CODEBOOK Robin Hood 2018-2019 30m Follow-up Survey

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you needed help with or received services for any of the following? A physical or mental health issue, including an accident, injury, or illness

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b1_2

In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Finding adequate or affordable housing

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b1_3

In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Paying for food or bills

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b1_4

In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Getting or keeping public benefits

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b1_5

In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? A major unanticipated expense

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b1_6	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Care or services for an elderly or disabled family member 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b1_7	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Finding work or a job 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b1_8	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Legal issues 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b1_9	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Financial planning or tax preparation 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b1_10	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Anything else? (PLEASE SPECIFY) 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know

99. Refused

q10b1_12	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help with or received services for any of the following? Did not need help with any of the above 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b2_1	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Academic performance or school readiness 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b2_2	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Finding safe, affordable child care or after-school care 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b2_3	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Behavior issues or acting out 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b2_4	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Emotional or development issues 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know

99. Refused

q10b2_5	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Anything else? (PLEASE SPECIFY) 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b2_6	In the past 6 months, was there a time when you needed help for any of your children, such as help with Did not need help with any of the above 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b4_1	What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with a physical or mental health issue, including an accident, injury, or illness? 1. I didn't know where to go 2. I couldn't afford it 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work 4. I was worried what other people would think 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself 6. I didn't have time 7. I was already getting help with the physical/mental health issue 8. Other 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b4_2	What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with finding adequate or affordable housing? 1. I didn't know where to go

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help with finding adequate/affordable housing
- 8. Other

- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b4_3

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with paying for food or bills?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help with paying for food/bills
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b4_4

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with getting or keeping public benefits?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help with getting/keeping public benefits
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b4_5

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with a major unanticipated expense?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help with the expense
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know

99. Refused

q10b4_6 What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with care or services for an elderly or disabled family member? 1. I didn't know where to go 2. I couldn't afford it 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work 4. I was worried what other people would think 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself 6. I didn't have time 7. I was already getting help with care for an elderly/disabled family member 8. Other 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b4_7 What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with finding work or a job? 1. I didn't know where to go 2. I couldn't afford it 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work 4. I was worried what other people would think 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself 6. I didn't have time 7. I was already getting help finding work 8. Other 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b4_8 What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with legal issues? 1. I didn't know where to go 2. I couldn't afford it 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work 4. I was worried what other people would think 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself 6. I didn't have time 7. I was already getting help w/ legal issues 8. Other 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b4_9 What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with financial planning or tax

preparation?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help w/ finances
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b4_10

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with anything else?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help w/ anything else
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b5_1

Since the time you needed help with a physical or mental health issue, including an accident, injury, or illness, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same?

- 1. Got better
- 2. Got worse
- 3. Stayed the same
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b5_2

Since the time you needed help with finding adequate or affordable housing, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same?

- 1. Got better
- 2. Got worse
- 3. Stayed the same
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b5_3	Since the time you needed help with paying for food or bills, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b5_4	Since the time you needed help with getting or keeping public benefits, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b5_5	Since the time you needed help with a major
	unanticipated expense, did your situation get
	better, get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b5_6	Since the time you needed help with care or services for an elderly or disabled family
	member, did your situation get better, get
	worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b5_7	Since the time you needed help with finding
	work or a job, did your situation get better, get
	worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse

3. Stayed the same

	98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b5_8	Since the time you needed help with legal issues, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b5_9	Since the time you needed help with financial planning or tax preparation, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b5_10	Since the time you needed help with anything else, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b6_1	Thinking about the help you got for a physical or mental health issue, including an accident, injury, or illness, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed? 1. All the help I needed 2. Some of the help I needed 3. None of the help I needed 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b6_2	Thinking about the help you got for finding adequate or affordable housing, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you

97. No answer

needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b6_3

Thinking about the help you got for paying for food or bills, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b6_4

Thinking about the help you got for getting or keeping public benefits, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b6_5

Thinking about the help you got for a major unanticipated expense, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b6_6

Thinking about the help you got for care or services for an elderly or disabled family member, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b6_7	Thinking about the help you got for finding work or a job, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?
	1. All the help I needed
	2. Some of the help I needed
	3. None of the help I needed
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b6_8	Thinking about the help you got with legal
	issues, would you say that you got all, some, or
	none of the help you needed?
	1. All the help I needed
	2. Some of the help I needed
	3. None of the help I needed
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b6_9	Thinking about the help you got with financial
	planning or tax preparation, would you say that
	you got all, some, or none of the help you
	needed?
	1. All the help I needed
	2. Some of the help I needed
	3. None of the help I needed
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b6_10	Thinking about the help you got with anything
	else, would you say that you got all, some, or
	none of the help you needed?
	1. All the help I needed
	2. Some of the help I needed
	3. None of the help I needed 97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b7_1	After seeking help, did your situation get better,
4	get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer

q10b7_2 After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b7_3 After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b7_4 After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b7_5 After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10b7_6 After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused

