Looking after the health of the person you care for.

We are interested in finding out about the effort you have to make in order to look after the health of the person you care for, and how this impacts on your day-to-day life.

2.2 Please tell us how much difficulty you have with helping the person you care for with the following: (Please tick the box that most applies to you.)

		Not difficult	A little difficult	Quite difficult	Very difficult	Extremely difficult	Does not apply
1.	Taking lots of medications			□ ₃		□ ₅	
2.	Remembering how and when they need to take their medication	 1				□ ₅	□.
3.	Paying for their prescriptions, over the counter medication or equipment	□ 1		 3	 4	□ ₅	
4.	Collecting their prescription medication	Πı			 4	П5	□.
5.	Monitoring their medical conditions (e.g. checking their blood sugar, monitoring symptoms etc)			 3	□4	<u></u>	
6.	Arranging their appointments with health professionals	□ 1		 3	□4	□ 5	□.
7.	Seeing lots of different health professionals	П			□ 4	П5	□。
8.	Attending appointments with health professionals (e.g. getting time off work, arranging transport etc)	□.		□ ₃	□₄	□ 5	
9.	Getting health care for them in the evenings and at weekends	□ 1		 3	□ ₄	□ ₅	□.
10.	Getting them help from community services (e.g. physiotherapy, district nurses etc)	1		 3	 4	□ ₅	□ 。
11.	Obtaining up-to-date information about their medical conditions	□ 1		□ ₃	 4	□ 5	□.
12.	Making recommended changes to their lifestyle (e.g.						

Please tell us how difficult you have found the following:

(Please tick the box that most applies.)

	Not difficult	A little difficult	Quite difficult	Very difficult	Extremely difficult	Does not apply				
13. Having to rely on help from family and friends				 4	□ ₅					
14. Arranging respite care for the person you care for				 4	□ ₅					
15. The financial impact of being a carer (e.g. having to give up work, relying on benefits etc)			 3	 4	□ 5	□。				
16 Adjusting your own lifestyle so that you can look after the person you care for				 4	 5	□。				
Thank you for taking time to complete this survey.										
If you have any comments please write them here.										

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