

# Families and Children Study 2001 (Wave 3) Questionnaire

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Note: The answer categories in italics were created from response from open ended questions.

## BLOCK A HOUSEHOLD GRID

*If panel interview, information about members of the household at the time of the wave 1 /2interviews to be fed forward. Interviewer to check details and ask about any new members in the household.*

*If not a panel case, start the interview at variable Name.*

Name	Present	Gone	Relextr	Sex	DOB	Empstat
Respondent				XXXX <sup>1</sup>	XXXX	
Person 2			XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	
Person 3			XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	

### Name

NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER.

:STRING[15],EMPTY

### RelExtr

RELATIONSHIP TO RESPONDENT

- 1 Husband/Wife/Partner
- 2 Parent
- 3 Parent in law
- 4 Grandparent
- 5 Brother/sister
- 6 Other adult relative
- 7 Unrelated adult
- 8 Child (incl. adopted)
- 9 Step-child
- 10 Foster child
- 11 Grandchild
- 12 Unrelated child
- 13 Other related child (eg: niece/nephew)
- 14 Step parent
- 15 Main Respondent

### Sex

GENDER

: (male,female)

### DOB

DOB. IF DAY NOT KNOWN, ENTER '15TH'

:DATATYPE

### PersAge

COMPUTED FIELD

: Person's age in years:0..120

<sup>1</sup> In panel cases, cells with XXXX represent data that has been fed-forward from the 1999/2000 interview.

{If panel interview and more than one household member}

**Present**

ASK OR CODE: Is (Name of Household member from wave 1 /2) still in this household?

OTHER IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION:

DOB: DOB of Household member from wave 1 /2

SEX: Sex of household member from wave 1 /2

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Household member from wave 1 /2 is no longer in the household}

**Gone**

May I ask, what has happened to (Name of household member from Wave 1 /2)?:

- 1 Deceased,
- 2 Living elsewhere

{If person gone is a child aged 15-18 and is living elsewhere}

**GoneW**

SHOW CARD A

Looking at this card, what is (^Name of household member from Wave 1/ 2) currently doing?

- 1 Working 16 or more hours
- 2 Working fewer than 16 hours
- 3 unemployed and seeking work
- 4 on a training scheme
- 5 Full time education/at school
- 6 sick/disabled (up to 6 months)
- 7 sick/disabled (6 months or longer)
- 8 Looking after the home or family
- 9 Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
- 10 Retired
- 11 Other

{In panel, once interviewer has asked about people on grid, interviewer to see if there are any new members in the household. For cross-section, all respondents enter the questionnaire at this point.}

**Name**

Can I just check, what is your name?

PLEASE TYPE IN THE NAME OF RESPONDENT FOR COUPLES THIS MUST BE THE WOMAN.

OR PRESS <ENTER> IF NO MORE HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS.:STRING[15],EMPTY

{To determine the relationship between the respondent and household members}

**RelExtr**

RELATIONSHIP OF (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**) TO RESPONDENT

- 1 Husband/Wife/Partner
- 2 Parent
- 3 Parent in law
- 4 Grandparent
- 5 Brother/sister
- 6 Other adult relative
- 7 Unrelated adult
- 8 Child (incl. adopted)
- 9 Step-child
- 10 Foster child
- 11 Grandchild
- 12 Unrelated child
- 13 Other related child (eg: niece/nephew)
- 14 Step parent
- 15 Main Respondent

{to determine the relationship between household members}

**DHR**

What is (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**)'s RELATIONSHIP TO (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**). (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**) is (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**)'s ...:

- 1 Husband/Wife/Partner
- 2 Parent
- 3 Parent in law
- 4 Grandparent
- 5 Brother/sister
- 6 Other adult relative
- 7 Unrelated adult
- 8 Child (incl. adopted)
- 9 Step-child
- 10 Foster child
- 11 Grandchild
- 12 Unrelated child
- 13 Other related child (eg: niece/nephew)
- 14 Step parent
- 15 Main Respondent

{For all new household members}

**Sex**

PLEASE CODE SEX OF (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**)

: male, female

**DOB**

What is (*your/names's*) date of birth. IF DAY NOT KNOWN, ENTER '15TH'

: DATATYPE

{Feed forward data from Wave 1 /2 }

**TmpDOB**

What is (*your/names's*) date of birth.

IF DAY NOT KNOWN, ENTER '15TH': DATATYPE

{If feed forward data at TmpDOB}

**DHDoBC**

Can I just check, (NAME OF HOUSEHOLD MEMBER FROM **Name**)'s date of birth is (*date of birth from TmpDOB*)?

- 1 Yes

2 No

**PersAge**

Person's age in years

:INTEGER[3]

**EmpStat**

SHOW CARD A

Looking at this card, what (*are you/ is Name*) currently doing?:

- 1 Working 16 or more hours
- 2 Working fewer than 16 hours
- 3 unemployed and seeking work
- 4 on a training scheme
- 5 Full time education/at school
- 6 sick/disabled (up to 6 months)
- 7 sick/disabled (6 months or longer)
- 8 Looking after the home or family
- 9 Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
- 10 Retired
- 11 Other

**HouseHd**

May I just check who shares this household with you:

Cont

**Respond**

INTERVIEWER: PLEASE CODE THE RESPONDENT FROM THE PEOPLE IN HOUSEHOLD GRID.:

Pers1 ^HHGrid.Person[1].Name,  
 Pers2 ^HHGrid.Person[2].Name,  
 Pers3 ^HHGrid.Person[3].Name,  
 Pers4 ^HHGrid.Person[4].Name,  
 Pers5 ^HHGrid.Person[5].Name,  
 Pers6 ^HHGrid.Person[6].Name,  
 Pers7 ^HHGrid.Person[7].Name,  
 Pers8 ^HHGrid.Person[8].Name,  
 Pers9 ^HHGrid.Person[9].Name,  
 Pers10 ^HHGrid.Person[10].Name,  
 Pers11 ^HHGrid.Person[11].Name,  
 Pers12 ^HHGrid.Person[12].Name,  
 Pers13 ^HHGrid.Person[13].Name,  
 Pers14 ^HHGrid.Person[14].Name,  
 Pers15 ^HHGrid.Person[15].Name)

{if a different respondent from last time}

**Difresp**

INTERVIEWER TO ASK/RECORD: A DIFFERENT PERSON IS BEING INTERVIEWED FROM LAST YEAR. WHY IS THIS SO?

:OPEN

- 1 *Main respondent from last year deceased*
- 2 *Main respondent from last year left the household (split from partner)*
- 3 *Other specific answer (not codeable to 1-2)*
- 97 *Other vague answer, (not codeable to 1-3)*

{For new main respondents: Ethnic group (of main respondent only)}

**Ethnic**

SHOW CARD B

To which of these ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

INTERVIEWER: THIS IS A QUESTION OF OPINION.:

- 1 British,
- 2 Any other White background (please describe),
- 3 White and Black Caribbean,
- 4 White and Black African,
- 5 White and Asian,
- 6 Any other mixed background (please describe),
- 7 Indian,
- 8 Pakistani,
- 9 Bangladeshi,
- 10 Any other Asian background (please describe),
- 11 Caribbean,
- 12 African,
- 13 Any other Black background,
- 14 Chinese,
- 15 Any other (please describe),
- 16 None of these
- 17 *Black British*

{IF Any other White background, Any other Mixed background, Any other Asian background  
OR Any other ethnic group}

**OthEth**

Please can you describe your ethnic group?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DESCRIPTION OF ETHNIC GROUP:OPEN

{establishing the relationship between children in the household and partner in household}

**Relpar**

(And may I just ask) what is (Name of child)'s relationship to (Name of partner)?

- 1 Husband/Wife/Partner
- 2 Parent
- 3 Parent in law
- 4 Grandparent
- 5 Brother/sister
- 6 Other adult relative
- 7 Unrelated adult
- 8 Child (incl. adopted)
- 9 Step-child
- 10 Foster child
- 11 Grandchild
- 12 Unrelated child
- 13 Other related child (eg: niece/nephew)
- 14 Step parent
- 15 Main Respondent

**Sepdie**

(Can I check) Is the father/mother of (Name of child) still alive?

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Don't know

## BLOCK B: HEALTH

ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT AND PARTNER, SEPARATELY

{all}

### Hea1

I would now like to ask you about your health. Over the last 12 months would you say your health has been good, fairly good or not good? :

- 1 good,
- 2 fairly good,
- 3 not good

{all}

### Hea2

Do you have any longstanding illness, disability, or infirmity of any kind? By longstanding I mean anything that has troubled you over a period of time or that is likely to affect you over a period of time?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Hea2 = yes}

### Hea3

SHOWCARD C

What kind of illness or disability do you have?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 13 CODES.:

SET [5] OF

- (1 Problem with arms, legs, hands, feet, back or neck (including arthritis or rheumatism),
- 2 Difficulty in seeing,
- 3 Difficulty in hearing,
- 4 Skin conditions, allergies,
- 5 Chest, breathing problem, asthma, bronchitis,
- 6 Heart, blood pressure or blood circulation problems,
- 7 Stomach, liver, kidney or digestive problems,
- 8 Diabetes,
- 9 Depression, bad nerves,
- 10 Mental illness or suffer from phobia, panics or other nervous disorders,
- 11 Learning difficulties (or mental handicap),
- 12 Epilepsy,
- 13 Other health problems or disabilities

{for each illness coded at Hea3 }

### Hea4

INTERVIEWER: QUESTION ABOUT Condition from Hea3

Does this health problem limit your daily activities in any way compared to people of your age?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{for each illness coded at Hea3 }

### Hea5

INTERVIEWER: QUESTION ABOUT Condition from Hea3

How old were you when this health problem started?

: 0..120



(for each illness coded at Hea3 }

**Hea6**

INTERVIEWER: QUESTION ABOUT Condition from Hea3

Do you expect your health problem or disability to last more than a year?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

(for each illness coded at Hea3 }

**Hea9**

Does this problem /Do any of these problems affect the kind of work you can do or where you can do it?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{ask all}

**Hea15**

Do you smoke cigarettes at all nowadays?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Hea15 = yes}

**Hea16**

About how many cigarettes a day do you usually smoke?

:1..997

{if Hea15 = no}

**Hea17**

Have you ever smoked cigarettes regularly?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Hea17 = yes}

**Hea18**

How long ago did you last smoke cigarettes regularly?

PROBE TO CLASSIFY:

- 1 Within last six months,
- 2 Within last year,
- 3 Within last 2 years,
- 4 Within last 5 years,
- 5 Longer ago

{all partner interviews}

**pHea20**

Is there anyone you care for because they have a longstanding illness, disability or infirmity of any kind?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

## BLOCK C: CHILDREN'S HEALTH AND CARING

THIS SECTION FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

{For each child aged under 18 in the household}

### Chea0

(Since your baby was born / Over the last 12 months) would you say (child's name)'s health has been good, fairly good or not good?

- 1 Good,
- 2 Fairly good,
- 3 Not good

{For each child aged under 18 in the household}

### Chea1

Does (child's name) have any long-standing illness or disability?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Chea1 = yes}

### Chea2

SHOW CARD D

What kind of illness or disability does (he/she) have?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 14 CODES:SET [3] OF

- 1 Problems with arms, legs, hands, feet, back or neck  
(including arthritis or rheumatism,
- 2 Difficulty in seeing,
- 3 Difficulty in hearing,
- 4 Skin conditions, allergies,
- 5 Chest, breathing problem, asthma, bronchitis,
- 6 Heart, blood pressure or blood circulation problems,
- 7 Stomach, liver, kidney or digestive problems,
- 8 Diabetes,
- 9 Depression, bad nerves,
- 10 Mental illness or suffer from phobia, panics or other nervous disorders,
- 11 Learning difficulties (or mental handicap),
- 12 Epilepsy,
- 13 Childhood congenital conditions,
- 14 Other health problems or disabilities

{if Chea1 = yes}

### Chea3

(Do/Does/Will this problem/any of these problems) affect (child's name) ability to attend school or college regularly?:

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Above school age

{For all problems except 'childhood congenital' problems}

### Chea3a

How old was (Name of child) when (this problem/these problems) started?

INTERVIEWER: WHERE MORE THAN ONE PROBLEM, ASK WHEN FIRST PROBLEM STARTED.

Range:0..18

{if Chea1 = yes}

**Chea4**

(Do any of these problems / Does this problem) cause you to spend more time caring for (child's name) compared with a fully-fit child of similar age?

- 1 Yes

{If child is under 16 years of age}

**Chea5**

Do you expect (these problems / this problem) to continue at least until (child's name) grows up?:

- 1 Yes,  
2 No,  
3 Above school age

{if Chea5 = no}

**Chea6**

How long do you expect it to last?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NUMBER OF YEARS FROM NOW.

Range: 0..97

{If Chea4=yes}

**Chea7**

Do you do all of the work of looking after (child's name), or does someone else help with it?:

- (1 Respondent does all of the work,  
2 Someone else helps

{If Chea4=yes}

**Chea8**

Does this extra work looking after (child's name) prevent you from doing a paid job, or as much paid work as you might if your child(ren) was/were fully fit?:

- 1 Yes,  
2 No,  
3 Wouldn't work anyway

{if child is still at school}

**Cheaw1**

Has (child's name) been identified at school as having an Special Educational Need (SEN)?:

- 1 Yes,  
2 No,  
3 Child not yet at school.

{IF Cheaw1=yes}

**Cheaw1a**

For what reason has (child's name) been identified as having a SEN? INTERVIEWER:

PROBE FULLY: OPEN

- 1 Dyslexia  
2 Learning difficulties/ disabilities  
3 ADHD/ Behavioural problems/ hyperactivity  
4 Physical disability (sight, hearing, motorskills, speech)  
5 Mental illness/ depression  
6 Gifted/ High IQ  
7 School phobic/ not liking school  
8 Behind in specific subjects  
9 Lack of concentration  
10 Autism  
11 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-10  
97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-11

{if Cheaw1 = yes}

**Cheaw2**

Does (*child's name*) have a statement of Special Educational Need?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{IF child aged 5 - 13}

**Cheaw3**

Has (*child's name*) **ever** had to see a speech or language therapist for a consultation or treatment?

If YES, was that on one occasion or on more than one occasion?:

- 1 Yes, on just one occasion,
- 2 Yes, more than once,
- 3 No

{if child is still at school and is 5 or older}

**Susp**

In the past 12 months has (*child's name*) been temporarily excluded from school, that is 'suspended', even for a day?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if child is still at school and is 5 or older}

**Expel**

In the past 12 months, has (*child's name*) been permanently excluded from school, that is 'expelled'?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If child is 11-18 still in school}

**Police1**

Have the police ever had to contact (*you / you or your husband/wife /partner*) about (*child's name*), because they thought (*he/she*) had done something wrong?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If child aged 16-18 and still in household}

**Anyq**

SHOW CARD E

Has (*child's name*) obtained any of the school qualifications shown on this card?

IF YES PROBE: Which ones?: SET [2] OF

- 1 GCSEs, any grades A\*-G,
- 2 Scottish Standard Grades (SCEs),
- 3 None of these,
- 4 Don't know - spontaneous code)

{If Anyq=GCSEs}

**ChEd**

How many GCSEs grades A\*-G did (*child's name*) obtain?

: 1..15

{If Anyq=GCSEs}

**ChEd1**

How many, if any, of these GCSEs were at grades A\*- C?

: 0..15

{IF Anyq=SCEs}

**ChSEd**

How many Standard Grades (SCEs) did (*child's name*) obtain?

: 1..15

{IF Anyq=SCEs}

**ChSEd1**

How many, if any, of these Standard Grades (SCEs) were at grades 1-3?

: 0..15

{If child aged 5-15}

**EdMath**

SHOW CARD F

Based on your knowledge of (*his/her*) school work, including (*his/her*) school reports and any test scores, how well did (*child's name*) do in the last school year for ...

... maths?:

- 1 Well above average,
- 2 Slightly above average,
- 3 Average,
- 4 Slightly below average,
- 5 Well below average)

{If child aged 5-15}

**EdEng**

SHOW CARD F

... written work such as English?:

- 1 Well above average,
- 2 Slightly above average,
- 3 Average,
- 4 Slightly below average,
- 5 Well below average)

{If child aged 5-15}

**EdSci**

SHOW CARD F

... science?

- 1 Well above average,
- 2 Slightly above average,
- 3 Average,
- 4 Slightly below average,
- 5 Well below average)

{IF child aged 11-16}

**Hwfreq1**

This next section is about homework that schools may give children to do.

SHOW CARD G

In the last 12 months how often, if at all, has (*child's name*) been given homework to do by his/her school?

INTERVIEWER: REFERS TO TERM TIMES, NOT HOLIDAYS.:

- 1 Every day,
- 2 Most days,
- 3 Two or three days a week,
- 4 At least once a week,
- 5 At least once a month,
- 6 At least once a term,
- 7 Varies too much to say,
- 8 Never

{If has homework}

**Hwhelp**

In the past 12 months, have *(you / you or your husband/wife /partner)* ever helped *(child's name)* with his/her homework?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{IF child aged 11-16}

**HwAmt**

SHOW CARD H

In the past 12 months, how much time each week would you say *(you / you or your husband/wife /partner)* spent talking to *(child's name)* about his/her school work, helping with homework, looking over his/her school work, and so on?:

- 1 Less than half an hour,
- 2 Half an hr - but less than 1 hr,
- 3 1 hr but less than 2.5 hrs,
- 4 2.5 hrs but less than 5 hrs,
- 5 5 hours or more

{If has homework}

**Hwdid**

SHOW CARD I

About how much of his/her homework do you think *(child's name)* completes?:

- 1 All of it, or almost all,
- 2 Most of it,
- 3 About half of it,
- 4 Some, but less than half,
- 5 Not much,
- 6 None

{IF child aged 11-15}

**SP1**

Thinking back over the last 7 days, on how many days has *(child's name)* had friends round to your home or been out with friends?:

- 0 None,
- 1 1-2,
- 2 3-5,
- 3 6 or more

{IF child aged 11-15}

**SP2**

How often does *(child's name)* go to organised activities, such as youth clubs, music or sports lessons, scouts/guides?:

- 1 Every day,
- 2 Most days,
- 3 Two or three days a week,
- 4 At least one day a week,
- 5 Less than once a week,
- 6 Hardly ever or never

{IF child aged 13-15}

**Parasp1**

SHOW CARD J

Looking at this card, when *(child's name)* reaches 16 and can leave school, what **would you like** him/her to do?:

- 1 Continue in full time education,
- 2 Go on a training course or start an apprenticeship,
- 3 Get a full-time paid job (either as an employee or self-employed),
- 4 Work, unpaid, in the family business full-time,

- 5 Work, unpaid, as a volunteer full-time,
- 6 Start a family,
- 7 Something else (please specify),
- 8 [Don't Know - SPONTANEOUS CODE]]
- 12 Armed forces
- 13 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-12
- 97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-13

{IF Parasp1 = something else}

**Pxarasp1**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER ACTIVITY. ONLY ONE ACTIVITY SHOULD BE RECORDED.

IF RESPONDENT MENTIONS MORE THAN ONE, PLEASE PROBE FOR MAIN.

: OPEN

{IF child aged 13-16}

**Parasp2**

SHOW CARD K

And looking at this card, what **would you like** (*child's name*) to have done or be doing by the time he/she reaches his/her mid 20s? INTERVIEWER PROBE: What else?:SET [9] OF

- 1 Gone to University,
- 2 Gone to College,
- 3 Had a full-time paid job (either as an employee or self-employed),
- 4 Worked unpaid in the family business full-time,
- 5 Worked unpaid as a volunteer full-time,
- 6 Started a family,
- 7 Left home,
- 8 Been travelling,
- 9 Other (please specify)
- 10 *Part time job*
- 11 *Volunteering part time*
- 12 *Armed forces*
- 13 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-12*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-13*

{IF Parasp2 = other}

**Pxarasp2**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER ACTIVITY. ONLY ONE ACTIVITY SHOULD BE RECORDED.

IF RESPONDENT MENTIONS MORE THAN ONE, PLEASE PROBE FOR MAIN.

: OPEN

{IF child aged 13-16}

**Parasp3**

Have you talked to (*child's name*) at all about the type of job that **he/she would like** to be doing when he/she is in his/her mid-twenties?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If parasp3 = YES}

**Parasp4**

SHOW CARD L

What type of job would (*child's name*) like to be doing by the time he/she reaches his/her mid-twenties? Please select your answer from this card?:

- 0 Has no specific job in mind,
- 1 Armed forces,
- 2 Manager or senior official in someone else's business,
- 3 Running their own business,
- 4 Professional or technical,

- 5 Administrative, clerical or secretarial,
- 6 Skilled trade,
- 7 Caring, leisure, travel or personal service,
- 8 Sales or customer service,
- 9 Plant, process or machine drivers or operators,
- 10 Other jobs,
- 11 Something else (please specify)
- 12 *Acting/singing/performance arts*

{IF Parasp4 = Something else}

**Pxarasp4**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER JOB. ONLY ONE JOB SHOULD BE RECORDED. IF RESPONDENT MENTIONS MORE THAN ONE, PLEASE PROBE FOR MAIN.

: OPEN

**C.1 Maintenance**

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**Intro**

I'd now like to ask you about any maintenance payments you might receive for your children  
DO NOT INCLUDE MORTGAGE PAYMENTS AS MAINTENANCE.

READ EXPLANATION:

*Maintenance payments are sometimes made by one parent to the other, if they do not live together, to help support any children. This could be through Court Orders, voluntary agreements, or through the Child Support Agency.*

*Some parents may help out in other ways, such as through occasional gifts.*

PRESS '1' AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

: STRING[1]

**CM1**

May I first ask:

Is there any **Court Order** in force (not a CSA assessment) that says that (you/your partner), or (Name of child), should receive regular maintenance payments from (Name of child)'s father/mother?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if CM1 = yes}

**CM2**

Who is it that should be receiving these Maintenance Payments?

- 1 Respondent,
- 2 Partner,
- 3 Child,
- 4 Both)

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**CM3**

Do you have a **voluntary agreement** which says that (you/your partner), or (Name of child), should receive regular voluntary payments from (Name of child)'s father/mother?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If CM3=yes}

**CM4**

Who is it that should be receiving voluntary payments?

- 1 Respondent,
- 2 Partner,
- 3 Child,



4 Both)

{if CM1 = yes or if CM3 = yes}

**CM5**

May I just check, how much are/ is (you/your partner)(Name of child) supposed to receive regularly from (Name of child)'s father/mother? This does not include maintenance paid under an assessment from the CSA.

INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT ONLY KNOWS THE AMOUNT RECEIVED FOR ALL CHILDREN RECORD THIS AMOUNT AT THE FIRST ITERATION AND CODE 9997 FOR ANY SUBSEQUENT CHILDREN

: 1..9997

{if CM5 in 1..9997}

**CM6**

How long does that cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if CM1 = yes or if CM3 = yes}

**CM7**

Do/Does (you/your partner)usually receive these payments?

- 1 Yes - receives all of it,
- 2 Yes - receives some of it,
- 3 No,
- 4 Paid by DSS/CSA)

{If CM7=no}

**CM9**

Are these payments in arrears now?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If CM9=no}

**CM10**

Can I just check, have/has (you/your partner)**ever** received any of this maintenance due to you or to (Name of child)?

:

- (1 Yes - respondent,
- 2 Yes - partner,
- 3 Yes - children,
- 4 Yes - both child and parent,
- 5 No)

{if CM10=yes}

**CM11**

How many weeks or months are/ is (you/your partner)owed in overdue maintenance payments?

INTERVIEWER: FIRST CODE IF YOUR ANSWER IS IN WEEKS, MONTHS, OR AN AMOUNT OF MONEY...

- 1 ANSWER IN WEEKS,
- 2 ANSWER IN MONTHS,
- 3 AMOUNT OF MONEY)

{if cm11 = weeks }

**CM12**

ENTER NUMBER OF WEEKS.

: 1..97

{if cm11 =months}

**CM13**

ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS.

: 1..97

{if CM11 =money}

**CM14**

ENTER AMOUNT OWED: WHOLE POUNDS.

: 1..9997

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**CM15**

Has the Child Support Agency, or CSA, made an assessment, instructing (Name of child)'s father/mother to pay maintenance to (you/your partner)and (Name of child)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if CM15 = yes}

**CM16**

Are these payments supposed to be made to (you/your partner), or are they collected directly by the DSS?

- 1 to respondent,
- 2 to partner,
- 3 collected by DSS)

{If CM15=Yes}

**CM17**

How much are/ is (you/your partner)supposed to receive?

INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT ONLY KNOWS THE AMOUNT RECEIVED FOR ALL CHILDREN RECORD THIS AMOUNT AT THE FIRST ITERATION AND CODE 9997 FOR ANY SUBSEQUENT CHILDREN.

ENTER AMOUNT: WHOLE POUND ONLY.

: 1..9997

{if CM17 IN 1..9997}

**CM18**

How long does that cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year

- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if cm16 = to respondent}

**CM19**

Do/Does (you/your partner) usually receive the maintenance assessed by the CSA to be paid to (you/your partner)?

- 1 Yes - receives all of it,
- 2 Yes - receives some of it,
- 3 No,
- 4 Paid by DSS/CSA)

{if CM19 = Yes, Some of it or No}

**CM21**

Are these payments in arrears now?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if cm21 = yes}

**CM22**

Can I just check, have/has (you/your partner) **ever** received these payments?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if cm22 = yes}

**CM23**

How many weeks or months are/ is (you/your partner) owed in overdue CSA maintenance payments?

