

ANNEXURE A

CRIME PREVENTION IN NEIGHBOURHOODS CHECKLIST

Questionnaire number

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1	RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS		
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PLEASE ENCIRCLE THE ANSWER OF YOUR CHOICE

2	STREET NAME	
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3	Dwelling number				
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4	TYPE OF NEIGHBOURHOOD (Mark only one)			
	Dwelling within an open neighbourhood (not fenced off in any way or in a secure village)	1	Dwelling within an enclosed neighbourhood or a closed off neighbourhood	3
	Dwelling within a security village/ estate	2		

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TYPE OF FENCE AROUND THE NEIGHBOURHOOD

5	TYPE OF FENCE IN FRONT OF NEIGHBOURHOOD (Mark only one option)					
	Wood	1	Wire fence	4	Concrete palisade	8
	Solid brick wall	2	Steel/iron palisade	5	Partly palisade & partly solid brick wall	9
	See through brick wall	3	Precast, solid concrete fencing	6	None	10
					Out of sight	11
	Mixed use of brick foundation and steel palisade on top	7	Other: specify		12	

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6	If there is a fence/wall in front, are there any extra security measures on top of this fence/wall?	Yes 1	No 2	NA 3
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7	TYPES OF SECURITY MEASURES ON TOP OF FENCE/WALL IN FRONT OF NEIGHBOURHOOD					
	Barbed wire	1	Spikes	4	Broken glass	6
	Razor wire	2	Electrical wire	5	Surveillance camera	7

NA	9	Other: Please specify	8
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8	Height of fence in front of neighbourhood (Taking into consideration the extra security measures placed on top of the fence)	metre
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9	TYPE OF FENCE ON THE LEFT SIDE OF NEIGHBOURHOOD (Mark only one option)				
Wood	1	Wire fence	4	Concrete palisade	8
Solid brick wall	2	Steel/iron palisade	5	Partly palisade & partly solid brick wall	9
See through brick wall	3	Precast, solid concrete fencing	6	None	10
				Out of sight	11
Mixed use of brick foundation and steel palisade on top	7	Other: Please specify			12

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10	If there is a fence/wall on the left side, are there any extra security measures on top of this fence/wall?	Yes 1	No 2	NA 3
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11	TYPES OF SECURITY MEASURES ON TOP OF FENCE/WALL ON THE LEFT SIDE OF NEIGHBOURHOOD				
Barbed wire	1	Spikes	4	Broken glass	6
Razor wire	2	Electrical wire	5	Surveillance camera	7
NA	3	Other: Please specify			8

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12	Height of fence on the left side of neighbourhood (Taking into consideration the extra security measures placed on top of the fence)	metre
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13	TYPE OF FENCE ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF NEIGHBOURHOOD (Mark only one option)				
Wood	1	Wire fence	4	Concrete palisade	8

Solid brick wall	2	Steel/iron palisade	5	Partly palisade & partly solid brick wall	9
See through brick wall	3	Precast, solid concrete fencing	6	None	10
				Out of sight	11
Mixed use of brick foundation and steel palisade on top			7	Other: Please specify	12

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14	If there is a fence/wall on the right side, are there any extra security measures on top of this fence/wall?	Yes 1	No 2	NA 3
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15	TYPES OF SECURITY MEASURES ON TOP OF FENCE/WALL ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF NEIGHBOURHOOD					
	Barbed wire	1	Spikes	4	Broken glass	6
	Razor wire	2	Electrical wire	5	Surveillance camera	7
	NA	3	Other: Please specify			8

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16	Height of fence on the right side of neighbourhood (Taking into consideration the extra security measures placed on top of the fence)	metre
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17	TYPE OF FENCE AT BACK OF NEIGHBOURHOOD (Mark only one option)					
	Wood	1	Wire fence	4	Concrete palisade	8
	Solid brick wall	2	Steel/iron palisade	5	Partly palisade & partly solid brick wall	9
	See through brick wall	3	Precast, solid concrete fencing	6	None	10
					Out of sight	11
	Mixed use of brick foundation and steel palisade on top			7	Other: Please specify	12

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18	If there is a fence/wall at the back, are there any extra security measures on top of this fence/wall?	Yes 1	No 2	NA 3
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TYPES OF SECURITY MEASURES ON TOP OF FENCE/WALL AT THE BACK OF NEIGHBOURHOOD

Barbed wire	1	Spikes	4	Broken glass	6
Razor wire	2	Electrical wire	5	Surveillance camera	7
NA	3	Other: Please specify			8

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Height of fence at back of neighbourhood (Taking into consideration the extra security measures placed on top of the fence)

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Specify how many entrances this neighbourhood has

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Is formal access control (a boom) applied at all of these entrances?

