



# LIVING IN AUSTRALIA

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Full Address					Date of interview (dd/mm/yy)	<input type="text"/>	
Suburb					Sex (M or F)		
State	Postcode	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Person's name	<input type="text"/>	
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## IN-CONFIDENCE

A. Did this respondent complete a PQ in a previous wave? (Check HF7 PQ type on the HF or call office on **1800 468 799**)

**YES**  → Use the CPQ (not the NPQ)      **NO**  → Continue to use the NPQ

B. Is the person being interviewed aged between 15-17 years and living with parents / guardians?    **YES**     **NO**

C. If YES, full name of parent / guardian who gave you permission to interview the 15 -17 year-old.

### INTERVIEWER NOTE:

**All work conducted by Roy Morgan Research is confidential. Under the Code of Professional Behaviour of the Australian Market and Social Research Society you (the interviewer) cannot disclose any information about respondents to any third party.**

RE-INTRODUCE YOURSELF IF NEED BE.

**Most people take around 35 minutes to complete the interview, as we need to collect background information that other respondents gave in previous years. We really appreciate you taking the time to do this.**

**IF NECESSARY: Everything you tell me will be treated in the strictest privacy.**

### INTERVIEWER DECLARATION

I certify that this is a true, accurate and complete interview, conducted in accordance with the AMSRS Code of Professional Behaviour (ICC/ESOMAR). I will not disclose to any other person the content of this questionnaire or any other information relating to this project.

Interviewer's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Interviewer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: ..... / ..... / .....

Interviewer's ID:

**CHECK: In households where you complete an NPQ, you must provide a New Entrant's Brochure. (One per household.) Please tick the box below to indicate you have done this.**

Yes, New Entrant's Brochure provided to household.

## **AA. COUNTRY OF BIRTH & LANGUAGE**

### **AA1 TIMESTAMP**

Record time now  :  am / pm

### **AA2 In which country were you born?**

Australia.....	1101	→AA14
United Kingdom.....	2100	
Ireland / Eire .....	2201	
New Zealand .....	1201	
China (excl Taiwan).....	6101	
Germany.....	2304	
Greece.....	3207	
Hong Kong.....	6102	
Italy.....	3104	
Malaysia .....	5203	
Netherlands .....	2308	
Philippines .....	5204	
USA .....	8104	
Viet Nam.....	5105	
Other (please specify) .....	8888	

→AA3

### **AA3 In what year did you first come to Australia to live for 6 months or more (even if you have spent time abroad since)?**

Record year

### **AA4 Are you an Australian citizen?**

Yes .....	1	→AA6
No.....	2	
Don't know.....	9	

### **AA5 Are you a permanent resident of Australia?**

Yes .....	1	→AA6
No.....	2	→AA13
Don't know.....	9	→AA13

### **AA6 (Can I just check) Were you a New Zealand citizen when you arrived in Australia?**

Yes .....	1	→AA13
No.....	2	
Don't know.....	9	

### **AA7 CHECK AA3: Did respondent arrive in Australia after 1999?**

Yes (Arrived in 2000 or later).....	1	→AA9
No (Arrived in 1999 or earlier) .....	2	→AA8

### **AA8 Did you (and your family) come to Australia as refugees or under a humanitarian migration program?**

Yes.....	1	→AA13
No .....	2	→AA13
Don't know.....	9	→AA13

### **AA9 Were you the Primary Applicant for an Australian visa or was it someone else in your family?**

Self.....	1	→AA11
Someone else in family.....	2	→AA10
Don't know.....	9	→AA11

### **AA10 Does that person currently live in this household?**

Yes.....	1
No .....	2

### **AA11 Looking at SHOWCARD AA11, which of the following categories best describes your migration category when you or your family first arrived in Australia?**

*What we are interested in here is the visa status of the Principal Applicant in the family.*

Skilled migrant .....	1
Business migrant.....	2
Family migrant.....	3
Refugee or Special Humanitarian migrant.....	4
New Zealand citizen .....	5
None of the above .....	7
Don't know.....	9

### **AA12 Who paid for your (air)fare to come to Australia?**

*If more than one person or group paid the respondent's fare, please ask who the main contributor was (that is, who paid the most).*

Self or other family members.....	1
Friend.....	2
Australian Government.....	3
Community organisation.....	4
Other.....	7
Don't know.....	9

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**AA13 Is English the first language you learned to speak as a child?**

Yes ..... 1 → BB1  
No ..... 2 → BB1

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**AA14 Are you of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin?**

No ..... 1  
Yes, Aboriginal ..... 2  
Yes, Torres Strait Islander ..... 3  
Yes, both ..... 4

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**BB. FAMILY BACKGROUND****BB1 This section is about your family background. Were you living with *both* your 'own' mother and father around the time you were 14 years old?**

*If asked, 'own' means natural or adopted as an infant.*

Both own mother and father ..... 1 → BB3a  
Father and stepmother ..... 2  
Mother and stepfather ..... 3  
Father only – no mother or stepmother ..... 4  
Mother only – no father or stepfather ..... 5  
Other (please specify) ..... 8

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**BB2 Why were you not living with both your own parents?**

Parents never married or lived together ..... 1 → BB5  
One or both parents died ..... 2 → BB5  
Parents separated or divorced ..... 3 → BB3b  
Other (please specify; PROBE for reason not living with both parents) ..... 8 → BB3a

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**BB3a Did your mother and father *ever* get divorced or separate?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → BB5  
Don't know ..... 9 → BB5

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**BB3b Did your mother and father ever get back together again?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

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**BB4 About how old were you at the time they first separated?**

*If more than once, ask youngest.*

Enter age in whole years

Don't know ..... 99

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**BB5 How old were you when you first moved out of home as a young person (or are you still living at home with your [parents / guardians])?**

*Query if respondent says less than 15 years of age.*

Enter age in whole years

Still living at home ..... 96

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**BB6 Now we have some questions about brothers and sisters.**

**Have you ever had any brothers or sisters? Include half or adopted, but not step or foster.**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → BB9a  
Don't know ..... 9 → BB9a

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**BB7 How many?**

Enter number

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**BB8 Were you the oldest when you were growing up?**

*Do not include siblings who died before respondent was 2 years of age.*

Yes - Oldest ..... 1  
No - respondent has/had an older sibling ..... 2

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**BB9a In which country was your father born?**  
RECORD UNDER COLUMN A

**BB9b And your mother? In which country was she born? RECORD UNDER COLUMN B**

*If asked, indicate we are interested here in the respondent's biological parents.*      (A) Father      (B) Mother

Australia.....	1101 .....	1101
United Kingdom.....	2100 .....	2100
Ireland / Eire .....	2201 .....	2201
New Zealand .....	1201 .....	1201
China (excl Taiwan).....	6101 .....	6101
Germany.....	2304 .....	2304
Greece.....	3207 .....	3207
Hong Kong.....	6102 .....	6102
Italy.....	3104 .....	3104
Malaysia .....	5203 .....	5203
Netherlands .....	2308 .....	2308
Philippines .....	5204 .....	5204
USA.....	8104 .....	8104
Viet Nam.....	5105 .....	5105
Other (please specify) – Father .....	8888	

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Other (please specify) – Mother .....8888

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Don't know (last resort only) .....9999 .....

