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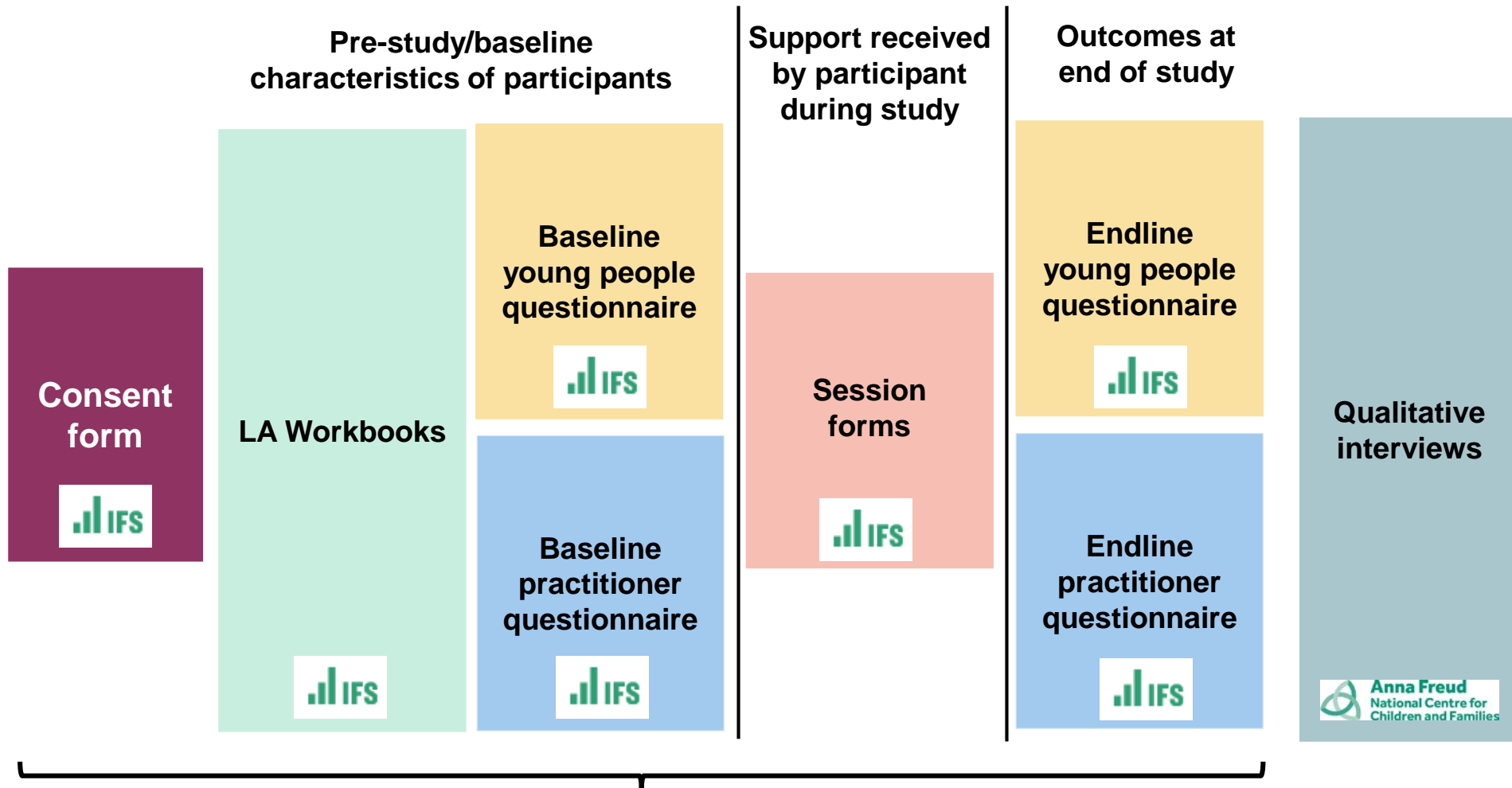
# Data collection in the London Young People Study

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# Overview of data collection

- Aims of data collection:
  1. To evaluate the impact of *Your Choice* on young people's outcomes
  2. To monitor the implementation of the study
    - Are LAs adhering to randomisation protocol?
    - How many young people are recruited?
    - What support do they receive?
    - How different is *Your Choice* from BAU support?
  
