurant manager - warehouse manager - publican							
Traditional professional occupations such as: accountant - solicitor - medical practitioner - scientist - civil/mechanical engineer							
During the last 3 MONTHS, how many days have you taken off from paid work as a result of ill health?							
During the last 3 MONTHS, on how many days has your ill health prevented you from carrying out your:  Household tasks:  Leisure activities:  days							

### Your health care

In the last 3 MONTHS, how many times have you visited the following: Hospital Other carers Times Times Accident & Emergency (A&E) Counsellor Hospital - day case Care worker Hospital - outpatients Social worker Hospital - in-patients (how many nights) Health visitor Community health champion Other healthcarers Times Health trainer GP Alternative therapist Nurse Times Physiotherapist Acupuncturist Dietitian Chiropractor Herbalist Midwife Mental health worker Homeopath Psychotherapist Osteopath Other Please describe: Times You and your education Which of these qualifications do you have? Please tick all the qualifications that apply, or if not specified, the nearest equivalent: 1+ O Levels / CSE / GCSEs (any grades) NVQ Level 1, Foundation GNVQ 5+ O Levels, 5+ CSEs (grade 1), 5+ GCSEs NVQ Level 2, Intermediate GNVQ (grades A-C), School Certificate NVQ Level 3, Advanced GNVQ 1+ A Levels / AS Levels 2+ A Levels, 4+ AS Levels, NVQ Levels 4-5, HNC, HND Higher School Certificate Other Qualifications (e.g. City & Guilds, First Degree (e.g. BA, BSc) RSA / OCR, BTEC / Edexcel) Higher Degree (e.g. MA, PhD, PGCE, No qualifications Post-graduate Certificates / Diplomas)

### Your health

Here are some simple questions about your health in general. By ticking one answer in each group below, please indicate which statements best describe your own health state TODAY.

Mobility			Please tick one:			
I have no problems in walking about						
I have some problems in walking about						
I am confined to bed						
Self-care			Please tick one:			
I have no problems with self-care	I have no problems with self-care					
I have some problems washing or dressing myself						
I am unable to wash or dress myself						
Usual Activities			Please tick one:			
I have no problems with performing my usual activities (e.g. work, study, housework, family or leisure activities)						
I have some problems with performing	my usu	al activities				
I am unable to perform my usual activi	ties					
Pain / Discomfort			Please tick one:			
I have no pain or discomfort						
I have moderate pain or discomfort						
I have extreme pain or discomfort						
Anxiety / Depression			Please tick one:			
I am not anxious or depressed						
I am moderately anxious or depressed						
I am extremely anxious or depressed						
Long standing conditions  Do you have any long-standing illness, h  If yes, please tick all that apply:	nealth pr	oblem, condit	ion or disability?	☐ Yes ☐ No		
Tiredness / Fatigue		High blood				
Pain		Heart disea				
Insomnia		Osteoarthri				
Anxiety / Nerves		Stroke	Stroke			
Depression		Cancer				
Diabetes		Other: (please state)				
Breathing problems e.g. chronic bronchitis, asthma or emphysema						

### Your health

Alcohol: How many days in the last W	/EEK did you drink alco	hol? days				
How many units of alcohol did you dri	nk in the last WEEK?	units				
A unit of alcohol is equal to $\frac{1}{2}$ a pint of 1 small glass of wine or 1 measure of f	•	or cider, 1 single measure of spirits,				
Smoking: Which of these best describ	oes you?					
☐ I smoke daily	☐ I smoke oc	casionally but not every day				
I used to smoke daily but now not a	at all I used to sn	noke occasionally but now not at all				
☐ I have never smoked						
Your medication						
Are you currently taking any medication	on? (Either prescribed by	y your doctor, or that you buy yourself).				
Yes No						
Please list all your medication below, including vitamins & mineral supplements, dietary supplements or diet pills, herbal or homeopathic remedies.						
Name & strength of tablet, medicine, ointment, drops, inhaler or injection	Is this prescribed for you? <i>Please tick</i> :	What is this for?				
(Example) Co-codamol 8mg/500mg tablets	☐ Yes ✓ No	Joint pain				
	☐ Yes ☐ No					
	☐ Yes ☐ No					
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### Your exercise and food

During the last WEEK, how many hours did you spend on each of the following activities? (Please tick)

	None	Some but less than 1 hour	At least 1 hour but less than 3 hours	3 hours or more		
Physical exercise such as swimming, jogging, aerobics, football, tennis, gym workout etc.						
Cycling, including cycling to work and during leisure time						
Walking, including walking to work, shopping, for pleasure etc.						
Is managing your weight a concern for you? Yes No  Have you ever used any of the following to help you manage your weight? (Please tick)						
Exercise and food						
Increasing your exercise						
Healthy eating <i>Please describe</i> :						
Controlling your portion size						
Slimming Clubs						
Slimming World						
Weightwatchers						
Rosemary Conley Diet and Fitness Club						
Lighterlife						
Other <i>Please describe</i> :						
Over the counter weight loss medication						
Alli (orlistat)						
Other <i>Please describe</i> :						
Meal replacements						
Lighterlife						
Other Please describe:						