



## Data Collection Worksheet

**Please Note:** The Data Collection Worksheet (DCW) is a tool to aid integration of a PhenX protocol into a study. The PhenX DCW is not designed to be a data collection instrument. Investigators will need to decide the best way to collect data for the PhenX protocol in their study. Variables captured in the DCW, along with variable names and unique PhenX variable identifiers, are included in the PhenX Data Dictionary (DD) files.

### Hopelessness Scale for Children (HSC)

Instructions to be read to the child: These sentences are about how some kids feel about their lives. Your answers let us know about how kids feel about things.

"I am going to read each sentence to you. I'd like you to tell me if the sentence is true for you or false for you. If the sentence is how you feel, you would say it is like you or true. If the sentence is not how you think you feel, you would say it is not like you or false.

"There is no right or wrong answers. Just tell me if the sentence is like you or not like you-true or false,"

1. I want to grow up because I think things will be better.

True

False

2. I might as well give up because I can't make things better for myself.

True

False

3. When things are going badly, I know they won't be as bad all of the time.

True

False

4. I can imagine what my life will be like when I'm grown up.

True

False

5. I have enough time to finish the things I really want to do.

True

False

6. Someday, I will be good at doing the things that I really care about.

True

False

7. I will get more of the good things in life than most other kids.

True

False

8. I don't have good luck and there's no reason to think I will when I grow up.

True

False

9. All I can see ahead of me are bad things, not good things.

True

False

10. I don't think I will get what I really want.

True

False

11. When I grow up, I think I will be happier than I am now.

True

False

12. Things just won't work out the way I want them to.

True

False

13. I never get what I want, so it's dumb to want anything.

True

False

14. I don't think I will have any real fun when I grow up.

True

False

15. Tomorrow seems unclear and confusing to me.

True

False

16. I will have more good times than bad times.

True

False

17. There's no use in really trying to get something I want because I probably won't get it.

True

False

### **Scoring**

"True" responses to the following items are scored as "1": 2, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17

"False" responses to the following items are scored as "1": 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 16

The higher the score, the greater the hopelessness for the future.

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