- The [privacy notice](#) provides great details about how these data are collected, handled and stored

# Overview of data collected and matched in LYPS



These data collected on LYPS participant will be matched onto administrative data sources from the Department for Education and the Ministry of Justice

# NO CONSENT = NO DATA



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# Ways of collecting data in LYPS



- Data for the quantitative evaluation is collected in 2 ways
  - Online forms and questionnaires through the 'app'
  - LA workbooks
- Data for the qualitative evaluation is collected through interviews of young people and LA staff involved in the study

# Data collected through the 'app' online forms



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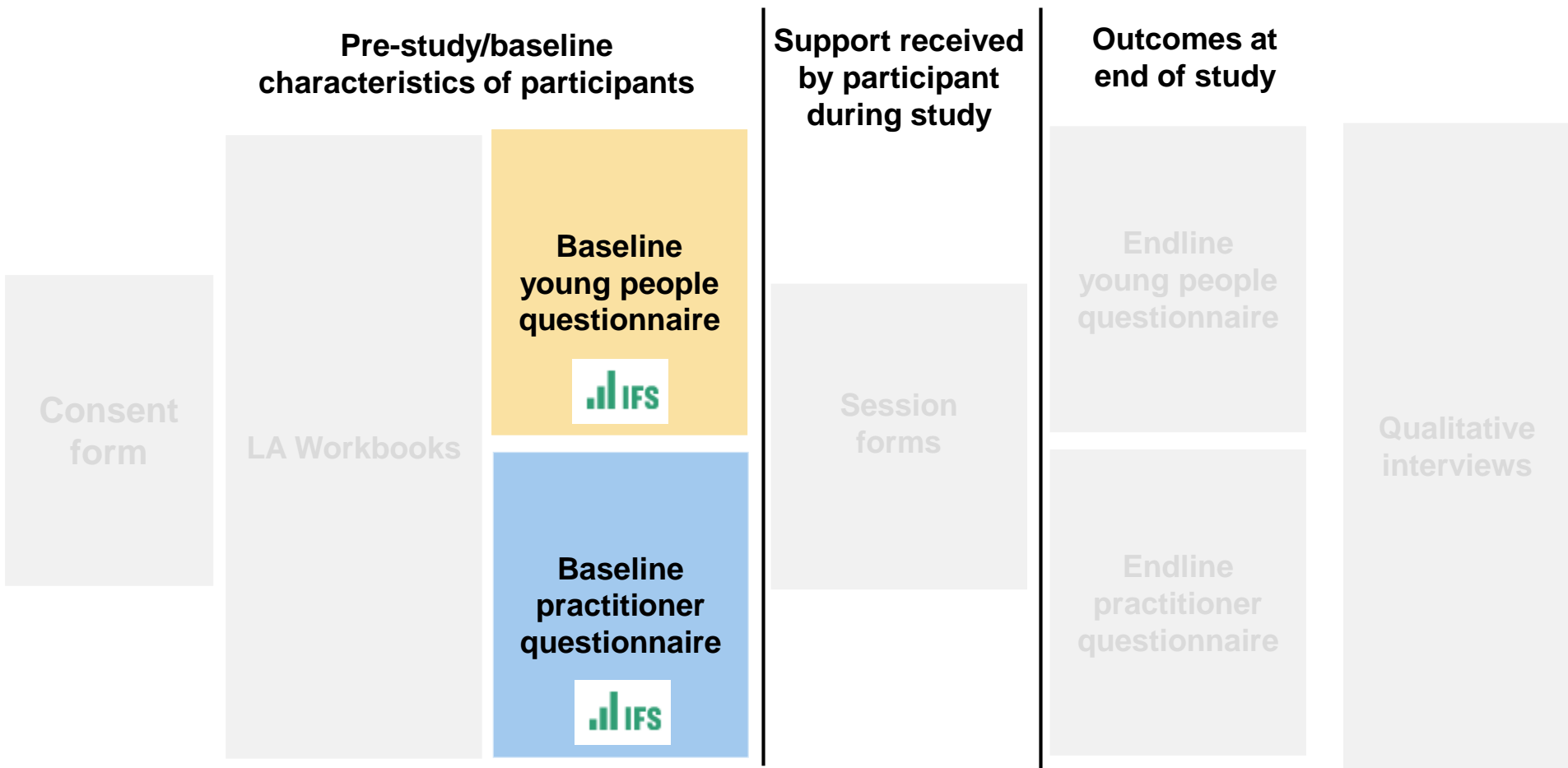
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# Data collected shortly after consent is obtained



