

'86 Cohort: Applicants

St. Mary's Hospital Medical School: research questionnaire for 1986 applicants

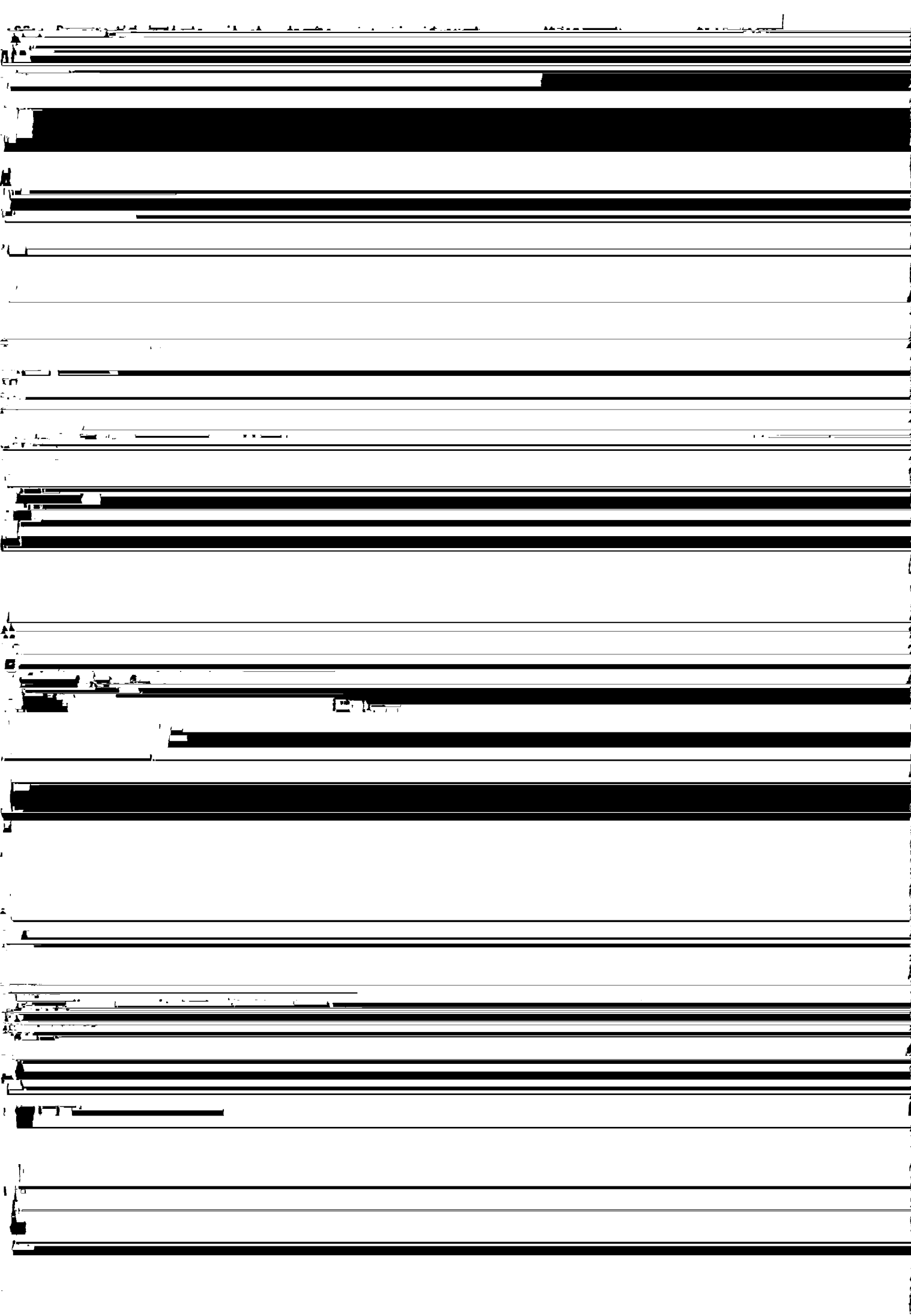
19. If your mother is in employment, what is her occupation? (Describe what she does or did as fully as you can).

20. Which of the Registrar-General's occupational groups described above best describes your mother's occupation?

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Ethnic origins.

It is important that we are able to monitor the ethnic origins of applicants to medical schools, so that we can assess claims that equal opportunities might not



47. Whether or not you have firmly made up your mind, please indicate your degree of preference for a career among the following broad types of

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Please indicate how far each of the following statements applies to the way in which you approach studying:

Usually True about Sometimes Rarely
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50. While I am studying I often think of real life situations to which the material that I am learning would be useful.

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69. Please list any musical instruments that you play, indicating your present

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78. Do you smoke? No/Yes.

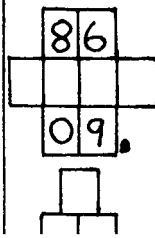
If Yes, please estimate your consumption:-

Cigarettes _____ (number per day)
 Pipe _____ (ounces per week)
 Cigars _____ (number per day)

If No have you ever smoked? No/Yes

79. Estimate how many non-medical, non-school books you read per year:

	0	1-5	6-10	11-20	21-50	50+
Fiction						



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117. Should children be given sex education at the following ages:-
1. before 5 years?
2. 6 - 9 years?

The following questions are aimed at understanding how people think about social problems. Different people often have different opinions about questions of right and wrong. There are no "right" answers in the way that there are right answers to mathematics problems.

In these questions you will be asked to give your opinion about several stories.

Example story:

Frank Jones has been thinking about having a car. He is married and has two small children.

Story number 1:

A woman was near death from a special kind of cancer. There was one drug that the doctors

A man had been sentenced to prison for ten years. After one year, however, he escaped from

prison, moved to a new area of the country, and took on the name of Thompson. For eight years he worked hard, and gradually he saved enough money to buy his own business. He was fair to his customers, gave his employees top wages, and gave most of his own profits to charity. Then one day, Mrs Jones, an old neighbour, recognised him as the man who had escaped from prison eight years before, and whom the police had been looking for.

Should Mrs Jones report Mr Thompson to the police and have him sent back to the prison?

Should not report him _____

IMPORTANCE

None Little Some Much Great

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1. Hasn't Mr Thompson been good enough for such a long time?

Story number 3:

A lady was dying of cancer which could not be cured and she had only about six months to live. She was in terrible pain, but she was so weak that a large dose of a pain-killer like morphine would make her die sooner. She was delirious and almost crazy with pain, and in her delirium she would ask the doctor to give her enough morphine to kill her. She said she

He should give the lady an overdose that will make her die

Story number 4:

Mr Webster was the owner and manager of a garage. He wanted to employ another mechanic to help him, but good mechanics were hard to find. The only person he found who seemed to be a good mechanic was Miss Lee. While Mr Webster himself didn't have anything against women mechanics, he was afraid to employ Miss Lee because many of his customers wouldn't like a woman mechanic. His customers might take their business elsewhere if Miss Lee was working in the garage.

When Miss Lee asked Mr Webster if she could have the job, Mr Webster said that he had already employed somebody else. But Mr Webster really had not found anybody else who was a good mechanic besides Miss Lee.

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What should Mr Webster have done? (Choose one option)

- Should have employed Miss Lee _____
- Can't decide _____
- Should not have employed her _____

IMPORTANCE

None Little Some Much Great

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Does the owner of a business have the right to employ...

If you are not accepted for medical school this year will you:-

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Yes Yes No No

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- 142. Apply to medical school again next year?
- 143. Retake your A-levels in order to obtain better grades?
- 144. Apply to university to study dentistry?