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What We've Learned From You



We thank you—for your time, commitment, and participation in this program! Without your support, our program would not exist. We have learned so much about African American couples in northeast Georgia and metropolitan Atlanta. One of the most important things that we've found is that you are doing better in your marriages, simply by being a part of the ProSAAM community. That's good news! It shows that it's important for couples to be connected to others who are like them, and that your relationships are strengthened

by being a part of a larger marriage community. Thank you for participating in this important effort to enhance African American marriages in Georgia.

We encourage you to learn more about our findings by logging onto our website, and visiting the Publications page at <http://www.uga.edu/prosaam/publications/index.htm>.

3-Year Follow-up

Our efforts to secure additional support to follow-up with you were successful. We hope that you will take part in the next phase of the program. Within the next two weeks, a mail-in survey will be sent to your home. We ask you to complete it *on your own* and tell us how you are doing three years after the start of ProSAAM. All marital experiences are important to us.



Benefits To You

- You will receive \$50 for completing the survey. In most cases, your check will be in the mail within five business days after we receive your survey.

- You will contribute to an important effort to strengthen marriage in the African American community.
- You will help us learn more about how African American families can be best served by marriage enrichment programming.

What Can You Expect

No interviewers will visit you in your home for this part of the process. Therefore, there is no need to schedule an interview. Rather, within the next two weeks, you will receive a sealed packet by mail that includes your 36-month follow-up interview. Your packet will include a mail-in questionnaire and an envelope.

It is very important that you complete your interview independent of your mate. We are interested in your perspective on your relationship and your family life. We believe that you can respond to the questionnaires in an hour or less. Please do not look at each others answers.



Once you complete your questionnaire, please ensure that you sign your Participant Voucher at the back of your questionnaire booklet. Enclose the completed questionnaire in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided, and return it to our office. As always, your privacy is important to us and your personal information will be safeguarded.

Upon receipt of the questionnaire packet, we will mail you a check for \$50. In most cases, we should be able to put the check in the mail within 5 business days of receiving your packet and participant voucher. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us. Our information is on the backside of this brochure.