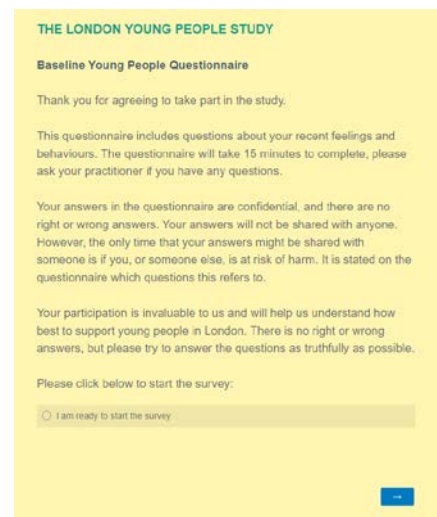
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# Baseline questionnaires

## Baseline Young Person Questionnaire

- Completed by participant upon their recruitment into study
- Self-reported measures of emotional and behavioural difficulties (SDQ), engagement in risky behaviour, and social connectedness
- Takes around 15 minutes to complete
- To be completed during a session with practitioner



**THE LONDON YOUNG PEOPLE STUDY**

**Baseline Young People Questionnaire**

Thank you for agreeing to take part in the study.

This questionnaire includes questions about your recent feelings and behaviours. The questionnaire will take 15 minutes to complete, please ask your practitioner if you have any questions.

Your answers in the questionnaire are confidential, and there are no right or wrong answers. Your answers will not be shared with anyone. However, the only time that your answers might be shared with someone is if you, or someone else, is at risk of harm. It is stated on the questionnaire which questions this refers to.

Your participation is invaluable to us and will help us understand how best to support young people in London. There is no right or wrong answers, but please try to answer the questions as truthfully as possible.

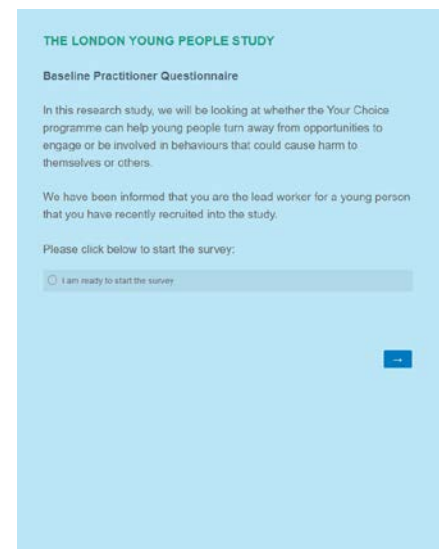
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I am ready to start the survey

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## Baseline Practitioner Questionnaire

- Completed by a practitioner upon recruitment of young person
- Assessment of young person's risk and engagement in risky behaviour
- Takes around 5 minutes to complete



**THE LONDON YOUNG PEOPLE STUDY**

**Baseline Practitioner Questionnaire**

In this research study, we will be looking at whether the Your Choice programme can help young people turn away from opportunities to engage or be involved in behaviours that could cause harm to themselves or others.