98. Don't know 99. Refused

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q10b7_7	After seeking help, did your situation get better,
	get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer 98. Don't know
	99. Refused
	99. Refused
q10b7_8	After seeking help, did your situation get better,
	get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b7_9	After seeking help, did your situation get better,
4-00, _5	get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
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q10b7_10	After seeking help, did your situation get better,
	get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b10_1	What was the primary reason you decided not
	to seek help with academic performance or
	school readiness for a child?
	1. I didn't know where to go
	2. I couldn't afford it
	3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
	4. I was worried what other people would think
	5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
	6. I didn't have time
	7. I was already getting help w/ my child's
	academics
	8. Other

- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b10_2

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with finding safe, affordable child care or after-school care for a child?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help w/ finding child care
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b10_3

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with behavior issues or acting out for a child?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help w/ child's behavior
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b10_4

What was the primary reason you decided not to seek help with emotional or developmental issues for a child?

- 1. I didn't know where to go
- 2. I couldn't afford it
- 3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
- 4. I was worried what other people would think
- 5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
- 6. I didn't have time
- 7. I was already getting help w/ child's emotions
- 8. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b10_5	What was the primary reason you decided not
	to seek help with anything else for a child? 1. I didn't know where to go
	2. I couldn't afford it
	3. I tried to get help in the past and it didn't work
	4. I was worried what other people would think
	5. I wanted to take care of the problem myself
	6. I didn't have time
	7. I was already getting help w/ anything else
	8. Other
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b11_1	Since the time you needed help with academic
	performance or school readiness for a child, did
	your situation get better, get worse, or stay the
	same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same 97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused
q10b11_2	Since the time you needed help with finding
410011_2	safe, affordable child care or after-school care
	for a child, did your situation get better, get
	worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same
	97. No answer
	98. Don't know 99. Refused
	99. Refused
q10b11_3	Since the time you needed help with behavior
	issues or acting out for a child, did your situation
	get better, get worse, or stay the same?
	1. Got better
	2. Got worse
	3. Stayed the same 97. No answer
	98. Don't know
	99. Refused

Since the time you needed help with emotional

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or developmental issues for a child, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same?

- 1. Got better
- 2. Got worse
- 3. Stayed the same
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b11_5

Since the time you needed help with anything else for a child, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same?

- 1. Got better
- 2. Got worse
- 3. Stayed the same
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b12_1

Thinking about the help you got with academic performance or school readiness for a child, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b12_2

Thinking about the help you got with finding safe, affordable child care or after-school care for a child, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed
- 3. None of the help I needed
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10b12_3

Thinking about the help you got with behavior issues or acting out for a child, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed?

- 1. All the help I needed
- 2. Some of the help I needed

	98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b12_4	Thinking about the help you got with emotional or developmental issues for a child, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed? 1. All the help I needed 2. Some of the help I needed 3. None of the help I needed 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b12_5	Thinking about the help you got with anything else for a child, would you say that you got all, some, or none of the help you needed? 1. All the help I needed 2. Some of the help I needed 3. None of the help I needed 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b13_1	After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b13_2	After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b13_3	After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse

3. None of the help I needed

97. No answer

q10c2_3	For each of the following, please think about
q10c2_2	For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Household garbage pick-up 1. Excellent 2. Good 3. Fair 4. Poor 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10c2_1	For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Control of street noise. 1. Excellent 2. Good 3. Fair 4. Poor 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b13_5	After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10b13_4	98. Don't know 99. Refused After seeking help, did your situation get better, get worse, or stay the same? 1. Got better 2. Got worse 3. Stayed the same 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
	97. NO answer

3. Stayed the same 97. No answer

your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Recycling services.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Rat control.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Graffiti control.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor:

Maintenance of streets and sidewalks.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about

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your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Removal of snow from city streets.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor:

Maintenance of your neighborhood's cleanliness.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor:

Availability of health care services.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Availability of cultural activities (such as concerts, plays, museums)

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

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For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Neighborhood parks.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

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For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Neighborhood playgrounds.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

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For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Fire protection services

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10c2_14

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Emergency medical services (ambulances, etc.).

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10c2_15

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Police-Community relations.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10c2_16

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Crime control

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10c2_17

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Bus services.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10c2_18

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Subway services.

