the infant will not trust other people when he or she is an adult. Example: As an adult I am very trusting of other people, sometimes too trusting. My mother explained to me that when I was about six months old I had a stomach virus that made me unable to digest food and I lost my appetite. She also described how she had to take me to different doctors and how she had to soothe me all the time as a baby. According to Erikson’s theory my mother took very good care of me as an infant which made me a very trusting adult. I trust other people and overall, I have confidence that life’s situations will turn out in a favorable way.