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multi-disciplinary viewpoints. B&w photos, cross-references, and article bibliographies augment the
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Cambridge Encyclopedia of Child Development – Divided into seven sections: theories of development,
methods of research, prenatal development and the newborn, domains of development from infancy to
childhood, “selected topics” (including issues), developmental pathology, and “crossing the borders.”
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law, parenting, and sociocultural influences. Cross-references and bibliographies (including cases, where
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is at the end of vol. 2. REF. HQ 9 E52

Encyclopedia of Marriage, Divorce and the Family – Short, alphabetically arranged entries are supplemented
by appendices on sources of family counseling and mental health services, choosing a therapist and
mental health agency, divorce procedure, choosing a divorce attorney, divorce agreements, agreements
for those living together, state child care licensing agencies, and state child support enforcement offices,
as well as a bibliography and an index. REF. HQ 9 D38

Gale Encyclopedia of Childhood & Adolescence – All aspects of growing up are covered in alphabetically
arranged articles supplemented by graphs, tables, cross-references, and article bibliographies. A larger
bibliography and an index are at the end. REF. HQ 772 G27
Statistical Handbook on Adolescents in America – Tables and graphs supplemented by some short explanatory material. An index is at the end. REF. HQ 796 S8237. Another book that follows the same format is the Statistical Handbook on the American Family (REF. HQ 536 S727).