

Welfare, Children, & Families: A Three-City Study

Relationship Quality

Variable Notes

- a** When data are purchased through Sociometrics, the variables listed in the codebook are named differently in the original datasets. Variable names shown here are the ones used in the original datasets.
- b** Created variables shown here are transformed scores, which were calculated by taking the square root of the original scale scores. This was done to address problematic skew and kurtosis of the data distribution. A transformation of a square root was chosen because it yielded the best statistical properties in the new scores. Responses were recoded to ensure that "NO" or "Never" is equal to "0" (taken from user's guide).
- 1** Originally consists of PDV1a, PDV2a, PDV3a, PDV4a, PDV5a, PDV6a, PDV7a, PDV8a, PDV9a, PDV13a, PDV14a, PDV15a, PDV16a. At least 10 of the 13 items need to have valid responses to be calculated.
- 2** Originally consists of QDV1a, QDV2a, QDV3a, QDV4a, QDV5a, QDV6a, QDV7a, QDV8a, QDV9a, QDV13a, QDV14a, QDV15a, QDV16a. At least 10 of the 13 items need to have valid responses to be calculated.
- 3** Originally consists of PDV1a, PDV2a, PDV3a, PDV4a. At least 2/3 of the items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 4** Originally consists of QDV1a, QDV2a, QDV3a, QDV4a. Three of the 4 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 5** Originally consists of PDV5a, PDV6a, PDV7a, PDV8a. At least 2/3 of the items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 6** Originally consists of QDV5a, QDV6a, QDV7a, QDV8a. Three of the 4 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 7** Originally consists of PDV13a, PDV14a, PDV15a, PDV16a. At least 2/3 of the items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 8** Originally consists of QDV13a, QDV14a, QDV15a, QDV16a. Three of the 4 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 9** Originally consists of PDV1aa, PDV2aa, PDV3aa, PDV4aa, PDV5aa, PDV6aa, PDV7aa, PDV8aa, PDV9aa, PDV13aa, PDV14aa, PDV15aa, PDV16aa. At least 2/3 of items need to have valid responses to be calculate the score.
- 10** Originally consists of QDV1aa, QDV2aa, QDV3aa, QDV4aa, QDV5aa, QDV6aa, QDV7aa, QDV8aa, QDV9aa, QDV13aa, QDV14aa, QDV15aa, QDV16aa. At least 10 of the 13 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 11** Originally consists of RDV1A, RDV2A, RDV3A, RDV4A, RDV5A, RDV6A, RDV7A, RDV8A, RDV9A, RDV13A, RDV14A, RDV15A, and RDV16A. At least 10 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 12** Originally consists of PDV1aa, PDV2aa, PDV3aa, PDV4aa. At least 2/3 of items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.

- 13** Originally consists of QDV1aa, QDV2aa, QDV3aa, QDV4aa. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 14** Originally consists of RDV1A, RDV2A, RDV3A, RDV4A. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 15** Originally consists of PDV5aa, PDV6aa, PDV7aa, PDV8aa. At least 2/3 of items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 16** Originally consists of QDV5aa, QDV6aa, QDV7aa, QDV8aa. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 17** Originally consists of RDV5A, RDV6A, RDV7A, RDV8A. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 18** Originally consists of PDV13aa, PDV14aa, PDV15aa, PDV16aa. At least 2/3 of items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 19** Originally consists of QDV13aa, QDV14aa, QDV15aa, QDV16aa. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
- 20** Originally consists of RDV13A, RDV14A, RDV15A, RDV16A. At least 3 items need to have valid responses to calculate the score.
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