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STDS02.CSV VARS. 23-60

STDS02.DAT VARS. 23-60

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Variables 23-32 deal with infancy only, from the first year until the transition to early childhood (see 38-39, 42, 44), usually at 12-18 months. The early and late infancy periods of variables 24-27 refer to the first few months after birth versus the period after crawling begins, usually around 9 months. Variables 33-38 include both infancy and early childhood, the latter usually to the age of 4-5 years. Variables 39-50 deal with the transition to childhood, around 12-18 months. Variables 51-60 provide a comparison of infancy and childhood.

The comma-separated formatted file stds02.csv and the tab-separated file stds02.dat are supplemental files to this article. Both files have a header line. The stds02.dat file just contains variable numbers in the form v1, v2, etc. The stds02.csv file has the following structure:

Column 1:	focyear:	Focal year for the SCCS society
Column 2:	hraf_no:	Human Relations Area File code for the SCCS society
Column 3:	Name:	Society Name
Column 4:	sccs.	SCCS number for the society
Columns 5-42:	v23-v60	Subsistence economy and supportive practices variables

The original STDS02.DAT and STDS02.COD files are provided as supplemental files with names STDS02ori.DAT and STDS02ori.COD.

23. Sleeping Proximity of Parents to Infant

N	Code	Meaning
13	NA	Missing data
0	1	Mo and Fa in different room than infant
12	2	Mo same room (not bed) as infant, Fa different room
0	3	Mo same room (not bed) as infant, Fa unspecified
30	4	Mo same room (not bed) as infant, Fa different bed
55	5	Mo, Fa same room as infant, beds not specified
24	6	Mo same bed as infant, Fa different room
5	7	Mo same bed as infant, Fa not specified
24	8	Mo same bed as infant, Fa same room
23	9	Mo and Fa in same bed as infant

24. Bodily Restrictiveness - Early Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
55	NA	Missing data
42	1	None except in emergency
1	2	Loose confinement - Tether or playpen
21	3	Limited space - Bed or hammock
41	4	Movement limited - Swaddling, heavy blankets
26	5	Often Bound - Cradle Board

25. Bodily Restrictiveness - Later Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
63	NA	Missing data
61	1	None except in emergency
8	2	Loose confinement - Tether or playpen
14	3	Limited space - Bed or hammock
23	4	Movement limited - Swaddling, heavy blankets
17	5	Often Bound - Cradle Board

26. Bodily Contact - Early Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
65	NA	Missing data
3	1	Limited to routine and precautionary care
16	2	Occasionally
33	3	Up to 1/2 time
49	4	> 1/2 time
20	5	Almost Constantly

27. Bodily Contact - Late Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
69	NA	Missing data
3	1	Limited to routine and precautionary care
15	2	Occasionally
41	3	Up to 1/2 time
43	4	> 1/2 time
15	5	Almost Constantly

28. Infant Carrying Devices

N	Code	Meaning
30	NA	Missing data
22	1	None, skin contact
22	2	None, clothing or blanket
75	3	Sling or Pouch
9	4	Basket
28	5	Rigid Cradleboard

29. Infant Carrying Position

N	Code	Meaning
30	NA	Missing data
91	1	Back
54	2	Side
10	3	Front
1	4	Other

30. Infant Eye Contact with Carrier

N	Code	Meaning
44	NA	Missing data
26	1	Away from carrier
116	2	Toward carrier

31. Infant Crying- Response

N	Code	Meaning
83	NA	Missing data
3	1	Indifferent or punitive
3	2	Slow or perfunctory, nurturant
19	3	Speedy but inconsistently nurturant
67	4	Generally speedy, nurturant
11	5	Always speedy, nurturant

32. Infant Crying- Amount

N	Code	Meaning
139	NA	Missing data
16	1	Very Infrequent and brief
10	2	Infrequent and short
9	3	Infrequent and prolonged
11	4	Frequent and short
1	5	Frequent and prolonged