INTERVIEWER: FIRST CODE IF YOUR ANSWER IS IN WEEKS, MONTHS OR AN AMOUNT OF MONEY ...

- 1 ANSWER IN WEEKS,
- 2 ANSWER IN MONTHS,
- 3 AMOUNT OF MONEY)

{if cm23 = weeks }

**CM24**

ENTER NUMBER OF WEEKS.

: 1..97

{if cm23 = months}

**CM25**

ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS.

: 1..97

{IF CM23=money}

**CM25a**

ENTER AMOUNT OWED: WHOLE POUNDS

:1..9997

{If one natural parent is missing from household and parent is still alive}

**ChCon**

How often does (Name of child) usually see his/her mother/father?:

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,

- 4 At least once per month,
- 5 At least once per year,
- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never)

{If relationship of respondent to child is child (HseHold.HHGrid.Person[I].RelExtr = Child )}

**ReCon**

How often do you usually see him/her?:

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,
- 4 At least once per month,
- 5 At least once per year,
- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never)

**Relex**

How would you describe your relationship with him/her nowadays? Is it ...READ OUT...:

- 1 ...very friendly,,
- 2 ...quite friendly,,
- 3 ...not very friendly,,
- 4 ...very **un**friendly,,
- 5 ...mixed - sometimes friendly, sometimes unfriendly?,
- 6 don't know/can't say)

**ExJob**

And do you know if he/she is ... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...employed for 16 hours or more per week,,
- 2 employed for fewer than 16 hours per week,,
- 3 self-employed,,
- 4 or not in paid work?)

{If remaint = yes i.e. recieves maintenance}

**CM26**

When you / or your partner receive(s) maintenance, is it in with your general budget or do you use it for something specific, like children's clothes, savings or childcare?

- 1 Part of general budget,
- 2 Something specific

{If uses for something specific}

**CM27**

What do you use the maintenance for? CODE ALL THAT APPLY.:

SET [4] OF

- 1 Paying for childcare,
- 2 Put it into savings (own or child's),
- 3 Paying off debts,
- 4 Paying towards bills,
- 5 Paying towards travel costs,
- 6 Paying towards housing,
- 7 Buying food/meals for your children,
- 8 Buying clothes/shoes for your children,
- 9 Paying for trips/holidays,
- 10 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))
- 11 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-10
- 97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-11

{If CM27= Other}

**CM27a**

ENTER OTHER ANSWER

: STRING [60]

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**CM28a**

Now some questions about maintenance and receiving social security.

How much, if any, maintenance would a parent on Income Support be able to keep each week before it affected his/her benefit?

POUNDS ONLY

: 0..997

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**CM29**

..and how much Income Support is withdrawn for every additional pound of maintenance?

ENTER PENCE (EG. '100' = 100p)

: 0..997

{If one natural parent is missing from household and this parent is still alive}

**CM30**

How much maintenance is a parent on Working Families Tax Credit allowed to keep each week before it affects his/her tax credit?

WHOLE POUND ONLY.

IF HALF CODE 995

IF ALL OF IT CODE 996.:0..996

{If not answered all of it or half of it at CM30}

**CM31**

..and how much WFTC is withdrawn for every additional pound of maintenance?

ENTER PENCE (EG. '100' = 100p)

: 0..997

{All}

**CHEA18**

Do you have any children aged 15 or under living elsewhere?

(DON'T COUNT CHILDREN OF THE FAMILY WHO ARE TEMPORARILY AWAY AT SCHOOL OR IN HOSPITAL ETC.)

1 Yes

2 No

{if CHEA18=yes}

**CHEA19**

How many children do you have living elsewhere?

Range: 1..7

{If CHEA18=Yes}

**CHEA20**

And how many are aged 16 or younger?

Range :0..7

{If CHEA18=Yes}

**CHEA21**

Where do these children live nowadays?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY.:SET [4] OF

1 With other parent,

2 With other relative,

3 In local authority care,

- 4 In a hostel,
- 5 In own home,
- 6 Other

{All}

**Chea10**

(*Apart from your child/ren*) Is there anyone else you care for because they have a longstanding illness, disability or infirmity of any kind?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Chea10 = yes}

**Chea11**

INTERVIEWER: CODE EACH PERSON BEING CARED FOR.

EXCLUDE THOSE WHO WORK AS CARERS.

DO NOT COUNT CHILDREN ALREADY DEALT WITH.: SET [5] OF

{display list of all household members 1-9, plus codes for:}

- 1 'Person 2'
- 2 'Person 3'
- 3 'Person 4'
- 4 'Person 5'
- 5 'Person 6'
- 6 'Person 7'
- 7 'Person 8'
- 8 'Person 9'
- 9 'Person 10'
- 10 'Person 11'
- 11 'Person 12'
- 12 'Person 13'
- 13 'Person 14'
- 14 'Person 15'
- 15 Parent outside the household,
- 16 Another parent outside the household,
- 17 Child outside household,
- 18 Spouse outside household,
- 19 Other relative,
- 20 Friend/neighbour,
- 21 Client of voluntary organisation,
- 22 Other person outside the household

(For each person coded at Chea11)

**Chea12**

How long have you been caring for (person from Chea11)?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER YEARS

IF LESS THAN ONE YEAR ENTER ZERO.:0..97

(For each person coded at Chea11)

**Chea13**

About how many hours a week do you spend caring for (person from Chea11)?

:1..168

(For each person coded at Chea11)

**Chea14**

Do you do all of the work of looking after (person from Chea11), or does someone else help with it? :

- 1 Respondent does all of work,
- 2 Someone else helps

(For each person coded at Chea11)

**Chea15**

Does this extra work looking after (person from Chea11) prevent you from doing a paid job, or as much paid work as you might if you did not have(person from Chea11)to look after? :

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Wouldn't work anyway

{If person looking after is not partner (Chea11 not partner from HH grid)}

**Chea16**

Does (person from Chea11) receive Attendance Allowance, or Disability Living Allowance care component?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

## BLOCK D: HOUSING

{ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY}

{If panel interview}

### House1

INTERVIEWER ASK OR CODE: Have you moved home since (Date of last interview)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{All}

### Hous2a

INTERVIEWER: WHAT KIND OF ACCOMMODATION DOES THE FAMILY OCCUPY?:

- 1 Private residence (includes all rental accommodation, local authority residences, housing association accommodation),
- 2 Hotel/bed & breakfast,
- 3 Something else (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)

{If Hous2a = other}

### Hous2b

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER TYPE OF ACCOMMODATION.

:open

### D1 Private households

{If Hous2a = Private residence}

### Hous4

(In the past 12 months have you/ Have you ever) had to stay in temporary accommodation, like a bed and breakfast hotel, because you were waiting to be housed?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Hous4 = yes}

### Hous5

When did you last leave such accommodation?

FIRST ENTER YEAR.:

1940..2001

{If Hous5 = 1940..1999}

### Hous6

NOW ENTER MONTH

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

AND ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELPHelp <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

:1..12,NOREFUSAL



{If Hous4 = yes}

**Hous7**

How long had you lived there?:

- 1 under 3 months,
- 2 three to six months,
- 3 six months to a year,
- 4 one year or more)

{Ask all}

**Hous9**

Thinking about your current address, when did you start living here?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR.

ENTER '0' IF ALWAYS LIVED HERE.

:0..2001

{If Hous9 = 1991..2001}

**Hous10**

NOW ENTER THE MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

AND ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELPHelp <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

:1..12,NOREFUSAL

{if panel interview and respondent has moved since last interview or if a private residence}

**Hous11a**

ASK OR CODE: What kind of accommodation do you occupy here?:

- 1 Detached house/bungalow,
- 2 Semi-detached house/bungalow,
- 3 Terrace house/end terrace,
- 4 Purpose built flat/maisonette,
- 5 Self contained flat/maisonette in converted building,
- 6 Room(s) not self contained,
- 7 Caravan/mobile home/houseboat,
- 8 Other (specify))
- 9 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-8*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-9*

{if Hous11a = other}

**Hous11b**

ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER KIND OF ACCOMMODATION.

:open

(private households only: If Hous2a=private residence)

**Hous12**

SHOW CARD M

Which of these best describes the accommodation you are living in at the moment?:

- 1 Owned outright,,
- 2 Being bought on a mortgage/bank loan,,
- 3 Shared ownership (owns & rents property),,
- 4 Rented from a Council or New Town,,
- 5 Rented from a Housing Association,,
- 6 Rented privately,,
- 7 Rent free,,
- 8 Some other arrangement.

(private households only)

**Hous13**

In whose name is this accommodation owned or rented?:

- 1 Respondent only,
- 2 Respondent and partner,
- 3 Respondent and ex-partner,
- 4 Respondent and parent(s),
- 5 Respondent and someone else,
- 6 Partner only,
- 7 Ex-partner only,
- 8 Respondent's parent(s),
- 9 Other(s))

(private households only)

{If accommodation is owned or rented in ex- partners name only, or in parents name or other(s)}

**Hous14**

How much, if anything, do you pay towards your accommodation?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS ONLY

:0..9997

{if pays something at Hous14}

**Hous15**

What period of time does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{If moved house since last interview or if Booster/Rescreen}

**Hous17**

How many separate bedrooms do you have here?

INCLUDE ONLY ROOMS TO WHICH RESPONDENT'S HOUSEHOLD HAS ACCESS.  
'BEDROOMS' INCLUDES BOXROOMS AND BEDROOMS NOT CURRENTLY USED AS BEDROOMS.

:0..10

## **D2     Heating**

{All}

### **Houshe1**

In winter, are you able to keep this accommodation warm enough?

CODE 'CAN'T AFFORD IT' AS 'NO':.

Yes, No

{if Houshe1 = no}

### **Houshe2**

Which parts of your home are not warm enough?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY:SET [4] OF

- 1     all of it,
- 2     kitchen/bathroom,
- 3     living rooms,
- 4     any bedroom)

{if Houshe2 = bedrooms}

### **Houshe3**

Are you able to keep the child(ren)'s bedrooms warm enough?:

Yes, No

{if Houshe1 = No}

### **Houshe4**

Why, do you feel, is it difficult to keep this/these room(s) warm enough?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY:SET [4] OF

- 1     Heating is inefficient / broken,
- 2     poor insulation / drafts,
- 3     the cost / too expensive,
- 4     some other reason)

{All}

### **Houshe5**

Do you have a pre-payment meter for your electricity?

- 1     Yes
- 2     No

### **Houshe6**

Does your home have central heating, or storage heaters?

PROMPT TO PRE-CODES:.

- 1     Yes,
- 2     Yes, but does not work,
- 3     Yes, but not in every room,
- 4     No)

### **D3      Repairs**

#### **Hous19a**

SHOW CARD N

Are there any repairs that need to be done to your home such as the problems listed on this card? PROBE: Which others?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY.:SET [8] OF

- 1      Rising damp in floor & walls,
- 2      Water getting in from roof, gutters or windows,
- 3      Bad condensation problems,
- 4      Electrical wiring,
- 5      Plumbing,
- 6      General rot and decay,
- 7      Problems with insects,
- 8      Problems with mice or rats,
- 9      Other repairs (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 10     None of these
- 11     *Draughts*
- 12     *Needs windows replacing*
- 13     *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-12*
- 97     *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-13*

{if Hous19a = other}

#### **Hous19b**

ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER REPAIRS OR PROBLEMS.:open

{if has Rising Damp, Water getting in or Condensation}

#### **Hous20**

In which rooms do you have these problems with damp, leaking or condensation? PROBE: Which others? CODE ALL THAT APPLY.:

SET [5] OF

- 1      Children's bedrooms,
- 2      Adults' bedrooms,
- 3      Living rooms,
- 4      Kitchen/bathrooms,
- 5      Other rooms)

{If has any problems with house listed at Hous19a}

#### **Hous21**

Why (has this problem / have these problems) not been dealt with?:SET [4] of

- 1      Council/landlord not doing them,
- 2      Lack of own funds,
- 3      Waiting on insurance claim,
- 4      Problem recently reported to Council/landlord and waiting outcome,
- 5      Problem not reported,
- 6      Other

#### **D4     Renting**

{if renting}

##### **Hous23**

How much do **you** (and your partner/or any ex-partner) actually pay in rent **after** you have received any HOUSING BENEFITS or rent rebate, excluding any payments to pay off arrears?

WHOLE POUNDS ONLY:0..9997

{if Hous23 IN 1..9997}

##### **Hous24**

And what period of time does that cover?

- 1        One week
- 2        Two weeks
- 3        Three weeks
- 4        Four weeks
- 5        Calendar month
- 6        Two Calendar months
- 7        Eight times a year
- 8        Nine times a year
- 9        Ten times a year
- 10       Three months/13 weeks
- 11       Six months/26 weeks
- 12       One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13       Less than one week
- 14       One off/lump sum
- 15       None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if renting}

##### **Hous24a**

Can I just check : does this amount include ...

READ OUT IN TURN

... any charges for water?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if renting}

##### **Hous24b**

... any charges for heating?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if renting}

##### **Hous24c**

... any payments for council tax?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if renting}

##### **Hous24d**

... any service charges (including hot water)?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if renting}

##### **Hous25**

And how much are your water charges?

IF WATER IS METERED SEEK ESTIMATE OF AVERAGE COST

EXCLUDE ANY ARREARS

WHOLE POUNDS ONLY

:0..9997

{if charged for water}

**Hous26**

And what period of time does that cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if renting}

**Hous27**

Do you receive any Housing Benefit or rent rebate?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Hous27 = yes}

**Hous28**

How much Housing Benefit/rent rebate do you receive?

FIRST CODE WHETHER YOU WILL RECORD AN AMOUNT OF MONEY OR A PROPORTION OF THE RENT.:

- 1 Amount of money,
- 2 Proportion (%) of the rent)

{if Hous28 = Money}

**Hous29**

ENTER AMOUNT OF MONEY RECEIVED IN RENT REBATE/HOUSING BENEFIT. WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.:

1..9997

{if amount of money coded at Hous29}

**Hous30**

And what period of time does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if Hous28 = Prop}

**Hous31**

ENTER PROPORTION OF RENT RECEIVED IN REBATE/HOUSING BENEFIT:1..100

{if recieves Housing Benefit}

**Hous32**

So what is the total amount of rent for this accommodation? That is, the amount charged before any rebates or deductions but NOT including charges for water, heating, service charges and so on.:  
1..9997

{if Hous32 IN 1..9997}

**Hous33**

And what period of time does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if some rent is paid}

**Hous34**

Is your rent paid up to date at the moment, or do you have some rent arrears that will have to be paid?:

- 1 Up to date,
- 2 Some arrears

{if Hous34 = some arrears}

**Hous35**

How much are your rent arrears at the moment?

INTERVIEWER: FIRST ENTER WHETHER YOU WILL CODE AN AMOUNT OF MONEY OR A PERIOD OF TIME.:

- 1 An amount of money,
- 2 A number of weeks,
- 3 A number of months

{if Hous35 = Money}

**Hous36**

ENTER AMOUNT OF RENT ARREARS TO NEAREST £.  
:1..9997

{if Hous35 = Week}

**Hous37**

ENTER NUMBER OF WEEKS IN ARREARS.  
:1..52

{if Hous35 = Month}

**Hous38**

ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS IN ARREARS.

:1..36

{if pays some rent}

**Hous39**

As far as you are aware, do people who work 16 hours or more each week have any entitlement to Housing Benefit (rent rebate)?:

- 1 Yes,
- 2 Sometimes/it depends,
- 3 No,
- an't say

**D5 Mortgages**

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous40**

Is your mortgage ... READ OUT:

- 1 ...an ENDOWMENT mortgage, (where your mortgage payments cover interest only),,
- 2 ...a REPAYMENT mortgage, (where your mortgage payments cover interest and part of the original loan),,
- 3 ...a PENSION mortgage, (where your mortgage payments cover interest only),,
- 4 ...a PEP, Unit Trust, or ISA mortgage,,
- 5 ...or both an ENDOWMENT (or any interest only) mortgage AND a REPAYMENT mortgage?)

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous41**

When was this mortgage first taken out?

ENTER YEAR.:

1930..2001

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous42**

How much was this mortgage when it was first taken out?

ENTER AMOUNT IN WHOLE POUNDS.

:100..999997

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous43**

How much do you (*and your partner/or any ex-partner*) pay in total loan or mortgage payments for this accommodation including any mortgage protection policy?

WHOLE POUNDS ONLY:0..99997

{if Hous43 IN 1..99997}

**Hous44**

And what period of time does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year



- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous45**

And may I just check, are you up to date with your loan or mortgage payments or are you now behind with your loan or mortgage?:

- 1 Up to date,
- 2 Behind

{if Hous45 = Behind}

**Hous46**

How much are your mortgage or loan arrears at the moment?

FIRST ENTER WHETHER YOU WILL CODE AN AMOUNT OF MONEY OR A PERIOD OF TIME.:

- 1 An amount of money,
- 2 A number of weeks,
- 3 A number of months

{if Hous46 = Money}

**Hous47**

ENTER AMOUNT OF MORTGAGE OR LOAN WHICH IS IN ARREARS.  
WHOLE POUNDS ONLY

:1..99997

{if Hous46 = Week}

**Hous48**

ENTER NUMBER OF WEEKS IN ARREARS.

:1..52

{if Hous46 = Month}

**Hous49**

ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS IN ARREARS.:1..36

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous50**

Can I just check, are you receiving Income Support at the moment?:  
Yes, No

{if Hous50 = yes}

**Hous51**

Is any of your mortgage interest being paid by the Department of Work and Pensions (formerly DSS) at the moment?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Hous51 = yes}

**Hous52**

How much do you receive towards your mortgage interest?

INTERVIEWER CODE 99997 IF RESPONDENT SAYS 'ALL OF IT', 99996 OF RESPONDENT SAYS 'HALF OF IT' WHOLE POUNDS ONLY

:1..99997

{if Hous52 IN 1..99997}

**Hous53**

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{If shared ownership or buying on a mortgage at Hous12}

**Hous54**

How much are your water charges?

IF WATER IS METERED SEEK ESTIMATE OF AVERAGE COST  
WHOLE POUNDS ONLY:0..9997

{if Hous54 IN 1..9997}

**Hous55**

What period does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

**D6 General**

{If private residence}

**Hous56**

In which band, from A to H, is your property valued for Council  
Tax? :

- 1 Band A,
- 2 Band B,
- 3 Band C,
- 4 Band D,
- 5 Band E,
- 6 Band F,
- 7 Band G,
- 8 Band H,
- 9 Household accommodation not valued separately)

**Hous57**

As far as you are aware, do people who work 16 hours or more each week have any entitlement to Council Tax Benefit?:

- 1 Yes,
- 2 Sometimes/it depends,
- 3 No,  
Can't say

## BLOCK E: EDUCATION AND TRAINING

{ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT AND PARTNER SEPARATELY}

{All}

### Intro

I am now going to ask about Education and Training you may have had.

:Cont

{All new cases or if panel case and was in FTE last time}

### Ed1

How old were you when you completed your **continuous** full time education?

ENTER AGE. ENTER '0' IF RESPONDENT HAD NO FORMAL EDUCATION.

ENTER '95' IF STILL IN FULL-TIME EDUCATION. :0..95

{All}

### Ed3a

SHOW CARD O

From this list, please tell me the highest qualification which you have obtained.

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 7 CODES.

HIGHEST = NEAREST THE BOTTOM OF THE LIST.:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | GCSE grade D-G, CSE grade 2-5, SCE O Grades D-E, SCE Standard Grades 4-7, SCOTVEC National Certificate Modules,                   |
| 2 | GCSE grade A-C, GCE 'O'-level passes, CSE grade 1, SCE O Grades A-C, SCE Standard Grades 1-3, School Certificate / Matriculation, |
| 3 | GCE 'A'-level, AS Level, SCE Higher Grades A-C,   |
| 4 | First degree, eg BSc, BA, BEd, MA at first degree level,  |
| 5 | Higher degree, eg MSc, MA, MBA, PGCE, PhD,  |
| 6 | Other <b>academic</b> qualifications (PLEASE SPECIFY),  |
| 7 | No, none of these   |
| 8 | <i>Has qualification, level unknown</i>   |
| 9 | <i>Overseas qualification</i>   |

{if Ed3a = Other}

### Ed3b

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER QUALIFICATION(S). RECORD AS MUCH DETAIL AS POSSIBLE, EG AWARDING BODY, LEVEL OF QUALIFICATION.

(NB THE NEXT QUESTION DEALS WITH VOCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS, SO THEY SHOULD NOT BE RECORDED HERE.):

open

{all}

**Ed2**

SHOW CARD P

Do you have any of the qualifications listed on this card?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 12 CODES.:

SET [9] OF

- 1 Level 1 NVQ or SVQ, Foundation GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 2 Level 2 NVQ or SVQ, Intermediate GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 3 Level 3 NVQ or SVQ, Advanced GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 4 Level 4 NVQ or SVQ,
- 5 Level 5 NVQ or SVQ,
- 6 NVQ, SVQ or GNVQ - not sure what level,
- 7 City & Guilds Part 1, RSA Certificate,
- 8 BTEC First or General Certificate, BEC or TEC  
General, City & Guilds Part 2, Craft or Intermediate, RSA Advanced Diploma or  
Certificate,
- 9 BTEC National Certificate or Diploma, City&Guilds Part 3, Final or Advanced Craft,  
ONC or OND,
- 10 BEC Higher or TEC Higher, BTEC Higher, City & Guilds Part 4, HNC or HND,
- 11 Other **vocational** or **pre-vocational** qualification  
(PLEASE GIVE DETAILS AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 12 No, none of these
- 13 *City and Guilds/ RSA – not sure what level*
- 14 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-13*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-14*

{If Ed2 = other}

**Ed2a**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER **VOCATIONAL** OR **PRE-VOCATIONAL**  
QUALIFICATION. :

STRING [50]

{ask all}

**Ed4**

SHOW CARD Q

Can I just check, in the past 12 months, that is since (*current month or month of interview last time*) 2000, have you taken part in any of the New Deal programmes shown on this card - or are you currently taking part in any?:

- 1 New Deal for lone parents,
- 2 New Deal for 18-24 year olds,
- 3 New Deal for long-term unemployed people (over 25),
- 4 New Deal for Disabled People,
- 5 New Deal for partners of unemployed people,
- 6 New Deal for over 50s,
- 7 none of these

{ask all}

**Ed10**

And in the last year, have you been on any course that was meant to lead to a qualification, but did not complete it?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Ed10 = yes}

**Ed11**

How many courses (have you been on but not completed)?

(IF MORE THAN 3, IN FOLLOWING Qs REFER TO 3 MOST RECENT)

IF 1+, START WITH MOST RECENT :1..3

(for each unfinished course)

**Ed12a**

SHOW CARD R

Which qualifications, if any, were you aiming towards on that course?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 15 CODES. :

- 1 GCSE or SCE,
- 2 GCE 'A'-level or AS level or SCE Higher,
- 3 Level 1 NVQ or SVQ, Foundation GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 4 Level 2 NVQ or SVQ, Intermediate GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 5 Level 3 NVQ or SVQ, Advanced GNVQ or GSVQ,
- 6 Level 4 NVQ or SVQ,
- 7 Level 5 NVQ or SVQ,
- 8 NVQ, SVQ or GNVQ - not sure what level,
- 9 City & Guilds Part 1, RSA Certificate,
- 10 BTEC First or General Certificate, BEC or TEC General Certificate, City & Guilds Part 2, Craft or Intermediate, RSA Advanced Diploma or Certificate,
- 11 BTEC National Certificate or Diploma, City & Guilds Part 3, Final or Advanced Craft, ONC or OND,
- 12 BEC Higher, TEC Higher, BTEC Higher, City & Guilds Part 4, HNC or HND,
- 13 First degree, e.g. BSc, BA, BEd, MA at first degree level,
- 14 Higher degree, e.g. MSc, MA, MBA, PGCE, PhD,
- 15 Other qualification PLEASE GIVE DETAILS IN NEXT QUESTION.)
- 16 *City and Guilds/RSA – not sure what level*
- 17 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-16*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-17*

{If Ed12a = other}

**Ed12b**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER QUALIFICATION.:

open

(for each unfinished course)

**Ed13**

What were the reasons you did not finish the course?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY :set of

- 1 Commenced work or change in working hours,
- 2 Change or problems with childcare arrangements,
- 3 Respondent had health problems,
- 4 Pregnancy,
- 5 Respondent had to care for someone else, health problems of family members,
- 6 Other family problems,
- 7 [Spontaneous] course not yet finished,
- 8 Other (please specify)
- 9 *Financial reasons*
- 10 *The course was terminated by the course provider*
- 11 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-10*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-11*

{If other at Ed13}

**Ed13a**

WRITE IN 'OTHER' ANSWER:OPEN

{All}

**Ed14**

Apart from the course(s) we have just mentioned, in the last year have/In the last year have) you been on any training courses designed to help you develop skills that you might use in a job?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Ed14 = yes}

**Ed15**

What were these training courses?