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**BB10 Now we have a few more questions about your mother and father.**

**READ OUT IF APPLICABLE: If you did not live with both of your natural parents when you were growing up, we would like you to answer with respect to the persons who mostly filled the roles of mother and father when you were a child.**

*If they say they had two fathers / mothers (e.g., natural father who they kept in close touch with and a stepfather they were close to), ask them to identify the one who had the most influence on them (or failing that, the one they spent the most time with) up until age 14.*

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**BB11a Looking at SHOWCARD BB11, please tell me how much schooling your father completed?**  
RECORD UNDER COLUMN A

**BB11b And how much schooling did your mother complete?**  
RECORD UNDER COLUMN B

(A) Father      (B) Mother

None .....	1 .....	1
Primary school only.....	2 .....	2
Some secondary school, but no more than Year 10 .....	3 .....	3
Year 11 or equivalent (e.g., 5 <sup>th</sup> form, Leaving Certificate) .....	4 .....	4
Year 12 or equivalent (e.g., 6 <sup>th</sup> form, Matriculation).....	5 .....	5
Don't know .....	9 .....	9

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**BB12 Did your father complete an educational qualification after leaving school? Please include any trade certificates, apprenticeships, diplomas, degrees or other educational qualifications.**

*Do not include hobby or recreation courses, or study for a school-level qualification.*

Yes.....	1
No .....	2 →BB14
Don't know .....	9 →BB14

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**BB13 Looking at SHOWCARD BB13, from where was his highest level qualification obtained?**

University .....	1
Teachers college / College of Advanced Education.....	2
Institute of Technology.....	3
Technical college / TAFE / College of Technical and Further Education.....	4
Employer.....	5
Other (please specify) .....	7

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Don't know .....

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**BB14 Did your mother complete an educational qualification after leaving school? Please include any trade certificates, apprenticeships, diplomas, degrees or other educational qualifications.**

*Do not include hobby or recreation courses, or study for a school-level qualification.*

Yes .....	1
No.....	2 →BB16
Don't know.....	9 →BB16

**BB15 Looking at SHOWCARD BB13, from where was her highest level qualification obtained?**

University.....	1
Teachers college / College of Advanced Education.....	2
Institute of Technology .....	3
Technical college / TAFE / College of Technical and Further Education.....	4
Employer .....	5
Other (please specify) .....	7
Don't know.....	9

**BB16 Thinking back to when you were 14 years old, did your father work in a job, business or farm?**

*Accept father substitutes.*

Yes .....	1 →BB17a
No.....	2 →BB17b
Father was deceased .....	3 →BB17c
Father not living with respondent so don't know....	4 →BB19
Don't know.....	9 →BB18

**BB17a What kind of work did he do? That is, what was his occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties he undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO BB18**

**BB17b What about any previous employment? That is, what was his occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties he undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO BB18**

**BB17c What kind of work did he do when he was alive? That is, in his last job what was his occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties he undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO BB18**

OCCUPATION TITLE (*Obtain full title. Try to avoid one-word answers. For example, "shipping clerk", not just "clerk", "dairy farmer", not just "farmer", and "builder's labourer", not just "labourer".*)

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MAIN TASKS / DUTIES (*For example: recording accounts, frying fish and chips, operating plastic extruding machine.*)

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Never had a job .....	9997
Don't know .....	9999

**BB18 Was your father unemployed for a total of 6 months or more while you were growing up?**

*Note TOTAL (e.g., includes 6 episodes of 1 month each).*

Yes.....	1
No .....	2
Don't know .....	9

**BB19 And what about your mother? Was she in paid employment when you were 14?**

*Accept mother substitutes.*

Yes.....	1 →BB20a
No .....	2 →BB20b
Mother was deceased.....	3 →BB20c
No mother living with respondent so don't know ...	4 →A1
Don't know .....	9 →A1

**BB20a** What kind of work did she do? That is, what was her occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties she undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO A1

**BB20b** What about any previous employment? That is, what was her occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties she undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO A1

**BB20c** What kind of work did she do when she was alive? That is, in her last job what was her occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties she undertook in that job? Please describe fully. THEN GO TO A1

OCCUPATION TITLE (Obtain full title. Try to avoid one-word answers. For example, "shipping clerk", not just "clerk", "dairy farmer", not just "farmer", and "builder's labourer", not just "labourer".)

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MAIN TASKS / DUTIES (For example: recording accounts, frying fish and chips, operating plastic extruding machine.)

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Never had a job ..... 9997  
Don't know ..... 9999

## A. EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

### A1 At what age did you leave school?

(as a child/teenager; A7a picks up schooling done as a mature age student.)

If age given is 20 years or more: Query to ensure respondent is not including tertiary study.

Enter age in whole years

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Never went to school ..... 1 → A6  
Still at school ..... 2

### A2 Looking at SHOWCARD 1, what was the highest year of school you [completed / are currently attending]?

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| Year 12 or equivalent / Senior Secondary .....                    | 1 |
| Year 11 or equivalent.....  | 2 |
| Year 10 or equivalent / Junior Secondary.....                     | 3 |
| Year 9 or equivalent.....   | 4 |
| Year 8 or equivalent.....   | 5 |
| Year 7 or equivalent (NSW, VIC, TAS, ACT only).....               | 6 |
| Did not attend secondary school but finished primary school ..... | 7 |
| Attended primary school but did not finish.....                   | 8 |

### A3 Looking at SHOWCARD 2, which of these categories best describes the type of school you [were attending in your last year / are currently attending]?

If attended 2 schools in last year, record for most recent school attended.

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| Government school.....                           | 1 |
| Catholic non-government school .....             | 2 |
| Other non-government school .....                | 3 |
| Other, not included above (please specify) ..... | 7 |

- Don't know ..... 9

### A4 CHECK A1

- |                              |        |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Still at school (A1=2) ..... | 1 → B1 |
| Other .....                  | 2 → A5 |

### A5 In which country did you complete your last year of school?

- |                          |      |                       |      |
|--------------------------|------|-----------------------|------|
| Australia.....           | 1101 | Italy .....           | 3104 |
| United Kingdom .....     | 2100 | Malaysia.....         | 5203 |
| Ireland / Eire .....     | 2201 | Netherlands.....      | 2308 |
| New Zealand.....         | 1201 | Philippines.....      | 5204 |
| China (excl Taiwan) .... | 6101 | USA.....              | 8104 |
| Germany .....            | 2304 | Viet Nam .....        | 5105 |
| Greece .....             | 3207 | Other (specify) ..... | 8888 |
| Hong Kong .....          | 6102 |                       |      |

**A6 (Since leaving school (as a [child / teenager])), have you ever enrolled in a course of study to obtain a trade certificate, diploma, degree or other educational qualification?**

