

**APPENDIX 9**  
**LIST OF TABLES FOR 34/32 SELF-REPORT**  
**AND 35 PROXY-REPORT RESPONDENTS**

**A. Number of Interviews Conducted**

Table 1. Number and Percent of Interviews by Type of Respondents	
Respondent in the Interview	Number of Interviews
Self-report	34
Proxy	35

**B. Demographic Characteristics****1. Sex**

Table 2. Number and Percent of Respondents by Type and Sex				
Sex	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Female	21	61.8	25	71.4
Male	13	38.2	10	28.6
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

**2. Age**

Table 3. Number and Percent of Respondents by Type and Age Group				
Age Group	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
18 – 21	1	2.9	2	5.7
22 – 25	2	5.9	8	22.9
26 – 29	2	5.9	2	5.7
30 – 33	1	2.9	2	5.7
34 – 37	1	2.9	2	5.7
38 – 41	1	2.9	1	2.9
42 – 45	1	2.9	6	17.1
46 – 49	2	5.9	1	2.9
50 – 53	3	8.8	1	2.9
54 – 57	5	14.7	3	8.6
58 – 61	4	11.8	2	5.7
62 – 65	4	11.8	2	5.7
66 – 69	2	5.9	2	5.7
70 and above	5	14.7	1	2.9
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

#### 4. Education

Years Spent Studying in School	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
0	4	11.8	0	0.0
1	0	0.0	0	0.0
2	1	2.9	1	2.9
3	3	8.8	1	2.9
4	1	2.9	4	11.4
5	0	0.0	1	2.9
6	8	23.5	2	5.7
7	6	17.6	2	5.7
8	0	0.0	0	0.0
9	0	0.0	1	2.9
10	3	8.8	5	14.3
11	0	0.0	3	8.6
12	1	2.9	5	14.3
13	1	2.9	1	2.9
14	1	2.9	3	8.6
15	1	2.9	3	8.6
16	1	2.9	1	2.9
17 and over	1	2.9	2	5.7
Can't Remember	2	5.9	0	0.0
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

#### 5. Marital Status

Current Marital Status	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Never married	8	23.5	9	25.7
Currently married	13	38.2	17	48.6
Separated	0	0.0	2	5.7
Divorced	0	0.0	0	0.0
Widowed	9	26.5	4	11.4
Cohabiting	3	8.8	2	5.7
Not Reported	1	2.9	1	2.9
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

## C. Economic Characteristics

### 1. Employment

Main Work Status	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Paid work	6	17.7	7	20.0
Self employed	7	20.6	7	20.0
Non paid work	2	5.9	1	2.9
Student	0	0.0	1	2.9
Keeping House/Homemaker	4	11.8	8	22.9
Retired	3	8.8	3	8.6
Unemployed (health reasons)	8	23.5	3	8.6
Unemployed (other reasons)	3	8.8	5	14.3
Don't Know	1	2.9	0	0.0
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

### 2. Income

Household Weekly Income	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
J (less than €40)	15	44.1	15	42.9
R (€40 to under €70)	5	14.7	6	17.1
C (€70 to under €120)	6	17.6	5	14.3
M (€120 to under €230)	3	8.8	3	8.6
F (€230 to under €350)	2	5.9	0	0.0
S (€350 to under €460)	0	0.0	0	0.0
K (€460 to under €580)	0	0.0	0	0.0
P (€580 to under €690)	0	0.0	0	0.0
D (€690 to under €1150)	0	0.0	0	0.0
H (€1150 to under €1730)	0	0.0	0	0.0
U (€1730 to under €2310)	0	0.0	0	0.0
N (€2310 or more)	0	0.0	0	0.0
DK for Don't Know	3	8.8	6	17.1
Total	34	100.0	35	100.0

**D. Functional Difficulty by Type****1. Vision****a. Main Question**

Degree of Difficulty in Seeing	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	15	46.9	18	51.4
Some Difficulty	14	43.8	14	40.0
A Lot of Difficulty	3	9.4	3	8.6
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**b. Interviewer's Observation Question**

Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question				
Yes	7	21.9	2	5.7
No	25	78.1	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option				
Yes	4	12.5	2	5.7
No	28	87.5	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	4	12.5	2	5.7
No	28	87.5	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Wearing of Glasses**

Frequency of Wearing Eyeglasses	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All the Time	5	15.6	4	11.4
Certain Activities	16	50.0	13	37.1
None of the Time	11	34.4	18	51.4
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**d. Frequency of Difficulty in Seeing**

Frequency of Difficulty in Seeing	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Respondents with Difficulty				
Never	2	11.8	3	17.6
Somewhat Often	10	58.8	11	64.7
Very Often	5	29.4	3	17.6
Total	17	100.0	17	100.0
B. For Glasses Wearers Only				
Never	9	64.3	8	53.3
Somewhat Often	4	28.6	7	46.7
Very Often	1	7.1	0	0.0
Total	14	100.0	15	100.0

**e. Amount of Effort Given**

Amount of Effort Exerted to See	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Respondents with Difficulty				
No Effort	2	11.8	4	21.1
Some Effort	5	29.4	10	52.6
A Lot of Effort	10	58.8	5	26.3
Total	17	100.0	19	100.0
B. For Glasses Wearers Only				
No Effort	6	42.9	6	40.0
Some Effort	5	35.7	8	53.3
A Lot of Effort	3	21.4	1	6.7
Total	16	100.0	15	100.0

**f. Activities**

Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Vision Problem	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	17	53.1	13	37.1
No	15	46.9	22	62.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**g. Worried on Vision Problems**

Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Vision	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	19	59.4	18	51.4
Somewhat Concerned	5	15.6	14	40.0
Very Concerned	7	21.9	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**h. Health Professional's Advise**

Consultation with a Health Professional About Seeing Problem or Whether They Have Their Vision Tested	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Told by a Health Professional about Their Problem in Seeing</b>				
Yes	12	37.5	23	65.7
No	19	59.4	11	31.4
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. Have Their Vision Tested</b>				
Yes	20	62.5	21	60.0
No	12	37.5	13	37.1
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**i. Difficulty in Seeing Prints/Recognizing a Person**

Table 16. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Seeing Prints or Seeing and Recognizing a Person They Know				
Degree of Difficulty in Seeing Prints or Seeing and Recognizing a Person	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Respondents with Difficulty</b>				
1. Seeing the Prints in a Map, Newspaper or Book				
No Difficulty	12	37.5	14	40.0
Some Difficulty	12	37.5	8	22.9
A Lot of Difficulty	5	15.6	7	20.0
Cannot Do At All	3	9.4	2	5.7
No Answer/Don't Know	0	00.0	4	11.4
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
2. Seeing and Recognizing a Person They Know From Seven Meters Away				
No Difficulty	20	62.5	20	57.1
Some Difficulty	6	18.8	8	22.9
A Lot of Difficulty	4	12.5	4	11.4
Cannot Do At All	2	6.2	1	2.9
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	2	5.7
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. For Glasses Wearers Only with Difficulty</b>				
1. Seeing the Prints in a Map, Newspaper or Book				
No Difficulty	11	78.6	12	75.0
Some Difficulty	1	7.1	4	25.0
A Lot of Difficulty	1	7.1	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	1	7.1	0	0.0
Total	14	100.0	16	100.0
2. Seeing and Recognizing a Person They Know From Seven Meters Away				
No Difficulty	8	57.1	8	50.0
Some Difficulty	4	28.6	8	50.0
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	2	14.3	0	0.0
Total	21	100.0	16	100.0

## 2. Hearing

### a. Main Question

Degree of Difficulty in Hearing	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	23	71.9	25	71.4
Some Difficulty	9	28.1	9	25.7
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	1	2.9
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### b. Interviewer's Observation Question

Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question				
Yes	1	3.1	1	2.9
No	31	96.9	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option				
Yes	0	0.0	1	2.9
No	32	100.0	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	1	3.1	2	5.7
No	31	96.9	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Use of Hearing Aid**

When To Use Hearing Aid	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
All the Time	1	3.1	1	2.9
Certain Activities	0	0.0	0	0.0
None of the Time	31	96.9	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**d. Frequency of Difficulty in Hearing**

Frequency of Use of Hearing Aid	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Respondents with Difficulty</b>				
Never	0	0.0	2	20.0
Somewhat Often	8	88.9	6	60.0
Very Often	0	0.0	2	20.0
No Answer/Don't Know	1	11.1		
Total	8	100.0	10	100.0
<b>B. For Hearing Aid Users Only</b>				
Never	0	0.0	0	0.0
Somewhat Often	1	100.0	1	100.0
Very Often	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1	100.0	1	100.0

**e. Amount of Effort Given**

Amount of Effort Exerted To Hear	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Respondents with Difficulty</b>				
No Effort	1	11.1	4	40.0
Some Effort	7	77.8	3	30.0
A Lot of Effort	1	11.1	3	30.0
Total	9	100.0	10	100.0
<b>B. For Hearing Aid Users Only</b>				
No Effort	1	100.0	1	100.0
Some Effort	0	0.0	0	0.0
A Lot of Effort	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1	100.0	1	100.0

**f. Activities**

Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Hearing Problem	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	1	3.1	2	5.7
No	31	96.9	33	94.6
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**g. Worried on Hearing Problem**

Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Hearing	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	25	78.1	25	71.4
Somewhat Concerned	5	15.6	7	20.0
Very Concerned	1	3.1	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**h. Health Professional Advice**

Consultation with a Health Professional About Hearing Loss and Hearing Test	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Consulted a Health Professional</b>				
Yes	2	6.2	3	8.6
No	29	90.6	31	88.6
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. Have Their Hearing Tested</b>				
Yes	7	21.9	0	0.0
No	24	75.0	34	97.1
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**i. Difficulty in Hearing What is Said in a Crowded or Quiet Room**

Table 25. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Hearing What is Said in a Crowded or Quiet Room				
Degree of Difficulty in Hearing What is Said in a Crowded or Quiet Room	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Respondents with Difficulty</b>				
1. Hearing in a Crowded Room				
No Difficulty	25	78.1	22	62.9
Some Difficulty	6	18.8	10	28.6
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	1	2.9
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	2	5.7
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
2. Hearing in a Quiet Room				
No Difficulty	27	84.4	28	80.0
Some Difficulty	4	12.5	6	17.1
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. For Hearing Aid Users Only</b>				
1. Difficulty Hearing in a Crowded Room				
No Difficulty	1	100.0	1	100.0
Some Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1	100.0	1	100.0
2. Difficulty Hearing in a Quiet Room				
No Difficulty	1	100.0	1	100.0
Some Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	0	0.0
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	1	100.0	35	100.0

**j. How Often They Missed Words in Conversation, Radio or TV Due to Hearing Problem**

Table 26. Number and Percent of Respondents on How Often They Missed Words in Conversation, Radio or TV Due to Hearing Problem				
How Often They Missed Words in Conversation, Radio or TV Due to Hearing Problem	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Never	25	78.1	29	82.9
About Once A Week	4	12.5	3	8.6
Everyday	0	0.0	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	3	9.4	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**k. Often Told by Family Members About Their Hearing Problem**

Table 27. Number and Percent of Respondents Often Told by Family Members About Their Hearing Problem				
Often Told by Family Members About Their Hearing Problem	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	4	12.5	8	22.9
No	26	81.2	27	77.1
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**3. Cognitive**

**a. Main Question**

Table 28. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating				
Degree of Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	22	68.8	14	40.0
Some Difficulty	9	28.1	15	42.9
A Lot of Difficulty	1	3.1	2	5.7
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	1	2.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**b. Interviewer's Observation Question**

Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question				
Yes	6	18.8	5	14.3
No	26	81.2	30	85.7
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option				
Yes	2	6.2	4	11.4
No	30	93.8	31	88.6
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	4	12.5	2	5.7
No	28	87.5	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating or Both**

Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating or Both	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Remembering	4	40.0	5	25.0
Concentrating	0	0.0	3	15.0
Both	6	60.0	12	60.0
Total	10	100.0	20	100.0

**d. Frequency of Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating**

Frequency of Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Never	1	10.0	3	15.0
Somewhat Often	8	80.0	14	70.0
Very Often	1	10.0	3	15.0
Total	10	100.0	20	100.0

**e. Amount of Effort Given**

Table 32. Number and Percent of Respondents With Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating by Amount of Effort Exerted To Remember or Concentrate				
Amount of Effort Exerted To Remember or Concentrate	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Effort	2	20.0	2	10.0
Some Effort	7	70.0	9	45.0
A Lot of Effort	1	10.0	9	45.0
Total	10	100.0	20	100.0

**f. Reasons for Having Difficulty in Remembering or Concentrating**

Table 33. Number and Percent of Respondents by Reasons for Having Difficulty Remembering or Concentrating		
Reasons for Having Difficulty Remembering or Concentrating	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type	
	Self-report	Proxy
Because of Too Many Things To Do	3	2
Because of Getting Older	4	9
Because of Something Else	5	10
No Answer/Don't Know	1	0

**g. Activities**

Table 34. Number and Percent of Respondents on Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Problem in Remembering or Concentrating				
Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Problem in Remembering or Concentrating	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	8	25.0	7	20.0
No	22	68.8	28	80.0
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**h. Worried on the Ability to Remember or Concentrate**

Table 35. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability to Remember or Concentrate				
Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability to Remember or Concentrate	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	19	59.4	19	54.3
Somewhat Concerned	7	21.9	11	31.4
Very Concerned	3	9.4	5	14.3
No Answer/Don't Know	3	9.4	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**i. Type of Difficulty in Remembering Different Things**

Table 36. Number and Percent of Respondents by Type of Difficulty in Remembering Different Things				
Type of Difficulty in Remembering Different Things	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Names of People or Places</b>				
Yes	8	25.0	12	34.3
No	23	71.9	22	62.9
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>B. Appointments</b>				
Yes	6	18.8	11	31.4
No	24	75.0	21	60.0
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	3	8.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>C. How to Get to Familiar Places</b>				
Yes	10	31.2	12	34.3
No	20	62.5	23	65.7
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>D. Important Tasks Like Taking Medications or Paying Bills</b>				
Yes	12	37.5	11	31.4
No	19	59.4	22	62.9
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	2	5.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**j. Difficulty Experienced in Concentrating on Doing Something for 10 minutes, Learning a New Task or Finding Solutions to Problems in Day to Day Life**

Table 37. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Concentrating on Doing Something for 10 Minutes, Learning A New Task, or Finding Solutions to Problems in Day to Day Life				
Degree of Difficulty in Concentrating on Doing Something for 10 Minutes, Learning A New Task, or Finding Solutions to Problems in Day to Day Life	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Concentrating on Doing Something for 10 Minutes</b>				
No Difficulty	19	59.4	21	60.0
Some Difficulty	9	28.1	10	28.6
A Lot of Difficulty	2	6.2	1	2.9
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	2	5.7
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

<b>B. Learning A New Task</b>				
No Difficulty	17	53.1	17	48.6
Some Difficulty	10	31.2	12	34.3
A Lot of Difficulty	1	3.1	2	5.7
Cannot Do At All	1	3.1	4	11.4
No Answer/Don't Know	3	9.4	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>C. Finding Solutions to Problems in Day to Day Life</b>				
No Difficulty	18	56.2	20	57.1
Some Difficulty	7	21.9	9	25.7
A Lot of Difficulty	3	9.4	3	8.6
Cannot Do At All	1	3.1	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	3	9.4	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