INTERVIEWER: PROBE TO PRE-CODES. IF MORE THAN THREE, DESCRIBE THE THREE MOST RECENT...AND START WITH MOST RECENT ONE :Set [3] of

- 1 Training for a particular profession or trade,
- 2 Keyboard and computing skills, Information Technology,
- 3 Academic,
- 4 Administration and Management,
- 5 Driving lessons,
- 6 Leisure activities,
- 7 Training as a result of official guidelines,
- 8 Basic skills,
- 9 Use of specific equipment,
- 10 English language / Writing skills,
- 11 Self development,
- 12 Communication skills,
- 13 Child care related, NNEB etc,
- 14 Other (please specify at next question)
- 15 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-14*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-15*

{If Ed14= Other}

**Ed15a**

WRITE IN 'OTHER' ANSWER: OPEN

{If current activity is **not** FT education, work more than 16 hrs a week or retired}

**Ed16a**

Would you ever consider going on any (other) training courses designed to help you develop skills that you might use in a job?

INTERVIEWER: IF YES, ASK: Have you applied to go on a course or have you just thought about it?:

- 1 Yes applied,
- 2 Yes, but have only thought about it,
- 3 No

{If has applied or considered applying for a course}

**Ed17**

What training courses (*have you applied for/ have you considered applying for*)?

PROBE: Which others?

PROBE FOR FULL DETAILS OF COURSE(S). :open

- 1        *Training for a particular profession or trade*
- 2        *Keyboard and computing skills, Information Technology*
- 3        *Academic*
- 4        *Administration and Management*
- 5        *Driving lessons*
- 6        *Leisure activities*
- 7        *Training as a result of official guidelines*
- 8        *Basic skills*
- 9        *Use of specific equipment*
- 10       *English language/Writing skills*
- 11       *Self development*
- 12       *Communication skills*
- 13       *Childcare related, NNEB etc*
- 14       *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-13*
- 97       *Other vague answer, not codable to 1-14*

{If has applied or considered applying for a course}

**Ed18**

SHOW CARD S

Looking at this card, when would be the earliest you would (start/have you considered starting)a training course?:

- 1        Up to 6 months time,
- 2        6 but less than 12 months time,
- 3        1 but less than 2 years time,
- 4        2 but less than 5 years time,
- 5        5 years or more,
- 6        (SPONTANEOUS) When child(ren) are/start at school,
- 7        (SPONTANEOUS) Cannot afford a course,
- 8        Could not say

{ask all}

**Ed20**

Do you have a full driving licence?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if Ed20 = yes}

**Ed21**

Do you have regular access to a car, van, motorcycle or scooter for your own personal use?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No



{those not working with access to a car/van/motorcycle}

**Ed22**

If you were thinking of starting work, would you be able to use your car/van/motorcycle to travel to and from work, or would you use public transport instead?

INTERVIEWER: PROBE TO PRECODES. CODE 1 IF WOULD GET A LIFT TO WORK.:

- 1 Use car, van, motorcycle to travel to work,
- 2 Use public transport to travel to work,
- 3 Mixed, sometimes car/van/motorcycle sometimes public transport,
- 4 [SPONTANEOUS] Neither, there is no transport (either own or public) or none could rely on,
- 5 [SPONTANEOUS] Walk, cycle or work at home,
- 6 [SPONTANEOUS] Depends on where job is,
- 7 [SPONTANEOUS] Doesn't think will ever work)

{those not working who either don't have a car or have a car but would use public transport or both public transport and their own transport to get to work}

**Ed23**

(If you were thinking of starting work), How easy or difficult would it be for you to rely on public transport to get to and from work from here?

INTERVIEWER: IF EASY OR DIFFICULT PROBE TO PRECORDES:

- 1 Very easy,
- 2 Quite easy,
- 3 Quite difficult,
- 4 Very difficult,
- 5 Impossible,
- 6 [SPONTANEOUS] Depends on job,
- 7 [SPONTANEOUS] Doesn't think will ever work)

{Those who do not have a driving license who are currently out of work}

**Ed24**

If you were thinking of starting work, how easy or difficult would it be for you to rely on public transport to get to and from work from here?

INTERVIEWER: IF EASY OR DIFFICULT PROBE TO PRECORDES:

- 1 Very easy,
- 2 Quite easy,
- 3 Quite difficult,
- 4 Very difficult,
- 5 Impossible,
- 6 [SPONTANEOUS] Depends on job,
- 7 [SPONTANEOUS] Doesn't think will ever work)

## BLOCK F: WORK

{ASKED SEPARATELY FOR MAIN RESPONDENT, AND PARTNER}

{ask all}

### **Wrk1a**

SHOW CARD T

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 11 CODES.

May I just check, what are you currently doing? :

- 1 Working 16 or more hours
- 2 Working fewer than 16 hours
- 3 unemployed and seeking work
- 4 on a training scheme
- 5 Full time education/at school
- 6 sick/disabled (up to 6 months)
- 7 sick/disabled (6 months or longer)
- 8 Looking after the home or family
- 9 Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
- 10 Retired
- 11 Other
- 12 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-11
- 97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-12

{if Wrk1a = other}

### **Wrk1b**

INTERVIEWER; ENTER FULL DETAILS OF 'OTHER' ACTIVITY.

:open

{If respondent is female and is not unemployed, looking after the home or Retired}

### **Wrk1c**

Can I just check, are you on maternity leave at the moment?

:(Yes,No)

{If Wrk1c = Yes}

### **Wrk1d**

And is this maternity leave paid or unpaid?

- 1 Paid,
- 2 Unpaid

{If Wrk1c = Yes}

### **Wrk1e**

When did this maternity leave start?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR.

:1999..2001

{If Wrk1e = response}

### **Wrk1f**

... THEN ENTER THE MONTH IT BEGAN.

:1..12

{if not currently in work}

### **Wrk2**

Have you ever had a paid job or worked as a self-employed person?:

Yes, No, NODK, NOREFUSAL

{if Wrk2 = yes}

**Wrk3**

Which year did you leave your last paid job, either as an employee or self-employed?

ENTER THE YEAR

:1930..2001,NOREFUSAL

{if Wrk3 IN 1930..2001}

**Wrk4**

And in which month did you leave?

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

AND ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELPHelp <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

:1..12,NOREFUSAL

{if last worked before April 1999: if (Wrk3 = 1930..1998)

or (Wrk3 = 1999 and Wrk4 = Jan-Mar)}

**Wrk5**

How many years have you spent in paid work in the past?

PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE. IF UNDER ONE YEAR, CODE '0'.

:0..60

{if Wrk2 = Yes and Wrk3 = RESPONSE}

**WorkCh**

COMPUTER:CALCULATE WHETHER RESP HAS WORKED SINCE DATE OF BIRTH OF ELDEST CHILD: REFER TO HHGRID

1 Yes

2 No

{all}

**Working**

COMPUTER: CALCULATE WORKING SITUATION:

1 is currently in work,

2 not working, has worked since Apr 99,

3 not working, last worked before Apr 99,

4 never worked,

5 not working, has worked, date unknown)

{Panel cases}

**pWorkin**

DERIVED VARIABLE: PANEL VERSION OF THE QUESTION WORKING:

1 Is currently in work,

2 Not currently working, has worked since date of last interview,

3 Not currently working, last worked before date of last interview,

4 Never worked,

5 Not working, has worked, date unknown

{Those who have never worked, or those who have worked but not since April 1999 and those who do not know when they last worked do **not** go any further in this section}

{if Working = Worknow or Working = 94to99 OR pWorkin = Worknow or pWorkin = haswork}

**Wrk6a**

When did you start your (*current/most recent*) job (*where you*) (*are/were*) (*working for 16 hours or more/ for less than 16 hours a week*)?

(JOB = PERIOD OF PAID WORK WITH ONE EMPLOYER OR PERIOD OF CONTINUOUS SELF-EMPLOYMENT.)

IF MORE THAN ONE JOB, ASK FOR **MAIN** JOB ONLY.

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR.:1930..2001,NOREFUSAL

{Soft check: if Wrk6 < 1970, display: ARE YOU SURE?}

{if Wrk6 IN 1931..2001}

**Wrk6b**

NOW ENTER THE MONTH. IF 'DK', ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?' AND ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELP HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10):1..12,NOREFUSAL

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**WrkStat**

I'd like to ask you now about (*your last job/your present job*). Are/Were you an employee or are/were you self-employed in this job?:

- 1 Employee,
- 2 Self-employed,
- 3 Government scheme,
- 4 Unpaid family worker, NODK, NOREFUSAL

{if WrkStat = emp}

**Wrk8**

In this job, do/did you work at home, go out to work, or both?:

- 1 Work(ed) at home,
- 2 Go/went out to work,
- 3 Both

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Wrk9a**

'What does/did the firm/organisation you work/ed for mainly make or do (at the place where you work/ed)?'

(IF SELF EMPLOYED):'What do/did you (or your business) mainly make or do?'

DESCRIBE FULLY - PROBE MANUFACTURING or PROCESSING or DISTRIBUTING ETC. AND MAIN GOODS PRODUCED, MATERIALS USED, WHOLESALE or RETAIL ETC.HELP <F9>

The answer that you need to record should be an **activity**, not a title, name or a vague heading (eg. leisure industry, health care, motor trade).: OPEN

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Wrk9b**

What is/was your (main) job?

ENTER JOB TITLE. IF PARTNER HAS MORE THAN ONE JOB, THE MAIN JOB IS THE ONE THEY WORK(ED) IN THE MOST HOURS/ IF WORK(ED) IN BOTH JOBS FOR THE SAME NUMBER OF HOURS THE MAIN JOB IS THE MOST RENUMERATIVE./JOB TITLE  
:OPEN

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Wrk9c**

What do/did you mainly do in your job?

DESCRIBE FULLY - PROBE FOR DETAILS OF WHAT THEY DO. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A TEACHER, PROBE FOR WHETHER TEACH PRIMARY OR SECONDARY PUPILS. IF AN ENGINEER, PROBE FOR TYPE OF ENGINEER - ELECTRICAL, CHEMICAL, CIVIL ETC./ENTER DESCRIPTION.: OPEN

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Wrk9d**

What training or qualifications are/were needed for that job?

ENTER FULL DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING GRADE OR LEVEL WHERE APPROPRIATE.  
/QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED FOR JOB: OPEN

{if WrkStat = employee}

**Wrk10**

Do/Did you have formal responsibility for supervising the work of other employees?

DO NOT INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO ONLY SUPERVISE:

- CHILDREN, E.G. TEACHERS, NANNIES, CHILDMINDERS- ANIMALS
- SECURITY OR BUILDINGS, E.G. CARETAKERS, SECURITY GUARDS

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Wrk10=yes}

**Wrk10a**

Please describe the type of responsibility you have/has/had for supervising the work of other employees.

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR WHO AND WHAT IS BEING SUPERVISED

: OPEN

{if WrkStat = employee}

**Wrk11**

How many employees are/were there at the place where you work/worked?

HELP <F9>

This is the total number of employees within the 'local unit' at which the respondent works (the location where their job is mainly carried out). Normally this is a single building, part of a building, or at the largest, a self-contained group of buildings.

- 1 1-9,
- 2 10-24,
- 3 25-499,
- 4 or 500 or more

{if WrkStat = self employed }

**Wrk12a**

ASK OR CODE:

Are/Were you working on your own or do/did you have any employees?:

- 1 on own/with partner(s), but no employees,
- 2 with employees

{IF WrkStat = self employed and Work12a = has employees }

**Wrk12b**

How many people Do/Did you employ at the place where you work/worked?:

- 1 1-9,
- 2 10-24,
- 3 25-499,
- 4 or 500 or more

{All NON PANEL or if PANEL, if started new job after last interview}

**Wrk13a**

During the first month of your current/most recent job did you have to meet any additional expenses, such as buying new clothes for work, making temporary childcare or travel arrangements, buying new tools or equipment, which were over and above your usual costs of being in work?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk13a = yes}

**Wrk13b**

How much did these additional expenses come to during the first month of work?

WHOLE POUNDS ONLY:1..9997

{If WorkStat = Employee}

**Wrk14**

Are/Were you a member of a Trade Union?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If WrkStat = Employee AND if Working = worknow}

**Wrk15**

Do you think your job is considered by your employer to be

... READ OUT::

- 1 ... a temporary job (lasting less than 12 months),,
- 2 a fixed term job (lasting between 1 and 3 years),,
- 3 or, a permanent job (with no fixed time for ending)?

{if WrkStat = employee}

**Wrk16a**

How often are/were you paid in your *(last)* job?

INTERVIEWER: SUGGEST RESPONDENT CONSULTS PAYSLIP

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if WrkStat = employee and currently in work}

**Wrk16b**

ASK OR CODE:

Do you have a recent payslip to hand, which you could consult?:

- 1 Latest payslip consulted,
- 2 Old payslip consulted,
- 3 Payslip not consulted,
- 4 No payslip provided by employer)

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk17**

When you were last paid, how much did you receive, that is after all deductions for tax, national insurance, pension contributions, union dues and so on, but **including** overtime, tax credits, bonuses, commission, tips, etc. PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE.

ENTER AMOUNT TO NEAREST £.:1..99997

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk17a**

Does/Did this amount include a payment of Working Families Tax Credit or Disabled Persons' Tax Credit?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If paid a TC, Wrk17a=Yes}

**Wrk17b**

How much Working Families Tax Credit or Disabled Persons' Tax Credit did you receive?

INTERVIEWER: WHOLE POUNDS ONLY

:1..9997

{IF Wrk16 IN OneWeek..Year}

**WkPay**

COMPUTER: calculate weekly pay (^WKPAY):INTEGER[5]

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk18**

May I just check, what deductions were made from this pay for pension contributions?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS. IF NO DEDUCTIONS ENTER '0':.0..9997

**WkPay18**

COMPUTED FIELD. WEEKLY AMOUNT OF PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS:INTEGER[5]

{If Wrk16a = RESPONSE AND IF Wrk14 = yes, belongs to Trade Union}

**Wrk19**

And may I just check, what deductions were made from this pay for union dues?

enter WHOLE POUNDS ONLY. IF NONE, ENTER '0':0..9997

**WkPay19**

COMPUTED FIELD. WEEKLY AMOUNT OF UNION FEES:INTEGER[5]

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk20**

Were there any other deductions from this pay, except for tax and National Insurance?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk20 = yes}

**Wrk21**

How much were these other deductions?  
WHOLE POUNDS ONLY:1..9997

**WkPay21**

COMPUTED FIELD. WEEKLY AMOUNT OF OTHER DEDUCTIONS:INTEGER[5]

**GrossPay**

Computed gross pay calculation  
:0..999997

{If WrkStat=Employee}

{display of pay and deductions}

**WrkDisp**

INTERVIEWER, PRESS <ENTER> TO CONFIRM YOUR ENTRIES:

(TAKE HOME PAY = Display response at Wrk17

TAX CREDITS =Display response at Wrk17b

PENSION DEDUCTION =Display response at Wrk18

UNION DUES =Display response at Wrk19

OTHER DEDUCTIONS =Display response at Wrk21 )

:STRING[1],EMPTY

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk22**

Is/Was National Insurance usually deducted from your earnings?:  
Yes, No

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk23**

Do/Did you usually have Income Tax deducted from your earnings?:  
Yes, No

{If WrkStat=Employee and currently working}

**CTC1**

The Children's Tax Credit has been available to most working families since April 2001 and it reduces the amount of tax they pay. Have you (or your partner) applied to Inland Revenue for Children's Tax Credit?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No



{If applied: CTC = Yes}

**CTC2**

Did Inland revenue say you (or your partner) were eligible for Children's Tax Credit?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk24**

You said you were paid £(response at Wrk17) last time. Is/Was this the amount you are/were usually paid?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk24 = no}

**Wrk25**

What is/was the amount you are/were usually paid?

IF VARIES, OR JUST STARTED JOB, ENTER DON'T KNOW [CTRL+K].:

1..999997

{if Wrk16a = RESPONSE}

**Wrk26**

Can I check, are/were you on an hourly rate of pay in this job?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Wrk26=Yes}

**WrkHr**

What is/was your **basic** hourly rate?

NOT INCLUDING OVERTIME RATES

USE DECIMAL POINT TO RECORD HOURLY PAY IN POUNDS AND PENCE.

:0.01..97.00

{if WrkStat = emp}

**Wrk27**

How many hours a week do/did you usually work in this job,excluding meal breaks but including any paid overtime?

IF NO FIXED HOURS, ENTER 997.:1..997

{if WrkStat = emp}

**Wrk30**

How much do/did you spend **per week** on travel to and from work?

INTERVIEWER: PLEASE CODE POUND AND PENCE.

IF NOTHING ENTER 0:

0.00..100.00

{if WrkStat = self}

**Wrk31**

You said you are/were self-employed in this job. May I just check, are/were you paid a salary or wage by an employer?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk31 = yes}

**Wrk33**

And may I just check, in this job are/were you..READ OUT.. :

- 1 Paid a salary or wage by an agency?,
- 2 A sole director of your own limited business?,
- 3 Running a business or professional practice?,
- 4 Working for yourself?,

- 5 A sub-contractor?,
- 6 Or doing freelance work?,
- 7 None of the above,NOREFUSAL

{if WrkStat = Self}

**Wrk34**

How many hours each week do/did you usually work, including doing the books, VAT and so on?

:0..168

{if Wrk34 = DK}

**Wrk35**

Can you give me an estimate of the number of hours you usually work/ed per week? Is it ... READ OUT:

- 1 ...0-15,,
- 2 16-23,,
- 3 24-29?,
- 4 or, 30 or more?

{If currently self-employed: Wrkstat = 2 & Wrk1a = 1 or 2}

**Wrk36**

How long have you been (*self-employed and working for others/ in business*)?:

- 1 Under 6 months,
- 2 6 months or more

{if Wrk36 = under 6 months}

**Wrk37**

What do you think your income from the business will be over the next six months?

:0..999997

{if Wrk37 = 1..999997}

**Wrk38**

What period does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if Wrk36 = 6 months or more}

**Wrk39**

On average, how much money do you take out of your business **each week** for your own and your family's use?

:0..9997

{if Wrk39 IN 1..9997}

**Wrk40**

Is this amount **all** the cash profit you make from your business or do you make an additional profit when you add up your income and expenses, which you take as extra income or a bonus?:

- 1 Weekly allowance is only profit,
- 2 Make additional profit,
- 3 Makes a loss

{All self-employed who make an additional profit at Wrk40}

**Wrk41**

So what do you estimate is/was your total income from the business after all expenses, taxes etc?

:1..999997

{if Wrk41 = 1..999997}

**Wrk42**

What period does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if Wrk36 = 6 months or more}

**Wrk43**

What is the most recent year for which you have full accounts?:  
1990..2001

{if WrkStat = self employed}

**Wrk44**

Do/Did you pay for a personal pension?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk44 = yes}

**Wrk45**

How much do/did you pay for your personal pension?

RECORD TO THE NEAREST WHOLE £:0..99997

{if Wrk45 IN 1..99997}

**Wrk46**

What period does that cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if WrkStat = self employed}

**Wrk47**

How much National Insurance do/did you pay?

RECORD TO THE NEAREST WHOLE £:0..99997

{if Wrk47 IN 1..99997}

**Wrk48**

What period does that cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Ech1**

Does/Did your employer provide child-care of any kind, whether or not you make use of it?  
(EXCLUDE PAYMENTS FOR CHILD-CARE, WHICH IS COVERED NEXT: INCLUDE ANY ON-SITE FRANCHISES)

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If provides childcare: (Ech1=1)}

**Ech2**

Is/Was this child-care ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... free,,
- 2 ... subsidised,,
- 3 or, at normal rates?

{If provides childcare: (Ech1=1)}

**Ech3**

Do/Did you make use of this child-care?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If currently in work, or has worked since date of last interview or for non-panel cases, since April 1999}

**Ech4**

Does/Did your employer contribute financially towards the cost of your child-care, such as through a voucher scheme?:

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Does/Did not use child care

{If contributes to cost (Ech4=1)}

**Ech5**

How much are/were these payments worth each week?

:1..996

**F1      Childcare**

{If working now or in the past two years and since the birth of the last child}

**WrkChIntro1**

I am now going to ask a few questions about childcare arrangements.

:Cont

**WrkChIntro2**

INTERVIEWER: I NOW WANT TO ASK ABOUT WHAT HAPPENS IN SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

:Cont

{If working now or in the past two years and since the birth of the last child}

**Wrkch1**

ASK OR CODE:

Is/Was (Name of child) old enough to go to *school* (*when you were working*)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If working now or in the past two years and since the birth of the last child}

**Wrkch1b**

When you are/were working, are/were your arrangements for looking after (Name of child) the same during school term-time and in school holidays?

INTERVIEWER: IF SAME CARE PROVIDER USED, BUT FOR A DIFFERENT NUMBER OF HOURS, CODE 'NO'.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If working now or in the past two years and since the birth of the last child}

**Wrkch2**

SHOW CARD U.

When you are/were working, what are/were your usual arrangements for looking after (Name of child) (*during school term-time*)?

CODE UP TO THREE RESPONSES

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 16 CODES.

- 1 Partner/ ex-partner
- 2 Parents/in law
- 3 Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
- 4 Other relative/friend
- 5 Nursery/creche
- 6 Nursery school/playgroup
- 7 Registered childminder
- 8 Unregistered childminder
- 9 Live in nanny/au pair
- 10 Other daily or shared nanny
- 11 After school or holiday play scheme
- 12 I only work(ed) during school hours
- 13 Old enough to look after themselves
- 14 I take/took them to work with me
- 15 I work(ed) at home
- 16 Other

{For each type of childcare}

**Wrkch3**

How many hours per week does/did (Name of child) spend being looked after by ... (your childcare provider) ... (*during school term-time*)?

:Array [1..3] of 1..168

{For each type of childcare}

**Wrkch4**

Do/Did you usually have to pay for this childcare (*during school term-time*)?

INTERVIEWER: PAYMENT REFERS TO A MONETARY AMOUNT.:Array [1..3] of Yes, No

{If pays for (your childcare provider)}

**Wrkch5**

How much do/did you pay for ... (your childcare provider) ... (*during school term-time*)?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER POUNDS AND PENCE

IF AMOUNT PAID COVERS ALL CHILDREN RECORD AMOUNT AT FIRST CHILD AND

CODE 9997 FOR ALL SUBSEQUENT CHILDREN

PLEASE IGNORE ANY CHILDCARE VOUCHERS PROVIDED BY EMPLOYER.

:Array [1..3] of 0.01..9997.00

{If pays in 1..9997}

**Wrkch6**

What period of time does/did that cover?

:Array [1..3] of:

- 1 Hour
- 2 Half day (session)
- 3 Day
- 4 Week
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Term
- 7 Year
- 8 One-off cost / lump-sum
- 9 None of these (Explain in note)

{If pays in 1..9997}

**Wkch6a**

At any time in the past year, that is since (current month or month of interview last year) 2000, have the rates charged by

... (your childcare provider) ... increased or decreased at all?

:Array [1..3] of Increased

- 1 increased
- 2 decreased
- 3 [spontaneous] stayed the same

{IF Wkch6a=increased or Wkch6a=decreased}

**Wkch6b**

When the charges (*increased/decreased*) did this affect the number of hours that you used ... (your childcare provider) ... for (Name of child)[J]? INTERVIEWER: IF YES PROBE: Did the hours increase or decrease? :

- 1 yes, number of hours increased
- 2 yes, number of hours decreased
- 3 no

{For each type of childcare other than partner and if doesn't pay for childcare (Wrkch4 = 2)}

**Wrkch4a**

SHOW CARD V.

Do/Did you do any of the things on this card to repay ... (your childcare provider) ... for looking after (Name of child) (*during school term-time*)?

- 1 Look(ed) after his/her child(ren) in return
- 2 Do(Did) him/her a favour
- 3 Give(Gave) him/her a gift or treat
- 4 Something else
- 5 None of these

{If Wrkch1b=No}

**Wrkch7**

SHOW CARD W.

When you are/were working, what are/were your usual arrangements for looking after (Name of child) during the school holidays?

CODE UP TO THREE RESPONSES:

- 1 Partner/ex-partner
- 2 Parent(s)/in law
- 3 Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
- 4 Other relative/friend
- 5 Nursery/creche
- 6 Nursery school/playgroup
- 7 Registered childminder
- 8 Unregistered childminder
- 9 Live in nanny/au pair
- 10 Other daily or shared nanny
- 11 After school or holiday play scheme
- 12 I only work(ed) during term time
- 13 Old enough to look after themselves
- 14 I take/took them to work with me
- 15 I work(ed) at home
- 16 Other

{For each type of childcare at WrkCh7}

**Wrkch8**

How many hours per week does/did (Name of child) spend being looked after by ... (your childcare provider) ... during the school holidays?

:Array [1..3] of 1..168

{For each type of childcare at WrkCh7}

**Wrkch9**

Do/Did you usually have to pay for this childcare during the school holidays?

INTERVIEWER: PAYMENT REFERS TO A MONETARY AMOUNT.

:Array [1..3] of Yes, No

{If pays for (your childcare provider)}

**Wrkch10**

How much do/did you pay for ... (your childcare provider) ... during the school holidays?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER POUNDS AND PENCE

IF AMOUNT PAID COVERS ALL CHILDREN RECORD AMOUNT AT FIRST CHILD AND

CODE 9997 FOR ALL SUBSEQUENT CHILDREN

PLEASE IGNORE ANY CHILDCARE VOUCHERS PROVIDED BY EMPLOYER.

:Array [1..3] of 0.01..9997.00



{If pays in 1..9997}

**Wrkch11**

What period does/did that cover?

- 1 Hour
- 2 Half day (session)
- 3 Day
- 4 Week
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Term
- 7 Year
- 8 One-off cost / lump-sum
- 9 None of these (Explain in note)

{For each type of childcare other than partner (codes 2..11) and if doesn't pay for childcare (Wrkch9 = 2)}

**Wrkch9a**

SHOW CARD V.

Do/Did you do any of the things on this card to repay ... (your childcare provider) ... for looking after (Name of child) during the school holidays?:

- 1 Look(ed) after his/her child(ren) in return
- 2 Do(Did) him/her a favour
- 3 Give(Gave) him/her a gift or treat
- 4 Something else
- 5 None of these

{If any children are using childcare}

{if WrkCh2 = 1 through 11 or WrkCh7 = 1 through 11 }

**Wrk66**

If your arrangements break/broke down at short notice, say when ..

(your childcare provider) .. was ill, do/did you have an alternative you know/knew would be able to have the child(ren) at short notice (*during school term time*)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If any children are old enough to go to school}

**Wrk67**

If your arrangements break/broke down at short notice, say when ..

(minder) .. was ill, do/did you have an alternative you know/knew would be able to have the child(ren) at short notice **during the school holidays**?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk66 = yes}

**Wrk68**

SHOW CARD X

Who then would look after the child(ren) *(during school term time)*? PROBE: Who else?

- 1 Partner/ ex-partner
- 2 Parents/in law
- 3 Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
- 4 Other relative/friend
- 5 Nursery/crèche
- 6 Nursery school/playgroup
- 7 Registered childminder
- 8 Unregistered childminder
- 9 Live in nanny/au pair
- 10 Other daily or shared nanny
- 11 After school or holiday play scheme
- 12 I would only work during school hours
- 13 Old enough to look after themselves
- 14 I would take them to work with me
- 15 I would work at home
- 16 Other

{if Wrk67 = yes}

**Wrk69**

SHOW CARD Y

Who then would look after the child(ren) **during the school holidays**? PROBE: Who else?

- 1 Partner/ex-partner
- 2 Parent(s)/in law
- 3 Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
- 4 Other relative/friend
- 5 Nursery/creche
- 6 Nursery school/playgroup
- 7 Registered childminder
- 8 Unregistered childminder
- 9 Live in nanny/au pair
- 10 Other daily or shared nanny
- 11 After school or holiday play scheme
- 12 I would only work during term time
- 13 Old enough to look after themselves
- 14 I would take them to work with me
- 15 I would work at home
- 16 Other

{if Wrk66 = yes AND provider is not partner}

**Wrk70**

Do/Did you usually have to pay for any of this alternative childcare when you needed it *(during school term time)*?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk67 = yes AND provider is not partner}

**Wrk71**

Do/Did you usually have to pay for any of this alternative childcare when you needed it **during the school holidays**?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If worked since last interview or since April 1999 but not in work now}

**Wrk76**

SHOW CARD Z

What was the **main** reason you left your last main job?

CODE ONE MAIN REASON ONLY.:

- 1 It was a fixed term or temporary job,
- 2 You were made redundant,
- 3 You were dismissed,
- 4 You were pregnant,
- 5 For health reasons,
- 6 You decided to leave yourself,
- 7 College/ full-time study,
- 8 Wanted to look after family,
- 9 Childcare broke down,
- 10 Breakdown of marriage/ relationship
- 11 Other reason (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 12 *Financial reasons*
- 13 *Retired*

{if Wrk76 = other}

**Wrk77**

ENTER OTHER REASON FOR LEAVING LAST JOB.:open

{If in work now or has worked since last interview or since April 1999}

**Wrk78**

Apart from the job you have just told me about, do you (did you at the time) do any other paid work that brings (brought) you a regular income?

(INCLUDES FOSTERING FEES & SIMILAR ALLOWANCES)

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Wrk78 = yes}

**Wrk79**

What kind of extra paid work do/did you do?:open

- 1 *Cleaning*
- 2 *Social care, care for adults*
- 3 *Childcare, baby sitting*
- 4 *Secretarial work*
- 5 *Catering*
- 6 *Fostering*
- 7 *Hairdressing*
- 8 *Catalogue agent*
- 9 *Shop assistant*
- 10 *Teaching*
- 11 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-10*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-11*

{if Wrk78 = yes}

**Wrk80**

Do/Did you work as an employee in this work or are/were you self-employed?:

- 1 Employee,
- 2 Self-employed,
- 3 Government scheme,
- 4 Unpaid family worker, NODK, NOREFUSAL

{if Wrk78 = yes}

**Wrk81**

How much do/did you receive for this extra paid work, after taxes and any other deductions?

INTERVIEWER:INCLUDE MONEY FROM ALL THEIR JOBS.:0..9997

{if Wrk81 = 1..9997}

**Wrk82**

What period of time does that amount cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if Wrk81 = 1..9997}

**Wrk83**

And how many hours each week do/did you usually work for this extra money?:

1..97

{if Wrk78 = yes}

**Wrk84**

How often do/did you do this extra paid work?:

- 1 Every week,
- 2 Every second week,
- 3 Every third week,
- 4 Every fourth week,
- 5 Less often than this)

**F2 Training**

{ask of all those who have been in a job for at least two months (EMPLOYEES ONLY; not self-employed) }

**TrainIntro**

QUESTIONS ABOUT TRAINING:Cont

{if currently working}

**Wrk86**

(Have you done/ Did you do) any work-related training, or (has your employer ever offered/did your employer ever offer) you any work-related training in (the last 12 months/ your last 12 months in this job)?

IF YES:PROVE TO ANSWER CATEGORIES.:

- 1 yes, done work related training,
- 2 yes, offered but not attended work-related training,
- 3 no

{if Wrk86 = yes, done work related training}

**Wrk88**

Was that training ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ...on the job training only,,
- 2 training away from your job,,
- 3 or both?

{if Wrk86 = yes, done work related training}

**Wrk89**

In total, how much training did you do?:

- 1 Half a day,
- 2 One day only,
- 3 2-3 days,
- 4 4-5 days,
- 5 Less than two weeks,
- 6 Two weeks or more

### **F3 Work history**

This section aims to establish what the respondent has been doing, either since the date of the last interview (for panel cases) or since 1999 (for all other cases).

The following table describes when the questions in this section are asked.

	<b>Wrksta</b>	<b>Wrksyr</b>	<b>Wrksmo</b>	<b>Wrkfyr</b>	<b>Wrkfmo</b>	<b>WrkEmp- Wrkppd</b>
<b>Description of question</b>	<b>Activity</b>	<b>Year activity started.</b>	<b>Month activity started.</b>	<b>Year activity finished.</b>	<b>Month activity finished.</b>	<b>Series of questions if activity is employment</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> iteration</b>	Displayed	Displayed (if currently working) otherwise asked.	Displayed (if currently working) otherwise asked.	Displays year of interview	Displays month of interview	Not asked for first iteration
<b>Subsequent iterations</b>	Asked	Asked	Asked	Asked	Asked	If activity is work

**Wrksta**

**FIRST ITERATION:**

INTERVIEWER: DISPLAY OF CURRENT ACTIVITY. PRESS <ENTER> TO CONTINUE.

**SUBSEQUENT ITERATIONS:**

'SHOW CARD T

What were you doing immediately before this period when you were (PActiv)/ job when you were working (*for less than*)16 hours (*or more*) a week ?

CODE FIRST TO APPLY.'

REFER TO CALENDAR

PRESS <F9> FOR HELP

(1) IF MORE THAN ONE JOB, CODE FOR JUST THE BEST-PAID ONE

(2) AGENCY/CASUAL WORKERS: COUNT A 'JOB' AS THE TOTAL TIME WITH THE AGENCY, NOT EACH SEPARATE SPELL OF WORK DONE FOR THEM.

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 11 CODES.

- 1 Working 16 or more hours
- 2 Working fewer than 16 hours
- 3 unemployed and seeking work
- 4 on a training scheme
- 5 Full time education/at school
- 6 sick/disabled (up to 6 months)

- 7 sick/disabled (6 months or longer)
- 8 Looking after the home or family
- 9 Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
- 10 Retired
- 11 Other

{If Work1a = Full Time work or Part Time work}

**Wrksyr**

(1<sup>st</sup> iteration if not working)

*'I would now like you to think about what you have been doing over (the last year or so, back to (DATE OF LAST INTERVIEW) /the last 2 years or so, back to 1999.)'*

(1<sup>st</sup> iteration if working)

*'Earlier you said that last week you were (Display Activity from WrkSta)*

*'You also said that you started work in date from Wrk6a/Wrk6b*

*PRESS <ENTER> TO CONFIRM START YEAR IS CORRECT.*

*IF NOT CORRECT, TYPE IN CORRECT YEAR.'*

(Subsequent iterations if working)

*'How long have you been (Activity from WrkSta)? When did it start? FIRST ENTER THE YEAR.'*

(Subsequent iterations if not working)

*When did you start that period of being (activity from Wrk1a)?*

ENTER YEAR.

INTERVIEWER: CHECK THAT RESPONDENT HAS BEEN DOING THIS CONTINUOUSLY SINCE THEN AND THAT THERE WAS NO TIME IN BETWEEN WHEN THE SITUATION CHANGED'(OR IF IT IS ALREADY INSERTED, PRESS <ENTER> TO CONFIRM)'

.PRESS <F9> FOR HELP.

Each job recorded should be with a different employer. If the respondent moves to a different job within the same organisation this counts as the same job unless they change from working up to 16 hours to 16 hours or more hours, or vice-versa

:1940..2001

**Wrksmo**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH RESPONDENT STARTED BEING Activity from Wrk1a(OR IF IT IS ALREADY INSERTED, PRESS <ENTER> TO CONFIRM)'

:1..12

**Wrkfyr**

{For subsequent iterations: year of interview automatically inserted for 1<sup>st</sup> iteration}

*'ASK OR CODE: When did that period of being '(Activity from Wrk1a)' stop?*

ENTER YEAR.'1940..2001

**Wrkfmo**

{For subsequent iterations: month of interview automatically inserted for 1<sup>st</sup> iteration}

ENTER MONTH RESPONDENT STOPPED BEING (Activity from Wrk1a):1..12

{---NEXT SEQUENCE IS SKIPPED FOR INTERACTION 1, ONLY COMING UP FOR 2+, IF ACTIVITY = WORK----

**Wrkemp**

Were you working as an employee or were you self employed?:

- 1 Employee,
- 2 Self-employed

**Wrkhhrs**

About how many hours a week did you usually work in this job?

IF VARIED, PROBE FOR AVERAGE.:1..100

**WrkPay**

What was your usual **take home** pay in this job?

IF NO USUAL PAY ENTER AMOUNT RECEIVED IN LAST WAGES.

ESTIMATES OK.:1..999999

{if Wrkpay = 1..999999}

**Wrkppd**

What period of time did that pay cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if WrkSta= Unemp}

**WrkIS**

Were you receiving Income Support or Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) at that time?

IF YES: Income Support or Jobseeker's Allowance?:

- (1 Yes, Income Support,
- 2 Yes, JSA,
- 3 Both,
- 4 No, neither)

{if WrkSta= Unemp}

**Wrksig**

Were you signing on during this time?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{END of work history}

{If in work now or has worked since last interview or since April 1999}

**Wrk98**

INTERVIEWER: CODE YOUR IMPRESSION OF ACCURACY OF RESPONDENT'S ACTIVITY HISTORY. HOW MANY OF THE DATES GIVEN HERE WOULD YOU ESTIMATE ARE ACCURATE TO WITHIN A MONTH?:

- 1 All or nearly all,
- 2 More than half,
- 3 About half,
- 4 Less than half,
- 5 Very few or none

{If lone parent now, if working now, started work since October 1999, and immediately prior spell was receiving IS}

**LPBR1**

Some lone parents who leave Income Support or JSA and move into work may keep their Income Support or JSA payments for two weeks. Were you aware of this?

- 1 Yes

2 No

{{If aware of this (LPBR=1)}}

**LPBR2**

How did you hear about this scheme?:

- 1 From DSS/BA official,
- 2 Citizen's Advice Bureau,
- 3 Welfare Rights worker,
- 4 Work colleagues,
- 5 Friends,
- 6 Job centre or the Employment Service,
- 7 Advertisement,
- 8 Other

{If aware of this (LPBR=1)}

**LPBR3**

Have you (ever) benefited from this scheme yourself *since (Date of last interview)*?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If benefited from it (LPBR3=1)}

**LPBR4**

If you have not received the Benefit Run-on would you ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... have not been able to move into work,,
- 2 ... have moved into work, but found it more difficult to manage financially, or,
- 3 ... have moved into work and not had any financial difficulties doing so?)

{{PARTNERS ONLY}}

{{All not currently receiving WFTC: Ben1a ne 3 (Taken from the main respondent's answers)}}

**pFC1a**

There is a payment available to help parents who work more than 16 hours a week. Do you know the name of this payment?

IF 'YES' ASK: What is it called?

DO NOT READ OUT.:

- 1 Family Credit,
- 2 FIS,
- 3 Family Income Supplement,
- 4 Family Income Support,
- 5 Income Support,
- 6 Family Allowances,
- 7 Working Families Tax Credit,
- 8 Don't know,
- 9 Other name

{{Partners only: All not currently receiving WFTC: Ben1a ne 3 (Taken from the main respondent's answers)}}

**pFC64**

If you (or your partner) were to qualify for Working Families Tax Credit what would you prefer... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...getting the money through wages,,
- 2 or, claiming it at the post office,,
- 3 or, having it paid into a bank or building society?



## BLOCK G: JOBSEARCH

{ASK FOR MAIN RESPONDENT, AND SEPARATELY FOR PARTNER}

### Remind2

INTERVIEWER:DON'T FORGET THE 'CURRENT AND EX-PARTNER' MODULE OF QUESTIONS.

PRESS Ctrl + Enter TO GO THERE;

OTHERWISE PRESS 1 AND Enter TO CONTINUE:Cont

{if working 1-15 hours, or not working}

### Jsc1

Are you currently seeking paid work of either 16 hours or more or fewer than 16 hours each week?:

- 1 Yes, 16 hours or more,
- 2 Yes, fewer than 16 hours,
- 3 No,

NODK, NOREFUSAL

{if works more than 15 hours or Jsc1=no}

### Jsc2

Have you been looking for paid work of 16 hours or more at any

time during the past 12 months, (including looking for the job you are in now)?

INCLUDE LOOKING FOR JOB THEY ARE IN NOW, AND NEW JOB FOR THE

FUTURE AND LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL JOBS TO INCREASE TOTAL HOURS TO 16+

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if looking for work or Jsc2=yes}

### Jsc4

During the past 12 months have you seen any vacancies for jobs

offering 16 hours or more each week that you have applied for, or

intended to apply for?

INCLUDE JOB THEY ARE NOW, AND NEW JOB FOR THE FUTURE, AND  
ADDITIONAL JOBS TO INCREASE TOTAL HOURS TO 16+:

- 1 Yes, applied,
- 2 Yes, intended to apply,
- 3 No

{if looking for work or Jsc2=yes}

### Jsc12

At any time in the past 12 months, have you seen any vacancies for

suitable jobs in this area that you would not have been able to

travel to?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if has seen vacancy: Jsc4 = apply or Jsc4 = intend; and/or Jsc12 = yes }

**Jsc13a**

Thinking about the most recent job that you applied for or considered applying for, how much pay was that job offering?

FIRST, CODE TIME PERIOD: PER HOUR, WEEK, MONTH OR YEAR...:

- 1 Per hour,
- 2 Per week,
- 3 Per month,
- 4 Per year,
- 5 Per other period(SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))

{IF Jsc13a = other}

**Jsc13b**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER TIME PERIOD FOR PAY : STRING [30]

{if Jsc13a IN hour..other }

**Jsc13c**

...NOW ENTER AMOUNT per hour/ per week/ per month/ per year/ per other period}

INTERVIEWER: ENTER POUNDS AND PENCE USING DECIMAL PLACE. :0.00..99997.00

{if has seen vacancy: Jsc4 = apply or Jsc4 = intend; and/or Jsc12 = yes}

**Jsc14**

Was it a permanent or temporary job, or a contract for a fixed term?:

- 1 Permanent,
- 2 Fixed contract,
- 3 Temporary/seasonal/casual work,
- 4 Could become permanent,
- 5 Not sure)

{if has seen vacancy: Jsc4 = apply or Jsc4 = intend; and/or Jsc12 = yes}

**Jsc16**

... and for how many hours of work each week?:1..997

{If Wrk1a = works less than 16 hours a week and is not looking for paid work}

**Jsc31a**

Is there anything in particular which is stopping you looking for a job of 16 or more hours a week at the moment?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY: SET [5] OF

- 1 No, nothing: already looking,
- 2 Cannot afford child care,
- 3 No child care available,
- 4 Own illness/disability,
- 5 Child's illness/disability,
- 6 Other household member's illness/disability,
- 7 No work available,
- 8 Don't have the skills/qualifications,
- 9 Better off not working,
- 10 Don't want to spend more time apart from my children,
- 11 Would not be able to pay rent or mortgage,
- 12 Don't need to,
- 13 No reason,
- 14 Other reason(s) (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))
- 15 *Bad transport links*
- 16 *Pregnancy*
- 17 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-16*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-17*

{if Jsc31a = other}

**Jsc31b**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER REASONS :open

{ ----- BLOCK FOR THOSE NOT WORKING ----- }

{If not in work}

**Jsc40a**

Is there anything in particular which is stopping you looking for a job of 16 or more hours a week at the moment? Anything else?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY:SET [5] OF

- 1 No, nothing: already looking,
- 2 Cannot afford child care,
- 3 No child care available,
- 4 Own illness/disability,
- 5 Child's illness/disability,
- 6 Other household member's illness/disability,
- 7 No work available,
- 8 Don't have the skills/qualifications,
- 9 studying/on a training course,
- 10 Better off not working,
- 11 Don't want to spend more time apart from my children,
- 12 Would not be able to pay rent or mortgage,
- 13 Don't need to,
- 14 No reason,
- 15 Other reason(s) (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 16 *Pregnant*
- 17 *Retired or approaching retirement*
- 18 *Transport problems*
- 19 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-18*
- 97 *Other vague problem, not codeable to 1-19*

{if Jsc40a = other}

**Jsc40b**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER REASONS : open

{if Jsc40a IN care..other (ie. all except 'already looking')} }

**Jsc41**

Do you think you might look for a paid job of 16 or more hours a week one day?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Jsc41 = yes or dknow}

**Jsc42**

When do you think you might look for a paid job of 16 or more hours a week?:

- 1 Looking now,
- 2 In a few weeks,
- 3 In a few months,
- 4 In a year or two,
- 5 Some time in the future)

{If currently in work}

**Jsc60**

So, may I just check, are you actively looking for a new job at the moment?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Jsc60 = Yes or (look in Jsc40a or Jsc42 in (now..yrs))}

**Jsc50a**

(Suppose you were looking for another job, working **16 or more hours a week**). How much money would you need to be offered in a new job before you felt it worth taking?

ENCOURAGE GUESSING IF NECESSARY

FIRST, CODE TIME PERIOD: PER WEEK, MONTH OR YEAR...:

- 1 Per hour,
- 2 Per week,
- 3 Per month,
- 4 Per year,
- 5 Per other period(SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))

{IF Jsc50a = other}

**Jsc50b**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER TIME PERIOD FOR PAY

: STRING [30]

{if Jsc50a IN week..other }

**Jsc50c**

...NOW ENTER AMOUNT pounds per week / month/ year/ other period

**Jsc50b**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER POUNDS AND PENCE USING DECIMAL PLACE. :0.00..99997.00

{if Jsc50c in 1..99997 }

**Jsc51**

How easy or difficult do you think it would be to get a job around here paying that amount... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...very easy,,
- 2 quite easy,,
- 3 quite difficult,,
- 4 or very difficult?

{if Jsc50c in 1..99997 }

**Jsc52**

Do you think in the end you would have to take a job paying less than this?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Jsc52 = yes; or if Jsc50c IN 99998..99999 (ie was dk/ref) }

**Jsc53a**

How much do you think you would have to end up accepting?

FIRST, CODE TIME PERIOD: PER WEEK, MONTH OR YEAR...:

- 1 Per hour,
- 2 Per week,
- 3 Per month,
- 4 Per year,
- 5 Per other period(SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)

{IF Jsc53a = other}

**Jsc53b**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER TIME PERIOD FOR PAY

: STRING [30]

{if Jsc53a IN week..other }

**Jsc53c**

...NOW ENTER AMOUNT per hour/per week/per month/per year/ per other period

INTERVIEWER: ENTER POUNDS AND PENCE USING DECIMAL PLACE. :0.00..99997.00

{If Jsc60 = Yes or (look in Jsc40a or Jsc42 in (now..yrs))}

**Jsc54**

How many hours each week do you think you would like to work?

:1..997

{if Jsc50c IN 1..99997, ie. excluding dks/refs}

**Jsc57**

SHOW CARD AA.

There are some types of income, apart from earnings, that people may get when working.

Which of these types of income shown on this card do you think you would get in a new job (paying the amount you have mentioned)? : SET [8] OF

- 1 Working families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit),
- 2 Income Support,
- 3 Maintenance,
- 4 Housing Benefit,
- 5 Council Tax Benefit,
- 6 Child Benefit,
- 7 Other benefits,
- 8 Income from lodgers,
- 9 Student grant,
- 10 Other source,
- 11 None

{if Jsc50c IN 1..99997, ie. excluding dks/refs}

**Jsc58**

What would you say would be the minimum you would need to have coming in from wages and from all these extra sources **each week** for a new job to be worth taking?

INTERVIEWER: RECORD WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.

RECORD INCOME BEFORE DEDUCTIONS e.g. TO PAY FOR TRAVEL, MORTGAGE, RENT CHILDCARE:0..9997

{FOR THOSE WORKING <16 HRS/WK, OR NOT WORKING}

{If Jsc41 NOT No AND Jsc42 NOT Fut AND NOT Wrk1a = more16}

**Jsc70**

If you were to take up working (*16 or more hours a week*)(again) what would be your usual arrangements for looking after the children?

PROMPT TO CLASSIFY: CODE ALL THAT APPLY

Children would be cared for by... : SET [4] OF

- 1 Former partner,
- 2 Current partner,
- 3 Parents/in law,
- 4 Older brother or sister,
- 5 Other relatives/friends,
- 6 Nursery/creche,
- 7 Nursery school/play group,
- 8 Registered childminder,
- 9 Unregistered childminder,
- 10 Live in nanny/Au pair,
- 11 Other daily or shared nanny,
- 12 After school or holiday playscheme,
- 13 I would only work during school hours,
- 14 I would take them to work,
- 15 Old enough to look after themselves,
- 16 I would work from home,
- 17 None of these answers

{if Jsc70 IN inlaw..play}

**Jsc71**

Do you think you would usually have to pay for any of this child care?:

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Don't know

{if Jsc71 = yes}

**Jsc72**

How much do you think you would have to pay in an **average week**?

INTERVIEWER: RECORD WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.: 1..997

{If Jsc71 = Yes}

**Jsc78**

Taking into account these childcare costs do you think that... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...you would definitely be entitled to extra help with WFTC (formerly Family Credit),,
- 2 or you would definitely NOT be entitled to WFTC (formely Family Credit)?,
- 3 Not sure

## BLOCK H: BENEFITS

ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

### Ben1

SHOW CARD BB

Which, if any, of these health or disability benefits or tax credits are you (*and your partner*) receiving at the moment?

SET [5] OF

- 1 Incapacity Benefit (previously Invalidity Benefit),
- 2 Severe disablement allowance (SDA),
- 3 Statutory sick pay (SSP),
- 4 Attendance Allowance,
- 5 Disability Living Allowance - Care Component,
- 6 Disability Living Allowance - mobility or motability allowance,
- 7 Industrial injuries disablement benefit,
- 8 War Pensions,
- 9 Invalid care allowance (ICA),
- 10 Disabled Persons Tax Credit (formerly Disability Working Allowance (DWA)),
- 11 Some other benefit for people with disabilities,
- 12 None of these

### Ben1a

SHOW CARD CC

And, which, if any, of these benefits or tax credits other than Child Benefit, Housing Benefit or rent rebate are you (*and your partner*) receiving at the moment?

SET [5] OF

- 1 Income Support,
- 2 Council Tax Benefit,
- 3 Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit),
- 4 Maternity Allowance,
- 5 Statutory Maternity Pay,
- 6 Widows Benefit, Bereavement Allowance or Widowed Parents (formerly Widowed Mother's) Allowance,
- 7 Job Seeker's Allowance (was Unemployment Benefit),
- 8 New Deal Allowance,
- 9 State Retirement Pension,
- 10 Earnings Top-Up,
- 11 Some other state benefit - NOT Housing Benefit or CB (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 12 None of these
- 13 *Children's tax credit*
- 14 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-13*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-14*

{If Ben1 = other}

### Ben1b

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NAME OF OTHER BENEFIT:OPEN

{TABLE / LOOP for each benefit coded at Ben1a}

**Ben2**

How much (*name of benefit listed at Ben1 / Ben1a*) do you (*and your partner*) receive?