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10g1	

For each of the following, please think about your neighborhood, and then select whether the service is excellent, good, fair, or poor: Public libraries (including bookmobiles, telephone reference services, or online services).

- 1. Excellent
- 2. Good
- 3. Fair
- 4. Poor
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

What is your current employment status? Are you...

- 1. Working Full-Time
- 2. Working Part-Time
- 3. On leave from a job or temporarily laid off
- 4. Looking for work
- 5. Unable to work
- 6. Keeping house
- 7. Going to school
- 8. Retired
- 9. Other (Please specify)
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Now please think about your main job. Including overtime, about how many hours per week do you usually work on your main job?

- 1. Entered number of hours
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10g1ax_tc

q10g1a

Now please think about your main job. Including overtime, about how many hours per week do you usually work on your main job? Top-coded at 90%.

[Entered numeric response]

970. No answer

q10g1b

Do you receive tips as part of your pay (for your main job)?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10g1c

Are you currently paid an hourly wage for your main job? (IF SELF-EMPLOYED OR FREELANCE: Do you charge a usual hourly rate?)

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Self-employed/freelance with usual hourly rate
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10g1f

Would you like to work more hours if you could?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10g1h_1

Have you personally benefited from the recent increase in the minimum wage in New York State?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't Know
- 99. Refused

q10g4

What is your spouse's/partner's current employment status? Are they...

- 1. Working Full-Time
- 2. Working Part-Time
- 3. On leave from a job or temporarily laid off
- 4. Looking for work
- 5. Unable to work
- 6. Keeping house
- 7. Going to school
- 8. Retired
- 9. Other (Please specify)
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

NOTE: Below core repeated questions from F and J Modules were only asked of individuals who did not complete this survey late (q9late==2).

q10f2

"We worried whether our food would run out before we got money to buy more." During the past 3 months would you say this was true...

- 1. Often
- 2. Sometimes
- 3. Never
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10f6

In the past 3 months, did you stay at a shelter, in an abandoned building, an automobile, or any other place not meant for regular housing, even for one night?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10f8

In the past 3 months, was your phone, gas, or electricity service ever cut off because there wasn't enough money to pay the bills?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10f9

In the past 3 months, was there a time when you or any member of your household needed to see a doctor, a dentist, or go to the hospital but couldn't go because of the cost?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10f10

In the past 3 months, how often did you run out of money between paychecks or before the end of the month? Would you say that happened...

1. Often

- 2. Sometimes
- 3. Never
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j1_1

Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have you moved in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j1_2

Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have you had child in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j1_3

Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have someone moved into your household in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j1_4

Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have someone moved out of your household in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j1_5 Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have you started a romantic relationship in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No. 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10j1_6 Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have you ended a romantic relationship in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10j1_7 Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. There was a change in your childcare arrangement in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10j1 8 Below is a list of things that sometimes happen to people. Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU in the past 3 months. Have you had to take time off work to talk to your child's teacher or guidance counselor in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No.

q10j2_1

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your

97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused household in the past 3 months. Has someone started a new job in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone lost a job in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone started to receive public benefits in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Have someone's public benefits been cut off in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone had an unanticipated major expense in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer

q10j2_3

q10j2_2

q10j2_4

q10j2_5

98. Don't know 99. Refused q10j2_6 Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone had a major increase in income in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused q10j2_7 Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone had a major decrease in income in the past 3 months? 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused

q10j2_8

q10j2_9

q10j2_11

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone had an accident, injury or illness that interfered with work or life in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your household in the past 3 months. Has someone been the victim of a crime in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No.
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

Please select which of the following, if any, have happened to YOU OR ANYONE in your

household in the past 3 months. Has someone lost or broke expensive belongings in the past 3 months?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10j3

In the past 3 months, were there any other major events or changes that affected your work or life?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h2a

Before your most recent move, did you rent or own your house or apartment, or have some other housing status?

- 1. Rent
- 2. Own
- 3. Other
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_1

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The landlord raised the rent

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_2

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? You wanted to be closer to work/easier commute

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_3	People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? You found a more affordable house or apartment 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10h3_4	People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The neighborhood was too dangerous 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10h3_5	People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The landlord wouldn't fix anything and your place was getting run down 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10h3_6	People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The landlord was harassing you 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10h3_7	People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The house or apartment went into foreclosure 1. Yes 2. No 97. No answer 98. Don't know 99. Refused
q10h3_8	People move for many reasons. Did any of the

following contribute to your most recent move? The city condemned the building

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_9

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? You or the person you were staying with missed a rent payment and you thought you might be evicted

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_10

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? The landlord told you or the person you were staying with to leave

