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Death					
Date of verbal autopsy	____ / ____ / ____ <i>D D / M M / Y Y Y Y</i> <input type="checkbox"/> N/A family refused or not contactable	Date of death	____ / ____ / ____ <i>D D / M M / Y Y Y Y</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
Date research team aware of death	____ / ____ / ____ <i>D D / M M / Y Y Y Y</i>	Primary caregiver present at time of death	<input type="checkbox"/> Y	<input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Died at home	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Died in healthcare facility	<input type="checkbox"/> Y	<input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Relationship of person interviewed to child	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A				

IF IT HAS NOT BEEN POSSIBLE TO COMPLETE A VERBAL AUTOPSY FOR THIS CHILD LEAVE THE REST OF THIS FORM BLANK AND COMPLETE A STUDY CONCLUSION FORM

Answer the following question based on clinical notes, and clinician verbal report:

Section 1: CHILD INJURIES AND ACCIDENTS

Verbal Autopsy	
Did the child suffer an injury or accident that led to death? <i>Select 1</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to answer
<i>If not in notes, and clinicians cannot answer, skip to section 2: Background. CHAIN participants should have been excluded if admitted with trauma, however some may be disclosed after death.</i>	
What kind of injury or accident did the child suffer from? <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Road traffic crash/ injury <input type="checkbox"/> Poisoning <input type="checkbox"/> Significant fall <input type="checkbox"/> Burn/Fire <input type="checkbox"/> Drowning <input type="checkbox"/> Homicide, abuse

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	<input type="checkbox"/> Bite or sting by venomous animal	<input type="checkbox"/> Refused to answer
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other injury, specify _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
Was the injury or accident intentionally inflicted by someone else?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know <input type="checkbox"/> Refused to answer	

SECTION 2: BACKGROUND

How long did the illness last?	<input type="checkbox"/> <24h ___ days ___ months <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
How old was the deceased at the time of death?	___ months

SECTION 3: INFANT AND CHILD DEATHS

During the illness that led to death did the child have a fever?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
How many days did the fever last?	<input type="checkbox"/> Less than 24 hours ___ days		<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	
Did the fever continue until death?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
How severe was the fever?	<input type="checkbox"/> Mild <38C	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderate 38-39.5C	<input type="checkbox"/> Severe >39.5C	<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
During the illness that led to death, did the child have more frequent loose or liquid stools than usual?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
How many stools did the child have on the day that loose or liquid stools were most frequent?	___ stools		<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	
Did the frequent loose or liquid stools continue until death?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
During the illness that led to death, did the child have a cough?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
For how many days did the cough last?	___ days		<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	
Was the cough very severe?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
During the illness that led to death, did the child have difficulty breathing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
For how many days did the difficult breathing last?	___ days		<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	
During the illness that led to death, did the child have fast breathing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
For how many days did the fast breathing last?	___ days		<input type="checkbox"/> Don't know	

Adapted from Population Health Metrics Research Consortium Shortened Verbal Autopsy Questionnaire Child Module

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