*Do not include hobby or recreation courses.*

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 ➔ A13

**A7a Looking at SHOWCARD 3, since leaving school (as a [child / teenager]) what qualifications have you completed?**

*Prompt for number of each type of qualification completed. Do not include hobby or recreation courses.*

<i>MULTI RESP</i>	How many?
Secondary school qual– lower level.....	600
Secondary school qual– highest level .....	611
Nursing qualification.....	001
Teaching qualification .....	002
Trade certificate or apprenticeship.....	514
Technicians cert. / Advanced certificate....	511
Other certificate – level I .....	524
Other certificate – level II .....	521
Other certificate – level III .....	598
Other certificate – level IV .....	599
Other certificate – don't know level .....	500
Associate diploma/Diploma (2 yrs full-time or equivalent).....	421
Associate Degree .....	413
Undergraduate diploma / Advanced diploma (3 yrs full-time or equivalent).....	411
Bachelor degree but not honours.....	312
Honours bachelor degree .....	311
Graduate Certificate .....	221
Post-graduate diploma/Graduate diploma .....	211
Masters degree .....	120
Doctorate .....	110
Other (specify details below) .....	995

*Title of course \_\_\_\_\_*

*Description \_\_\_\_\_*

*Length of course (f/t equivalent) \_\_\_\_\_*

**OR**

- Did not complete qualification ..... 993  
Still studying ..... 994  
Don't know ..... 999

**A7b CHECK A7a:**

If code 001 circled (nursing qual)..... 1 ➔ A7c  
Else ..... 2 ➔ A7d

**A7c Looking at SHOWCARD 4, what type of nursing qualification do you have? *MULTI RESP***

Enrolled nurse.....511  
Associate diploma / Diploma  
(2 years full-time or equivalent) .....421  
Undergraduate diploma / Advanced Diploma  
(3 years full-time or equivalent) .....411  
Bachelor degree but not honours .....312  
Honours bachelor degree .....311  
Triple, Double Certificate Nurse / Registered  
Nurse, Sister.....310  
Post-graduate diploma / Graduate Diploma .....211  
Masters Degree .....120  
Doctorate .....110  
Other (if 'other' course provide details below) .....997  
*Title of course* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Description* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Length of course (f/t equivalent)* \_\_\_\_\_

**A7d CHECK A7a:**

If code 002 circled (teaching qual) ..... 1 → A7e  
Else ..... 2 → A8

**A7e Looking at SHOWCARD 5, what type of teaching qualification is that? *MULTI RESP***

TPTC (Trained Primary Teaching Cert.).....421  
TSTC (Trained Secondary Teaching Cert)  
    TITC (Trained Infants Teaching Cert).....411  
Associate Diploma /Diploma  
(1-2 years full-time or equivalent) .....498  
Undergraduate Diploma of Teaching (Dip T)  
(3 years full-time or equivalent) .....499  
Bachelor Degree but not honours .....312  
Honours Bachelor Degree .....311  
Graduate Certificate.....221  
Postgraduate Diploma, Graduate Diploma,  
Diploma of Education (Dip Ed)  
(after Bachelor Degree or Undergrad Diploma).211  
Masters Degree .....120  
Doctorate .....110  
Other (if 'other' course provide details below) .....997  
*Title of course* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Description* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Length of course (f/t equivalent)* \_\_\_\_\_

**A8 CHECK A7a:**

If code 993 only circled ..... 1 → A10  
If code 994 only circled ..... 2 → A11  
Else proceed ..... 3 → A9

**A9 In which country did you complete your (...highest qual from A7a...)?**

*If two or more qualifications at the same level ask for most recent.*

Australia .....	1101	Malaysia .....	5203
United Kingdom .....	2100	Netherlands.....	2308
Ireland / Eire .....	2201	Philippines.....	5204
New Zealand.....	1201	USA.....	8104
China (excl Taiwan) ....	6101	Viet Nam .....	5105
Germany .....	2304	Other (specify) .....	8888
Greece .....	3207		
Hong Kong .....	6102		
Italy .....	3104		

**A10 Are you *currently* enrolled in a course of study for a trade certificate, diploma, degree or any other educational qualification?**

*Do not include any hobby or recreational courses.*

Yes.....1  
No (not an option if still studying ie A7a=994) .....2 → A13

**A11 Are you studying this full-time or part-time?**

Full-time student .....1  
Part-time student .....2

**A12 Looking at SHOWCARD 6, what is the qualification you are studying for?**

Allow **MULTIPLE RESPONSE** if studying for more than one qualification.

Secondary school qualification – lower level .....	<u>600</u>
Secondary school qualification – highest level .....	<u>611</u>
Certificate level I .....	<u>524</u>
Certificate level II .....	<u>521</u>
Certificate level III .....	<u>514</u>
Certificate level IV .....	<u>511</u>
Certificate – don't know level .....	<u>500</u>
Diploma (2 years full-time or equivalent) .....	<u>421</u>
Associate Degree .....	<u>413</u>
Advanced Diploma (3 years full-time or equivalent) .....	<u>411</u>
Bachelor degree but not honours .....	<u>312</u>
Honours bachelor degree .....	<u>311</u>
Graduate certificate .....	<u>221</u>
Graduate diploma .....	<u>211</u>
Masters degree .....	<u>120</u>
Doctorate .....	<u>110</u>
Other (if 'other' course, provide details below) .....	<u>997</u>
<i>Title of course</i> _____	
<i>Description</i> _____	
<i>Length of course (f/t equivalent)</i> _____	

Don't know.....999

**A13 How long has it been since you left full-time education for the first time (since age 15)?**

Still in FT education (currently studying, have not taken a gap between school and further education) ..... 97 → B1

Else complete one of the boxes below:

Else if less than one year, record number of months

Record number of years

OR

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*It is important to get this accurately. If respondent pauses at all, ask:*

**How old were you when you left full-time education for the first time?**

Record respondent's age

Enter age left FT education for the 1st time

$$(3) = (1) - (2)$$

(1)
(2)
(3)

**This means it has been ... years since you left FT education for the first time?**

*Amend (2) if necessary. When (3) is correct, go to A14. If they never went to school, put 15 at (2).*

**A14 Now of these [years / months], how many [years / months] in total have you spent ...**

- Full months if less than 1 year
- Full years OR
- a. **In paid work? (including both full- or part-time work)**
  - b. **Unemployed and looking for work? (NB: you do not have to be receiving unemployment benefits to be classified as unemployed)**
  - c. **Other (neither working nor looking for work)?**
- Total**  
check total matches A13

**A15 CHECK A14c: Is there any time recorded in either of the shaded boxes at A14(c)?**

Yes, time recorded in shaded boxes at A14c ..... 1 → A16  
No time recorded in shaded boxes at A14c ..... 2 → B1

**A16 Looking at SHOWCARD 7, what was your main activity during those [years / months] you spent neither working nor looking for work?**

