

Children In Focus Clinics (CiF)

The Children in Focus cohort was chosen at random from the last 6 months of ALSPAC births, occurring from June 6th - December 11th 1992.

Time Point	Number Seen	Clinic Dates	Mean Age (weeks)	Min Age (weeks)	Max Age (weeks)
4 months	1023	Oct/1992 - Apr/1993	16.61	15	21
8 months	1314	Feb/1993 - Aug/1993	35.24	32	42
12 months	1241	Jun/1993 - Dec/1993	53.67	51	62
18 months	1183	Dec/1993 - Jun/1994	79.90	76	87
25 months	1127	Jul/1994 - Jan/1995	108.24	106	115
31 months	1135	Jan/1995 - Jul/1995	134.89	132	140
37 months	1081	Jul/1995 - Jan/1996	160.46	155	166
43 months	1065	Jan/1996 - Jul/1996	187.50	184	196
49 months	1032	Jul/1996 - Jan/1997	212.39	207	221
61 months	994	Jul/1997 - Apr/1998	268.76	260	292

Categories of Measures Collected

Category	4mths	8mths	12mths	18mths	25mths	31mths	37mths	43mths	49mths	61mths
Blood Sample			*	*		*		*		*
Cognitive measures	*			*			*		*	*
Day Care				*	*		*	*		
Environmental measures	*	*	*	*	*		*	*		*
Parenting measure			*							*
Physical measures	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Seeing, hearing and speaking	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*

Topics within Categories

Blood Samples

Topic	4mths	8mths	12mths	18mths	25mths	31mths	37mths	43mths	49mths	61mths
Blood Sample			*	*		*		*		*

Cognitive Measures

Topic	4mths	8mths	12mths	18mths	25mths	31mths	37mths	43mths	49mths	61mths
Developmental assessment				*					*	
Habituation Task	*									
Laterality							*			

Seeing, Hearing and Speaking

Topic	4mths	8mths	12mths	18mths	25mths	31mths	37mths	43mths	49mths	61mths
Speech and Language Assessment					*					*
Tympanometry and Hearing		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Vision	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
History	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
External eye inspection	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Eye colour	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Eye movements	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Cover tests	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Motor fusion		*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Stereopsis		*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Visual Acuity	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Photorefracton	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Eye preference							*			

Finally, a full listing of the actual measures by category, and topic. However, not all measures were taken at each clinic.

Category	Topic	Measure	4mths	8mths	12mths	18mths	25mths	31mths	37mths	43mths	49mths	61mths
Blood Sample	Blood Sample	Blood Sample			*	*		*		*		*
Cognitive measures	Developmental assessment	The Griffiths Test				*						
Cognitive measures	Developmental assessment	WPSSI										
Cognitive measures	Habituation Task	Habituation Task	*									
Cognitive measures	Laterality	Eyes						*				
Cognitive measures	Laterality	Foot						*				
Cognitive measures	Laterality	Hand						*				
Cognitive measures	Short-term memory	Digit Span Test								*	*	
Day Care	Day Care	Day Care				*	*		*	*		
Enronmental measures	Air pollution	Exhaled carbon monoxide study			*							
Enronmental measures	Air pollution	Nitrogen dioxide in the home										
Enronmental measures	Dietary Investigations	Dietary Diaries	*	*		*				*		*
Enronmental measures	Dietary Investigations	Dietary Questionnaires					*		*	*		*
Parenting measure	Parenting measure	Thorpe Interaction Measure			*							
Parenting measure	Parenting measure	Video										*
Physical measures	Allergy testing	Allergy testing										*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Arm circumference	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Head circumference	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Length/height	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Sitting height									*	*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Skinfold thickness										*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Waist circumference						*	*	*	*	*
Physical measures	Anthropometry	Weight	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Physical measures	Blood pressure and pulse rate	Blood pressure and pulse rate							*		*	*
Physical measures	Dental observations	Dental observations						*		*		*
Physical measures	Lung function and fitness	Fitness										*
Physical measures	Lung function and fitness	Lung function										*
Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Colour of eyes								*		

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Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Colour of hair									*	
Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Colour of skin									*	
Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Fingerprints								*		
Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Skin observations									*	
Physical measures	Observations of skin, hair and eyes	Skin questionnaires									*	*
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Speech and Language Assessment	Clinical assessment					*					
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Speech and Language Assessment	Parental/carer questionnaire					*					
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Tympanometry and Hearing	Hearing						*		*		*
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Tympanometry and Hearing	Tympanometry		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	4 Dioptre prism					*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	20 Dioptre prism		*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Alternate cover test: 30cm				*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Alternate cover test: 6m				*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Cardiff Cards at 1m			*	*	*	*				
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Convergence	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Corneal reflexes	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Cover test: 30cm	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Cover test: 6m				*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	External eye inspection	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Eye colour	*	*	*	*	*	*	*			
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	History	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Kay pictures				*	*	*				
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	HOTV							*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Lang I and II				*	*	*				
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Randot preschool stereo test							*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Pursuit eye movements	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Stereopsis: Frisby		*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Topcon Refractometer	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*		
Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Visual Acuity: Fixation Pref.	*	*	*	*	*					

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Seeing, hearing and speaking	Vision	Eye preference							*			