INTERVIEWER: RECORD EITHER AMOUNT OF COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT RECEIVED OR  
NET COUNCIL TAX PAID EACH WEEK: (CODE TO NEAREST £)

Range: 0..9997

{If amount in 1..9997}

**Ben2a**

What period does that cover?:

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if partner in household & receives benefit }

**Ben3**

Who receives (*name of benefit listed at Ben1 / Ben1a*)?

- 1 Respondent only,
- 2 Partner only,
- 3 Both respondent and partner

{if Ben1a=CT}

**Ben4**

INTERVIEWER: WAS THAT THE AMOUNT OF COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT RECEIVED OR  
THE NET COUNCIL TAX PAID EACH WEEK?:

- 1 benefit received,
- 2 tax paid

{if Ben1a = JSA}

**Ben5**

Is your JSA contribution-based, and so not reduced by other income you may have - or  
income-based, so that it is reduced by any other income you may have?:

- 1 Contribution based,
- 2 Income based,
- 3 Don't know/not sure

{If more than one benefit from Ben1 & Ben1a & any Ben2 is DK}

**Ben6**

Do you know the total amount you (*and your partner*) receive from all these benefits each  
week?

CODE TO THE NEAREST £

Range:1..997



**Ben7**

SHOW CARD DD

Are there any health or disability benefits or tax credits listed on this card that you (*and your partner*) have applied for and are still waiting to hear about? Which ones?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 11 CODES: SET [5] OF

- 1 Incapacity Benefit (previously Invalidity Benefit),
- 2 Severe disablement allowance (SDA),
- 3 Invalid care allowance (ICA),
- 4 Disability premium with your Income Support/ Housing Benefit payments,
- 5 Disabled Persons Tax Credit (formerly Disability Working Allowance),
- 6 Statutory sick pay (SSP),
- 7 Attendance Allowance,
- 8 Disability Living Allowance - Care Component,
- 9 Disability Living Allowance - mobility or motability allowance,
- 10 Some other benefit for people with disabilities,
- 11 None of these

**Ben8**

SHOW CARD CC

And are there any benefits or tax credits listed on this card that you (*and your partner*) have applied for and are still waiting to hear about? Which ones?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 12 CODES: SET [5] OF

- 1 Income Support,
- 2 Council Tax Benefit,
- 3 Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit),
- 4 Maternity Allowance,
- 5 Statutory Maternity Pay,
- 6 Widows Pension, Bereavement Allowance or Widowed Parent's (formerly Widowed Mother's) Allowance,
- 7 Job Seeker's Allowance (was Unemployment Benefit),
- 8 New Deal Allowance,
- 9 State Retirement Pension,
- 10 Earnings Top-Up,
- 11 Some other state benefit - NOT Housing Benefit or CB,
- 12 None of these

## BLOCK I: OTHER INCOME

ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

### Remind1

INTERVIEWER:DON'T FORGET THE 'CURRENT AND EX-PARTNER' MODULE OF QUESTIONS.

PRESS Ctrl + Enter TO GO THERE;

OTHERWISE PRESS 1 AND <ENTER> TO CONTINUE WITH QNNRE:Cont

[All]

### Oin1

So far we have talked about jobs, benefits (maintenance) and so on.

Do you have any **other** regular income, that is, money you can count on coming in most weeks or months, **excluding** any income from savings or investments (*and excluding your partners wages from work (if any)*)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Oin1 = yes}

### Oin2

How much extra money do you get in this way?

:0..997

{if Oin1 = yes}

### Oin3

And what period of time does this amount cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{if Oin1 = yes}

**Oin4**

And where does this money come from?

INTERVIEWER PROBE FULLY: set [5] of

- 1 Board and lodgings from son/daughter,
- 2 Board and lodgings from other,
- 3 Private / occupational pension,
- 4 Income from benefit payments,
- 5 Income from maintenance payments,
- 6 Other(please specify at next question)
- 7 *Bursary/ grant for study*
- 8 *Occasional job*
- 9 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-8*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-9*

{if Oin4 = Other}

**Oin4a**

INTERVIEWER: RECORD OTHER SOURCES OF MONEY: OPEN

## BLOCK J: SAVINGS

ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

{ask all}

### **Savmm1**

Now there are some questions about CURRENT accounts and SAVINGS accounts. These could be with a bank, a building society, the post office, supermarkets, or other organisations. Do you (*and your partner*) have any current accounts or savings accounts? This could be in your own name only, or held jointly with someone else.

INTERVIEWER: THIS IS AN OPINION QUESTION. DO NOT INCLUDE CHILDREN'S ACCOUNTS. :

- 1 Yes - any account,
- 2 No,

NODK,NOREFUSAL

{If Savmm1 = yes, and in a couple}

### **Savmm2**

In what names do you hold this (these) account(s)?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY : SET [3] OF

- 1 Any account in respondent's name only,
- 2 Any account in partner's name only,
- 3 Any joint account

{If in a couple}

### **Savmm4**

Aside from the rent (mortgage) bills and housekeeping, is there a part of the family income that you alone **decide** how to spend each week?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if Savmm4 = yes}

### **Savmm5**

Is this spending that you alone decide on, mainly for yourself, mainly for your child(ren), or for you and the children? :

- 1 Respondent,
- 2 Child(ren),
- 3 Respondent & child(ren)

{ask all}

### **Savmm6**

How often, would you say, do you have money over at the end of the week, or if you budget by the month, at the end of the month?

Would you say it was ... READ OUT ...

- 1 ... always
- 2 most weeks/months
- 3 more often than not
- 4 sometimes
- 5 hardly ever
- 6 or never?
- 7 Don't know, too hard to say/varies too much to say

{ask all}

**Savmm7**

And how often, would you say, do you run out of money before the end of the week or the month? Would you say it was ... READ OUT ...

- 1 ... always
- 2 most weeks/months
- 3 more often than not
- 4 sometimes
- 5 hardly ever
- 6 or never?
- 7 Don't know, too hard to say/varies too much to say

{ask all}

**Savmm8**

Do you save regularly?

(NOTE THIS CAN BE INTO A BANK OR BUILDING SOCIETY ACCOUNT, A CREDIT UNION, OR SOME OTHER WAY):

Yes, No

{If saving regularly, Savmm8=1}

**Savmm9**

Are you saving for a particular reason, such as to pay bills or to buy something, or for no particular reason?:set [4] of

- 1 Putting aside money for bills,
- 2 Saving for a particular purchase (e.g. car, house deposit, durable goods),
- 3 Saving for the future / long-term (e.g. for a pension),
- 4 No particular purpose - just saving, a habit, etc.,
- 5 Other

{Ask if Savmm1 = Yes}

**Sav1**

SHOW CARD EE

Now thinking about money that you consider to be savings.

At present do you (*and your partner*) have any money in any of the places mentioned on this card?

THIS IS AN OPINION QUESTION

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 14 CODES. :Set [9] of

- 1 Bank/ Building Society deposit account,
- 2 Bank/ Building Society current account,
- 3 Post Office,
- 4 Building Society savings or investment account,
- 5 Friendly society/savings club,
- 6 Premium bonds,
- 7 Family bonds,
- 8 Credit Union,
- 9 National Savings,
- 10 TESSA,
- 11 Individual Savings Account (ISA):cash based,
- 12 Individual Savings Account (ISA):stocks and shares based,
- 13 Any other savings,
- 14 Has no savings

{for each item in the code frame at Sav1.}

**Sav2**

How much do you have saved in (saving account from Sav1)?

INTERVIEWER: CODE TO THE NEAREST £

IF ACCOUNT IS CURRENTLY OVERDRAWN CODE 99997:

array [1..9] of 1..99997

{Ask all}

**Sav3**

Do you (*and your partner*) have any money invested in things like company shares, unit trusts, PEPs, bonds or securities?

1 Yes

2 No

{if Sav3 = yes}

**Sav4**

How much money, do you think, are these investments worth at the present time?

INTERVIEWER: CODE TO NEAREST £

:1..99997

{If Sav4=refused or don't know}

**Sav4a**

Would you say that these investments are worth more than £20,000 at the present time?

1 Yes

2 No

{If a couple}

**Sav5**

SHOW CARD FF.

People organise their family finances in different ways. Which of the ways on this card comes closest to the way you organise yours?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 6 CODES.:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | I look after all the household's money (except some personal spending money for my partner, if any), |
| 2 | My partner looks after all the household's money (except my personal spending money, if any),        |
| 3 | I am given a housekeeping allowance. My partner looks after the rest of the money,                   |
| 4 | We share and manage our finances jointly,  |
| 5 | We keep our finances completely separate,  |
| 6 | Some other way (SPECIFY)   |

{If other way (Sav5 = 6)}

**Sav5a**

What other way?

:OPEN

{If a couple & receiving WFTC}

**Sav6**

Have you changed the way you organise your family's finances, since first claiming WFTC?:

Yes, No

{if Sav6 = yes}

**Sav7**

What changes to your family's finances have you made?

INTERVIEWER RECORD

:OPEN

- 1        *Budget over a different period (e.g. weekly instead of monthly)*
- 2        *Partner now gives me more*
- 3        *I now give my partner more*
- 4        *We now share the finances*
- 5        *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-4*
- 97       *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-5*

{ask all}

**Savch1**

Does your child/ Do any of your children have more than £3,000 in savings?

IGNORE TRUST FUNDS RELATING TO INJURY COMPENSATION, OR THOSE RELATING TO DEATH OF A PARENT.

:(yes,no)

{If Savch1=yes}

**Savch2**

Which children have more than £3,000 in savings?:set [6] of

- Child1        (Name of child)[1],
- Child2        (Name of child)[2],
- Child3        (Name of child)[3],
- Child4        (Name of child)[4],
- Child5        (Name of child)[5],
- Child6        (Name of child)[6])

## BLOCK K INCOME SUPPORT

ASK FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

### IS1

When did you start this present spell on Income Support?

INCLUDE TIME ON SUPPLEMENTARY BENEFIT

INTERVIEWER, ENTER YEAR... : 1950..2001

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

### IS2

...AND MONTH

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

AND ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELPHelp <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10):1..12,NOREFUSAL

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

### IS3

SHOW CARD GG

(Since date of first interview/Since you first started getting Income Support/During this spell on income support) , have you made use of any of the benefits that go with it. I mean the benefits on this card? CODE ALL THAT APPLY : SET [9] OF

- 1 Free prescriptions,
- 2 Help with buying glasses,
- 3 Free eye tests,
- 4 Free school meals,
- 5 Free NHS dental treatment,
- 6 Baby milk tokens,
- 7 Fares to hospital,
- 8 Loft insulation,
- 9 Legal aid,
- 10 None of these

{for each item in the code frame at IS3}

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

### IS5

While you are receiving Income Support, how much a week are you allowed to earn before money is taken off your weekly Income Support payments?

INTERVIEWER: CODE TO THE NEAREST £

IF DOESN'T KNOW, ENTER [CTRL+K] : 0..997

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

### IS6

How many hours a week can you work before you would lose Income Support completely?

INTERVIEWER: CODE TO THE NEAREST £

IF DOESN'T KNOW, ENTER [CTRL+K]: 0..97



{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS) and respondent is a lone parent}

**IS6a**

Some lone parents who leave Income Support or JSA and move into work may keep their Income Support or JSA payments for two weeks. Were you aware of this?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If aware of this (IS6a=1)}

**IS6c**

Has the lone parents' benefit run-on made you think differently about moving into paid work?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If think differently (IS6c=1)}

**IS6d**

In what way has the lone parents' benefit run-on made you think differently about moving into paid work?

INTERVIEWER RECORD RESPONSE

:OPEN

- 1 *Transition into work will be less difficult financially*
- 2 *Generally will be better off financially from working*
- 3 *Thinking about work SOONER than otherwise would*
- 4 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-3*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-4*

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

**IS7**

During the past 12 months, have you applied to the Department for Work and Pensions (formerly the DSS) for a grant of money (not a loan) to pay for something you needed?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if IS7 = yes}

**IS8**

What was this for?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY : SET [5] OF

- 1 Bed,
- 2 Other furniture,
- 3 Cooker,
- 4 Fridge,
- 5 Washing machine,
- 6 Other appliance,
- 7 Other item (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 8 *Clothing*
- 9 *Removal costs*
- 10 *Carpets/Home decoration*
- 11 *Applied for ineligible item*
- 12 *Other specific item, not codeable to 1-11*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-12*

{if other IN Is8}

**IS9**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NAME OF OTHER ITEM(S).PROBE FULLY

: OPEN

{for each item at IS8/IS9}

**IS10**

*Bed /Other furniture /Cooker/ Fridge/Washing machine  
/Other appliance/Other item*

Was your request granted?

: Array [1..5] of Yes, No

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

**IS11**

And during the past 12 months, have you applied to the Department for Work and Pensions (formerly the DSS) for a loan from the Social Fund (not a grant), to pay for something you needed?

1 Yes

2 No

{If IS11 = Yes}

**IS11a**

Were you given a loan, or any loans, from the Social Fund?

1 Yes

2 No

{If on Income Support (ben1a = IS)}

**IS12**

Are any deductions made from your weekly benefit payments for things like social fund loans, electric bills, and things like that?

1 Yes

2 No

{if IS12 = yes}

**IS13**

What are these deductions for? : SET [5] OF

1 Electric bills,

2 Gas bills,

3 Social fund loans,

4 Overpayments,

5 Council tax arrears,

6 water charges,

7 Rent arrears,

8 Maintenance payments,

9 Other

{if IS12 = yes}

**IS14**

How much is deducted each week from your social security payments?

: 1..997

## BLOCK L: WORKING FAMILIES TAX CREDIT

ASK MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

### Intro

WORKING FAMILIES' TAX CREDIT SECTION:Cont

{All not currently receiving WFTC: Ben1a ne 3, from Benefits module}

### FC1a

There is a payment available to parents who work more than 16 hours a week. Do you know the name of this payment?

IF 'YES' ASK: What is it called?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OUT.:

- 1 Family Credit,
- 2 FIS,
- 3 Family Income Supplement,
- 4 Family Income Support,
- 5 Income Support,
- 6 Family Allowances,
- 7 Working Families Tax Credit,
- 8 Don't know
- 9 Other name (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)

{if FC1a = other}

### FC1b

INTERVIEWER: ENTER OTHER NAME : STRING [40]

{if not currently receiving WFTC: Ben1a ne 3}

### FC2

Working Families Tax Credit (WFTC) is a cash payment that is paid to some working parents. Can I just check, since (date of last interview/**September 1999**) has there been any period when you (*or your partner*) were receiving Family Credit or WFTC?

If YES: Is that WFTC or Family Credit or both:

- 1 Yes - received WFTC,
- 2 Yes - received Family Credit,
- 3 Yes - received both,
- 4 No ,

NODONTKNOW, NOREFUSAL

{All not currently receiving WFTC nor received it since 2 years prior to interview: Ben1a ne 3 & FC2 = 2 or 4}

### WFTC1

Since September 1999, have you (*or your partner*) ever applied for WFTC and been turned down?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If previously turned down (WFTC1=1)}

### WFTC2

What reasons were you (*or your partner*) given for being turned down for WFTC?

(TAKE MOST RECENT APPLICATION, IF MORE THAN ONE REJECTION):

- 1 Income too high,
- 2 Savings too high,
- 3 Hours of work too low,
- 4 Childcare too low or ineligible,
- 5 No reason given / remembered,
- 6 Another reason

{All}

**FCEver**

COMPUTE DERIVED VARIABLE: RECEIPT OF WFTC/FC:

- 1 Receives WFTC now,  
{from Benefits module}
- 2 Has received WFTC but not currently,
- 3 Has received Family Credit in past 2 years,
- 4 Has not received WFTC/FC/not since 2 years ago

{If ever received WFTC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC3**

Do/Did you (*or your partner*) have an Order Book to cash your WFTC/ Family credit, is/was the money paid into your bank or a similar account or is/was it paid through your (*or your partner*) wages?:

- 1 Order book,
- 2 paid by cheque,
- 3 Account,
- 4 Paid through your wages,
- 5 Paid through your partners wages

{If FC3 = account}

**FC4**

Is/Was this account in your name, in someone else's name, or is/was it a joint account?:

- 1 own name only,
- 2 in somebody else's name only,
- 3 joint account,
- 4 some other arrangement

{{If ever received WFTC (Fcever = 1 or 2)}}

**WFTCp1**

If you had the choice, would you prefer WFTC ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... to be paid through wages,,
- 2 ... to be claimed at the Post Office, or,
- 3 ... to be paid into a bank or building society?)

{If paid through wage packet, FC3=4, 5 and currently receiving WFTC: FCEver = 1,2 }

**FC4a**

When you (*or your partner*) applied for WFTC, were you expecting it to be paid through wages, or did this come as a surprise to you?:

- 1 What I expected,
- 2 A surprise,
- 3 No expectation

{If paid through wage packet, FC3=4, 5}

**FC4b**

Do/Did being paid through wages cause you any particular concerns?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If caused particular concerns, FC4b=1}

**FC4c**

Can you say a little more about what these concerns have been?

INTERVIEWER PROBE FULLY

:OPEN

- 1 *Had to wait too long before receiving first WFTC payment*
- 2 *Period over which received WFTC payment too long*
- 3 *Employer aware of amount received*
- 4 *It caused difficulties for my employer*
- 5 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-4*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-5*

{If paid through wage packet, FC3=4, 5}

**FC4d**

Do/Did being paid through wages make/made it ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... more likely you *(or your partner)* will apply for WFTC in the future,,
- 2 ... less likely,,
- 3 or, does it make no difference?

{If not paid through wages, FC3=1, 2, 3 and currently receives WFTC ie. Fcever =1 or 2}

**FC4da**

Were you *(or your partner)* given the choice of having WFTC paid through wages?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If declined the option of being paid through wages; FC4da=1}

**FC4db**

Why did you *(or your partner)* not want WFTC paid through wages?

INTERVIEWER RECORD RESPONSE:OPEN

- 1 *Mismatch between period over which wages paid and period over which budgeting is done*
- 2 *Link between method of receipt of WFTC and budgeting*
- 3 *Mismatch between recipient of WFTC and who does the budgeting/ pays the bills*
- 4 *Easier to receive WFTC if not paid through wages*
- 5 *Inability of employer to pay WFTC through wages*
- 6 *Does not want employer to know how much receives*
- 7 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-6*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-7*

{If respondent working as an employee & has applied for WFTC (Wrkstat = 1) and (FCever = 1,2 or WFTC1 = 1)}

**FC4e**

Have you ever spoken with your employer about making an application for WFTC?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If spoken to employer, FC4e=1}

**FC4f**

Did your employer seem in favour, against, or neutral towards you applying for WFTC?:

- 1 In favour,
- 2 Against,
- 3 Neutral

{If spoken to employer, FC4e=1}

**FC4g**

Did this contact make you any more or less likely to make an application for WFTC in the future?:

- 1 More likely,
- 2 Less likely,
- 3 No difference,
- 4 (SPONTANEOUS) Will change employer

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC5**

When did your *(next (most recent))* spell on WFTC or Family Credit **begin**?

INCLUDE 6-MONTHLY RENEWALS AS PART OF 'SPELL'.

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR... :1988..2001

{if FC5 = response} {ie. a substantive answer, not DK or Ref}

**FC6**

...THEN ENTER THE MONTH IT BEGAN.

:1..12

{If received WFTC or FC in past: FCEver = 2,3}

**FC7**

And when did this spell on WFTC or Family Credit **end**?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR... :1996..2001

{if FC7 = response}

**FC8**

...THEN ENTER THE MONTH IT ENDED.

:1..12

{if date at FC5/6 is before Jan 1997, exit table.

if date at FC5/6 is after Jan 1997, ask: }

**FC8b**

Apart from this time on WFTC or Family Credit, since (date of last interview/**April 1997**) have there been any other periods when you have received WFTC or Family Credit?

1 Yes

2 No

{IF FC8 = Yes, RE-ENTER TABLE AT FC5. IF FC8 = No, exit table}

{Derived Variable}

**FC12m**

Has received FC in the last 12 months.

1 Yes

2 No

{ if FCEver = now or past }

**FC9a**

Thinking of the job on which your ((*next*) *most recent*) claim for WFTC/ Family credit is/was based, for how long had (have) you (*or your partner*) worked in that job before applying for WFTC/ Family credit?

FIRST ENTER YEARS...:0..97

{if FC9a = response}

**FC9b**

...THEN NUMBER OF MONTHS :0..11

{ if FCEver = now or past }

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC10**

Did you (*or your partner*) put in your claim as soon as you first thought you might be able to get WFTC/ Family credit, or did you let some time go by before putting in a claim?:

1 Put in as soon as aware of WFTC / Family Credit,

2 Allowed time to pass

{if FC10 = wait}

**FC11a**

About how much time did you (*or your partner*) let go by before applying for WFTC/ Family credit?

INTERVIEWER: FIRST CODE IF YOUR ANSWER IS IN WEEKS OR MONTHS...:

1 ANSWER IN WEEKS,

2 ANSWER IN MONTHS

{if FC11a = weeks }

**FC11b**

ENTER NUMBER OF WEEKS.:1..97

{if FC11a = months}

**FC11c**

ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS.:1..97

{if FC10 = wait}

**FC12a**

Why did you delay your claim?

PROBE TO CLASSIFY: CODE ALL THAT APPLY:SET [4] OF

- 1 Not sure I/we was/were entitled to it,
- 2 Not sure where to get form,
- 3 Not sure if worth it,
- 4 Avoiding a period of high earnings/earning too much,
- 5 Waiting for new/better rates,
- 6 Wasn't aware of it,
- 7 Just to think about it,
- 8 No particular reason,
- 9 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 11 *Waiting for necessary wage slips*
- 12 *Uncertain about the future*
- 13 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-12*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-13*

{if FC12a = other}

**FC12b**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER 'OTHER' REASON: open

{if FCEver = now or past}

**FC13a**

How did you hear about WFTC/ Family credit at the time you put in that claim?

PROBE TO CLASSIFY: CODE ALL THAT APPLY :SET [16] of

- 1 Transferred from Family Credit/FIS,
- 2 Had claimed WFTC/FC before,
- 3 TV adverts,
- 4 Newspaper/magazine,
- 5 Other advert,
- 6 Notice in Child Benefit book,
- 7 Department of Work and Pensions (formerly DSS)  
office/official,
- 8 Leaflet in Post Office,
- 9 Citizen's Advice Bureau,
- 10 New Deal advisor,
- 11 Welfare Rights Worker,
- 12 Employer,
- 13 Workmates,
- 14 Relatives,
- 15 Friends, neighbours,
- 16 Job Centre,
- 17 Tax Office or Inland Revenue Official,
- 18 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 19 *National Centre Interviewer*
- 20 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-19*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-20*

{if FC13a = other}

**FC13b**

ENTER 'OTHER' WAY THEY HEARD ABOUT WFTC OR FAMILY CREDIT

: open

{if FC13a IN xBefore..TaxOff }

**FC14a**

SHOW CARD HH.

What would you say was your main reason for applying for WFTC/ Family credit **at that particular time**? Choose an answer from this card.

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 13 CODES.:

- 1 I just got a new job,
- 2 My partner just got a new job,
- 3 Just found out about WFTC/Family Credit,
- 4 Transferred from Family Credit/renewing WFTC,
- 5 I was earning less money or my hours were reduced,
- 6 My partner was earning less money or their hours were reduced,
- 7 I had just started a family,
- 8 I had stopped working,
- 9 My partner had stopped working,
- 10 Just separated/divorced,
- 11 Acquired ready-made family (Step-family),
- 12 Hours of work increased,
- 13 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))
- 14 *Financial reasons, no clrcumstances given*
- 15 *Started using childcare*

{if FC14a = other}

**FC14b**

ENTER 'OTHER' REASON FOR APPLYING FOR WFTC OR FAMILY CREDIT

: open

{If a couple receiving WFTC}

**FC15a**

Did you and your partner agree to apply for WFTC as soon as you thought you might get it, or did you discuss it for a while?:

- 1 Agreed at once,
- 2 Discussed it for a while

{If a couple receiving WFTC}

**FC15b**

Did you discuss whether you or your partner should receive the tax credit payment?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If a couple receiving WFTC}

**FC15c**

Did either of you have any particular concerns about who should receive the payment?:

- 1 Respondent had concerns,
- 2 Partner had concerns,
- 3 Both had concerns,
- 4 No particular concerns



{If particular concerns, FC15c=1, 2 or 3}

**FC15d**

Can you say a little more about what these concerns were?

INTERVIEWER PROBE FULLY

:OPEN

6            *Specific answer*

7            *Vague answer*

(TOO FEW CASES FOR MEANINGFUL CODE FRAME)

{If FCEver = now..past}

**FC16a**

As you recall, how long did you have to wait between making your

((next) most recent) application for WFTC/ Family credit and receipt of your first WFTC/ Family credit?

FIRST, ENTER WEEKS... (IF LESS THAN ONE WEEK ENTER '0'):0..97

{if FC16a IN 1..97 }

**FC16b**

... AND NOW, ENTER DAYS

:0..6

{If FC16a = RESPONSE OR FC16b = RESPONSE}

**FC16c**

Was this faster than expected, slower, or about what you had expected?:

1            Faster,

2            Slower,

3            About what was expected

{If ever received WFTC: FCEver = 1, 2}

**FC16d**

Did you have to get in touch with the Inland Revenue regarding the process of the claim?