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_11

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? You received an eviction notice

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10h3_12

People move for many reasons. Did any of the following contribute to your most recent move? Other reason

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 97. No answer
- 98. Don't know
- 99. Refused

q10weight_p

Person level longitudinal weight

Family level longitudinal weight

Appendix A

Overview

This memo details our approach to survey weighting, by which we ensure that the Robin Hood Poverty Tracker sample is representative of New Yorkers age 18 and over. The primary Poverty Tracker is selected from an option survey at the conclusion of the Community Healthy Survey. The CHS is a Random Digit Dial (RDD) phone sample conducted by the survey research organization SRBI. The first panel generated a sample of approximately 3,403 RDD sample members. We included both landline and cell phone numbers in our sample frame. In addition, a second pool of 505 participants were recruited from agencies that provide assistance to low-income individuals. The purpose of this second pool was to oversample those using social service agencies in New York City. Oversample specific populations characteristics (social service agencies in this case) is a statistically and efficient way to increase the sample sizes of populations of interest in surveys.

Survey weights are then used to adjust statistical parameters (estimates) so that inferences made from the data apply to the overall population from which the sample was drawn (in this case, NYC). Data are weighted to a three-year American Community Survey (ACS) dataset provided by the United States Census Bureau.

The weighting approach that we employ, which adjusts for oversampling and for random over- or underrepresentation, for non-response, and for attrition, is used in all nationally and locally representative studies.

In the remainder of this memo, we provide more technical details on the construction of Poverty Tracker survey weights. The target population is adults (18+) who are New York City residents.

Structure of baseline sample

SRBI

The SRBI phone sample consists of 3,403 New York City residents contacted by random digit dialing (RDD). Of the 3,403 respondents, 1,774 were contacted by cellphone and 1,629 by landline.

Agency

The face-to-face sample includes 505 respondents from 26 agencies.

SRBI cell phone 1,774

SRBI landline 1,629

Agency 505

Total 3,908

Subsequent waves

For subsequent survey waves, we adjust for panel attrition using the stratification response propensity score method. Non-coverage is addressed by post-stratification. For each survey wave we compute individual weights for each respondent as well as family (poverty unit) weights.

Poverty units

The definition of the poverty unit differs from the traditional family in that unmarried partners are included as family members. Poverty unit weights are obtained from the personal weights by dividing by the number of adults in the poverty unit.

Post-stratification

The data used for post-stratification comes from 2014-2016 American Community Survey (ACS) NYC sample. We approximate the population distributions of the post-stratification variables using weighted ACS numbers.¹

For agency sample, one variable, social service use, is not collected by the ACS. While, it is important to post-stratify on this variable because the agency sample oversamples individuals who use these services. We use the SRBI sample to estimate social service use in the population, which we used to post-stratify to.

Baseline weights

Constructing the baseline weights consists of three steps:

- 1. Weight the SRBI phone sample to match the NYC adult population (see the SRBI weights section).
- 2. Use the weighted SRBI sample to estimate the population distribution of social service use (see the Agency weights section).
- 3. Combine the SRBI and agency samples and weight to match social service use and demographics (see the Combined weights section).

SRBI weights

Using the SRBI phone sample only, we adjust for selection bias and nonresponse to match the ACS data:

 Adjustment for the number of adults in the household and family. The larger household, the smaller the selection probability is for each individual. However, the larger the family, the larger the response probability from the family. We therefore need to weight up larger households while weighting down larger families. Gelman and Little (1988) recommend square roots for this weighting adjustment because inverse probability weights for household sizes tend to

¹ That is, we use the weights provided with the ACS and obtain a weighted frequency for each post-stratification variable.

overcorrect in telephone surveys. For each respondent we use the square root of the ratio of the number of adults in the household to the number of adults in the family.

2. Adjustment for phone availability. Respondents with multiple phones in the household are more likely to be selected into the sample, while those who experience interrupted phone service are less likely to be selected. In this stage of the weighting process, we assign respondents in these two categories weights of ½ and 2, respectively.

Because the landline and cellular RDD frames overlap there are cases of dual-service, that is, respondents from the landline sample who also have a cell phone in the household or respondents from the cell phone sample who also have landline service. We use frame integration weights (Lohr, 2009) to combine the landline and cellular components of the sample, with the dual-service respondents from the two frames integrated in proportion to their effective sample sizes. We can make this adjustment by assuming that the dual-service households from each of the two groups are random samples from the population of dual-service households.