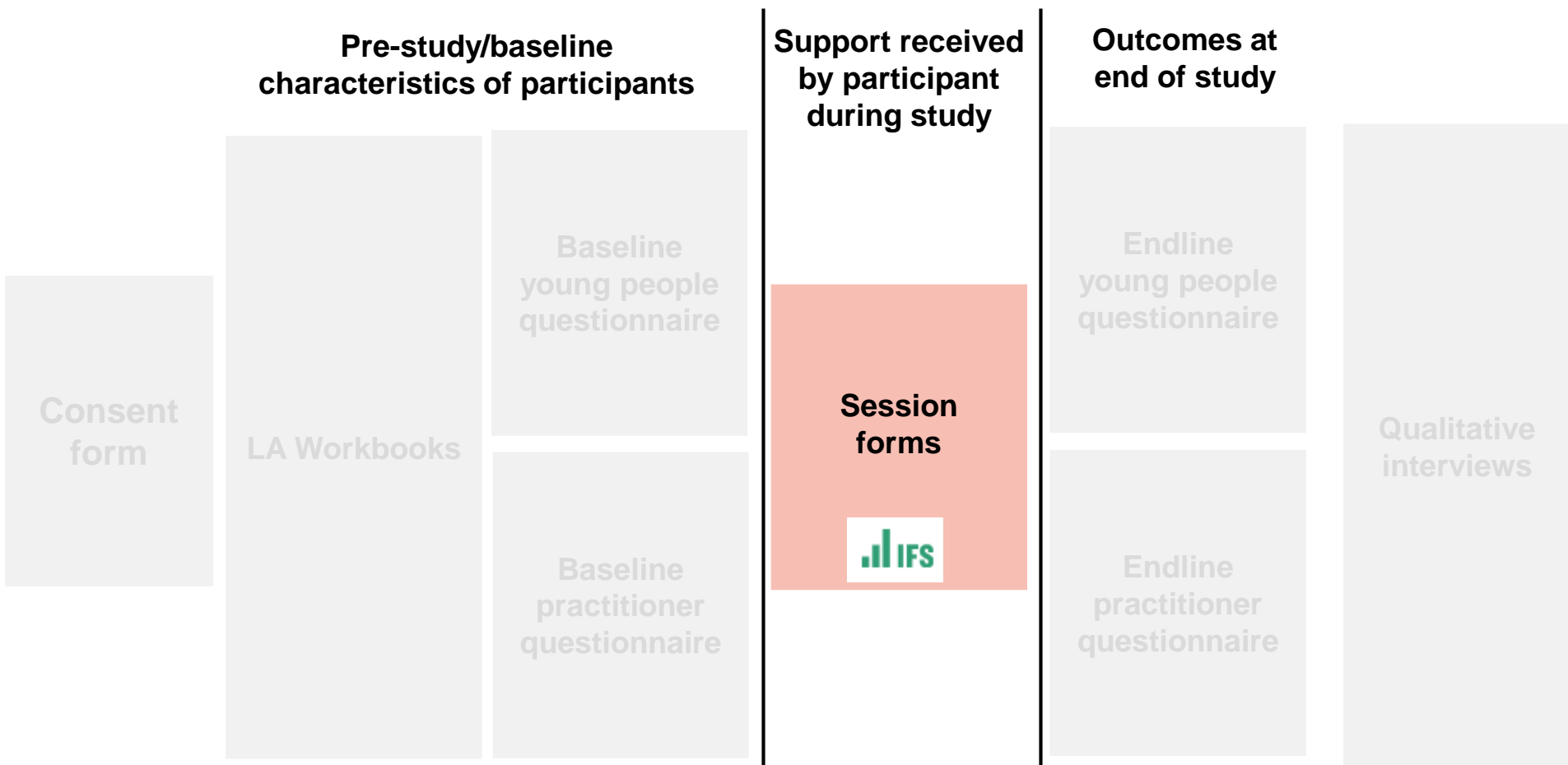
We have been informed that you are the lead worker for a young person that you have recently recruited into the study.

Please click below to start the survey:

I am ready to start the survey

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# Data collected while the participant is in the study



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# Session forms

- Session forms to log brief information about any session that happened or that was scheduled to happen
- Questions about session date, duration and content (using dropdown menu)
- Takes 2 mins to complete → easier to complete it ASAP after the session
- Should be completed by any practitioner who has worked with young person while they're in the study
- Option to download response as a PDF to avoid duplication of work.

**THE LONDON YOUNG PEOPLE STUDY**

**Session Form**

Please complete this form about any session scheduled or held between you and a young person involved in the London Young People Study.