33. Childhood Pain Infliction

N	Code	Meaning
38	NA	Missing data
17	1	Absent
37	2	Only neonatally or very mild pain
63	3	Occasional mild pain
25	4	Frequent mild pain or infrequent severe pain
6	5	Frequent pain
0	6	Very painful

34. Post - Partum Sex Taboo

N	Code	Meaning
52	NA	Missing data
2	1	Intercourse expected soon after birth
7	2	None
29	3	1 month or less
42	4	6 months or less
12	5	1 year or less
20	6	2 years or less
22	7	> 2 years

35. Ceremonialism Surrounding Child, Beyond Nuclear Family

N	Code	Meaning
7	NA	Missing data
20	1	None
73	2	Only within first 2 months
56	3	One occasion at later age
20	4	Two or more ceremonies
10	5	Prominent

36. Magical Protectiveness Applied to Parents and Child

N	Code	Meaning
8	NA	Missing data
8	1	None
22	2	Only neonatal period, e.g., couvades
76	3	Slight, neonatally and later
66	4	Moderate, neonatally and later
6	5	Exaggerated, neonatally and later

37. Physical Protectiveness against Childhood Illness

N	Code	Meaning
20	NA	Missing data
1	1	No special effort
43	2	Slight
79	3	Moderate, e.g., regular baths
39	4	Some exceptional techniques, e.g., medicines, ointments, diapers
4	5	Variety of exceptional techniques

38. Introduction of New Foods (Other than Milk) in Childhood

N	Code	Meaning
95	NA	Missing data
33	1	Before 1 month
27	2	1-6 months
11	3	7-12 months, including solids
6	4	7-12 months, only liquids or premasticated
14	5	After 12 months

39. Weaning- Age and Severity

N	Code	Meaning
29	NA	Missing data
103	1	> 2 years and gentle
27	2	> 2 years and severe
17	3	> 1 year and gentle
5	4	> 1 year and severe
3	5	> 6 months and gentle
1	6	> 6 months and severe
1	7	< 6 months and gentle
0	8	< 6 months and severe

40. Motor Skills- Encouragement in Childhood

N	Code	Meaning
109	NA	Missing data
2	1	Discourage or punish early development
2	2	Ignore development
22	3	No active assistance, but attention given
42	4	Definite but inconsistent rewards
9	5	Strong Encouragement and assistance

41. Autonomy- Encouragement in Childhood

N	Code	Meaning
81	NA	Missing data
25	1	> 4 years and gradual
3	2	> 4 years and abrupt
54	3	2-4 years and gradual
23	4	2-4 years and abrupt, or < 2 years and gradual
0	5	< 2 years and abrupt
		note: recode category 4

42. Elimination- Encouragement of Control in Childhood 20

N	Code	Meaning
121	NA	Missing data
2	0	None
7	1	3-5 years
27	2	> 18 months
9	3	> 1 year
7	4	> 6 months
13	5	< 6 months

43. Covering Genitals- Age

N	Code	Meaning
39	NA	Missing data
11	0	Even adults uncovered
85	1	Very late
14	2	Late
2	3	> 1 year
1	4	< 6 months
34	5	After birth

44. Weaning- Age of Onset

N	Code	Meaning
30	NA	Missing data
19	1	up to 12 months
12	2	13 - 20 months
67	3	21 - 24 months
6	4	25 - 30 months
36	5	31 - 36 months
9	6	37 - 42 months
7	7	43 - 48 months
0	8	49 - 60 months
0	9	61 - 72 months

45. Weaning- Age of Termination

N	Code	Meaning
30	NA	Missing data
7	1	up to 12 months
5	2	13 - 20 months
38	3	21 - 24 months
8	4	25 - 30 months
64	5	31 - 36 months
16	6	37 - 42 months
14	7	43 - 48 months
4	8	49 - 60 months
0	9	61 - 72 months