1            Yes

2            No

{If had to get in touch (FC16d=1)}

**FC16e**

How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with this contact with the Inland Revenue, on the whole ... READ OUT ...:

1            ... very satisfied,,

2            ... fairly satisfied,,

3            ... fairly dissatisfied,,

4            or very dissatisfied?,

5            Can't say)

{If dissatisfied with contact with the Inland Revenue (FC16e=3 or FC16e=4)}

**FC16f**

Why were you dissatisfied with your contact with the Inland Revenue?

INTERVIEWER PROBE FULLY.:OPEN

1            *Delay in processing claim*

2            *Poor communication of information about WFTC*

3            *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-2*

97          *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-3*

{If ever received WFTC or Family Credit: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**WFTCamt**

Was the amount of WFTC/ Family credit you were awarded more than you had expected, less, or about the same as you had expected?:

1            More than expected,

- 2 Less than expected,
- 3 About the same,
- 4 No real expectation

{If ever received WFTC: FCEver = 1, 2}

**WFTCcc1**

Did you qualify for help with childcare under WFTC?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If qualified for extra childcare help (WFTCcc1=1)}

**WFTCcc2**

Has/ Did this help affected the type of childcare that you use(d)?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If qualified for extra childcare help (WFTCcc1=1)}

**WFTCcc3**

Has/ Did this help affected the number of hours a week you use(d) childcare?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If qualified for extra childcare help (WFTCcc1=1)}

**WFTCcc4**

Has/ Did this help with childcare costs affect(ed) the number of hours that you/your partner work(ed)?:

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If FCEver=1,2}

**Renew1**

Have you ever renewed a WFTC claim at the end of the six months of award?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If renew1=1}

**Renew2**

How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the way your last renewal was handled by Inland Revenue? Were you ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... very satisfied,,
- 2 fairly satisfied,,
- 3 fairly dissatisfied,,
- 4 or were you very dissatisfied?,
- 5 Can't say)

{If renew2=3,4}

**Renew3**

Why were you dissatisfied with the way Inland Revenue dealt with your last renewal? WHAT OTHER REASONS: SET [5] OF

- 1 Took too long,
- 2 Didn't keep me informed,
- 3 Had to ask me for more information,
- 4 Forms confusing,
- 5 Problems changing award at my employer,
- 6 OTHER (Specify at next question))

{if renew3 = other}

**Renew4**

ENTER 'OTHER' WAY THEY WERE DISSATISFIED: STRING [40]

{If FCEver = now..past}

**FC17**

Was there any period of a week or more when you were without enough money because you had yet to receive your WFTC/ Family credit payment?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if FC17=Yes}

**FC18a**

How long did this period last?

FIRST, ENTER WEEKS... (IF LESS THAN ONE WEEK ENTER '0')

:0..97

{if FC18a IN 0..97 }

**FC18b**

... AND NOW, ENTER DAYS

:0..6

{If FC17 = yes}

**FC19**

SHOW CARD JJ.What other money did you have coming in during this time?:SET [6] of

- 1 Child benefit,
- 2 One Parent benefit,
- 3 Housing Benefit/Rent rebate,
- 4 Income Support,
- 5 Social Fund loan,
- 6 Social Fund grant,
- 7 Maintenance,
- 8 Earnings,
- 9 Other source of income

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC22**

SHOW CARD KK.During the time(s) you received WFTC/ Family credit did you ever make use of the benefits that go with it: I mean the benefits on this card? CODE ALL THAT APPLY :SET [6] OF

- 1 Free prescriptions,
- 2 Help with eye tests or spectacles,
- 3 Free NHS dental treatment,
- 4 Baby milk at reduced prices,
- 5 Help with fares to hospital,
- 6 Help toward loft insulation,
- 7 None of these

{if FC22 = presc}

**FC23**

Were these prescriptions for you (and/or your partner) or only for your child(ren)? :

- 1 for respondent/partner,
- 2 for child(ren),
- 3 both adult(s) and child(ren)

{For each item not coded at FC22, ask: }

**FC24**

Were you aware that some families on WFTC/ Family credit can get (*free prescriptions/help with eye tests/ Free NHS dental treatment/ Baby milk at reduced prices/ Help with fares to hospital/ Help toward loft insulation/ None of these*).

:Array [1..6] of Yes, No

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC25**

When you first received WFTC/ Family credit, were there other benefits you expected to get, but found you could no longer get or which you found were reduced because you were working and claiming WFTC/ Family credit?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If FC25 = yes}

**FC26a**

What benefits were these, that you did not expect to lose?

CODE BUT DO NOT PROMPT : SET [4] OF

- 1 Housing Benefit/Rent Rebate,
- 2 Council Tax rebate,
- 3 Free school meals,
- 4 Mortgage interest,
- 5 Other benefit (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))
- 6 School uniform
- 7 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-6
- 97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-7

{if FC26a = other}

**FC26b**

ENTER NAME OF OTHER BENEFIT(S)

: OPEN

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC28**

Just before you started to receive WFTC/ Family credit, did you receive housing benefit/rent rebate or did you receive help from the Department of Work and Pensions (formerly DSS) with mortgage interest?

INTERVIEWER: 'NO' = CODE 3 :

- 1 Yes, housing benefit/rent rebate,
- 2 Yes, help with mortgage interest,
- 3 No

{EXCLUDE RESPONDENTS WHO HAVE CONTINUOUSLY CLAIMED WFTC OVER THE PAST 12 MONTHS}

{if FC28 = housing benefit or help with mortgage}

**FC29**

Once you started claiming WFTC/ Family credit, did you receive more (housing benefit/rent rebate/help with mortgage interest) than you did before, the same amount, less, or none at all? :

- 1 More,
- 2 Same,
- 3 Less,
- 4 None

{If received help: FC28 =housing benefit or help with mortgage }

**FC30**

Did you expect (housing benefit/your mortgage interest) to continue to be paid at the same rates as before? CODE ONE ONLY :

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No, expected to be paid less,
- 3 No, expected to be paid more,
- 4 No, expected none at all,
- 5 Didn't know what to expect/Can't remember

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC31**

Just before you started to receive WFTC/ Family credit, did you receive Council Tax benefit?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if FC31 = yes}

**FC32**

Once you started claiming WFTC/ Family credit, did you receive more Council Tax benefit than you did before, the same amount, less, or none at all?:

- 1 More,
- 2 Same,
- 3 Less,
- 4 None

{if FC31 = yes}

**FC33**

Did you expect Council Tax benefit to continue to be paid at the same rates as before? CODE ONE ONLY :

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No, expected to be paid less,
- 3 No, expected to be paid more,
- 4 No, expected none at all,
- 5 Didn't know what to expect/Can't remember

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC34**

Some people, moving on to ^WFTC/ Family credit, expect to receive as much (housing benefit/mortgage interest) and Council Tax benefit as they did before. By the time their entitlement to these benefits has been revised, they face a bill for (rent/mortgage) arrears. Has this ever happened to you? :

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Can't remember

{If currently receive WFTC: FCEver = now}

**FC35**

If you were not receiving WFTC at the moment, which of these phrases would best describe your position .. READ OUT...:

- 1 ...you would manage without cutting down,,
- 2 you would manage if you cut down a little,,
- 3 you would manage if you cut down a lot,,
- 4 or you couldn't manage at all?

{If received WFTC or FC in past: FCEver = 2, 3}

**FC36**

How well would you have managed if you had **not** been getting WFTC/ Family credit. Would you say ... READ OUT... :

- 1 ...you would have managed without cutting down,,
- 2 you would have managed if you had cut down a little,,
- 3 you would have managed if you had cut down a lot,,
- 4 you couldn't have managed at all?

{If receive WFTC and currently working: FCEver = now & (Working = 1 or pWorking = 1)}

**FC37**

If for some reason you were unable to get WFTC, would you continue in your present job, try to get another job, stop working for a while, or what would you do? :

- 1 Continue in present job,
- 2 Try to get another job,
- 3 Stop work for a while,
- 4 Other

{If FC37 = cont }

**FC38**

Would you carry on working the same hours, or would you ask to work more hours, or fewer hours? :

- 1 more hours,
- 2 the same hours,
- 3 fewer hours

{If receive WFTC and currently working: FCEver = now & (Working = 1 or pWorkin = 1)}

**FC39**

If you get more money each week in your wages, do you think it will have any effect **now** on the amount of WFTC you get, or will the amount you get now just stay the same until the award runs out?:

- 1 Will affect present award,
- 2 Award will stay the same

{If receive WFTC and currently working: FCEver = now & (Working = 1 or pWorkin = 1)}

**FC40**

WFTC is generally paid at the same level for six months at a time, even if your earnings go up or down. After six months it is assessed again. About how often do you think WFTC should be re-assessed?

INTERVIEW RECORD NUMBER OF MONTHS.

IF RESPONDENT DOES NOT KNOW EXACT NUMBER OF MONTHS, INTERVIEWER TO CODE 95 IF MORE OFTEN THAN EVERY 6 MONTHS OR 96 IF LESS OFTEN THAN EVERY SIX MONTHS.:0..97

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC41**

If you receive WFTC or Family Credit, and your wages drop, the amount of WFTC / FC remains the same. Has this ever happened to you?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If ever received WFTC or FC: FCEver = 1, 2, 3}

**FC42**

If you were receiving WFTC and your wages fell by, say £30 per week, would you be most likely to ... READ OUT ...:set [4] of

- 1 ... continue in the same job,,
- 2 ... try to increase your hours or wages,,
- 3 ... look for another job, or,
- 4 ... think about stopping work?,
- 5 Other

{If Fc2=No}

**Expoffc**

Although you have no experience of Working Families' Tax Credit, I would like to ask you some questions about what you may have heard about this benefit

:Cont

**FC42a**

What, do you think, is the most you (*or your partner*) can earn in **take-home** pay and still get WFTC?

GUESSES ARE ENCOURAGED.

FIRST, CODE TIME PERIOD: PER WEEK, MONTH OR YEAR...:

- 1 Per week,
- 2 Per month,
- 3 Per year,
- 4 Per other period

{if FC42a IN week..other }

**FC42b**

...NOW ENTER AMOUNT PER WEEK/ MONTH/YEAR/ OTHER PERIOD

:0..99997,NOREFUSAL

{if FC42b IN 0..99997}

**FC43**

INTERVIEWER RECORD: DID RESPONDENT LOOK UP AMOUNT IN CHILD BENEFIT BOOK, OR SIMILAR SOURCE?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if FC42a = dk, ref OR FC42b IN 99998..99999 {dk, ref} }

**FC44**

Would you know where to find out this information?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if FC44 = yes}

**FC45**

Where would you look?

INTERVIEWER PROBE FULLY:

set [5] of

- 1 Child Benefit book / Family Credit book / Benefit book (non-specific),
- 2 Post Office,
- 3 Department of Work and Pensions (formerly DSS) / Benefits Agency,
- 4 Town Hall,
- 5 Job Centre,
- 6 Citizens Advice Bureau,
- 7 In some other written document,

- 8 Inland Revenue, the tax office,
- 9 Somewhere else (please specify)
- 10 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-9*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-10*

{If FC45 = other}

**FC45b**

ENTER OTHER PLACES WHERE WOULD LOOK

:open

{ask all excluding those not working, and who don't expect to work}

**FC46**

Do you know the minimum number of hours a week you have to work to be able to get WFTC?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if FC46 = yes}

**FC47**

How many hours a week is this?

: 0..97

{ask all excluding those not working, and who don't expect to work}

**FC48a**

Apart from earnings, what other things do you think the Inland Revenue take into account in working out whether or not you can get WFTC, or how much you can get?

PROBE FULLY BUT DO NOT PROMPT : SET [9] OF

- 1 Number of children,
- 2 Age of children,
- 3 Whether or not has a partner,
- 4 Other income,
- 5 Savings,
- 6 Rent/Mortgage payments,
- 7 Fares to work,
- 8 Food/fuel costs,
- 9 Amount of maintenance,
- 10 Hours worked,
- 11 Use of childcare,
- 13 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 14 *Other outgoings*
- 15 *Child benefit*
- 16 *Other Social Security benefits*
- 17 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-16*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-17*

{if FC48a = other}

**FC48b**

ENTER OTHER THING(S) IR TAKES INTO ACCOUNT

:open

{If planning to look for a job in next 2 years (Jsc42 in 1..4)

AND has nver received WFTC or FC}

**FC64**

If you (or your partner) were to qualify for Working Families Tax

Credit what would you prefer... READ OUT... :

- 1 ...getting the money through wages,,
- 2 or, claiming it at the post office,,
- 3 or, having it paid into a bank or building society?)



{If didn't prefer through wages: FC64 ne 1}

**FC64a**

WFTC is usually paid, for employees, in the wage packet. If you thought you might be eligible, would you say that this payment through wages ... READ OUT ...:

- 1 ... would stop you applying for WFTC,,
- 2 ... would make you less likely to apply for WFTC,,
- 3 or, makes no difference to whether or not you would apply?

{If would make less likely or stop applying: FC64a=1,2}

**FC64b**

Can you tell me a little more about the reasons why payment of WFTC through wages would put you off applying?INTERVIEWER RECORD

:OPEN

6 *Specific answer*

7 *Other Vague answer (use where response does not fit the question)*

(TOO FEW CASES FOR A MEANINGFUL CODEFRAME)

{ask all }

**FC49**

Do you think you will put in (*an/another*)application for WFTC in the future?

INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT HAS APPLIED AND IS AWAITING OUTCOME, CODE 1 FOR 'YES':

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 (Can't say)

{if FC49 = No}

**FC50a**

Why will you not apply (again) for WFTC?

PROBE TO CODE:SET [4] of

- 1 Not working (or enough hours),
- 2 Earn too much,
- 3 Don't earn enough,
- 4 Wouldn't pay me to work,
- 5 Don't need it,
- 6 No childcare,
- 7 Children too old,
- 8 Would lose other benefits,
- 9 It is too complicated to claim,
- 10 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))
- 11 *Stigma attached to benefit/ personal pride*
- 12 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-11*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-12*

{IF FC50a = other}

**FC50b**

ENTER OTHER REASON

: open

{if FC49 = Yes and had claimed WFTC/FC in past}

**FC53**

If you get another award of WFTC, do you expect to get as much each week as you get now, more than you get now, or will you get less each week? :

- 1 Same,
- 2 More,
- 3 Less

{if FC53 = More or less}

**FC54**

About how much more/less do you think you will get each week?

POUNDS ONLY IF LESS THAN 1 POUND, CODE '0' :0..997

{if FC54 in 1..997 }

**FC55a**

Why do you think you will get about £(amount at FC54) a week more/less each week?:

- 1       Income changed,
- 2       Change in children's ages,
- 3       Change in savings,
- 4       Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 5       *Change in childcare costs*
- 6       *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-5*
- 97      *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-6*

{IF FC55a = other}

**FC55b**

ENTER OTHER REASON

: open

{if FC49 = YES}

**FC57**

If you get a (new) award of WFTC, about how much would you expect to get each week?

POUNDS ONLY

IF LESS THAN 1 POUND, CODE '0':0..997

## BLOCK M: HARDSHIP

{ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY}

{ask all}

### **ExpInt1**

This next section is about the sorts of things that some families have, but which many people have difficulty finding the money for. First, some questions about food and eating.:Cont

### **ExpMain**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...A cooked main meal every day?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

### **ExpMeat**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...Meat or fish every other day?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

### **ExpRoast**

SHOW CARD LL

...A roast meat joint (or something similar) **at least** once a week?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

### **ExpVeg**

SHOW CARD LL

...Fresh vegetables on most days?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

### **ExpFruit**

SHOW CARD LL

...Fresh fruit on most days?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCake**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...Cakes and biscuits on most days?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpBfood**

SHOW CARD LL

Good quality 'Brand Name' food for family meals on most days?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**Expint2**

Now, some questions about clothes and going out.

:Cont

**ExpCoatA**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...A weatherproof coat for each adult?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCoatC**

SHOW CARD LL

A weatherproof coat for each child?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpShoeA**

SHOW CARD LL

Two pairs of all-weather shoes for each adult?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpShoeC**

SHOW CARD LL

Two pairs of all-weather shoes for each child?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpNewC**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...New, not second hand clothes when you all need them?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpBest**

SHOW CARD LL

A best outfit for the children?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpBClo**

SHOW CARD LL

Good quality **new** 'Brand Name' clothes or shoes for children?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCeleb**

SHOW CARD LL

A celebration with presents, for friends and family at special occasions like birthdays?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpToys**

SHOW CARD LL

Toys and sports gear for the children?

IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.

:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpTrip**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...Money for trips, holidays or outings, or going with gifts to parties?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpHol**

SHOW CARD LL

A one-week holiday away from home, not staying with relatives?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpNight**

SHOW CARD LL

A night out once a month?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpFriend**

SHOW CARD LL

Are you and your family... able to have friends or relatives for a meal, once a month?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpIntr3**

Now, some questions about larger items that some families have in their homes.

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:Cont

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpTV**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...A colour TV set?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCable**

SHOW CARD LL

Cable, satellite, or digital TV?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpFrid**

SHOW CARD LL

A refrigerator (INC FRIDGE FREEZER)?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpFreez**

SHOW CARD LL

A separate deep freeze?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpWash**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...A washing machine?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpTumbl**

SHOW CARD LL

A tumble drier?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpPhone**

SHOW CARD LL

A telephone (including mobile)?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpDish**

SHOW CARD LL

A dishwasher?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpVideo**

SHOW CARD LL

A video recorder?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCent**

SHOW CARD LL

Do you and your family have...Central heating  
(INC. STORAGE HEATERS)

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpMicro**

SHOW CARD LL

A microwave oven?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpCar**

SHOW CARD LL

A car/van?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpMusic**

SHOW CARD LL

A music system (tape or CD)?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**ExpComp**

SHOW CARD LL

A home computer (not Gameboy, Nintendo, Playstation)?

THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION.:

- 1 We have this,
- 2 We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment,
- 3 We do not want/need this at the moment),NOEMPTY

**Exp7**

Is there anything else that your child(ren) need(s) at the moment  
but which you just can't find the money for?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No



{if Exp7 = yes}

**Exp8a**

What do (does) your child(ren) need at the moment?

PROBE TO CODE: SET [7] OF

- 1 Clothes,
- 2 Footwear,
- 3 School uniform, school sportswear,
- 4 Bed/new bed/cot/highchair,
- 5 Bike/sports/hobby equipment,
- 6 Toys,
- 7 Holiday/day out/school trip,
- 8 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 9 *Computer*
- 10 *Furniture/ furnishings/ home improvements*
- 11 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-10*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-11*

{if Exp8a = other}

**Exp8b**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NAME OF OTHER ITEMS::open

{ask all}

**Exp9**

Is there anything that you (*or your partner*) really need to buy at the moment but which you just can't find the money for?:

Yes, No

{if Exp9=yes}

**Exp10a**

What do you really need at the moment?:SET [10] OF

- 1 Clothes,
- 2 Footwear,
- 3 Car,
- 4 Bed/bedding,
- 5 Furniture,
- 6 Carpets/curtains,
- 7 Holiday,
- 8 Electrical equipment/repairs,
- 9 Home improvements,
- 10 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)
- 11 *New/ bigger home*
- 12 *Money for running costs of car*
- 13 *Computer*
- 14 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-13*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-14*

{if Exp10a = other}

**Exp10b**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NAME OF OTHER ITEMS::OPEN

**Exp11**

SHOW CARD MM

Sometimes families are not able to pay every bill when it falls due. May I ask, are you up-to-date with the bills on this card, or are you behind with any of them?

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 10 CODES.

PROMPT FOR EACH BILL, AND CODE IF THEY ARE BEHIND WITH IT:

SET [9] OF

- 1 behind with the electricity bill,
- 2 behind with the gas bill,
- 3 behind with other fuel bills like coal or oil,
- 4 behind with Council Tax,
- 5 behind with insurance policies,
- 6 behind with telephone bill,
- 7 behind with television/video rental or HP,
- 8 behind with other HP payments,
- 9 behind with water rates,
- 10 not behind with any of these

{\*ARRAY QUESTION [INDEXED]\* for each item coded at Exp11}

**Exp12**

How much do you owe for (bill from Exp11)?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.:array [1..9] of 1..9997

**Exp13**

SHOW CARD NN

Do you use any of the different ways of buying things listed on this card?:

SET [4] OF

- 1 Credit cards {like Access, Visa etc},
- 2 Charge cards {like American Express, Diners Club},
- 3 Shop or store cards {like Marks and Spencer, BHS etc},
- 4 Catalogues / mail order schemes,
- 5 none of these

{for each item coded at Exp13}

**Exp14**

Are you at the moment able to manage the repayments on (*type from Exp13*). I mean, to meet the minimum amount you have to repay?:

array [1..4] of Yes, No

{if Exp14 = no}

**Exp15**

How much are you unable to repay at the moment?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.:

array [1..4] of 1..9997

{ask all}

**Exp16**

SHOW CARD OO

Over the past 12 months, have you used any of these ways to borrow money? CODE ALL THAT APPLY:

SET [6] OF

- 1 a bank overdraft,
- 2 a fixed term loan from the Bank or Building Society (NOT MORTGAGE),
- 3 a loan from a finance company,
- 4 a loan from a money lender or 'tally man',
- 5 a loan from a friend or relative,
- 6 a loan, or advance on wages, from your employer,
- 7 none of these

{If has bank overdraft (Exp16=overd)}

**Exp16a**

How much are you currently overdrawn?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.:0..9997

{for each type of borrowing money from Exp16}

**Exp17**

Have you been able to keep up with the repayments for the (type of loan from Exp16) or are you getting behind? :Array [1..6] of

- 1 keeping up,
- 2 getting behind

{if Exp17 = behind}

**Exp18**

How much do you now owe on these overdue payments?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER WHOLE POUNDS ONLY.:

array [1..6] of 1..9997

{ask all}

**Exp19**

How often would you say you have been worried about money during the last few weeks? ...READ OUT, CODE ONE ONLY...:

- 1 ...almost all the time,,
- 2 ...quite often,,
- 3 ...only sometimes,,
- 4 ...never?

{ask all}

**Exp20**

SHOW CARD PP

Taking everything together, which of the phrases on this card best describes how you and your family are managing financially these days?:

- 1 manage very well,
- 2 manage quite well,
- 3 get by alright,
- 4 don't manage very well,
- 5 have some financial difficulties,
- 6 are in deep financial trouble

{ask all}

**Exp21**

You say that now you (*manage very/quite well/ get by alright/ don't manage very well/have some financial difficulties/ are in deep financial trouble*). During the past 12 months, would you say that your situation has .. READ OUT :

- 1 ...got worse,,
- 2 ...got better,,
- 3 ...or has it stayed more or less the same?

{if Exp21 = worse}

**Exp22**

Is this because you need to buy more things nowadays, or are you having to manage on less money?:

- 1 Need to buy more,
- 2 Managing on less money,
- 3 (Spontaneous) Both,
- 4 (Spontaneous) Rise in cost of living

{if Exp21 = better}

**Exp23**

Is this because you need to buy fewer things nowadays or do you

have more money to spend?:

- 1 Need fewer things,
- 2 More money,
- 3 (Spontaneous) both,
- 4 Other reason

{ask all giving a substantive answer to 'How are you managing' -  
IF Exp20 IN vwell..deep}

**Exp24**

And do you expect things to go on like this for the foreseeable future or do you expect things to get better for you, or to get worse?:

- 1 Things will go on like this,
- 2 Things will get better,
- 3 Things will get worse

{Ask all}

**Exp25**

Thinking back over the past 12 months, how often would you say you have had trouble with debts that you found hard to repay...READ OUT:

- 1 ..almost all the time,,
- 2 ...quite often,,
- 3 ...only sometimes,,
- 4 ...or never?

{Ask all}

**Exp26a**

Some people bringing up children receive financial help from their families, often from their parents. Does your family ever help you with ... READ OUT...  
THIS IS RESPONDENT'S OWN INTERPRETATION OF FAMILY:

SET [5] OF

- 1 ...paying towards bills,,
- 2 ...buying clothes for your children,,
- 3 ...buying clothes for you,,
- 4 ...paying for trips/holidays,,
- 5 ...buying new items (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)?,
- 6 none of these,
- 7 *not applicable, has no family*
- 8 *Buying electrical equipment*
- 9 *Buying furniture/ furnishings/ home improvements*
- 10 *Buying toys and equipment for the children*
- 11 *Food*
- 12 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-11*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-12*

{if Exp26a = newitm}

**Exp26b**

INTERVIEWER: ASK AND RECORD TYPES OF NEW ITEM:open

**Exp27**

Panel:(Over the past 12 months has your family ever given or lent you money?)

Non panel:(Does your family ever give or lend you money?)

PROBE AS NECESSARY:

SET [2] OF

- 1 Regularly give money,
- 2 Sometimes give money,
- 3 Lend money,
- 4 None of these

## BLOCK N: FUTURE JOB PROSPECTS

ASKED FOR MAIN RESPONDENT AND PARTNER

{if main respondent is lone parent}

**Jsc80**

Taking everything together, what do you think is the most likely thing to happen to you over the next couple of years...READ OUT...:

- 1 ...working 16 or more hours a week,,
- 2 working less than 16 hours a week,,
- 3 or, you will not be working?