Young person's first name

Young person's last name

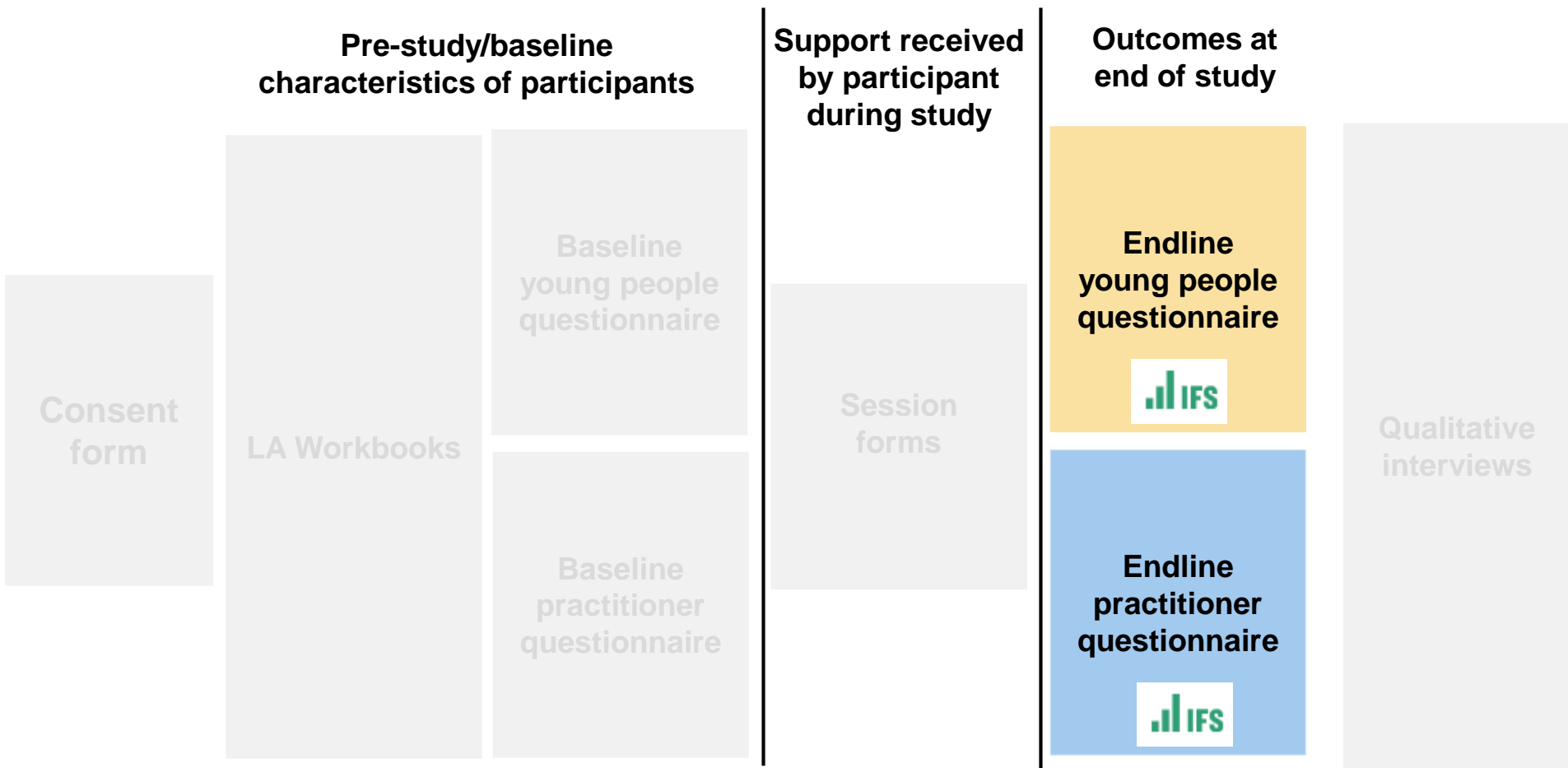
Practitioner's first name

Practitioner's last name

Practitioner's service name

Practitioner's team name

# Data collected 20 weeks after recruitment

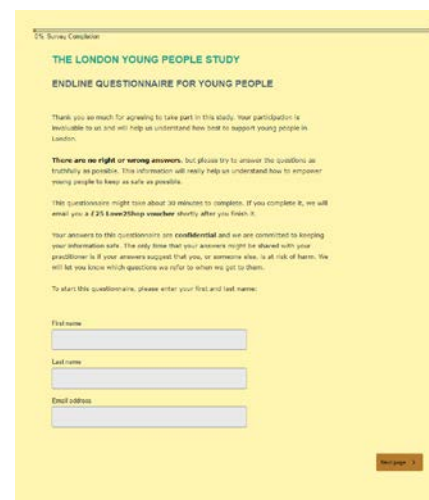


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# Endline questionnaires

## Endline Young Person Questionnaire

- Completed by a participant 20 weeks after recruitment
- Self-reported measures of emotional and behavioural difficulties (SDQ), engagement in risky behaviour, social connectedness, wellbeing, experience in the study
- Around 30 minutes to complete
- To be completed during a session with practitioner



24 Survey Complete

**THE LONDON YOUNG PEOPLE STUDY**

**ENDLINE QUESTIONNAIRE FOR YOUNG PEOPLE**

Thank you so much for agreeing to take part in this study. Your participation is invaluable to us and will help us understand how best to support young people in London.

