

PT230: PRESENCE OF MOTHER WHEN RESPONDENT WAS AROUND 14 YEARS OLD

Topic and detailed topic: Income, consumption and elements of wealth, including debts / Intergenerational transmission of advantages and disadvantages

Variable type: Every 6 years

Unit: All current household members or selected respondent (if applicable) aged 25-59

Reference period: When respondent was around 14 years old

Mode of collection: Personal interview (proxy as an exception for persons temporarily away or in incapacity)

In use (period): Yes, 2019, 2023

Series' differences: No changes

VALUES AND FORMAT

- 1 Yes
- 2 No, she did not live in the same household but I had contact
- 3 No, she did not live in the same household and I had no contact
- 4 No, deceased

FLAGS

- 1 Filled
- 1 Missing
- 2 Not applicable (lived in a collective household or institution)
- 3 Not "selected respondent"
- 6 Not in age range (25-59)
- 7 Not applicable (not collected according to the implementation of the "multiannual rolling planning")

DESCRIPTION

This variable aims to obtain information on whether the respondent's mother was present in their life. If the respondent did not live with their mother, it collects information on whether the respondent had contact with the parent.

The **mother** should be considered as a person who actually raised the respondent and acted as their mother, e.g. the female guardian, **stepmother, adoptive mother, mother figure, etc.**

If the mother did not live in the same household and the respondent had no contact with them, further information about the mother should not be collected.

If the parents of the respondent were divorced or separated and shared custody (50% of the time for each parent), the respondent has the option to:

- select their household on an objective basis, taking into account their main address when they were around 14 years old (i.e. the one in the population register and/or on their ID card or passport);
- select their household on a subjective basis according to where they felt more at home when they were around 14 years old. If the parents of the respondent were divorced or separated and did not share custody equally, the household should be the one where the respondent lived all or most of the time.

For a person with two male parents, this variable could be used to report the presence of one of the fathers.