#### 4. Mobility

##### a. Main Question

Table 38. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps				
Degree of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	7	21.9	8	22.9
Some Difficulty	12	37.5	16	45.7
A Lot of Difficulty	11	34.4	8	22.9
Cannot Do At All	2	6.2	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

##### b. Interviewer's Observation Question

Table 39. Number and Percent of Respondents by Interviewer's Observation Questions for Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps				
Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question</b>				
Yes	1	3.1	0	0.0
No	31	96.9	35	100.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option</b>				
Yes	0	0.0	1	2.9
No	32	100.0	34	97.1
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	2	6.2	0	0.0
No	30	93.8	35	100.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Use of Equipment in Walking or Climbing Steps**

Table 40. Number and Percent of Respondents Using Equipment or Assistive Devices in Walking or Climbing Steps				
Using Assistive Devices in Walking or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	10	31.2	10	28.6
No	22	68.8	25	71.4
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**d. Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps or Both**

Table 41. Number and Percent of Respondents with Difficulty in Walking and/or Climbing Steps				
Difficulty in Walking and/or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Walking	0	0.0	0	0.0
Climbing Steps	7	28.0	6	22.2
Both	18	72.0	21	77.8
Total	25	100.0	27	100.0

**e. Frequency of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps**

Table 42. Number and Percent of Respondents with Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps by Frequency of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps				
Frequency of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Respondents with Difficulty				
Never	2	8.0	1	3.7
Somewhat Often	13	52.0	17	63.0
Very Often	10	40.0	9	33.3
Total	25	100.0	27	100.0
B. For Equipment Users Only				
Never	2	20.0	3	30.0
Somewhat Often	3	30.0	4	40.0
Very Often	5	50.0	3	30.0
Total	10	100.0	10	100.0

**f. Amount of Effort Given**

Table 43. Number and Percent of Respondents With Difficulty in Walking and/or Climbing Steps by Amount of Effort Exerted To Walk or Climb (with and without equipment)				
Amount of Effort Exerted To Walk or Climb (with and without equipment)	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Respondents with Difficulty</b>				
No Effort	2	8.0	0	0.0
Some Effort	12	48.0	19	70.4
A Lot of Effort	11	44.0	8	29.6
Total	25	100.0	27	100.0
<b>B. For Equipment Users Only</b>				
No Effort	2	20.0	2	20.0
Some Effort	5	50.0	4	40.0
A Lot of Effort	3	30.0	4	40.0
Total	10	100.0	10	100.0

**g. Activities**

Table 44. Number and Percent of Respondents on Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Problem in Walking or Climbing Steps				
Whether there is an Activity They Cannot Do Because of a Problem in Walking or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	16	50.0	18	51.4
No	16	50.0	17	48.6
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**h. Worried on the Ability to Walk or Climb Steps**

Table 45. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability to Walk or Climb Steps				
Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability to Walk or Climb Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	12	37.5	9	25.7
Somewhat Concerned	7	21.9	14	40.0
Very Concerned	13	40.6	12	34.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**i. Difficulty in Moving Around Inside of Their Home, Going Outside of Home, or Walking a Long Distance such as a Kilometer**

Table 46. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Moving Around Inside of Their Home, Going Outside of Home, or Walking a Long Distance				
Degree of Difficulty in Moving Around Inside of Their Home, Going Outside of Home, or Walking a Long Distance	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Moving Around Inside The Home</b>				
No Difficulty	15	46.9	11	31.4
Some Difficulty	9	28.1	17	48.6
A Lot of Difficulty	4	12.5	3	8.6
Cannot Do At All	4	12.5	4	11.4
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. Going Outside of Home</b>				
No Difficulty	10	31.2	16	45.7
Some Difficulty	11	34.4	12	34.3
A Lot of Difficulty	6	18.8	2	5.7
Cannot Do At All	5	15.6	5	14.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>C. Walking a Long Distance such as a Kilometer</b>				
No Difficulty	13	40.6	6	17.1
Some Difficulty	6	18.8	13	37.1
A Lot of Difficulty	8	25.0	8	22.9
Cannot Do At All	5	15.6	8	22.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**j. Type of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps Activities**

