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Participant Interview #1 – HS-2 FORM B

- 1. Do you participate in community groups or other events in your community? Who usually goes with you? "No. I've got my books."
- 2. Do you have the opportunity to hang out with friends who do not live or participate here? If yes, how often do you hang out with them? "My books are all I need."
- 3. Are you able to go out and do the things you like to do as often as you'd like? "I can go out if I want to. I go out with my daughter."
- 4. How are the options of things to do presented to you? "I don't know. Just everybody knows."
- 5. Do you have a way to get places when you want to do something outside your home? "I go with my daughter."
- 6. How often did you go out for fun in the past month? "Two or three times."
- 7. Do community groups come to your home for entertainment or social gatherings? "I don't know."
- 8. Do you have a paid job? Do you volunteer? "If there is volunteer work to be done."
- 9. Who chose the place you work? N/A
- 10. Do you have a way to get places you work? N/A
- 11. Do you take classes, training, or do something to help you get a job or a better job? N/A
- 12. Have you voted? (In a local, state or federal election?) If not, would you like to? "Not this year." "Not particularly."
- 13. Can you see and/or talk to your family or friends at any time you choose? "Yep."
- 14. Who decides your daily schedule? "I don't have a schedule."
- 15. If you leave to do something fun or go to work or an appointment, do you have to return by a certain time? "No"
- 16. What happens if you choose not to leave your home during the day to attend work or other planned activities, or are otherwise unable to do so? "Nothing."
- 17. Who chose the place where you live? "The kids did."
- 18. Do you like where you live? "It's okay. I've lived in worse."
- 19. Do you know who to ask if you want to live somewhere else? "I would have to have more money to live somewhere else."
- 20. Are you able to decorate your room? Did you choose the decorations in your room? "If I want to."
- 21. Do you choose what to buy with your money? "Yes."
- 22. Can you get food at any time of the day, whenever you are hungry? "I don't know. I've never asked."