



Office use:

--	--	--	--

Pathways of Care Longitudinal Study Children and Young People in Out-of-Home Care in NSW AGREEMENT FOR YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 12-17 YEARS

My name is [INTERVIEWER'S NAME] and I work for Ipsos/I-view, a research company that finds out what people think about things using questionnaires and surveys. We are working on a project called the *Pathways of Care Longitudinal Study*.

Like you, lots of young people live or have lived with foster parents, relatives, other carers or independently. The *Pathways of Care Longitudinal Study* is about finding out how they are going. If you agree to take part, what you tell us will help improve the way adults work with young people.

The Study is being carried out by the NSW Department of Communities and Justice (DCJ).

The short video and brochure explain why the study is being done and what questions you will be asked [PLAY VIDEO www.facs.nsw.gov.au/resources/research/pathways-of-care/videos OR SKIP IF THE YOUNG PERSON DOES NOT WANT TO WATCH IT AGAIN].

All up, we think the activities and questions will take about 45 minutes. We can take a break at any time.

You don't have to take part if you don't want to, and you don't have to answer every question. It is up to you! If you do decide not to take part, it won't affect your relationship with DCJ.

I will ask you to answer these questions on an iPad by ticking boxes yourself. If you need any help with this, I can assist you.

Your answers will be kept securely in a computer without your name on it so no-one knows what you said. Your name will be kept confidential with one exception - if you say you or someone else is being hurt, I will have to tell a child protection worker whose job it is to keep children and young people safe.

When we finish, I will give you a \$30 gift voucher to say thanks for taking the time to be part of this study.

Do you have any questions?

Are you happy to answer the questions on the computer and complete the activities?

YOUNG PERSON AGREES → Thank you.

YOUNG PERSON DOES NOT AGREE

YOUNG PERSON DID NOT APPEAR TO UNDERSTAND EXPLANATION

Signature of Interviewer

Date