Table 47. Number and Percent of Respondents by Type of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps Activities				
Type of Difficulty in Walking or Climbing Steps	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Walking for a Quarter of a Mile</b>				
Yes	18	56.2	23	65.7
No	14	43.8	12	34.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. Walking up to 10 Steps w/o Resting</b>				
Yes	16	50.0	23	65.7
No	16	50.0	12	34.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

<b>C. Standing or Being on your Feet for About Two Hours</b>				
Yes	17	53.1	23	65.7
No	15	46.9	12	34.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>D. Sitting for About Two Hours</b>				
Yes	7	21.9	7	20.0
No	25	78.1	28	80.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>E. Stooping, Crouching or Kneeling</b>				
Yes	21	65.6	22	62.9
No	11	34.4	13	37.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

## 5. Self-Care

### a. Main Question

Table 48. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Self-Care				
Degree of Difficulty in Self-Care	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	19	59.4	19	54.3
Some Difficulty	10	31.2	12	34.3
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	2	5.7
Cannot Do At All	3	9.4	2	5.7
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### b. Interviewer's Observation Question

Table 49. Number and Percent of Respondents by Interviewer's Observation Questions for Difficulty in Self-Care				
Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question</b>				
Yes	1	3.1	0	0.0
No	31	96.9	35	100.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
<b>B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option</b>				
Yes	1	3.1	0	0.0
No	31	96.9	35	100.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	2	6.2	0	0.0
No	30	93.8	35	100.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Frequency of Difficulty in Self-Care**

Table 50. Number and Percent of Respondents with Difficulty in Self-Care by Frequency of Difficulty in Self-Care				
Frequency of Difficulty in Self-Care	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Never	1	7.7	2	12.5
Somewhat Often	8	61.5	10	62.5
Very Often	4	30.8	4	25.0
Total	13	100.0	16	100.0

**d. Amount of Effort Given**

Table 51. Number and Percent of Respondents With Difficulty in Self-Care by Amount of Effort Exerted To Self-Care				
Amount of Effort Exerted To Self-Care	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Effort	1	7.7	2	12.5
Some Effort	9	69.2	8	50.0
A Lot of Effort	2	15.4	6	37.5
No Answer/Don't Know	1	7.7	0	0.0
Total	13	100.0	16	100.0

**e. Worried on the Ability To Do Self-Care**

Table 52. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability To Do Self-Care				
Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability To Do Self-Care	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	16	50.0	11	31.4
Somewhat Concerned	10	31.2	13	37.1
Very Concerned	5	15.6	11	31.4
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**f. Type of Difficulty in Self-Care**

Type of Difficulty in Self-Care	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Reaching Up Over the Head</b>				
Yes	10	31.2	18	51.4
No	21	65.6	17	48.6
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>B. Reaching Out to Shake Hands</b>				
Yes	2	6.2	3	8.6
No	29	90.6	32	91.4
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>C. Using Fingers to Button a Shirt or Dress</b>				
Yes	8	25.0	11	31.4
No	23	71.9	24	68.6
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>D. Putting on Socks or Stockings</b>				
Yes	10	31.2	10	28.6
No	20	62.5	23	65.7
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	2	5.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>E. Tying Shoelaces</b>				
Yes	12	37.5	15	42.9
No	18	56.2	18	51.4
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	2	5.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>F. Combing Hair</b>				
Yes	1	3.1	2	5.7
No	29	90.6	32	91.4
No Answer/Don't Know	2	6.2	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>G. Feeding Oneself</b>				
Yes	2	6.2	3	8.6
No	29	90.6	32	91.4
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**g. Needed Help With Everyday Activities**