SINGLE RESP

- |  |    |
|--|----|
| Retired / Voluntarily inactive .....               | 01 |
| Home duties / Child care .....                     | 02 |
| Study / Went to school, TAFE or university .....   | 03 |
| Own disability or handicap.....                    | 04 |
| Own illness or injury .....                        | 05 |
| Looking after ill or disabled person.....          | 06 |
| Travelling / On holiday / Leisure activities ..... | 07 |
| Working in an unpaid voluntary job .....           | 08 |
| Other activity ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....     | 97 |

## B. EMPLOYMENT STATUS

**B1 At any time at all during the last 7 days, did you do any work in a job, business or farm?**

- |           |        |
|-----------|--------|
| Yes ..... | 1 → B3 |
| No.....   | 2      |

**B2 Did you have a job, business or farm, but did not work during the last 7 days because of holidays, sickness or any other reason (such as maternity leave or on workers compensation)?**

- |           |        |
|-----------|--------|
| Yes ..... | 1      |
| No.....   | 2 → D1 |

**B3 [Do / did] you work ...**

- |   |         |
|---|---------|
| for an employer for wages or salary? .....    | 1 → B5  |
| in your own business with employees?.....     | 2       |
| in your own business with no employees? ..... | 3       |
| without pay in a family business? .....       | 4 → B12 |

*[If none of the above]*

**What then are your working arrangements?**

- |   |        |
|---|--------|
| Receive payment in kind .....               | 5 → B5 |
| Unpaid voluntary worker.....                | 6 → D1 |
| Mutual obligation / Work for the Dole ..... | 7 → D1 |
| For Govt in job creation / CDEP job .....   | 8 → B5 |

*If respondent says they work in more than one job, code in respect of the job that they get the most pay from.*

**B4 Is that business incorporated? (Please refer to SHOWCARD B4 for a definition of an incorporated business.)**

- |                 |         |
|-----------------|---------|
| Yes .....       | 1 → B5  |
| No.....         | 2 → B12 |
| Don't know..... | 9 → B12 |

**B5 CHECK B1: Did respondent work in the last 7 days?**

- |                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Yes (B1=1) ..... | 1 → B12 |
| No (B1=2).....   | 2 → B6  |

**B6 How long have you been away from work?**

Record number of full weeks 

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 weeks

OR

number of full months 

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 months

Don't know, but less than 4 weeks .....

Don't know, but 4 weeks or more .....

**B7 CHECK B6: Has respondent been away from work for 4 weeks or more?**

- |   |         |
|---|---------|
| Yes, away from work <u>4 weeks or more</u> .....  | 1 → B8  |
| No, away from work <u>less than 4 weeks</u> ..... | 2 → B12 |

**B8 Were you on workers' compensation during the last 7 days?**

- |          |         |
|----------|---------|
| Yes..... | 1       |
| No ..... | 2 → B10 |

**B9 Do you expect to return to work for your current employer?**

- |                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| Yes.....         | 1 → B12 |
| No .....         | 2 → D1  |
| Don't know ..... | 9 → D1  |

**B10 Was the main reason for your absence from work during the last 4 weeks because you were on strike or were locked out?**

- |          |         |
|----------|---------|
| Yes..... | 1 → B12 |
| No ..... | 2       |

**B11 Were you paid, or will you be paid, for any part of the last 4 weeks?**

- |          |         |
|----------|---------|
| Yes..... | 1 → B12 |
| No ..... | 2 → D1  |

**B12 CHECK B3 and B4: Classify remaining respondents.**

- |  |         |
|--|---------|
| B3=1 or 5 or 8 (Employee).....             | 1 → C1a |
| B4=1 (Employee of own business).....       | 2 → C1a |
| B4=2 or 9 (Employer / Self-employed) ..... | 3 → C1a |
| B3=4 (Unpaid family worker) .....          | 4 → C1a |

## C. CURRENT EMPLOYMENT

- C1a Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you usually work in all your jobs?**

*This includes any work done at the workplace and at home.*

*Don't include time "on-call"; these are NOT considered usual working hours.*

IF HAS LOST JOB IN THE LAST 7 DAYS, SAY:  
The questions in this section refer to the most recent job for which you received pay in the last 7 days.

Hours per week   →C2  
Hours vary ..... 997 →C1b

- C1b Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you work *on average* over a usual 4-week period in *all* your jobs?**

Hours per week

- C2 CHECK C1a / C1b: Hours usually worked per week.**

C1a / b =35 hours or more (works full-time).... 1 →C4  
C1a/ b =34 hours or less (works part-time) .... 2 →C3

- C3 You have said that (currently) you usually work fewer than 35 hours per week. What is the main reason for your working part-time hours rather than full-time hours?**

### SINGLE RESP

- Own illness or disability ..... 01
- Caring for children ..... 02
- Caring for disabled or elderly relatives (not children)..... 03
- Other personal or family responsibilities..... 04
- Going to school, college, university etc. ..... 05
- Could not find full-time work ..... 06
- Prefer part-time work..... 07
- Involved in voluntary work ..... 08
- Attracted to pay premium attached to part-time / casual work ..... 09
- Welfare payments or pension may be affected by working full-time..... 10
- Getting business established..... 11
- Prefer job & part-time hours are a requirement of the job..... 12
- Other (please specify) ..... 97

- C4 If you could choose the number of hours you work each week, *and taking into account how that would affect your income*, would you prefer to work ...**

fewer hours than you do now? ..... 1  
about the same hours as you do now? ..... 2 →C6  
or more hours than you do now? ..... 3  
Don't know ..... 9 →C6

- C5 In total, how many hours a week, on average, would you choose to work? Again, take into account how that would affect your income.**

*This includes any work done at the workplace and at home.*

*Prompt: If respondent indicates they would prefer not to work at all, emphasise that this also means they will receive no income from wages or salary.*

TOTAL preferred hours    
per week

- C6 Do you currently have more than one job? That is, do you work for more than one employer? (Include any jobs from which you are away because of holidays, sickness, disability or some other reason.)**

*Include only paid work.*

*The number of jobs does not refer to the number of clients or contracts.*

Yes – have 2 or more jobs ..... 1  
No – only have 1 job ..... 2 →C8

- C7a I am now going to ask you some questions about your main job. That is, the job from which you usually get the most pay each week.**

**Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you *usually* work in your *main* job?**

*This includes any work done at the workplace and at home.*

*Don't include time "on-call"; these are NOT considered usual working hours.*

Hours per week   →C8

Hours vary ..... 997 →C7b

- C7b Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you work *on average* over a usual 4-week period in your *main* job?**

Hours per week

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**C8 On which days of the week do you usually work (in your main job)?**

Monday to Friday..... 1 → C10  
Nine day fortnight ..... 2 → C9b  
Days vary from week to week..... 3 → C9a  
Days vary from month to month ..... 4 → C9a  
Other (please specify days below) ..... 7

Monday.....	1
Tuesday.....	2
Wednesday .....	3
Thursday .....	4
Friday .....	5
Saturday .....	6
Sunday .....	7

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**C9a How many days do you usually work in a 4-week period? IF THEY SAY IT VARIES, ASK: What would it average out to?**

If a respondent says 7 days or less – confirm that this is the number of days usually worked over a 4-week period.