**There are no right or wrong answers**, but please try to answer the questions as truthfully as possible. This information will really help us understand how to engineer young people to keep as safe as possible.

This questionnaire might take about 30 minutes to complete. If you complete it, we will email you a £25 **Love2Shop voucher** shortly after you finish it.

Your answers to this questionnaire are **confidential** and we are committed to keeping your information safe. The only time that your answers might be shared with your practitioner is if your answers suggest that you or someone else, or at risk of harm, we will let you know which questions we refer to when we get to them.

To start this questionnaire, please enter your first and last name:

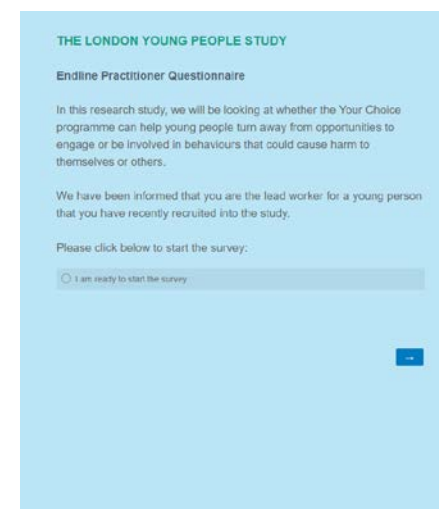
First name

Last name

Email address

## Endline Practitioner Questionnaire

- Completed by a practitioner 20 weeks after recruitment
- Practitioner's assessment of young person's risk
- 5 minutes to complete



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**Endline Practitioner Questionnaire**

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We have been informed that you are the lead worker for a young person that you have recently recruited into the study.

Please click below to start the survey:

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# Vouchers for young people



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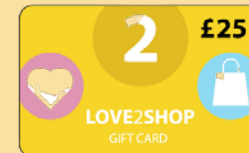
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## Before the questionnaire session

1. Familiarise yourself with the questionnaire so that you can answer any questions the young person might have
2. Print out a copy of the questionnaire for reference
3. Allow plenty of time for filling in the questionnaire (30 min)
4. Ensure the session can take place in a private space
5. Ensure the young person will be able to use a secure and restricted device with internet access during the session
6. Check if the young person has any additional needs that should be accounted for