Yes
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No 2

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Are there guards at the main entrance to the neighbourhood?

Yes
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No 2

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Are there any guards patrolling the neighbourhood?

Yes 1

No 2

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Is there any signage on the gate or fence depicting the use of a security company?

Yes
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No 2

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Specification of area in which dwelling is situated

New area/extension (Less than 3 years old)

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Established area/old area (More than 3 years old)

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SURROUNDING NEIGHBOURHOOD

PLEASE INDICATE IF THE FOLLOWING ARE WITHIN A ± 1 KILOMETRE RADIUS OF THIS DWELLING:

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A main supply road

Yes 1

No 2

Uncertain 3

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A highway

Yes 1

No 2

Uncertain 3

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29	A nature reserve	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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30	A golf course	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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31	An informal settlement	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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32	An open field	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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33	A park	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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34	A bus stop	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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35	A taxi rank	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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36	A train station	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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37	A railway line	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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38	Shops/cafes	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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39	Is there any building activity or a construction site?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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OUTSIDE THE DWELLING					
40	Are there any loiterers in sight in the street?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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41	Are there any persons in the street that are busy with activities such as walking, strolling, playing etc?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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42	Are there any persons in the gardens of the different dwellings, as far as the eye can see?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	<input type="text"/>
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LOCATION OF THE DWELLING					
43	Is the dwelling situated within 500 m of an entrance to the neighbourhood?	Yes 1	No 2		<input type="text"/>

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44	Does the dwelling form part of the neighbourhood's boundaries?	Yes 1	No 2
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45	Is the dwelling situated in a <i>cul-de-sac</i> ?	Yes 1	No 2
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46	Is this dwelling totally surrounded by other dwellings (built up areas)?	Yes 1	No 2
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47	If answered no at question 46 above, please specify what the open space consists of (You may mark more than 1)		
	Park	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Quarry	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Open veld	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Railway	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Golf course	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	High way	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Nature reserve	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Vacant stand	Yes 1	No 2 NA 3
	Other (specify)		

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48	Is the front door visible from the pavement in front of the dwelling?	Yes 1	No 2
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THE DWELLING

49	TYPE OF HOUSING (Mark only one option)					
	House on separate stand or yard	1	Unit in a retirement village	4	House used as commune	6
	Town/cluster/semi-detached house(simplex)	2	Town/cluster/semi-detached house(duplex)	5	Town/cluster/semi-detached house (triplex)	7
	Flat in a block of flats	3	Other: Please specify/			8

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SECURITY

WHAT TYPE OF SECURITY MEASURES ARE IN PLACE AT THIS DWELLING ? (Answer all the questions)

50	Dogs	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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51	Intercom system	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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52	Surveillance cameras	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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53	Fencing/walls around premises	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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54	Does the fence in front of the premises allow you to see what is going on inside?	Yes	1	Partially	2	No	3	NA	4	<input type="text"/>
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DWELLING

55	Are there security gates in front of all the exterior doors, as observed from the street in front of dwelling?	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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56	Are all the windows protected by burglar bars as observed from the street in front of dwelling	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3	<input type="text"/>
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CRIME PREVENTION IN NEIGHBOURHOODS - Telephone interview

Dear Resident,

Carina Coetzer is a doctorate student in Criminology at the University of South Africa. She is also a member of the South African Police Service. In an attempt to establish preventative measures for crime in neighbourhoods, a questionnaire with specific questions was compiled. UNISA thus requests your cooperation in the completion of the questionnaire and the information will be handled in the strictest confidence by the researcher. Although you are under no obligation to answer the questions, please bear in mind that this type of information is essential to addressing crime in your neighbourhood.