Number of days (maximum 28 days)

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**C9b And do you usually work on weekends?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

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**C10 Looking at SHOWCARD C10, which of these best describes your current work schedule in your (main) job?**

A regular daytime schedule..... 01  
A regular evening shift..... 02  
A regular night shift..... 03  
A rotating shift (changes from days to evenings to nights) ..... 04  
Split shift (two distinct periods each day) ..... 05  
On call ..... 06  
Irregular schedule..... 07  
Other (please specify) ..... 08

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**C11 What kind of work do you do in this job? That is, what is your occupation called and what are the main tasks and duties you undertake in this job? Please describe fully.**

OCCUPATION TITLE (Obtain full title. Try to avoid one-word answers. For example, "shipping clerk", not just "clerk", "dairy farmer", not just "farmer", and "builder's labourer", not just "labourer".)

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MAIN TASKS / DUTIES (For example: recording accounts, frying fish and chips, operating plastic extruding machine.)

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**C12 How long in total have you worked in your current occupation? Include time spent in this same occupation with previous employers or in previous businesses.**

If one year or more, record number of full years   years

OR

If less than one year, record number of full weeks   weeks

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**C13 And how long have you worked [for your current employer / in your current business]?**

If one year or more, record number of full years   years

OR

If less than one year, record number of full weeks   weeks

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**C14 What kind of industry, business or service is carried out at the business address at which you work? Describe fully (e.g., dairy farming, footwear manufacturing, clothing retail store).**

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**C15 (In your main job), are any of your usual working hours worked *at your home* (that is, the address of your usual place of residence)?**

Yes..... 1  
No ..... 2 → C19a

**C16 Approximately how many hours each week do you *usually* work at home (for your main job only)?**

Hours per week   ➔ C18

Hours vary ..... 997 ➔ C17

**C17 How many hours per week do you work at home *on average* over a usual 4-week period (for your main job only)?**

Hours per week

**C18 Are the hours worked at home the result of a formal arrangement with your employer?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Not applicable – self-employed ..... 7

**C19a Do you belong to a trade union?**

Yes ..... 1 ➔ C20  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

**C19b Do you belong to any other union or employee association?**

*Only include professional employee associations which serve the work related interests of the respondent. Do not include associations which only accord members professional status in their field.*

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

**C20 CHECK B12 on page 10: Employee status.  
C20 MUST match B12.**

Employee ..... 1 ➔ C21a  
Employee of own business ..... 2 ➔ C27  
Employer / Self-employed ..... 3 ➔ C27  
Unpaid family worker ..... 4 ➔ C30

**Employees only**

**C21a Does your employer provide you with paid holiday leave? (Again, we're talking about your main job.)**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

**C21b Does your employer provide you with paid sick leave?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

**C22 Looking at SHOWCARD C22, which of these categories best describes your current contract of employment?**

Employed on a fixed-term contract ..... 1  
Employed on a casual basis ..... 2  
Employed on a permanent or ongoing basis ..... 3  
Other (*please specify*) ..... 7

**C23 Can you look at SHOWCARD C23 and tell me which category best describes how your pay is currently set?**

Collective (enterprise) agreement ..... 1  
Individual agreement (or contract) ..... 2  
Combination of collective / enterprise agreement and individual agreement ..... 3  
Paid exactly the Award (or APCS) rate ..... 4  
Other (*please specify*) ..... 7

Don't know ..... 9

**C24 I would like you to think about your employment prospects over the next 12 months. What do you think is the per cent chance that you will leave your job voluntarily (that is, quit or retire) during the next 12 months?**

0% (i.e., no chance) — 100% (i.e., absolute certainty)  
Record %  %  
Not currently working ..... 996

**C25 What do you think is the per cent chance that you will lose your job during the next 12 months? (That is, get retrenched or fired or not have your contract renewed.)**

0% (i.e., no chance) — 100% (i.e., absolute certainty)  
Record %  %  
Not currently working ..... 996

**C26 If you were to lose your job during the next 12 months, what is the per cent chance that the job you eventually find and accept would be at least as good as your current job, in terms of wages and benefits?**

0% (i.e., no chance) — 100% (i.e., absolute certainty)

Record %  %

Would not seek another job.....997

Not currently working.....996

### All employed persons (inc. self-employed)

**C27 Would you describe yourself as an independent contractor? The information on SHOWCARD C27 might help you to answer this.**

Yes .....1

No .....2

Don't know.....9

**C28 (In your main job), do you have income tax deducted directly from your earnings each pay period?**

Yes .....1

No .....2

Don't know.....9

**C29 Are you employed through a labour-hire firm or temporary employment agency? That is, the agency pays your wage?**

Yes .....1

No .....2

**C30 As part of your job, do you normally supervise the work of other employees?**

Yes .....1

No .....2

**C31 Looking at SHOWCARD C31, which one of these categories *best* describes your [employer / business]?**

#### Commercial

Private sector "for profit" organisation.....1

Government business enterprise or commercial statutory authority.....2

Other commercial (*please specify*) .....3

#### Non-commercial

Private sector "not-for-profit" organisation .....4

Other government organisation, such as a public service department, local councils, schools and universities.....5

Other non-commercial (*please specify*) .....6

Don't know [LAST RESORT ONLY] .....9

**C32 Looking at SHOWCARD C32, approximately how many people (including yourself) are employed [at the place at which you work / in your business]? (Include all employees, including part-time workers and casuals. Do not include contractors.)**

One person (self).....01

2 to 4.....02

5 to 9.....03

10 to 19.....04

20 to 49.....05

50 to 99.....06

100 to 199.....07

200 to 499.....08

500 or more .....09

Don't know but fewer than 20 .....10

Don't know but 20 or more .....11

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**C33 Does your [employer / business] operate from more than one location in Australia?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 ➔ C35  
Don't know ..... 9

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**C34 Looking at SHOWCARD C34, approximately how many people work [for your employer / in your business] at locations throughout Australia? Make sure you include your workplace as well.**

Less than 20 ..... 01  
20 to 99 ..... 02  
100 to 499 ..... 03  
500 to 999 ..... 04  
1,000 to 4,999 ..... 05  
5,000 to 19,999 ..... 06  
20,000 or more ..... 07  
  
Don't know but fewer than 100 ..... 08  
Don't know but 100 or more ..... 09  
Don't know ..... 99

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**C35 I now have some questions about how satisfied or dissatisfied you are with different aspects of your job. (Again I remind you that we are only interested here in your main job.)**

*If not currently employed, also read out:*

**These questions refer to the most recent job you were working in.**

**Looking at SHOWCARD C35, please pick a number between 0 and 10 to indicate how satisfied or dissatisfied you are with the following aspects of your job. The more satisfied you are, the higher the number you should pick. The less satisfied you are, the lower the number.**

- a Your total pay?
- b Your job security?
- c The work itself (what you do)?
- d The hours you work?
- e The flexibility available to balance work and non-work commitments?
- f All things considered, how satisfied are you with your job?