# Tips for practitioners

## **During the questionnaire session**

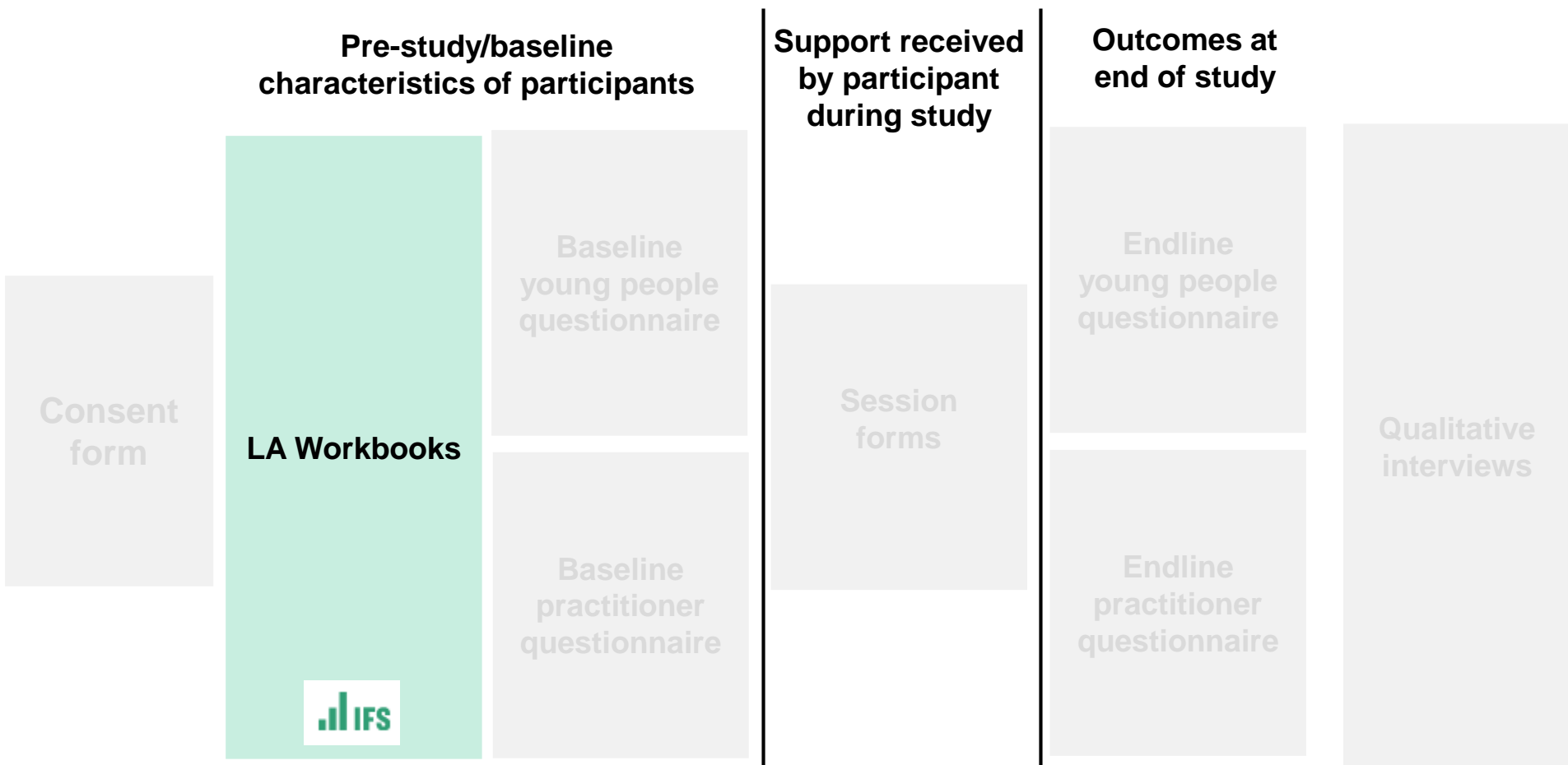
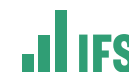
1. Check the young person's details and email address are correct
2. Answer any clarifying questions the young person might have but ensure the questionnaire is completed independently
3. Remind them that they should answer honestly – we are looking to hear what young people really think and feel
4. Although unlikely, if the young person becomes upset, please stop the questionnaire and take a break

## **Once the young person has completed the questionnaire**

1. Ensure that the questionnaire has been submitted
2. Ask the young person if there is anything they want to discuss that may have come up when completing the questionnaire



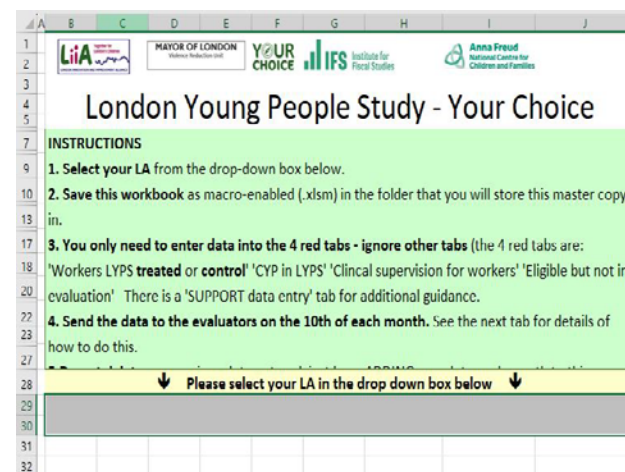
# Data collected through the LA workbooks