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Name of suburb	

STREET NAME	
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PLEASE ENCIRCLE THE ANSWERS. (The questions are applicable to all the members of the household)

57	Are you the owner of these premises?	Yes 1	No 2		114
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58	If answered no, do you live on these premises?	Yes 1	No 2		115
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59	How long have you been residing at these premises	Years			116	117
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Months			118	119
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Weeks			120	121
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60	Were you the first occupant ?	Yes 1	No 2		122
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GENERAL

61	Do you and your neighbours watch out for each other?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3		123
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62	Do you inform your neighbours when you are absent from your premises for more than 24 hours?	Yes 1	No 2	Sometime s 3		124
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63	Do you inform the security guard when you are absent from your premises for more than 24 hours?	Yes 1	No 2	Sometimes 3	NA 4
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FOR THE NEXT FOUR QUESTIONS, USE A RATINGS SCALE FROM 1 TO 5. 1 BEING YES, INDEED, 3 SOMETIMES YES, OTHER TIMES NOT AND 5 ABSOLUTELY NOT

64	Do you and the members of your household feel safe at your premises during the day?	Yes, indeed 1	Yes, to a certain extent 2	Sometimes yes, other times not 3	No, not quite 4	No, absolutely not 5
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65	... and at your premises during the night?	Yes, indeed 1	Yes, to a certain extent 2	Sometimes yes, other times not 3	No, not quite 4	No, absolutely not 5
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66	... in your neighbourhood during the day?	Yes, indeed 1	Yes, to a certain extent 2	Sometimes yes, other times not 3	No, not quite 4	No, absolutely not 5
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67	... and in your neighbourhood during the night?	Yes, indeed 1	Yes, to a certain extent 2	Sometimes yes, other times not 3	No, not quite 4	No, absolutely not 5
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NATURE

68	Do you or members of your household take walks in your neighbourhood?	Yes 1	No 2
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69	If your answer is yes, please specify when / (May mark more than one)							
	In the mornings (5:01 am - 12 am)	1	In the afternoons (12:01am - 6 pm)	2	At night (6:01 pm - 12 pm)	3	Late at night (12:01 pm -5 am)	4

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70	On which days do you normally go for a walk?						
	Sunday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
	Monday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
	Tuesday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3

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Wednesday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Thursday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Friday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Saturday	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3

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Do you or members of your household participate in any other outdoor activities in your neighbourhood?

Yes
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No
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If your answer is yes, please specify the type of activities

Jogging	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Run	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Bicycle riding	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Swim	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Skate boarding	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Rollerblading	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Squash	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Tennis	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Volleyball	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Rugby/Soccer	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Mini cricket	Yes	1	No	2	NA	3
Other: Please specify						

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HEALTH

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Do you or members of your household exercise at a gymnasium?

Yes
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If your answer is yes, please specify the location of the gymnasium

In the neighbourhood where you live	1	Within 5 km from you	2	More than 5 km from your home	3
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ONLINE TECHNOLOGY

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Do you or members of your household have a personal computer ?

Yes
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If your answer is yes, is it connected to the INTERNET?

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77	Does your neighbourhood have its own website?	Yes 1	No 2	Uncertain 3	NA 4
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CRIME**RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY**

78	Have they ever burgled this house?	Yes 1	No 2
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79	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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ATTEMPTED BURGLARY

80	Have they ever tried to burgle this house?	Yes 1	No 2
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81	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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THEFT AT PREMISES

82	Have you or members of your household ever experienced anything being stolen from these premises?	Yes 1	No 2
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83	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT

84	Has any car been stolen at these premises?	Yes 1	No 2
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85	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times ?	
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THEFT OUT OF OR FROM A MOTOR VEHICLE

86	Has any car been broken into at this address ?	Yes 1	No 2
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87	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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HIJACKING AT YOUR RESIDENCE

88	Has anybody been hijacked at this address?	Yes 1	No 2	
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89	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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HIJACKING IN YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD

90	Has anybody of your household been hijacked in your neighbourhood?	Yes 1	No 2	
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91	If your answer is yes, indicate how many times	
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION!