Craig Hospital Inventory of Environmental Factors Short Form

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Being an active, productive member of society includes participating in such things as working, going to school, taking care of your home, and being involved with family and friends in social, recreational and civic activities in the community. Many factors can help or improve a person's participation in these activities while other factors can act as barriers and limit participation.

First, please tell me how often each of the following has been a barrier to your own participation in the activities that matter to you. Think about the past year, and tell me whether each item on the list below has been a problem **daily, weekly, monthly, less than monthly, or never.** If the item occurs, then answer the question as to how big a problem the item is with regard to your participation in the activities that matter to you.

(Note: if a question asks specifically about **school or work** and you neither work nor attend school, check not applicable)

	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Less than monthly	Never	Not applicable	Big problem	Little problem
1. In the past 12 months, how often has the availability of	0	0	0	0	0			
transportation been a problem for you? When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0
2. In the past 12 months, how often has the natural								
environment - temperature, terrain, climate - made it	0	0	0	0	0			
difficult to do what you want or need to do? When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0
3. In the past 12 months, how often have other aspects of								
your surroundings - lighting, noise, crowds, etc - made it	0	0	0	0	0			
difficult to do what you want or need to do?								
When this problem occurs has it been a big							0	0
problem or a little problem? 4. In the past 12 months, how often has the information you								
wanted or needed not been available in a format you can use	0	0	0	0	0			
or understand?								
When this problem occurs has it been a big							0	0
problem or a little problem?								
5. In the past 12 months, how often has the availability of	_	0	_	_	_			
health care services and medical care been a problem for	0	0	0	0	0			
you? When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0
6. In the past 12 months, how often did you need someone	0	0	0	0	0			
else's help in your home and could not get it easily?	O	O	O	O	O			
When this problem occurs has it been a big							0	0
problem or a little problem?								
7. In the past 12 months, how often did you need someone else's help at school or work and could not get it easily?	0	0	0	0	0	0		
When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0

8. In the past 12 months, how often have other people's attitudes toward you been a problem at home?	0	0	0	0	0			
When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0
9. In the past 12 months, how often have other people's	0	0	0	0	0	0		
attitudes toward you been a problem at school or work?	O	O	O	O	O	O		
When this problem occurs has it been a big							0	0
problem or a little problem?								
10. In the past 12 months, how often did you experience	0	0	0	0	0			
prejudice or discrimination?								
When this problem occurs has it been a big							0	0
problem or a little problem?								
11. In the past 12 months, how often did the policies and	_	_	_	_	0			
rules of businesses and organizations make problems for	0	0	0	0	0			
you? When this problem account has it been a his								
When this problem occurs has it been a big problem or a little problem?							0	0
12. In the past 12 months, how often did government								
programs and policies make it difficult to do what you want	0	0	0	0	0			
or need to do?	0	0	J	J	0			
When this problem occurs has it been a big								
problem or a little problem?							0	0