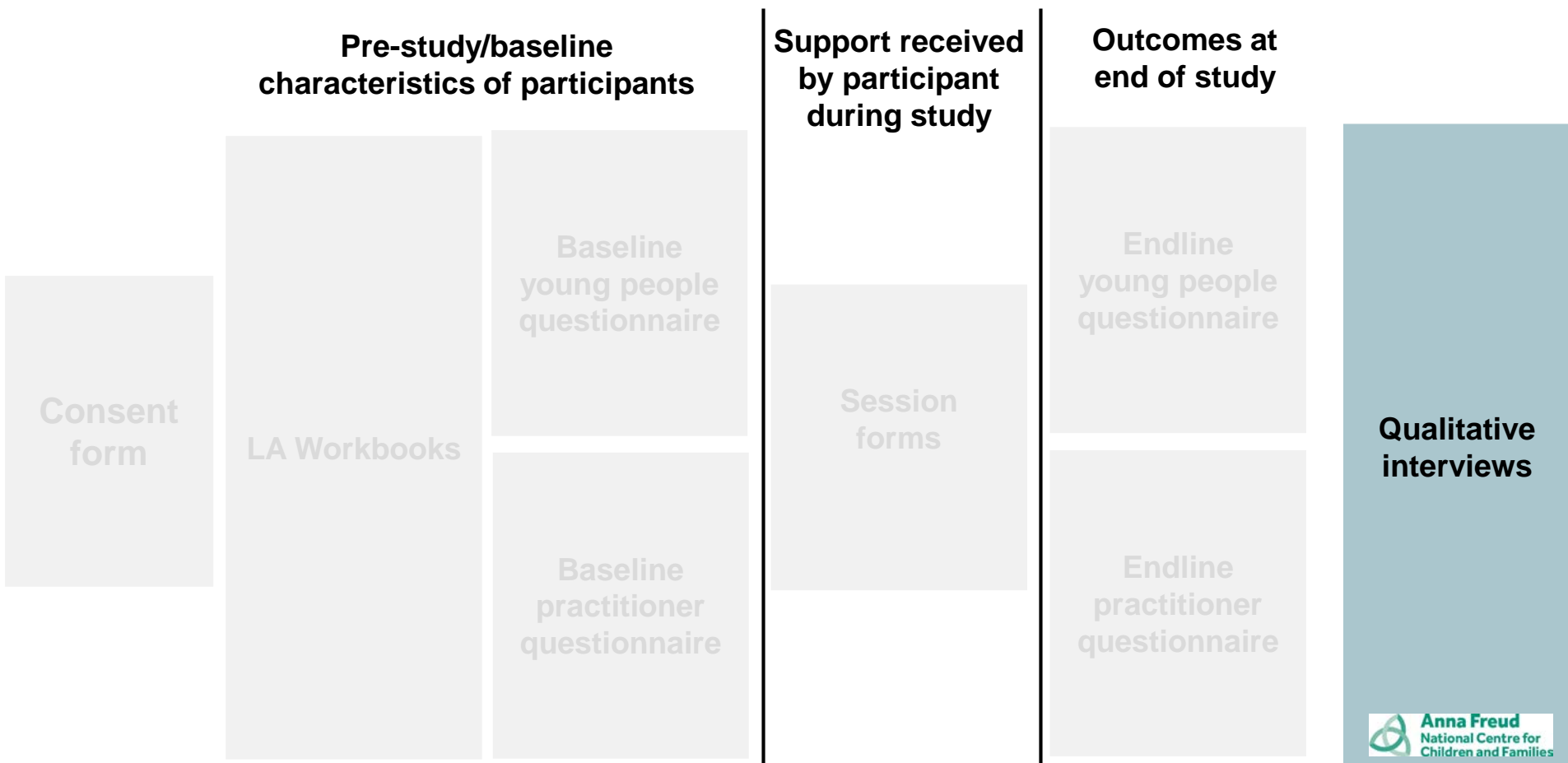
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# LA Workbooks

- The LA Workbook is an Excel Spreadsheet for Local Authorities to log 4 types of information
  - Study participants' background information held on LA Information Management system
  - Practitioners' training in Your Choice
  - Clinical supervision
  - Young eligible but not recruited into the study
- Would usually be filled by SPOC or Data Lead
- Shared with the Evaluation team monthly
- See [Workbook training video](#) for more details



# Qualitative interviews



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# Qualitative interviews

- The Anna Freud Centre will conduct semi-structured interviews with young people and LA staff involved in the study
- Opportunity for young people to talk about their experience and for LAs to have their views of the programme reflected
- These interviews will take about 30 minutes
  - In-person or online
  - Audio recorded and transcribed
- This is a voluntary commitment
  - Young people will be asked in the consent form if they would be happy to be contacted to do an interview
  - The young person receives a **£10** voucher upon completion





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**Thank you for your attention!**

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