Needed Help With Everyday Activities	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	11	34.4	14	40.0
No	20	62.5	21	60.0
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**h. Difficulty in Using Hands and Fingers**

Degree of Difficulty in Using Hands and Fingers	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	22	68.8	23	65.7
Some Difficulty	5	15.6	10	28.6
A Lot of Difficulty	4	12.5	2	5.7
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**i. Feeling Too Tired or Sad To Dress or Bathe**

Feeling Too Tired or Sad To Dress or Bathe	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	10	31.2	13	37.1
No	21	65.6	22	62.9
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

## 6. Communication

### a. Main Question

Degree of Difficulty in Communication	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Difficulty	24	75.0	14	40.0
Some Difficulty	7	21.9	14	40.0
A Lot of Difficulty	1	3.1	6	17.1
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	1	2.9
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### b. Interviewer's Observation Question

Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question				
Yes	1	3.1	2	5.7
No	31	96.9	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option				
Yes	1	3.1	1	2.9
No	31	96.9	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	2	6.2	1	2.9
No	30	93.8	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Frequency of Difficulty in Understanding or Being Understood**

Table 59. Number and Percent of Respondents with Difficulty in Understanding or Being Understood by Frequency of Difficulty in Understanding or Being Understood				
Frequency of Difficulty in Understanding or Being Understood	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Never	1	12.5	0	0.0
Somewhat Often	7	87.5	16	45.7
Very Often	0	0.0	5	14.3
Total	8	100.0	21	100.0

**d. Amount of Effort Given**

Table 60. Number and Percent of Respondents With Difficulty in Communicating by Amount of Effort Exerted In Understanding or Being Understood				
Amount of Effort Exerted In Understanding or Being Understood	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
No Effort	0	0.0	2	9.5
Some Effort	7	87.5	11	52.4
A Lot of Effort	1	12.5	8	38.1
Total	8	100.0	21	100.0

**e. Worried on the Ability to Understand or Be Understood**

Table 61. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability To Understand or Be Understood				
Degree of Concern or Worry About Their Ability To Understand or Be Understood	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All	21	65.6	12	34.3
Somewhat Concerned	8	25.0	17	48.6
Very Concerned	2	6.2	6	17.1
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**f. Difficulty in Understanding What People Say or Starting and Maintaining a Conversation**

Table 62. Number and Percent of Respondents by Degree of Difficulty in Understanding What People Say or Starting and Maintaining a Conversation				
Degree of Difficulty in Understanding What People Say or Starting and Maintaining a Conversation	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Difficulty Understanding What People Say</b>				
No Difficulty	29	90.6	18	51.4
Some Difficulty	3	9.4	13	37.1
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.0	4	11.4
Cannot Do At All	0	0.0	0	0.0
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>B. Starting and Maintaining a Conversation</b>				
No Difficulty	25	78.1	19	54.3
Some Difficulty	6	18.8	11	31.4
A Lot of Difficulty	0	0.00	1	2.9
Cannot Do At All	1	3.1	3	8.6
No Answer/Don't Know	0	0.0	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

**g. Difficulty Making New Friends or Feeling Shy in a Group or Social Situations**

Table 63. Number and Percent of Respondents Having Difficulty Making New Friends or Feeling Shy in Group or Social Situations				
Difficulty Making New Friends or Feeling Shy in Group or Social Situations	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<b>A. Making New Friends</b>				
Yes	3	9.4	2	5.7
No	28	87.5	32	91.4
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>
<b>B. Feeling Shy in Group or Social Situations</b>				
Yes	16	50.0	15	42.9
No	15	46.9	20	57.1
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>100.0</b>

## 7. General Health

### a. Main Question

Assessment of General Health Condition	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Excellent	0	0.0	11	31.4
Very Good	1	3.1	19	54.3
Good	4	12.5	4	11.4
Fair	18	56.2	0	0.0
Poor	8	25.0	1	2.9
No Answer/Don't Know	1	3.1	0	0.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### b. Interviewer's Observation Record