0-10	D/K
99	
99	
99	
99	
99	
99	
99	

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**C36 At any time in the last 4 weeks have you actually looked for a new job?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

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**C37 CONFIRM AGE: Just to confirm - are you 44 years or younger, or 45 years or older?**

44 years of age OR YOUNGER ..... 1 ➔ C39  
45 years of age OR OLDER ..... 2

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**C38 At what age do you expect to retire (completely) from the paid workforce?**

*If range provided, probe for single most likely age.*

Enter age

Do not expect ever to retire ..... 997  
Don't know ..... 999

**C39 Now go to Section E on page 20. (Section D is only for persons not currently employed.)**

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**D. PERSONS NOT IN PAID EMPLOYMENT**

**D1 Now some questions on looking for work. At any time during the last 4 weeks have you looked for paid work?**

*PROBE for part-time or full-time.  
Reassure people receiving social security payments  
that all information is confidential.*

No – have not looked for work in last 4 weeks ..... 1 ➔ D10  
Yes – looked for full-time work only ..... 2  
Yes – looked for part-time work only ..... 3  
Yes – looked for any work, FT or PT ..... 4

## Job seekers

### D2 Looking at SHOWCARD D2, at any time in the last 4 weeks have you done any of these things?

MULTI RESP

- Written, phoned or applied in person to an employer for work? ..... 01  
Answered an advertisement for a job? ..... 02  
Checked factory noticeboards, or used the touchscreens at Centrelink offices? ..... 03  
Been registered with Centrelink as a jobseeker? ..... 04  
Checked or registered with an employment agency? ..... 05

### Have you done anything else to find a job?

- PROBE AND CODE BELOW. NOTE: THE FOLLOWING CODES ARE NOT LISTED ON THE SHOWCARD  
Advertised or tendered for work ..... 07  
Contacted friends / relatives ..... 08  
Looked in newspapers, but did not actually answer an advertisement for a job ..... 09  
Looked on internet, but did not actually answer an advertisement for a job ..... 10  
Other (please specify) ..... 98

None of the above (query D1) ..... 97

### D3 When did you begin looking for work?

We are only interested here in the most recent episode of unemployment.

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Day	Month	Year	

[If exact date unknown, accept an approximation of the number of weeks since commencing looking for work.]  weeks

Don't know – PROBE FOR:

- Less than 2 years ago ..... 1  
2 to less than 5 years ago ..... 2  
5 years or more ..... 3

### D4 Approximately how many hours have you spent in job search activities during the last week?

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
hours	

### D5 Are you currently in receipt of “Intensive Assistance” from a Job Network Provider?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

### D6a If you had found a job, could you have started work last week?

- Yes ..... 1 ➔ D6d  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9 ➔ D6d

### D6b What were the reasons you could not have started work last week?

- Waiting to start a job ..... 1  
Other ..... 2 ➔ D6d

### D6c Will you be starting work in the next 4 weeks?

- Yes ..... 1 ➔ D9  
No ..... 2

### D6d Could you start work in the next 4 weeks if work was available?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

### D7 Looking at SHOWCARD D7, since you began looking for work on [date in D3], have you had trouble getting a job for any of these reasons?

MULTI RESP

- Own ill health or disability ..... 01  
Employers thought you were too young or too old ..... 02  
Hours were unsuitable ..... 03  
Transport problems or it was too far to travel ..... 04  
Did not have the required education, training or skills ..... 05  
Did not have enough work experience ..... 06  
Language difficulties ..... 07  
No jobs in line of work ..... 08  
Too many applicants for the available jobs ..... 09  
Just no jobs at all ..... 10  
Difficulties in finding child care ..... 11

### What other difficulties have you had?

- PROBE AND CODE BELOW; DO NOT PROMPT: NOTE THE FOLLOWING CODES ARE NOT LISTED ON THE SHOWCARD  
Discrimination against migrant / ethnic groups ..... 12  
Other family responsibilities (not child care difficulties) ..... 13  
Other difficulties (please specify) ..... 98

None of the above ..... 97 ➔ D9

**CHECK D7:** If more than one response at D7 ask D8, otherwise go to D9

**D8** What is the *main* difficulty you have had in getting a job?

Enter code from D7

**D9** Since you began looking for work on [date in D3], how many job offers have you received?

Enter number of job offers

Now skip to D15

### Have not looked for work in last 4 weeks

**D10** Looking at SHOWCARD D10, which of these categories *best* describes your main activity since you last worked or looked for work?

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| Retired / Voluntarily inactive .....             | 1 |
| Home duties / Child care .....                   | 2 |
| Study / Went to school, TAFE or university ..... | 3 |
| Own illness, injury or disability.....           | 4 |
| Looking after ill or disabled person.....        | 5 |
| Travel / On holiday / Leisure activities.....    | 6 |
| Working in an unpaid voluntary job .....         | 7 |
| Other activity ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....   | 8 |
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**D11** Even though you are not looking for work now, would you like a job? (Assume that suitable child care arrangements could be found.)

- |                         |         |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Yes .....               | 1       |
| Maybe / It depends..... | 2       |
| No.....                 | 3 ➔ D19 |
| Don't know.....         | 9 ➔ D19 |
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**D12** What are all the reasons you have not been looking for work in the last 4 weeks?

PROBE FULLY

MULTI RESP

Have a job to go to..... 01

Personal reasons

- |   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Own illness, injury or disability.....          | <u>02</u> |
| Pregnancy / maternity leave .....               | <u>03</u> |
| Studying / returning to studies .....           | <u>04</u> |
| Does not need to work.....                      | <u>05</u> |
| To give others a chance .....                   | <u>06</u> |
| Welfare payment / pension may be affected ..... | <u>07</u> |
| Moved house / Holidays .....                    | <u>08</u> |
| Lack of transport.....                          | <u>09</u> |
| No time .....                                   | <u>10</u> |

Child care reasons

- |   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Prefers to look after children.....                                   | <u>11</u> |
| Difficulties in finding child care.....                               | <u>12</u> |
| Waiting until youngest child starts pre-school / primary school ..... | <u>13</u> |
| Other child care reason .....   | <u>14</u> |

Other family reasons

- |  |           |
|--|-----------|
| Ill health of someone other than self / other family reasons ..... | <u>15</u> |
|--|-----------|

Believes no work available or couldn't find work because:

- |   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Too young / too old .....                           | <u>16</u> |
| Lacks necessary training or qualifications .....    | <u>17</u> |
| Lacks necessary experience.....                     | <u>18</u> |
| Difficulties with language / ethnic background..... | <u>19</u> |
| Difficulties with reading / writing.....            | <u>20</u> |
| No jobs available in line of work.....              | <u>21</u> |
| No jobs available with suitable hours.....          | <u>22</u> |
| No jobs available at all.....                       | <u>23</u> |
| On a job-related training program.....              | <u>24</u> |
| Other reasons ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....       | <u>98</u> |
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**CHECK D12:** If more than one response at D12, ask D13, otherwise go to D14

