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- **Boyhood in America:** An Encyclopedia 2 vols. Includes all time periods of U.S. history and areas of the country, as well as "inspirational boyhoods" of prominent Americans. Covers education, sports and hobbies, work, religion, health, changing roles within the family, and issues (such as bullying) from multi-disciplinary viewpoints. B&w photos, cross-references, and article bibliographies augment the articles. A larger bibliography and an index are at the end of vol. 2. **REF. HQ 775 B635**
- 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." Survey articles in such areas as education, neuroscience, theories, social and cognitive development, and parenting are supplemented by b&w photos, diagrams, graphs, tables, cross-references, and article bibliographies. A detailed bibliography and author and subject indexes complete the volume. REF. HQ 767.9 C352
- **Child Development** Important terms, people, concepts, developmental and sociological issues, and more are covered in alphabetically arranged articles. B&w photos, article bibliographies, cross-references, appendices, and an index enhance the text. **REF. 772 C436**
- Encyclopedia of Children, Adolescents, and the Media 2 vols. Alphabetically arranged articles are augmented by b&w photos, tables, cross-references, and article bibliographies (including web sites). Indexes are at the end of both volumes. **REF. HQ 784 M3 E53**
- **Encyclopedia of Children and Childhood in History and Society** 3 vols. "An interdisciplinary look at the institutions, objects, and practices of societies throughout history as they relate to, define, and are defined by childhood. Alphabetically arranged articles are enhanced by b&w photos and illustrations, cross-references, and article bibliographies. A section of primary sources and an index are at the end of vol. 3. **REF. HQ 767.84 E53**
- Encyclopedia of Marriage and the Family 2 vols. Alphabetically arranged articles deal with such topics as marriage and family types, interpersonal dynamics, sexual beliefs and behaviors, socialization, family law, parenting, and sociocultural influences. Cross-references and bibliographies (including cases, where appropriate) are at the end of each article. Tables and graphs supplement some of the articles. An index 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).