Interviewer's Observation Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A. Need to Repeat Any Part of the Question				
Yes	3	9.4	3	8.6
No	29	90.6	32	91.4
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
B. Have Any Difficulty Using Response Option				
Yes	1	3.1	2	5.7
No	31	96.9	33	94.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0
C. Ask for Clarification or Qualify Answer				
Yes	0	0.0	1	2.9
No	32	100.0	34	97.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**c. Aspect of Health Condition**

Aspect of Health Condition	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type	
	Self-report	Proxy
Physical	32	30
Mental	10	3
Spiritual	9	1

**d. Type of Health Problem**

Type of Health Problem	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type	
	Self-report	Proxy
Asthma/breathing problem	7	3
Arthritis/rheumatism	18	18
Back or neck problem	10	14
Fracture, bone/joint injury	3	5
Heart problem	6	7
Stroke problem	7	7
Hypertension/high blood pressure	19	15
Diabetes	7	7
Cancer	0	0
Mental retardation	2	5
Developmental problem	1	2
Depression/anxiety/emotional problem	7	13
Missing limbs, amputee	0	0
Kidney, bladder or renal problem	8	6
Neurological disorder, such as Multiple Sclerosis (MS) and Muscular Dystrophy (MD)	1	1
No Answer/Don't Know	1	0

## 8. Outcome of Interview Debriefing

### a. Atmosphere of Interview Site

Table 68. Number and Percent of Respondents by Atmosphere of Interview Site				
Atmosphere of Interview Site	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Extremely Chaotic and Noisy (Disruptive to Interview)	0	0.0	2	5.7
Some Noisy and Interruptions (But Interview Went Reasonably Well)	14	43.8	16	45.7
Very Quiet and Calm (Ideal for Interview)	18	56.2	17	48.6
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### b. Interview Site

Table 69. Number and Percent of Respondents by Interview Site				
Interview Site	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Home	17	53.1	20	57.1
Office	4	12.5	3	8.6
Outside	11	34.4	12	34.3
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

### c. Presence of Other People During Interview

Table 70. Number and Percent of Respondents by Presence of Other People During the Conduct of Interview				
Presence of Other People	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Yes	15	46.9	20	57.1
No	17	53.1	15	42.9
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**d. Type of Impairments**

Table 71. Number and Percent of Respondents by Type of Impairments		
Type of Impairments	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type	
	Self-report	Proxy
Mentally handicapped	2	0
Hard of hearing/hearing impaired	2	0
Poor eyesight/vision impaired	2	1
Speech impediment	6	0
Poor language abilities	2	0
Under the influence of alcohol or drugs	0	0
Some other impairment	4	0
None	19	34

**e. Proficiency of Vocabulary During the Conduct of Interview**

Table 72. Number and Percent of Respondents by Proficiency of Their Vocabulary During the Conduct of Interview				
Proficiency of Their Vocabulary During the Conduct of Interview	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Below Average	8	25.0	0	0.0
Average	21	65.6	29	82.9
Above Average	3	9.4	6	17.1
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**f. Level of Attentiveness**

Table 73. Number and Percent of Respondents by Level of Attentiveness				
Level of Attentiveness	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Not At All Attentive	1	3.1	0	0.0
Somewhat Attentive	14	43.8	11	31.4
Very Attentive	17	53.1	24	68.6
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0

**g. Difficulty in Understanding Most of the Questions**

Table 74. Number and Percent of Respondents by Difficulty in Understanding Most of the Questions				
Difficulty in Understanding Most of the Questions	Number and Percent of Respondents by Type			
	Self-report		Proxy	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
A Lot of Difficulty	4	12.5	0	0.0
Some Difficulty	17	53.1	14	40.0
None	11	34.4	21	60.0
Total	32	100.0	35	100.0