**D13** Which of these was the *main* reason you were not looking for work in the last 4 weeks?

Enter code from D12

**D14 If you were offered a suitable job (and suitable child care was available), could you start work in the next four weeks?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2  
Don't know ..... 9

### All looking for work or wanting work

**D15 Assuming work was available, what would be the *lowest* wage per hour, before any tax is taken out, that you would accept?**

*If asked, inform respondent to assume that they could choose to work as few or as many hours per week as they liked.*

Record whole dollars

Don't know [Last resort only] ..... 999 → D17

**D16 If you were offered a job paying [response to D15] dollars per hour, how many hours per week would you prefer to work in that job?**

Hours per week preferred   → D18

**D17 If you were offered a job, how many hours per week would you prefer to work?**

Hours per week preferred

**D18 I would like you to think about your employment prospects over the next 12 months. What do you think is the per cent chance that you will find a suitable job during the next 12 months? Choose the number from 0% to 100% that is closest to your answer.**

0% (i.e., no chance) — 100% (i.e., absolute certainty)

Record %  %

Don't know ..... 999

### Retirement

**D19 CONFIRM AGE: Just to confirm, are you 44 years or younger, or 45 years or older?**

44 years of age OR YOUNGER ..... 1 → D22  
45 years of age OR OLDER ..... 2

**D20 (Can I just check), have you retired (completely) from the workforce?**

Yes ..... 1 → D21a  
No ..... 2 → D21b  
Never in workforce ..... 3 → E9  
Don't know/can't say ..... 9 → D22

**D21a In which year did you retire?**

Record year     → D23a

**D21b At what age do you expect to retire (completely) from the paid workforce?**

*If range provided, probe for single most likely age.*

Enter age

Do not expect ever to retire ..... 997

Don't know ..... 999

**D22 CHECK A14a: Any time spent in work in A14(a)?  
ELSE ASK: Have you ever been in paid work?**

Yes - have been in paid work ..... 1 → D23a  
No - have never been in paid work ..... 2 → E9

### Work history of those not currently in paid work

**D23a How long is it since you last worked for pay, in any job or business for *two weeks or more*?**

*If less than one year, record number of full weeks*   weeks

*ELSE RECORD BELOW:*

At least 1 year, but not 2 ..... 01  
At least 2 years, but not 3 ..... 02  
At least 3 years, but not 4 ..... 03  
At least 4 years, but not 5 ..... 04  
At least 5 years, but not 6 ..... 05  
6-10 years ..... 06 → D30  
11-15 years ..... 07 → D30  
16-20 years ..... 08 → D30  
21 years or more ..... 09 → D30  
Don't know ..... 99 → D30

**D23b I'm now going to ask you some questions about your *most recent* job.**

**Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours a week did you *usually* work in your last job?**

*This includes any work done at the workplace and at home.*

*Don't include time "on-call"; these are NOT considered usual working hours.*

Hours per week   ➔ D25

Hours vary ..... 997 ➔ D24

**D24 Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week did you work *on average* over a usual 4-week period in your most recent job?**

Hours per week

**D25 What kind of industry, business or service was carried out at the business address at which you previously worked? Describe fully (e.g., dairy farming, footwear manufacturing, clothing retail store.)**

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**D26 In that job, did you work ...**

- for an employer for wages or salary? ..... 1  
in your own business with employees? ..... 2  
in your own business with no employees? ..... 3  
without pay in a family business? ..... 4 ➔ D28

*[If none of the above]*

**What then were your working arrangements?**

- Received payment in kind ..... 5 ➔ D28  
Unpaid voluntary worker ..... 6 ➔ D28  
Other (specify) ..... 8

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**D27a How much were you paid in that job before tax or anything else was taken out?**

Enter amount (whole \$)  \$

Don't know/Can't even estimate ..... 999999 ➔ D28

**D27b And what period does that cover?**

Hourly rate .....	1
Week.....	2
Fortnightly rate.....	3
Four weeks .....	4
Calendar month .....	5
Quarter.....	6
Year .....	7
Don't know .....	9

**D28 Looking at SHOWCARD D30, which of the following *best* describes your contract of employment for that job?**

- Self-employed..... 1  
Employed on a fixed-term contract..... 2  
Employed on a casual basis ..... 3  
Employed on a permanent or ongoing basis ..... 4  
Other (please specify)..... 8

**D29 For how long did you work for your last employer?**

*If less than one year, record number of full weeks*   weeks

**OR**

*If one year or more, record number of full years*   years

**D30 What kind of work did you do in your last job? That is, what was your occupation called and what were the main tasks and duties you undertook in that job? Please describe fully.**

OCCUPATION TITLE (*Obtain full title. Try to avoid one-word answers. For example, "shipping clerk", not just "clerk", "dairy farmer", not just "farmer", and "builder's labourer", not just "labourer".*)

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MAIN TASKS / DUTIES (*For example: recording accounts, frying fish and chips, operating plastic extruding machine.*)

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**D31 What was the *main* reason you stopped working in that job?**

SINGLE RESP

Employment reasons

Job was temporary or seasonal.....	01
Holiday job .....	02
Got laid off / No work available / Retrenched / Made redundant / Employer went out of business / Dismissed etc. ....	03
Not satisfied with job (e.g., unhappy with hours, pay, working conditions, boss, other workers) ....	04
To obtain a better job / Just wanted a change / To start a new business.....	05
Self-employed: Business closed down for economic reasons (went broke / liquidated / no work / not enough business).....	06
Self-employed: Business closed down or sold for other reasons.....	07
<u>Personal reasons</u>	
Retired / Did not want to work any longer.....	08
Own sickness, disability or injury .....	09
Pregnancy / To have children .....	10
To stay at home to look after children, house or someone else .....	11
Travel / have a holiday.....	12
Returned to study / Started study / Needed more time to study .....	13
Spouse / partner transferred.....	14
Too much travel time / too far from public transport .....	15
Other ( <i>please specify</i> ).....	97

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**D32 CONFIRM: Can I just check. Have you been employed in any job during the past 12 months?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E9

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**E. OTHER LABOUR MARKET ACTIVITY****Work-related training****E1 During the past 12 months, have you taken part in any education or training schemes, as part of your employment?**

*We are only interested in structured training courses the respondent has received. Do not include training they may have participated in as a trainer.*

Yes..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E9

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**E2 I would now like to ask you about where and when these training courses were conducted.**

Please answer yes or no to the following.

Were any of these conducted ...

