I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

The Annual Follow-Up Other (AFO) form is completed as the second of four annual follow-up forms administered each year on or near the anniversary of the participant’s baseline JHS clinic examination. It is completed immediately following completion of the AFU form. The interviewer must be certified and should have a working knowledge of the annual follow-up procedures. S/he should also be familiar with the data entry procedures for electronic version forms and the document titled “General Instructions for Completing Paper Forms” prior to completing this form. ID number, Contact Year, and Name should be completed as described in that document.

Form sections for completing for completing the AFU are generally completed in the following order:

1) Annual Follow-Up Record of Calls (ARC)
2) Annual Follow-Up Form (AFU)
3) Annual Follow-Up Other Form (AFO)
4) Annual Follow-Up 1, 2, or 3 (AF1, AF2, or AF3)
5) Appointment scheduling (if due)
6) Contact Form (CON): Verification of participant contact information

II. SPECIFIC INSTRUCTIONS

Initiate the form by reading the introductory script at the beginning of the form. Remind the participant that the time frame for these questions is the past year. If the participant has difficulty or is not clear on the time frame involved say, “that is, from this time last year.” Inform the respondent in advance that each item has six possible answers and ask them to listen carefully, selecting the one which most closely matches her/his experience.

1. This item is intended to assess the degree of overall stress the respondent has experienced over the past year. Stress may include any number of things, both positive or negative, as defined by the participant. Avoid interpreting for the participant, but the interviewer may say clarify that stress might include both good or bad experiences, such as getting a desired, new job or being fired or laid off from a job.

2. This item is intended to assess the degree of depressed mood experienced by the respondent over the past year. Read the question.
3. This item is intended to assess the degree of anxiety experienced by the respondent over the past year. Read the question. Provide the response options: ALMOST NEVER, SELDOM, SOMETIMES, OFTEN, VERY OFTEN, CONSTANTLY.

4. This item is intended to assess the degree of coping anxiety experienced by the respondent over the past year. Read the question. Provide the response options: ALMOST NEVER, SELDOM, SOMETIMES, OFTEN, VERY OFTEN, CONSTANTLY.

5. This item is intended to assess the degree of social support anxiety experienced by the respondent over the past year. Read the question. Provide the response options: ALMOST NEVER, SELDOM, SOMETIMES, OFTEN, VERY OFTEN, CONSTANTLY.