{if main respondent is lone parent}

**Jsc81**

...and over the next couple of years do you think you are likely to be ... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...claiming Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit),,
- 2 or not claiming Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit)?

{if in a couple}

**Jsc82**

SHOW CARD QQ

Taking everything together, what do you think is the most likely thing to happen to you over the next couple of years?:

- 1 Both of us working 16 or more hours a week,
- 2 One of us working 16 hours or more a week,
- 3 Neither of us working 16 or more hours a week,
- 4 Neither of us working

{if in a couple}

**Jsc83**

...and over the next couple of years do you think you or your (husband/partner/wife) are likely to be ... READ OUT...:

- 1 ...claiming Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit),,
- 2 or not claiming Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit)?

## BLOCK O: RELATIONSHIP BLOCK

MAIN RESPONDENT ONLY

Free-floating module: Can be asked at any time

### Feed forward data used for routing in this section

#### PartPres99

Whether partner was in household during SOLIF 1:(Yes,No)

#### PartDead

Whether partner from SOLIF 1 has since died.

:(Yes,No)

#### PartLeft

Whether partner from SOLIF 1 has since left.

:(Yes,No)

#### Partsame

Whether the same partner from SOLIF 1 is still present.

:(Yes,No)

#### OldPartIn

Whether either of the previous year's partners are present in the current household.:

(Yes,No)

#### NewPartIn

Whether a new partner has arrived in the household.

:(Yes,No)

#### Relstat

Derived variable for SOLIF 2:

L99L00 Lone parent 2000 - Lone parent 2001.,

L99C00 Lone parent 2000 - Couple 2001.,

C99C00 Couple 2000 - Couple 2001 same partner.,

C99C002 Couple 2000 - Couple 2001 different partner.,

C99L00 Couple 2000 - Lone parent 2001 partner deceased.,

C99L002 Couple 2000 - Lone parent 2001)

#### GoOn

Routing variable for the whole section.

(Yes, No)

{ask all with a partner (refer to HHGrid)}

#### PartPres

INTERVIEWER: IS THE RESPONDENT'S PARTNER (*Name of partner*) PRESENT NOW?

1 Yes

2 No

#### Intro

IS THE RESPONDENT READY TO START THIS BLOCK

1 Yes

2 No

{If new partner in household for panel cases: or for all non-panel with a partner (refer to HHGrid)}

**R1Q**

When did you and (*Name of partner*) first meet?

ENTER YEAR ONLY.

:1930..2001

**R2Q**

And when did you first start to share a home together?

FIRST ENTER YEAR...

: 1930..2001, NODK, NORF

{if R2Q in 1930..2001}

**R3Q**

...THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring, ...?' ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELP <F9>.

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

: 1..12, NODK, NOREFUSAL

{If new partner in household for panel cases: or for all non-panel with a partner (refer to HHGrid)}

**R4Q**

And may I just check, are you and (*Name of partner*) married?

1 Yes

2 No

{computed field}

**R6Q**

Did their present relationship begin before or after the eldest child was conceived?

1 r'ship started at same time/before eldest,

2 started after eldest)

{IF RELATIONSHIP STARTED AFTER THE BIRTH OF THE ELDEST CHILD, THEY JUMP TO R11: IF IF RELATIONSHIP STARTED BEFORE, THEY AVOID THE RELATIONSHIP HISTORY ALTOGETHER, AND JUST GET ASKED R7 TO R10 }

{If lived with a couple with current partner since Wave1 for panel cases or if relationship began before the birth of eldest child}

**R7Q**

(*In the past 12 months have there been/ Were there ever*) any spells of a month or more when you were not living together as a couple? DO NOT INCLUDE BREAKS FOR WORK OR STUDY

1 Yes

2 No

{if R7Q = yes}

**R8Q**

How long did these spells last, in total?

FIRST, ENTER NUMBER OF YEARS (IF LESS THAN ONE, ENTER 'O')...

: 0..20

{if R8Q in 1..20}

**R9Q**

...ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS.

: 0..11

{if R7Q = yes}

**R10Q**

And how many separate spells were there?

: 1..97

For lone parents, or if current partner is not father/ mother of any children

This section collects information on the father(s) (or mothers, for lone parent fathers) of all children living in the household, starting with the eldest child.

{If Lone parent, or if R6 = 2}

**R11Q**

Can I check, did you have a (*husband/wife*) or partner living with you regularly during the year before (Name of eldest/next eldest child etc) was born (adopted)?

THIS QUESTION REFERS TO **EX-PARTNERS** ONLY. IF THEIR **CURRENT** HUSBAND/PARTNER LIVED WITH THEM AT THAT TIME, YOU MUST CODE 'NO'.

1 Yes

2 No

{if R11Q = yes}

**R11Qa**

What was his/her name?

ENTER NAME OF EX-PARTNER

:string[20]

{if R11Q = no}

**R12Qa**

I would now like to ask a few questions about the (*father/mother*) of (Name of eldest/next eldest child etc). What was his/her name?

ENTER NAME OF EX-PARTNER:string[20]

**R12Q**

INTERVIEWER ASK OR CODE: Did you ever live together as a couple (for a month or more) with this ex-partner?

1 Yes,

2 No,

3 Cannot identify him/her,

4 Current partner is the parent)

{If lived with partner - but this person not currently in household}

**R15q**

When did you first start living as a couple with this person? FIRST

ENTER THE YEAR...HELP <F9>

If they lived with more than one person since the birth of the eldest child, code ex-partners in date order, ie. the LEAST recent one first.

: 1930..2001



{note for future routing: if R15q <> EMPTY, they lived with this person }  
{if R15q = response}

**R16q**

...THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?' ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE  
HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

: 1..12

**R17q**

When did you last live together as a couple with this person?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR...

: 1930..2001

{if R17q = response}

**R18q**

...THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?' ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE  
HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10)

: 1..12

**R19q**

During that time (between Date started living together from R16Q and R15Q) and (Date ended living together from [R18Q] and R17Q), were there ever spells of a month or more when you were not living together as a couple?

DO NOT INCLUDE BREAKS FOR PURPOSES OF WORK OR STUDY.

1 Yes

2 No

{IF R19q = yes}

**R20q**

How long did these spells last, in total?

FIRST, ENTER NUMBER OF YEARS (IF LESS THAN ONE, ENTER 'O')...

: 0..20

{if R20q = response}

**R21q**

...ENTER NUMBER OF MONTHS.

: 0..11

{if R19q = yes}

**R22q**

And how many separate spells of a month or more were there?

: 1..97

{all who started at R15q}

**R23q**

Were you legally married to this person?

1 Yes, married,

2 No, not married, NODK, NORF

**R24q**

May I ask, when you finally stopped living together, did you and your partner at that time separate, or did your partner die?

- 1 Separated from partner,
- 2 Partner died), NODK, NORF

**R25q**

ASK OR CODE:

Was this person, whom you lived with as a couple, the father/mother of (*either of/any of*) your (child/ren)?

HELP <F9>

If 'Refuse' or 'Don't Know', code 'No'.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If R25q = yes }

**R26Q**

'ASK OR CODE: May I ask, of which Child (including (Name of eldest child)) is/was this person the father/mother?

'INTERVIEWER, CODE (name of eldest child) HERE.'

: List of names of children from Household grid who do not have a natural parent in the household.

**R27q**

INTERVIEWER CHECK: IS THIS OTHER PARENT STILL ALIVE?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

**R40q** {note jump in number sequence}

SHOW CARD Par1

Where does he/she live now?

- 1 This neighbourhood,
- 2 This town,
- 3 This county,
- 4 This region,
- 5 Elsewhere in Britain,
- 6 Abroad)

**R41q**

Is he/she now ... READ OUT...

- 1 ...married to a new partner,,
- 2 living with a new partner,,
- 3 living with parents,,
- 4 or living alone?)

**R42q**

And is he/she ... READ OUT...

- 1 ...employed for 16 hours or more per week,,
- 2 employed for fewer than 16 hours per week,,
- 3 self-employed,,
- 4 or not in paid work?)

**R43q**

And does he/she have any children living in his/her household?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R43q = yes}

**R44q**

Are they his/her children or the children of his/her partner's former relationship? CODE ALL THAT APPLY.

: SET [3] OF

- 1 His/her own children with new/other partner,
- 2 Partner's children, not his/hers,
- 3 Respondent's and ex-partner's child(ren),
- 4 Not sure/don't know)

{if R43q=yes}

**R45q**

How many other children does your former partner have?

: 1..9

{if R40q <> EMPTY (ie all who entered this segment) }

**R46q**

How often do you usually see him/her?

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,
- 4 At least once per month,
- 5 At least once per year,
- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never)

**R47q**

How often (does your child/do your children) usually see him/her?

IF DIFFERS BETWEEN CHILDREN CODE MOST FREQUENT FOR CHILDREN OF WHOM PARTNER IS PARENT.

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,
- 4 At least once per month,
- 5 At least once per year,
- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never)

**R48q**

How would you describe your relationship with him/her nowadays? Is it

...READ OUT...

- 1 ...very friendly,,
- 2 ...quite friendly,,
- 3 ...not very friendly,,
- 4 ...very **un**friendly,,
- 5 ...mixed - sometimes friendly, sometimes unfriendly?,
- 6 don't know/can't say)

{IF resp ever lived with this Ex (R15q <> EMPTY) }

**R49q**

In the last year before your separation, how often did you and your partner argue?

- 1 Many times a day,
- 2 At least every day,
- 3 Several times a week,
- 4 Once a week or less,
- 5 Never)

{if R49q = NOT NEVER}

**R50q**

Did these arguments ever end up in physical violence?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R50q = yes}

**R51q**

And, may I ask, were you ever injured?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{IF R15q <> EMPTY(ever lived with) }

**R52qa**

SHOW CARD Par2

At the time you separated, whom did you mainly rely on for emotional support? Please give me the appropriate number from this card.

CODE ONE ONLY. INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 11 CODES.

- 1 Boyfriend/girlfriend,
- 2 Friends,
- 3 Parents,
- 4 Brother/Sister,
- 5 In-laws,
- 6 Children,
- 7 Clergy/minister/rabbi/priest,
- 8 Counsellor,
- 9 Someone else (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 10 No-one,
- 11 Can't remember

{if R52qa = other}

**R52qb**

ENTER OTHER PERSON(S).

: STRING [40]

**R53qa**

SHOW CARD Par3.

Who, if anyone, gave you financial assistance during this time?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY .. Anyone else?

: SET [5] OF

- 1 Boyfriend/girlfriend,
- 2 Friends,
- 3 Parents,
- 4 Brother/sister,
- 5 In-laws,
- 6 Social Security (DSS),
- 7 Someone else (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 8 No-one,
- 9 Can't remember
- 10 Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-9
- 97 Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-10

{if R53qa = other}

**R53qb**

ENTER OTHER PERSON(S):. STRING [40]

{if married, then separated: R23q = married AND R24q = separated }

**R54q**

Are you and your ex-partner now divorced?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R54q = yes}

**R55qa**

When was the final date of your divorce?

FIRST ENTER YEAR...

: 1930..2001

{if R55q in 1930..2000}

**R55qb**

...THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?' ENTER MID-SEASON

MONTH: SEE HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

Winter: Jan (01)

Spring: Apr (04)

Summer: July (07)

Autumn: Oct (10):1..12,NOREFUSAL

{if R15q <> EMPTY (ever lived with) }

**R56q**

When you broke up with your partner, who made the decision to separate?

- 1 You,
- 2 Your former partner,
- 3 A joint decision,
- 4 No decision necessary - only a short term relationship)

**R57q**

When you separated, was it you or your partner who left the home?

- 1 Partner left,
- 2 Respondent left,
- 3 Neither,
- 4 Both)

{if R57q = partner left }

**R58q**

When your partner left, did he/she leave willingly?

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 Can't say

{ if R15q <> EMPTY (ever lived with), or if R24q = died, this partner died }

**R59q**

(At the time your partner died/ Just before you separated) was your partner working full time?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{IF ((DoorScr2 <> Panel **AND** QTimePart.R15q <> EMPTY) **OR** ((Relstat = C99L002 **OR** (Relstat = C99C002)) **AND** (DoorScr2 = Panel)) **THEN**}

**R100q**

Sometimes, separating or divorcing partners receive property or capital from a former partner (or non-resident parent) over and above that to which they had personally contributed. This is often called a 'clean break' settlement. Did you receive from (*your former partner/ the other parent*) any of his/her share of the value of a house or flat?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R100q = yes}

**R101q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q <> EMPTY (all who entered this segment) }

**R102q**

Did you receive any of his/her share of any savings or investments?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R102q = yes}

**R103q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q <> EMPTY (all who entered this segment) }

**R104q**

Did you receive any of his/her share of any other property?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R104q = yes}

**R105q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q = yes or R102q = yes or R104q = yes}

**R106q**

Did you accept this exchange for lower maintenance, or instead of any maintenance at all, or did this not affect any maintenance?

- 1 Exchange for lower maintenance,
- 2 Instead of maintenance,
- 3 Did not affect maintenance)

{If R24q <> EMPTY}

**R110q**

Since you stopped living together with this person, have you lived together with anyone else *, (apart from name of partner)?*

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT INCLUDE THE CURRENT PARTNER.

HELP <F9>

If 'Refuse' or 'DK', code 'No'.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If R24q <> EMPTY}

**R110Bq**

Can I check, (*apart from name of partner*) have you ever lived together as a couple with someone (for periods of a month or more) since the birth of (Name of eldest/next eldest child etc)?

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT INCLUDE THE CURRENT PARTNER.

HELP <F9>

If 'Refuse' or 'DK', code 'No'.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{ IF YES: RETURN TO R15q AND START AGAIN }

{If children in household and have not identified father}

**R111q**

I would now like to ask a few questions about the (*father/mother*) of (Name of eldest/next eldest child etc). Did you ever live together as a couple (for a month or more) with him/her?

HELP <F9>

If 'Refuse' or 'DK', code 'No'.

- 1 Yes,
  - 2 No,
  - 3 Cannot identify him/her,
  - 4 Current partner is the parent
- , NODK, NORF

{if resp is lone parent now }

**R136q**

Has there been any time during this most recent period while you have been caring for your children on your own, when you have considered living with someone as a couple?

- 1 Yes,
- 2 No,
- 3 refused to say

{if R136q = yes or no}

**R137qa**

SHOW CARD Par4

People have different reasons for not living as a couple with someone. A number of reasons are listed on this card. May I ask which of these reasons applies to you?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

: SET OF

- 1 Generally, relationships are not worth the effort,
- 2 I prefer to live independently, not as part of a couple,
- 3 I have not met anyone I liked enough to live with,
- 4 It would not be good for the children,
- 5 It would not have worked out/lasted,
- 6 My ex-partner would stop paying/pay less maintenance,
- 7 I would lose social security benefits,
- 8 It is against my religion or beliefs,
- 9 My parents would not approve,
- 10 My ex-partner would not approve,
- 11 The house/flat is not big enough,
- 12 Men don't earn enough to keep a family these days,
- 13 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION)

{if R137qa = other}

**R137qb**

ENTER OTHER REASON(S). : STRING [60]

{if R136q = yes or no}

**R138qa**

SHOW CARD Par4

Could you look at the card again and say which reason has been the most important for you?

- 1 Generally, relationships are not worth the effort,
- 2 I prefer to live independently, not as part of a couple,
- 3 I have not met anyone I liked enough to live with,
- 4 It would not be good for the children,
- 5 It would not have worked out/lasted,
- 6 My ex-partner would stop paying/pay less maintenance,
- 7 I would lose social security benefits,
- 8 It is against my religion or beliefs,
- 9 My parents would not approve,
- 10 My ex-partner would not approve,
- 11 The house/flat is not big enough,
- 12 Men don't earn enough to keep a family these days,
- 13 Other (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION))

{if R138qa = other}

**R138qb**

ENTER OTHER REASON(S). : STRING [60]

{if R136q = yes or no}

**R139q**

SHOW CARD Par 5.

All things considered, how likely or unlikely do you think it is that you will live as a couple with someone (again) before your youngest child grows up?

- 1 very likely,
- 2 quite likely,
- 3 an even chance,
- 4 quite unlikely,
- 5 very unlikely,
- 6 cannot guess

**Remaint**

Any maintenance received?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

**ReLive**

Any living ex outside household who is a partner?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{Panel cases only: If a partner from last wave is now not in the household and is still alive}

**pR17q**

When did you last live together as a couple with (name of ex-partner)?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR...

: 1930..2001



{if R17q = response}

**pR18q**

...THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE

HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

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Spring: Apr (04)

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Autumn: Oct (10)

: 1..12

{all who started at R15q}

**pR23q**

Were you legally married to with (name of ex-partner)?

1 Yes, married,

2 No, not married), NODK, NORF

**pR26q**

ASK OR CODE: May I ask, of which of your children is/was with (name of ex-partner) the other parent the other parent?:

**pR40q** {note jump in number sequence}

SHOW CARD Par1

Where does he/she live now?

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4 This region,

5 Elsewhere in Britain,

6 Abroad

**pR41q**

Is he/she now ... READ OUT...

1 ...married to a new partner,,

2 living with a new partner,,

3 living with parents,,

4 or living alone?

**pR42q**

And is he/she... READ OUT...

1 ...employed in full-time paid work,,

2 employed part-time,,

3 self-employed,,

4 or not in paid work?

**pR43q**

And does he/she have any children living in his/her household?

1 Yes

2 No

{if R43q = yes}

**pR44q**

Are they his/her children or the children of his/her partner's former relationship?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY.

: SET [3] OF

- 1 his/her own children with new/other partner,
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- 4 Not sure/don't know

{if R43q=yes}

**pR45q**

How many other children does your former partner have?

: 1..9

{if R40q <> EMPTY (ie all who entered this segment) }

**pR46q**

How often do you usually see him/her?

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,
- 4 At least once per month,
- 5 At least once per year,
- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never

**pR47q**

How often (does your child/do your children) usually see him/her?

IF DIFFERS BETWEEN CHILDREN CODE MOST FREQUENT FOR CHILDREN OF WHOM PARTNER IS PARENT.

- 1 At least once a day,
- 2 At least once per week,
- 3 At least once/fortnight,
- 4 At least once per month,
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- 6 Less often,
- 7 Never

**pR48q**

How would you describe your relationship with him/her nowadays? Is it

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{IF resp ever lived with this Ex (R15q <> EMPTY) }

**pR49q**

In the last year before your separation, how often did you and your partner argue?

- 1 Many times a day,
- 2 At least every day,
- 3 Several times a week,
- 4 Once a week or less,
- 5 Never

{if R49q = not never}

**pR50q**

Did these arguments ever end up in physical violence?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R50q = yes}

**pR51q**

And, may I ask, were you ever injured?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{IF R15q <> EMPTY(ever lived with) }

**pR52qa**

SHOW CARD Par2

At the time you separated, whom did you mainly rely on for emotional support? Please give me the appropriate number from this card.

CODE ONE ONLY.

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 11 CODES.

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- 2 Friends,
- 3 Parents,
- 4 Brother/Sister,
- 5 In-laws,
- 6 Children,
- 7 Clergy/minister/rabbi/priest,
- 8 Counsellor,
- 9 Someone else (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 10 No-one,
- 11 Can't remember

{if R52qa = other}

**pR52qb**

ENTER OTHER PERSON(S): STRING [40]

**pR53qa**

SHOW CARD Par3.

Who, if anyone, gave you financial assistance during this time?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY .. Anyone else?

: SET [5] OF

- 1 Boyfriend/girlfriend,
- 2 Friends,
- 3 Parents,
- 4 Brother/sister,
- 5 In-laws,
- 6 Social Security (DSS),
- 7 Someone else (SPECIFY AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 8 No-one,
- 9 Can't remember

{if R53qa = other}

**pR53qb**

ENTER OTHER PERSON(S): STRING [40]

{if married, then separated: R23q = married AND R24q = separated }

**pR54q**

Are you and your ex-partner now divorced?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R54q = yes}

**pR55qa**

When was the final date of your divorce?

FIRST ENTER YEAR...

: 1930..2001

{if R55q in 1930..2001}

**pR55qb**

THEN ENTER MONTH.

IF DK, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring...?'

ENTER MID-SEASON MONTH: SEE HELP <F9>

Mid-season months:

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{if R15q <> EMPTY (ever lived with) }

**pR56q**

When you broke up with your partner, who made the decision to separate?

- 1        You,
- 2        Your former partner,
- 3        A joint decision,
- 4        No decision necessary - only a short term relationship

**pR57q**

When you separated, did your partner leave you or did you leave your partner?

- 1        Partner left respondent,
- 2        Respondent left partner

{if R57q = Partner left }

**pR58q**

When your partner left, did he/she leave willingly?

- 1        Yes,
- 2        No,
- 3        Can't say

{ if R15q <> EMPTY (ever lived with), or  
if R24q = died, this partner died }

**pR59q**

Just before you separated was your partner working full time?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

**pR100q**

Sometimes, separating or divorcing partners receive property or capital from a former partner (or non-resident parent) over and above that to which they had personally contributed. This is often called a 'clean break' settlement.

Did you receive from your former partner any of his/her share of the value of a house or flat?

- 1        Yes
- 2        No

{if R100q = yes}

**pR101q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q <> EMPTY (all who entered this segment) }

**pR102q**

Did you receive any of his/her share of any savings or investments?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R102q = yes}

**pR103q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q <> EMPTY (all who entered this segment) }

**pR104q**

Did you receive any of his/her share of any other property?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{if R104q = yes}

**pR105q**

How much would you say this was worth at the time?

ENTER AMOUNT OF SHARE RESPONDENT GAINED.

: 0..999997

{if R100q = yes or R102q = yes or R104q = yes}

**pR106q**

Did you accept this exchange for lower maintenance, or instead of any maintenance at all, or did this not affect any maintenance?

- 1 Exchange for lower maintenance,
- 2 Instead of maintenance,
- 3 Did not affect maintenance

## BLOCK P: PROXY PARTNER INTERVIEW

### **Pprox**

INTERVIEWER CODE: WHAT IS THE STATUS OF THE PARTNER INTERVIEW?:

- 1 FULL PARTNER INTERVIEW ABOUT TO START,
- 2 PARTNER UNAVAILABLE / DON'T EXPECT PARTNER INTERVIEW,
- 3 PARTNER INTERVIEW EXPECTED)

{If partner unavailable}

### **Partun**

Can I just check a few details regarding your partner's situation?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If partner expected}

### **Partexp**

We hope to carry out a short interview with your partner. Before that interview, may I just check a couple of details about his/her situation?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Partun=yes or Partexp=yes}

### **Pphea**

Does your partner have any long-standing illness, disability or infirmity?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Partun=yes or Partexp=yes}

### **PpCare**

Does your partner care for anyone because they have a long-standing illness, disability or infirmity?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

{If Partun=yes or Partexp=yes}

{If relation=partner and empstat=works more than 16 hours a week or works less than 16 hours a week}

### **Pcemp**

Is (Name of partner) currently working as an employee or is he/she self-employed?:

- 1 Employee,
- 2 Self-employed

{If PPemp=employee}

### **PPay**

How much does (Name of partner) get paid, that is after all deductions for tax, national insurance, pension contributions, union dues and so on, but including overtime, bonuses, commission, tips etc.

PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE.

**ENTER AMOUNT TO NEAREST £**

:1..99997

**PPperd**

And for what period did this pay cover?

- 1 One week
- 2 Two weeks
- 3 Three weeks
- 4 Four weeks
- 5 Calendar month
- 6 Two Calendar months
- 7 Eight times a year
- 8 Nine times a year
- 9 Ten times a year
- 10 Three months/13 weeks
- 11 Six months/26 weeks
- 12 One Year/12 months/52 weeks
- 13 Less than one week
- 14 One off/lump sum
- 15 None of these (EXPLAIN IN A NOTE)

{Textfill Partner= partner's name from household grid}

{If empstat not working more than 16 hours a week}

**Peverwk**

Has (Name of partner) ever worked in a paid job, or as a self-employed person for more than 16 hours a week?

:Yes,No,DK,RF

{If Peverwk=yes}

**Plstwky**

When did (Name of partner) last work in a job, or as a self-employed person for 16 or more hours a week?

FIRST ENTER THE YEAR. :

:1930..2001

{{Soft check: if >1970, display: Are you sure?}}

INTERVIEWER: CODE '00' IF NEVER HAD A JOB}

**Plstwkm**

NOW ENTER THE MONTH.

IF DON'T KNOW, ASK 'Was it Winter, Spring ..' AND ENTER THE MID-SEASON MONTHS:1..12

{If peverwk=yes}

**Ppemp**

In (Name of partner) 's last job where he/she worked 16 hours a week or more, was he/she an employee or self-employed?:

- 1 Employee,
- 2 Self-employed

{If (Xempstat[2]=working more than 16 hours a week) OR (Peverwk=Yes) then}

**PPSIC**

'What (does/did) the firm or organisation (name of partner) works/worked for mainly make or do (at the place where he/she works/worked)?'

'What (does/did) (name of partner) (or his/her business) mainly make or do?'

DESCRIBE FULLY - PROBE MANUFACTURING or PROCESSING or DISTRIBUTING ETC.  
AND MAIN GOODS PRODUCED, MATERIALS USED, WHOLESALE or RETAIL ETC.

