Study on Health and Lifestyles

(For decedents)

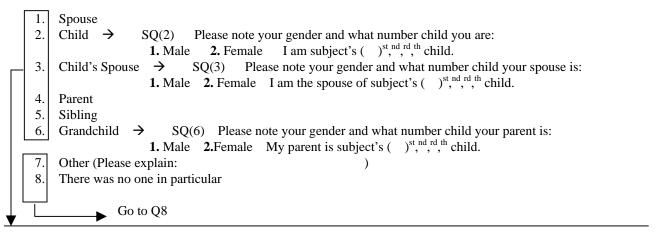
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(Proxy's relations) What is your relation 1 Spouse 2 Son 3 Daughter	onship with (subject 4 Daughter-in 5 Son-in-law 6 Grandchild)? -law 7 Relative (Ple 8 Other (Ple	-)		
Q1. (1) Subject' dat Japanese era 1 Meiji 2 Taish 3 Show	0	nterviewer: Transcrib	Mo.	nple persons] Day		
(2) Gender [Not		anscribe from the list 2 Female	of sample persons]			
(3) Date of deat	h When did subje	ct past away?				
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1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	Cancer Cerebral Vascular Disease (Stroke, etc.) Cardiovascular Disease Pneumonia Old Age Liver Disease	7. Kidney Disease 8. Diabetes 9. Traffic Accident 10. Accident other than Traffic Accident 11. Other (Please explain:) 12. Not sure
Q3	. At which of the following did subject pass away?	
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7.	Home Hospital → SQ(2) Was it a general hospital or a hospital of a hosp	for the Elderly
Q4.	About how long was subject bedridden before he/she pa	assed away?
2.	From 2 days to under a week	
3. 4.	From 1 week to under 1 month From 1 month to under 3 months	
5.	From 3 months to under 6 months	
6. 7.	From 6 months to under 1 year From 1 year to under 3 years	-
8.	Over 3 years → SQ(8) Please explain:	Yrs.
Q5.	How many years in total did subject attend school? Yrs. O Didn't go X Not sure	to school

Q2. From the following list of illnesses and accidents, please mark all that apply as the cause of death. (M.A.)

Q6. Which family member looked after subject most before he/she passed away? Please mark the family relationship of that person to subject from the perspective of subject. If subject was being cared for by someone other than a family member, please mark "7. Other" and explain who.



[For those who answered 1 - 6 in Q6]

- Q7. What kind of effect did caring for subject have on the job (including self-employment or part-time jobs) of the main caretaker referred to in Q6? Please mark **all** of the following that apply. (M.A.)
- 1. Quit work to be caretaker
- 2. Took some time off to be caretaker
- 3. Worked while being caretaker
- 4. Changed jobs to something more appropriate for a caretaker
- 5. Other (Please explain:
- 6. Didn't have a job
- 7. Not sure

[Note to everyone]

The purpose of the following question is to make clear the financial burden on the family of caring for a person in need. If you know the answer and are willing to share it, this information will offer extremely valuable data. We understand the very personal nature of the question and greatly appreciate any information you can offer.

Q8. From the first time that subject received a medical exam for the illness that was the cause of death until he/she passed away, what did the expenses amount to, approximately? If that period of time was greater than 6 months, please tell us about just the 6 month period prior to subject's passing away.

These expenses may include, for example, any part of the medical bill that you had to pay or the cost of any extra charges, the cost of an attendant or a caretaker, the cost of the electric bill for appliances such as a refrigerator, radio, or TV, the cost of any necessary rentals, the cost of medication, acupuncture, or massages, the transportation, gasoline, or parking costs for caretakers, the cost of any necessary purchases at the time of entering the hospital, the cost of any necessary house remodeling for home medical treatment, the cost of any assistive equipment such as a wheelchair, and any other expenses paid for medical purposes.

Please do not include expenses paid for by health insurance or medical institutions.

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