46. Weaning- Childhood Developmental Order of Onset

N	Code	Meaning
27	NA	Missing data
7	1	1st in onset (among variables 46-50)
80	2	2nd
57	3	3rd
15	4	4th
0	5	5th

47. Motor Skills- Childhood Developmental Order

N	Code	Meaning
10	NA	Missing data
121	1	1st in onset (among variables 46-50)
46	2	2nd
7	3	3rd
2	4	4th
0	5	5th

48. Autonomy- Childhood Developmental Order

N	Code	Meaning
80	NA	Missing data
0	1	1st in onset (among variables 46-50)
18	2	2nd
46	3	3rd
33	4	4th
9	5	5th

49. Elimination Control- Childhood Developmental Order

N	Code	Meaning
122	NA	Missing data
17	1	1st in onset (among variables 46-50)
31	2	2nd
10	3	3rd
5	4	4th
1	5	5th

50. Covering Genitals- Childhood Developmental Order

N	Code	Meaning
36	NA	Missing data
32	1	1st in onset (among variables 46-50)
9	2	2nd
34	3	3rd
45	4	4th
30	5	5th

51. Non-Maternal Relationships, Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
24	NA	Missing data
5	1	Almost Exclusively Mother
81	2	Principally Mother, others minor roles
63	3	Principally Mother, others important roles
10	4	Mother < 1/2 care
2	5	Mother minor but significant
1	6	Mother minimal except for nursing

52. Non-Maternal Relationships, Early Childhood

N	Code	Meaning
50	NA	Missing data
0	1	Almost Exclusively Mother
36	2	Principally Mother, others important roles
60	3	Mother < 1/2 care
38	4	Primarily others
2	5	Exclusively others

53. Role of Father, Infancy

N	Code	Meaning
32	NA	Missing data
8	1	Distant
27	2	Rarely close
72	3	Occasionally close
44	4	Frequently close
3	5	Regularly close

54. Role of Father, Early Childhood

N	Code	Meaning
36	NA	Missing data
4	1	Distant
18	2	Rarely close
46	3	Occasionally close
73	4	Frequently close
9	5	Regularly close

55. Principal Relationships, Infancy Caretakers and Companions

N	Code	Meaning
48	NA	Missing data
31	1	Children, Females
4	2	Children, unspecified
11	3	Children, both sexes
60	4	Adult Family, Females
0	5	Adult Family, unspecified
14	6	Adult Family, both sexes
17	7	Others, Female
0	8	Others, unspecified
1	9	Others, both sexes

56. Principal Relationships, Early Childhood Caretakers and Companions

N	Code	Meaning
45	NA	Missing data
10	1	Peer Group, single sex
1	2	Peer Group, unspecified
43	3	Peer Group, both sexes
22	4	Older Children, single sex
8	5	Older Children, unspecified
22	6	Older Children, both sexes
14	7	Adults, single sex
0	8	Adults, sex unspecified
21	9	Adults, both sexes

57. General Indulgence, Infancy (taking 51 and 52 into account)

N	Code	Meaning
67	NA	Missing data
1	1	Severe or neglectful
8	2	Lesser severity
19	3	Occasional indulgence
80	4	Greater indulgence
11	5	Highly affectionate

58. General Indulgence, Infancy- Modifiers of General Scale Types

N	Code	Meaning
67	NA	Missing data
36	1	Low in category
34	2	Medium in category
49	3	High in category
		Note: Combine 57 and 58

59. General Indulgence, Early Childhood (taking 51 and 52 into account)

N	Code	Meaning
54	NA	Missing data
2	1	Severe
24	2	Less Severity
32	3	Occasional Severity
64	4	Greater Leniency
10	5	Consistently Lenient

60. General Indulgence, Early Childhood- Modifiers of General Scale Types

N	Code	Meaning
54	NA	Missing data
43	1	Low in category
44	2	Medium in category
45	3	High in category
		Note: Combine 59 and 60