HELP <F9>

The answer that you need to record should be an **activity**, not a title, name or a vague heading (eg. leisure industry, health care, motor trade).: OPEN

**PPJobT**

What is/was (name of partner)'s (*last*) main job (*in which (he/she) worked for 16 hours a week or more*)?

ENTER JOB TITLE.

IF PARTNER HAS MORE THAN ONE JOB, THE MAIN JOB IS THE ONE THEY WORK(ED) IN THE MOST HOURS/ IF WORK(ED) IN BOTH JOBS FOR THE SAME NUMBER OF HOURS THE MAIN JOB IS THE MOST RENUMERATIVE.

:OPEN

**PPJobDe**

What (does/did) (Name of partner) mainly do in his/her (*last*) main job?

DESCRIBE FULLY - PROBE FOR DETAILS OF WHAT THEY DO. FOR EXAMPLE, IF A TEACHER, PROBE FOR WHETHER TEACH PRIMARY OR SECONDARY PUPILS. IF AN ENGINEER, PROBE FOR TYPE OF ENGINEER - ELECTRICAL, CHEMICAL, CIVIL ETC. ENTER DESCRIPTION.: OPEN

**PPtrain**

What training or qualifications (does/did) (Name of partner) need for that job?

ENTER FULL DESCRIPTION, INCLUDING GRADE OR LEVEL WHERE APPROPRIATE QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED FOR JOB

: open

{If currently in work of 16 hours or more or has ever been in work of 16 hrs or more}

**PPman**

(Does/Did) (Name of partner) have any formal responsibilities for supervising the work of other employees?

DO NOT INCLUDE PEOPLE WHO ONLY SUPERVISE:

CHILDREN, E.G. TEACHERS, NANNIES, CHILDMINDERS@/- ANIMALS

SECURITY OR BUILDINGS, E.G. CARETAKERS, SECURITY GUARDS

1 Yes

2 No

{IF (PPman = YES)}

**PPSup**

Please describe the type of responsibility (Name of partner) have/has/had for supervising the work of other employees.

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR WHO AND WHAT IS BEING SUPERVISED

: OPEN

**PPnoemp**

How many employees (are/were) there at the place where (Name of partner) works/worked?

Are/were there ... READ OUT...

HELP<F9>

This is the total number of employees within the 'local unit' at which the respondent works (the location where their job is mainly carried out). Normally this is a single building, part of a building, or at the largest, a self-contained group of buildings.:

1 1-9,

2 10-24,

3 25-499,

4 or 500 or more



{If Ppemp= self employed}

**Pslfem**

Is/Was (Name of partner) working on his/her own or does/did he/she have employees?:

- 1 Working on own,
- 2 Has employees

{If Pslfem=yes}

**Pslfno**

How many people does/did (Name of partner) employ at the place where he/she works/worked?:

- 1 1-9,
- 2 10-24,
- 3 25-499,
- 4 or 500 or more

{All}

**Pacedq**

SHOW CARD PPRX01

What is the highest educational qualification that (Name of partner) has obtained?

HIGHEST = NEAREST THE END OF THE LIST.:

- 1 GCSE grade D-G / CSE grade 2-5 / SCE O Grades (D-E) /  
SCE Standard Grades (4-7) / SCOTVEC National Certificate Modules,
- 2 GCSE grade A-C / GCE 'O'-level passes / CSE grade 1 /  
SCE O Grades (A-C) / SCE Standard Grades (1-3) /  
School Certificate / Matriculation,
- 3 GCE 'A'-level / AS level / SCE Higher Grades (A-C),
- 4 First degree, eg BSc, BA, BEd, MA at first degree level,
- 5 Higher degree, eg MSc, MA, MBA, PGCE, PhD,
- 6 Other **academic** qualifications (PLEASE GIVE DETAILS),
- 7 No, none of these
- 8 *Has qualification, level unknown*

{CHECK:

IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER GIVEN AT AcaQual AND ONE OF THEM IS 'None',  
DISPLAY HARD CHECK: 'NONE' IS AN EXCLUSIVE CODE.}

{if Pacedq = Other}

**Pacedqo**

INTERVIEWER: SPECIFY OTHER QUALIFICATION(S). RECORD AS MUCH DETAIL AS POSSIBLE, EG AWARDING BODY, LEVEL OF QUALIFICATION. :open

**Pvocq**

SHOW CARD PPRX02

Does (Name of partner) have any professional, vocational or other work-related qualifications?

CODE ALL THAT APPLY

INTERVIEWER: THERE ARE 12 CODES.:

SET [9] OF

- 1 Level 1 NVQ/SVQ / Foundation GNVQ/GSVQ,
- 2 Level 2 NVQ/SVQ / Intermediate GNVQ/GSVQ,
- 3 Level 3 NVQ/SVQ / Advanced GNVQ/GSVQ,
- 4 Level 4 NVQ/SVQ,
- 5 Level 5 NVQ/SVQ,
- 6 NVQ/SVQ - not sure what level,
- 7 City & Guilds Part 1 / RSA Certificate,
- 8 BTEC First/General Certificate / BEC/TEC General/  
City & Guilds Part 2/Craft/Intermediate/  
RSA Advanced Diploma/Certificate,
- 9 BTEC National Certificate/Diploma/ City & Guilds Part 3/  
Final or Advanced Craft/ ONC/OND,

- 10 BEC (Higher)/TEC (Higher)/ BTEC (Higher) /  
City & Guilds Part 4/ HNC / HND,
- 11 Other **vocational** or **pre-vocational** qualification  
(PLEASE GIVE DETAILS AT NEXT QUESTION),
- 12 No, none of these
- 13 *City and Guilds/RSA – not sure what level*
- 14 *Other specific answer, not codeable to 1-13*
- 97 *Other vague answer, not codeable to 1-14*

{\* CHECK\*

IF MORE THAN ONE ANSWER GIVEN AT VocQual AND ONE OF THEM IS 'None',  
DISPLAY HARD CHECK: 'NONE' IS AN EXCLUSIVE CODE.}

{If Pvocq = other}

**Pvocqa**

INTERVIEWER: ENTER DETAILS OF OTHER VOCATIONAL OR **PRE-VOCATIONAL**  
QUALIFICATION. (NB THE NEXT QUESTION DEALS WITH ACADEMIC  
QUALIFICATIONS, SO THEY SHOULD NOT BE RECORDED HERE.)

: open

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Has this questionnaire been completed by the: Respondent

☐ 1

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OR Partner ☐ 2

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### *WHAT DO YOU THINK?*

Please answer each question by ticking ONE box **3**

1 *All things considered, how happy are you?* (3) 216

Very happy ☐ 1

Fairly happy ☐ 2

Not very happy ☐ 3

Not at all happy ☐ 4

2 *Which of these two statements is most true for you?* (3) 217

I never really seem to get what I want out of life ☐ 1

I usually get what I want out of life ☐ 2

3 *Which of these two statements is most true for you?* (3) 218

I usually have free choice and control over my life ☐ 1

Whatever I do has no real effect on what happens to me ☐ 2

4 *Which of these two statements is most true for you?* (3) 219

Usually I can run my life more or less as I want to ☐ 1

I usually find life's problems just too much for me ☐ 2

- 5 *Below are a number of statements which people sometimes make about themselves. Please read each statement and tick the box which indicates how much you agree or disagree with what it says.*
























































	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	
	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	
On the whole I am satisfied with myself	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	220
At times I think I am no good at all	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	221
I feel that I have a number of good qualities	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	222
I am able to do things as well as most other people	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	223
I feel I do not have much to be proud of	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	224
I certainly feel useless at times	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	225
I feel that I am a person of worth, at least on an equal plane with others	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	226
I wish I could have more respect for myself	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	227
All in all, I am inclined to feel that I am a failure	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	228
I take a positive attitude towards myself	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	229









































6 *We are interested in your views about how families manage these days, through work and other means. Here are a number of statements - the sort of things that people have different views about. What do you think?*

*To what extent do you agree or disagree with the statements below?*

*Please tick ONE box for each statement*

	Strongly agree (3)	Agree (3)	Uncertain (3)	Disagree (3)	Strongly disagree (3)	
Couples with children should do everything they can to stay together, even if they are not getting on with each other	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	230
A person must have a job to feel a full member of society	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	231
A woman and her family will all benefit if she has a paid job	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	232
People with jobs should not get social security benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	233
Social security benefits should take into account what you have to pay out	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	234
I'd do almost anything to avoid getting into debt	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	235
If their child is ill, and both parents work, the mother should take time off work	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	236
My job is to look after the home and family	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	237
Every family, in or out of work, should be guaranteed a decent standard of living	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	238

	Strongly agree (3)	Agree (3)	Uncertain (3)	Disagree (3)	Strongly disagree (3)	
Having almost any job is better than being unemployed	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	239
It is less important for a woman to go out to work than it is for a man	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	240
If I didn't like a job, I'd pack it in, even if there was no other job to go to	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	241
No one should ever feel badly about claiming Social Security benefit	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	242
Children can be better off living with just one parent	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	243
People living on Social Security benefits are not really part of society	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	244
Women with school aged children should never work full-time	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	245
There is never any point in worrying about debts	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	246
Working for pay is more fulfilling than looking after the home	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	247
Once you've got a job, it's important to hang to it, even if you don't really like it	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	248
If you live on Social Security benefits, everyone looks down on you	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	249

	Strongly agree (3)	Agree (3)	Uncertain (3)	Disagree (3)	Strongly disagree (3)	
People with mortgages should not get Social Security benefits	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	250
A job is alright, but I really want to be with my children at home	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	251
Women have the right to choose to be supported by the state at home with their children, even if they have no husband or partner	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	252
If you live on Social Security, you have to try to hide it from the rest of your family	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	253
Most people like me are better off on the dole	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	254
It is just wrong for a woman with children under five years old to go out to work	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	255
Only the poorest families should be allowed Social Security benefits	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	256
Having a job is the best way for me to be an independent person	 1	 2	 3	 4	 5	257

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*Thank you very much for your help.*

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1. Working 16 or more hours
2. Working fewer than 16 hours
3. Unemployed and seeking work
4. On a training scheme
5. Full-time education / at school
6. Sick / disabled (up to 6 months)
7. Sick / disabled (6 months or longer)
8. Looking after the home or family
9. Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
10. Retired
11. Other activity



**White**

- 1 British
- 2 Any other White background (Please describe)

**Mixed**

- 3 White and Black Caribbean
- 4 White and Black African
- 5 White and Asian
- 6 Any other Mixed background (Please describe)

**Asian or Asian British**

- 7 Indian
- 8 Pakistani
- 9 Bangladeshi
- 10 Any other Asian background (Please describe)

**Black or Black British**

- 11 Caribbean
- 12 African
- 13 Any other Black background

**Chinese or other ethnic group**

- 14 Chinese
- 15 Any other (Please describe)

1. Problems with arms, legs, hands, feet, back or neck (including arthritis or rheumatism)
2. Difficulty in seeing
3. Difficulty in hearing
4. Skin conditions, allergies
5. Chest, breathing problems, asthma, bronchitis
6. Heart, blood pressure or blood circulation problems
7. Stomach, liver, kidney or digestive problems
8. Diabetes
9. Depression, bad nerves
10. Mental illness or suffer from phobia, panics or other nervous disorders
11. Learning difficulties (or mental handicap)
12. Epilepsy
13. Other health problems or disabilities

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11. Learning difficulties (or mental handicap)
12. Epilepsy
13. Childhood congenital conditions
14. Other health problems or disabilities

1. GCSEs, any grades A\*-G
2. Scottish Standard Grades (SCEs)
3. None of these

1. Well above average
2. Slightly above average
3. Average
4. Slightly below average
5. Well below average

1. Every day
2. Most days
3. Two or three days a week
4. At least once a week
5. At least once a month
6. At least once a term
7. Varies too much to say
8. Never

1. Less than half an hour
2. Half an hr - but less than 1 hr
3. 1 hr but less than 2½ hrs
4. 2½ hrs but less than 5 hrs
5. 5 hours or more

## **CARD I**

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1. All of it, or almost all
2. Most of it
3. About half of it
4. Some, but less than half
5. Not much
6. None



1. Continue in full time education
2. Go on a training course or start an apprenticeship
3. Get a full-time paid job (either as an employee or self-employed)
4. Work, unpaid, in the family business full-time
5. Work, unpaid, as a volunteer full-time
6. Start a family
7. Something else (please specify)

1. Gone to University
2. Gone to College
3. Had a full-time paid job (either as an employee or self-employed)
4. Worked unpaid in the family business full-time
5. Worked unpaid as a volunteer full-time
6. Started a family
7. Left home
8. Been travelling
9. Other (please specify)

1. Armed forces
2. Manager or senior official in someone else's business  
*eg shop manager, marketing or sales manager, health service manager, bank manager, transport manager, farm manager, office manager*
3. Running their own business
4. Professional or technical  
*eg teacher, stockbroker, lawyer, engineer, architect, doctor, accountant, nurse, computer programmer, musician, train driver, police officer, graphic designer, footballer, journalist, photographer, financial adviser, insurance broker, personnel officer, RSPCA inspector*
5. Administrative, clerical or secretarial  
*eg bank clerk, typist, secretary, civil service or local government clerical officer, VDU operator, trade union official, bookkeeper, telephonist*
6. Skilled trade  
*eg tool maker, electrician, fitter, motor mechanic, dressmaker, printer, carpenter, baker, builder, chef, gardener, farmer, fisherman, sheet metal worker, welder, roofer, stone mason, glassblower, florist*
7. Caring, leisure, travel or personal services  
*eg ambulance driver, dental nurse, nursery nurse, veterinary assistant, travel agent, holiday rep, hairdresser, beautician, caretaker, undertaker*
8. Sales or customer service  
*eg shop assistant, widow dresser, market trader, sales representative, customer care adviser*
9. Plant, process or machine drivers or operators  
*eg assembly line worker, miner, packer, sewing machinist, asphalter, lorry driver, taxi driver, crane driver*
10. Other jobs such as *labourers, packers, shelf-fillers, couriers, porters, bar staff, waiters, cleaners, security guards and wardens*
11. Something else (please specify)

1. Owned outright
2. Being bought on a mortgage / bank loan
3. Shared ownership (owns and rents property)
4. Rented from a Council or New Town
5. Rented from a Housing Association
6. Rented privately
7. Rent free
8. Some other arrangement

1. Rising damp in floor & walls
2. Water getting in from roof, gutters or windows
3. Bad condensation problems
4. Electrical wiring
5. Plumbing
6. General rot and decay
7. Problems with insects
8. Problems with mice or rats
9. Other repairs (please specify)

1. GCSE grade D-G  
CSE grade 2-5  
SCE O Grades D-E  
SCE Standard Grades 4-7  
SCOTVEC National Certificate Modules
2. GCSE grade A-C  
GCE 'O'-level passes  
CSE grade 1  
SCE O Grades A-C  
SCE Standard Grades 1-3  
School Certificate / Matriculation
3. GCE 'A'-level or AS level  
SCE Higher Grades A-C
4. First degree, e.g. BSc, BA, BEd, MA at first degree level
5. Higher degree, e.g. MSc, MA, MBA, PGCE, PhD
6. Other academic qualifications (please specify)

1. Level 1 NVQ or SVQ  
Foundation GNVQ or GSVQ
2. Level 2 NVQ or SVQ  
Intermediate GNVQ/GSVQ
3. Level 3 NVQ or SVQ  
Advanced GNVQ or GSVQ
4. Level 4 NVQ or SVQ
5. Level 5 NVQ or SVQ
6. NVQ, SVQ or GNVQ - not sure what level
7. City & Guilds Part 1, RSA Certificate
8. BTEC First or General Certificate  
BEC or TEC General  
City & Guilds Part 2, Craft or Intermediate  
RSA Advanced Diploma or Certificate
9. BTEC National Certificate or Diploma  
City & Guilds Part 3, Final or Advanced Craft  
ONC or OND
10. BEC Higher or TEC Higher  
BTEC Higher  
City & Guilds Part 4  
HNC or HND
11. Other vocational or pre-vocational qualifications (please specify)

1. New Deal for lone parents
2. New Deal for 18-24 year olds
3. New Deal for long-term unemployed people (over 25)
4. New Deal for Disabled People
5. New Deal for partners of unemployed people
6. New Deal for over 50s



1. GCSE or SCE
2. GCE 'A'-level or AS level or SCE Higher
3. Level 1 NVQ or SVQ  
Foundation GNVQ or GSVQ
4. Level 2 NVQ or SVQ  
Intermediate GNVQ or GSVQ
5. Level 3 NVQ or SVQ  
Advanced GNVQ or GSVQ
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RSA Advanced Diploma or Certificate
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City & Guilds Part 3, Final or Advanced Craft  
ONC or OND
12. BEC or TEC Higher, BTEC Higher  
City & Guilds Part 4  
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14. Higher degree, e.g. MSc, MA, MBA, PGCE, PhD
15. Other qualification (please specify)

## **CARD S**

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1. Up to 6 months time
2. 6 but less than 12 months time
3. 1 but less than 2 years time
4. 2 but less than 5 years time
5. 5 years or more

1. Working 16 or more hours
2. Working fewer than 16 hours
3. Unemployed and seeking work
4. On a training scheme
5. Full-time education / at school
6. Sick / disabled (up to 6 months)
7. Sick / disabled (6 months or longer)
8. Looking after the home or family
9. Caring for a sick, elderly or disabled person
10. Retired
11. Other (please specify)

1. Partner or ex-partner
2. Parent(s) or parent(s) in-law
3. Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
4. Other relative or friend
5. Nursery or crèche
6. Nursery school or playgroup
7. Registered childminder
8. Unregistered childminder
9. Live in nanny or Au pair
10. Other daily or shared nanny
11. After school or holiday play scheme
12. I only work(ed) during school hours
13. Old enough to look after themselves
14. I take or took them to work with me
15. I work(ed) at home
16. Other

1. Look(ed) after his or her child(ren) in return
2. Do (did) him/her a favour
3. Give (gave) him/her a gift or treat
4. Something else
5. None of these

1. Partner or ex-partner
2. Parent(s) or parent(s) in-law
3. Child(ren)'s older brother or sister
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7. Registered childminder
8. Unregistered childminder
9. Live in nanny or Au pair
10. Other daily or shared nanny
11. After school or holiday play scheme
12. I would only work during school hours
13. Old enough to look after themselves
14. I would take them to work with me
15. I would work at home
16. Other

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12. I would only work during term-time
13. Old enough to look after themselves
14. I would take them to work with me
15. I would work at home
16. Other



1. It was a fixed term or temporary job
2. You were made redundant
3. You were dismissed
4. You were pregnant
5. For health reasons
6. You decided to leave yourself
7. College or full-time study
8. Wanted to look after family
9. Childcare broke down
10. Breakdown of marriage or relationship
11. Another reason (please specify)

1. Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit)
2. Income Support
3. Maintenance
4. Housing Benefit
5. Council Tax Benefit
6. Child Benefit
7. Other benefits
8. Income from lodgers
9. Student grant
10. Other source

1. Incapacity Benefit (previously Invalidity Benefit)
2. Severe Disablement Allowance (SDA)
3. Statutory Sick Pay (SSP)
4. Attendance Allowance
5. Disability Living Allowance - care component
6. Disability Living Allowance - mobility component or motability allowance
7. Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit
8. War Pension
9. Invalid Care Allowance (ICA)
10. Disabled Persons Tax Credit (formerly Disability Working Allowance)
11. Some other benefit for people with disabilities

1. Income Support
2. Council Tax Benefit
3. Working Families Tax Credit (formerly Family Credit)
4. Maternity Allowance
5. Statutory Maternity Pay
6. Widows Benefit, Bereavement Allowance or Widowed Parent's (formerly Widowed Mother's) Allowance
7. Job Seeker's Allowance (was Unemployment Benefit)
8. New Deal Allowance
9. State Retirement Pension
10. Earnings Top-Up
11. Some other state benefit (NOT Housing Benefit or Child Benefit)

1. Incapacity Benefit (previously Invalidity Benefit)
2. Severe Disablement Allowance (SDA)
3. Invalid Care Allowance (ICA)
4. Disability premium with your Income Support / Housing Benefit
5. Disabled Persons Tax Credit (formerly Disability Working Allowance)
6. Statutory Sick Pay (SSP)
7. Attendance Allowance
8. Disability Living Allowance - care component
9. Disability Living Allowance - mobility or motability allowance
10. Some other benefit for people with disabilities

1. Bank or Building Society deposit account
2. Bank or Building Society current account
3. Post Office
4. Building Society savings or investment account
5. Friendly society or savings club
6. Premium bonds
7. Family bonds
8. Credit Union
9. National Savings
10. TESSA
11. Individual Savings Account (ISA): cash based
12. Individual Savings Account (ISA): stocks & shares based
13. Any other savings

1. I look after all the household's money (except some personal spending money for my partner, if any)
2. My partner looks after all the household's money (except my personal spending money, if any)
3. I am given a housekeeping allowance. My partner looks after the rest of the money
4. We share and manage our finances jointly
5. We keep our finances completely separate
6. Some other way (please specify)

1. Free prescriptions
2. Help with buying glasses
3. Free eye tests
4. Free school meals
5. Free NHS dental treatment
6. Baby milk tokens
7. Fares to hospital
8. Loft insulation
9. Legal aid



1. I just got a new job
2. My partner just got a new job
3. Just found out about WFTC/Family Credit
4. Transferred from Family Credit/ renewing WFTC
5. I was earning less money or my hours were reduced
6. My partner was earning less money or their hours were reduced
7. I had just started a family
8. I had stopped working
9. My partner had stopped working
10. Just separated / divorced
11. I acquired a ready-made family (Step-family)
12. Hours of work increased
13. Some other reason (please specify)

1. Child Benefit
2. One Parent Benefit
3. Housing Benefit / Rent rebate
4. Income Support
5. Social Fund loan
6. Social Fund grant
7. Maintenance
8. Earnings
9. Other source of income

## **CARD KK**

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1. Free prescriptions
2. Help with eye tests or spectacles
3. Free NHS dental treatment
4. Baby milk at reduced prices
5. Help with fares to hospital
6. Help toward loft insulation

1. We have this
2. We would like to have this, but cannot afford it at the moment
3. We do not want / need this at the moment

1. Behind with the electricity bill
2. Behind with the gas bill
3. Behind with other fuel bills like coal or oil
4. Behind with Council Tax
5. Behind with Insurance policies
6. Behind with telephone bill
7. Behind with television / video rental or HP
8. Behind with other HP payments
9. Behind with water rates

1. Credit cards (like Access, Visa etc)
2. Charge cards (like American Express, Diners Club)
3. Shop or store cards (like Marks and Spencer, BHS etc)
4. Catalogues / mail order schemes

**CARD 00**

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1. A bank overdraft
2. A fixed term loan from the Bank or Building Society (not a mortgage)
3. A loan from a finance company
4. A loan from a money lender or tally man
5. A loan from a friend or relative
6. A loan or advance on wages from your employer
7. None of these

## **CARD PP**

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1. We manage very well
2. We manage quite well
3. We get by alright
4. We don't manage very well
5. We have some financial difficulties
6. We are in deep financial trouble



**CARD QQ**

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1. Both of us working 16 or more hours a week
2. One of us working 16 hours or more a week
3. Neither of us working 16 or more hours a week
4. Neither of us working
5. Don't know

1. GCSE grade D-G  
CSE grade 2-5  
SCE O Grades D-E  
SCE Standard Grades 4-7  
SCOTVEC National Certificate Modules
2. GCSE grade A-C  
GCE O-level passes  
CSE grade 1  
SCE O Grades A-C  
SCE Standard Grades 1-3  
School Certificate or Matriculation
3. GCE 'A'-level or AS level  
SCE Higher Grades A-C
4. First degree, eg BSc, BA, BEd,  
MA at first degree level
5. Higher degree, eg MSc, MA, MBA,  
PGCE, PhD
6. Other *academic* qualifications  
(please specify)
7. No, none of these

1. Level 1 NVQ or SVQ  
Foundation GNVQ or GSVQ
2. Level 2 NVQ or SVQ  
Intermediate GNVQ or GSVQ
3. Level 3 NVQ or SVQ  
Advanced GNVQ or GSVQ
4. Level 4 NVQ or SVQ
5. Level 5 NVQ or SVQ
6. NVQ, SVQ or GNVQ - not sure what level
7. City & Guilds Part 1, RSA Certificate
8. BTEC First or General Certificate  
BEC or TEC General  
City & Guilds Part 2, Craft or Intermediate  
RSA Advanced Diploma or Certificate
9. BTEC National Certificate or Diploma  
City & Guilds Part 3, Final or Advanced Craft  
ONC or OND
10. BEC Higher or TEC Higher  
BTEC Higher  
City & Guilds Part 4  
HNC or HND
11. Other vocational or pre-vocational qualifications (please specify)

## **CARD Par1**

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1. This neighbourhood
2. This town
3. This county
4. This region
5. Elsewhere in Britain
6. Abroad

1. Boyfriend or girlfriend
2. Friends
3. Parents
4. Brother or sister
5. In-laws
6. Children
7. Clergy, minister, rabbi or priest
8. Counsellor
9. Someone else
10. No-one
11. Can't remember

1. Boyfriend or girlfriend
2. Friends
3. Parents
4. Brother or sister
5. In-laws
6. Social Security (DSS)
7. Someone else (please specify)
8. No-one
9. Can't remember