

Appendix D: Survey Constructs

Construct	Survey Items	Response Scale	Alpha Score	Citations
Mental Health Awareness	- I know where to go to get mental health supports if I need them. - I can get mental health resources if I need them. - I would ask for help if I had mental or emotional troubles.	1) Disagree strongly 2) Disagree somewhat 3) Neutral 4) Agree somewhat 5) Agree strongly	0.80	CONNECT Summit Mental Health Attitudes & Access Survey (Connect 2021)
Empathy	- I can tell when people are upset, even if they don't say anything. - I like to be there for others in times of difficulty. - When others feel sadness, I try to comfort them.		0.79	The Compassion Scale (Pommier et al. 2020)
Future Orientation	- I know how to meet the goals that I set for myself. - I look forward to the future with hope and enthusiasm. - My future is filled with opportunities. - I can do anything I want in the future.		0.88	The Adult Hope Scale (Snyder et al. 1991) The Hopelessness Scale (Beck et al. 1974)
Social Supports Within Osborne	- There's at least one person I can count on to be there for me no matter what. - There's at least one person who supports my efforts to turn my life around. - There's at least one person I can talk to about anything.		0.81	The Community Assessment Inventory (Brown et al. 2004)
Social Support Outside Osborne	- There's at least one person I can count on to be there for me no matter what. - There's at least one person who supports my efforts to turn my life around. - There's at least one person I can talk to about anything.		0.87	The Community Assessment Inventory (Brown et al. 2004)

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Violence Attitudes	- It is sometimes important to use physical force to teach others to respect me. - Carrying a gun or knife makes me feel safer. - Sometimes it's okay to carry a gun or knife for self-protection. - Carrying a weapon is an effective way to avoid a fight. - If I was going to be in a fight, I'd feel safer if I had a handgun.	1) Agree strongly 2) Agree somewhat 3) Neutral 4) Disagree somewhat 5) Disagree strongly	0.89	CBVP Evaluation Survey (Tomberg & Butts 2016) NYC Youth Violence Survey (Dalhberg et al. 2005)
Conflict Resolution	- I can usually remain calm even when dealing with interpersonal conflicts. - When I find myself in a disagreement with someone, I can usually find a solution. - Walking away can be an effective way to avoid a fight. - Apologizing (saying you're sorry) is an effective way to avoid a fight. - I can always manage to solve conflicts with another person by talking with them. - If I am in a tough spot, I can usually get out of it without fighting.	1) Disagree strongly 2) Disagree somewhat 3) Neutral 4) Agree somewhat 5) Agree strongly	0.82	NYC Youth Violence Survey (Dalhberg et al. 2005) Generalized Self-Efficacy scale (Schwarzer & Jerusalem 1995)
Employment Attitudes	- I know how to apply for a job. - I feel confident in my interviewing skills. - It's important to me to be on time for work. - It's important to let my supervisor know if I am unable to work.	1) Disagree strongly 2) Disagree somewhat 3) Neutral 4) Agree somewhat 5) Agree strongly	0.91	Prepare Evaluation Survey (Tomberg et al. 2021)

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Self-Regulation	- I can usually see both sides in an argument. - I can work through unpleasant feelings. - I can ignore judgment from others.	1) Disagree strongly 2) Disagree somewhat 3) Neutral 4) Agree somewhat 5) Agree strongly	0.81	Mindfulness Scale (Bergomi et al. 2013)
Neighborhood Safety	- I often hear gunshots in my neighborhood. - People in my neighborhood worry about being the victim of a violent crime. - I would like to move out of my neighborhood if I could.		0.74	Chicago Youth Development Study (Tolan et al. 2001) NYC Cure Evaluation Survey (Delgado et al. 2015)