The Play History

(1) GENERAL INFORMATION (parent(s) interview)
Name:  
Birthdate:  
Gender:  
Date:  
Informant(s):  

Conditions (if relevant): 

(2) PREVIOUS PLAY EXPERIENCES (parent(s) interview)
A. Solitary play

B. Play with others:
mother  father  sisters  brothers  playmates  other family members  pets

C. Play with toys and materials (earliest preferences)

D. Gross physical play

E. Pretend and make-believe

F. Sports and games:  group collaboration  group competition

G. Creative interests:  arts  crafts

H. Hobbies, collections, other leisure time activities

L. Recreation/social activities

(3) ACTUAL PLAY EXAMINATION (parent(s) interview & observation)

A. With what does the child play?
toys  materials  pets

B. How does the child play with toys and other materials?
C. What type of play is avoided or liked least?

D. *With whom* does the child play?

- self
- parents
- brothers
- sisters
- peers
- others

E. *How* does the child play with others?

F. *What body postures* does the child use during play?

G. *How long* does the child play with objects? With people?

H. *Where* does the child play?

- home: indoors outdoors
- community: park school church other areas

I. *When* does the child play?

- daily schedule for weekday and weekend

(4) PLAY DESCRIPTION (student observation of child at play)

(5) PLAY SUGGESTIONS (student recommendations for play)