Whole Person – Sample Categories and Values

This file contains examples of categories and values for those categories that you can use for you definition of your Whole Person at age 30.

Personal Related Items

Personal Relationship, e.g.

- I am single but I realize it is time to settle down and look for a serious relationship
- I am in a serious relationship and feel it will lead to a long term commitment
- I am living with someone and planning on getting married in the next year
- I have been married for two years and we are planning on having our first child soon

Parenting, e.g.

- I have become a parent and I am not repeating the mistakes I saw my parents make.
- Being a parent is both really rewarding and really challenging

Location e.g.

- I have left the Bay Area for a rural area near the Bay Area. I love the slower life style.
- I have lived in Europe for the last 4 years but have just moved back.
- I stayed in Boston after college, met my boy friend there and we are still living there
- I joined a company that has moved me every two years.

Extended Family, e.g.

- Your parents, e.g. I finally resolved my differences with my mother and she treats me as the adult woman I am
- Your siblings, e.g. we continue to have the close relationship we had growing up and in fact it has even gotten better.

Friends, e.g.

- I am still in touch with my high school friends
- Some of my best college friends work in the same city and we still get together
- I have become really good friends with a person from work and another two of my previous roommates

Your Health, e.g.

- I am as fit as when I was 20, running twice a week, biking every weekend, playing tennis every weekend, strong heart, good weight
- I am in better shape than my fellow 30 year old friends

Your Financial Situation, e.g.

- I have saved enough money to buy my first condo or house.
- I never have to worry about money.
- While I have not saved much money I have had a lot of amazing travel experiences

Community, e.g.

- I am on the Board of the Boys/Girls Club
- I am going to start giving back to my community now that I feel settled in this city

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Work Related Items

Commute, e.g.

- I work from home.
- I live in the city and take a 15 minute subway ride to work everyday
- I live in a beautiful home in a high end town outside the city, but it requires an hour commute. I think it is worth it for the schools.

Your Social Work Environment, e.g.

- I work with others who also find this work meaningful and have the same passion for it.
- I started out in a large company but switched into a smaller one where I could relate to the other employees
- I work in a fast paced world with super smart people

Your Physical Work Environment, e.g.

- I work in an amazing Silicon Valley type office we have free lunches, a gym, etc.
- I work in the middle of Manhattan with restaurants, bars and theaters all around me.
- I work in converted barn in a rural area, but it is much better than my job in the city

Company Market, e.g.

- Our company is helping solve the energy crisis and I am really proud of that
- We make products I can actually use
- Our products are leading edge