To compute the effective sample sizes, we first calculate a design effects for both landline and cellular groups. For the cellular sample we take the weights for the respondents who also have landline and compute the coefficient of variation cv_C . For the landline sample the calculation of cv_L is analogous. We take the design effects to be $1+cv_C^2$ and $1+cv_L^2$, respectively. The effective sample sizes (ESS) for the dual-service cases are then computed as the raw sample sizes divided by the design effects.

Finally, the frame integration weights for the dual-service cell phone cases (cell phone respondents who have a landline) are $\mathrm{fiw}_{\mathrm{C}} = \frac{ESS_{\mathrm{C}}}{ESS_{\mathrm{C}} + ESS_{\mathrm{L}}}$, which is the ratio of the effective number of dual-service cases among the cell phone respondents to the total effective number of dual-service cases in the landline and cell phone respondents combined. For the dual-service landline respondents, the frame integration weights are computed analogous as $\mathrm{fiw}_{\mathrm{L}} = \frac{ESS_{\mathrm{L}}}{ESS_{\mathrm{C}} + ESS_{\mathrm{L}}}$. Single-service cases (in this case landline-only or cellphone-only) are given a frame integration weight of 1.

3. Adjustment for deviation on SES information from corresponding ACS-NYC 2014-2016 weighted totals. Before making this adjustment, we obtain individual weights by multiplying the household weights obtained in the previous step by the number of adults in the household.² We then match the marginal distributions of post-stratification factors via raking procedure. Although the joint distribution by cross tabulation is available, we use raking under an independence assumption to control the variability due to small post-stratification cell sizes. The information used for post-stratification includes gender, age, education, immigration status,

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² For this calculation, the number of adults in the household is capped at 4 due to spareness at larger values.

tenure (own or rent home), race, the number of children in the household, the number of seniors in the household, the number of working aged adults in the household, a poverty gap measure for the household³, and interactions between many of the demographics and the poverty measure to account for dependencies between these factors. After the raking procedure, we trim the resulting weights at the 97.5% percentile.

Because the weights adjust for the unequal selection, under-coverage and nonresponse, there is no simple formula for estimating the variance. We use the bootstrapping method implemented in the R *survey* package to obtain 50 sets of replicate weights for each set of sampling weights, from which we can obtain variance estimates.

Agency weights

For the Agency sample, we adjust weights by the (self-reported) frequency of agency services usage. To avoid over-representation, the more frequently an individual uses a service, the smaller the assigned weight.

Combined weights

The SRBI and Agency samples are then combined.⁴ Again we correct for differences due to oversampling from poor households by post-stratifying the household weights to the ACS household information. This is essentially the same adjustment that is made in the SRBI weights (see Step 3 in the SRBI weights section) but here we perform the adjustment on the combined SRBI and Agency samples. We then multiply the household weights by the number of adults in the household to obtain the person (individual) weights. Similarly, to Step 4 in the SRBI weights section, using these person weights we then post-stratify to adjust for deviations of the two samples from the corresponding ACS-NYC 2014 weighted totals. We also again adjust for frequency of social service use by including it as a post-stratification variable.⁵

Subsequent wave weights

Subsequent waves in the Poverty Tracker study have longitudinal weights calculated. These weights use the baseline weights as a basis but make two adjustments. The first adjustment corrects for nonresponse between the baseline and the wave of interest. The second adjustment is a raking adjustment back to the baseline population demographics.

The method for the first adjustment is inverse propensity scoring. This method uses a logistic regression to predict nonresponse given baseline characteristics, including race, education, immigration status,

³ From the World Bank: Poverty gap is the mean shortfall from the poverty line (counting the non-poor as having zero shortfall), expressed as a percentage of the poverty line. This measure reflects the depth of poverty as well as its incidence.

⁴ The weights for each sample are also separately normalized to each have a mean of 1.

⁵ There will be unbalanced coverage of agency service visitors because frequent service users will be over-represented in the Agency sample. For the purpose of representing the general population of NYC adults, it is necessary to down-weight individuals in the sample who frequently use social service agencies. In order to post-stratify on frequency of service use, we need a measure of the distribution of social service use in the population. Unfortunately, we do not have any gold standard for the distribution

source – how many respondents were originally contacted, use of service frequency, the number of working adults in the household, the number of seniors in the household, spouse or partner in the

household, material hardship, severe health disadvantage, OPM income to needs ratio, OPM poverty status, receipt of government housing, and mental health status. From this model, the probability of

responding was predicted for each respondent, which we then broken into 20 quantiles to reduce noise. For each quantile, the inverse of the probability of responding is calculated, which we then use to adjust the baseline weights for nonresponse. After that, we do the second adjustment, raking procedure. We then trimmed and created replicate weights with the same technique as described for the baseline.

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