- |   | Yes    | No |
|---|--------|----|
| a at your place of employment (or while on the job) during paid work time?..... | 1..... | 2  |
| b at your place of employment, but in your own time?.....                       | 1..... | 2  |
| c at some other place during paid work time?.....                               | 1..... | 2  |
| d at some other place, but in your own time?.....                               | 1..... | 2  |

*By "work time", we mean time for which the respondent is paid. This includes usual working hours as well as any paid overtime.*

*Receiving time off in lieu for attending training courses should be treated the same as being paid for those hours.*

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**E3 In total, how many different training courses did you attend in the last 12 months?**

Record no. of courses 

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Don't know ..... 99

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**E4 During the last 12 months, on how many days did you attend (that / these) training course(s)? Please count part days as whole days.**

Record no. of days 

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Don't know ..... 999

*If respondent answers in weeks, convert answer to days (multiply by 5) and confirm with respondent.*

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**E5** (And on average,) how many hours [each / that day did you spend on [that course / those courses]? Please do not include breaks, lunch, or travel time.

Record no. of hours per day

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Don't know..... 99

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**E6** Looking at SHOWCARD E6, have you contributed towards the cost of any of this training in any of these ways?

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

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**E7** Looking at SHOWCARD E7, what were the aims of any of this training?

*MULTI RESP*

To help you get started in your job ..... 1  
To improve your skills in your current job ..... 2  
To maintain professional status and/or meet occupational standards ..... 3  
To prepare you for a job you might do in the future or to facilitate promotion ..... 4  
To develop your skills generally ..... 5  
Because of safety / health concerns ..... 6  
Other aims (*please specify*) ..... 8

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**E8** IF CURRENTLY EMPLOYED, READ OUT:  
Looking at SHOWCARD E8, to what extent do you think you could use the new skills you have acquired from any of this training if you got a new job with a different employer?

*IF NOT CURRENTLY EMPLOYED, READ OUT:*  
Looking at SHOWCARD E8, to what extent do you think you could use the new skills you have acquired from any of this training if you got a new job?

Not at all ..... 1  
Only to a limited extent ..... 2  
To a moderate extent ..... 3  
To a great extent ..... 4  
To a very great extent ..... 5  
Did not learn any new skills ..... 7

## Calendar

E9 I am now going to go over your work and study activities again so I can record these on a calendar.

**NOTES:** - Record data for the period up to, and including, time of interview.

- The 3 boxes for each month represent the start, middle and end of the month.

- Holidays should not be treated as a break in the usual activity.

a. Since July 2008, have you been enrolled in school or any course of study? If YES: Was that full-time or part-time?

Yes ..... 1 - FILL IN CALENDAR FOR ALL TIME PERIODS ENROLLED  
No ..... 2

- F/t or p/t study is determined by enrolment status (not hours).

- Only record courses or study that lead to a qualification

2008											
July	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Enrolled in school / educational course											
01	On FT basis										
02	On PT basis										
Record start date (month and year) if more than 1 job at start of calendar.											
03	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
04	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
05	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
06	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
07	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
08	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
09	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
10	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
11	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
12	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
13	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
14	Mth: _____ Yr: _____										
15	Not employed but looking for work										
16	Neither employed nor looking for work										
	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44
	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	

NOTE: THERE NEEDS TO BE A MARK AGAINST EVERY TIME PERIOD IN THE CALENDAR PRIOR TO THE DATE OF INTERVIEW

b. Since July 2008, how many different jobs (employers) have you had?

And what period did you work in [each / that] job? FILL IN TIME PERIOD FOR EACH JOB.

- Use a new line for each new job / employer (no. of lines used must match no. of jobs).

- For periods of paid leave (e.g., long service, paid maternity leave) record as employed.

- If more than 1 job at start of calendar, record initial start dates for each job.

At any time since July 2008, have you been:

c. ... not employed BUT looking for work?

Yes ..... 1 - FILL IN CALENDAR AT CODE 15

No ..... 2

d. ... not employed and not looking for work?

Yes ..... 1 - FILL IN CALENDAR AT CODE 16

No ..... 2

## Leave from work

**E10a** Thinking now just of the last 12 months, did you spend any time on workers' compensation?

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E11

**E10b** How many months, weeks or days during the last 12 months were you absent from work because you were on workers' compensation?

<input type="text"/>	months
OR	
<input type="text"/>	weeks
OR	
<input type="text"/>	days

**E11** CHECK E9b: Has respondent had a job since July 2008?

Yes ..... 1 → E12a  
No ..... 2 → E16

**E12a** During the last 12 months, have you spent any time on paid annual (vacation) leave?

Public holidays are not to be counted as annual leave days.  
Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E13a

**E12b** How many weeks or days did you spend on paid annual leave?

<input type="text"/>	weeks
OR	
<input type="text"/>	days

**E13a** During the last 12 months, have you taken any paid sick leave?

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E14a

**E13b** How many weeks or days did you spend on paid sick leave?

<input type="text"/>	weeks
OR	
<input type="text"/>	days

**E14a** Looking at SHOWCARD E14, during the last 12 months, have you taken any of these other forms of paid leave?

Showcard list: Maternity; Paternity; Parental; Long-service; Bereavement; Family; Carers; Other paid leave.

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E15a

**E14b** How many months, weeks or days did you spend on these types of paid leave during the last 12 months?

<input type="text"/>	months
OR	
<input type="text"/>	weeks
OR	
<input type="text"/>	days

**E15a** During the last 12 months, apart from public holidays, have you missed work or taken any other time off for which you were not paid? (We are only interested in time-off when you were scheduled to be at work.)

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → E16

**E15b** How many months, weeks or days did you take off?

<input type="text"/>	months
OR	
<input type="text"/>	weeks
OR	
<input type="text"/>	days

**E16** CHECK E9c: Has respondent been not employed BUT looking for work?

Yes ..... 1 → E17  
No ..... 2 → F1a

## Mutual obligation activity

E17 Looking at SHOWCARD E17, since July 2008, have you been required by Centrelink or a Job Network provider to do any of the things listed?

MULTI RESP

Study .....	01
Part-time paid work .....	02
Voluntary unpaid work .....	03
Community Work organised by a Community Work Coordinator .....	04
Work for the Dole .....	05
Job Search Training (training to search for jobs, write applications and prepare for interviews) .....	06
Approved literacy / numeracy training .....	07
Green Corps .....	08
Job Placement Employment and Training (JPET) ...	09
Community Development Employment Projects ....	10
Relocating to an area of better employment prospects .....	11
Australian Apprenticeship Access Program (training to get into a new apprenticeship).....	12
Youth Pathways Program .....	13
Defence Force Reserve .....	14
None of the above .....	97 → F1a

E18 Are you currently still undertaking any of these activities?

Yes.....	1 → F1a
No .....	2

E19 When did you last do any of these activities?

Month on calendar

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Early.....1

Mid.....2

Late.....3

Year on calendar

2	0		
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OR

Activities not done – was required to do them, but didn't actually do .....97

## F. INCOME

F1a I am now going to ask you some questions about your income. This is a very important part of this study. Your answers will assist in better understanding the way people live in Australia.

Remember that everything you tell me will remain confidential and NO information that would identify you will be used in any data analysis.

F1b CONFIRM: Do you *currently* receive income from wages or salary?

Yes.....	1
No .....	2 → F10
Don't know .....	9 → F10

F2 CHECK C6 on page 11: Is respondent currently working in more than one job?

Yes, has more than one job (C6=1) .....	1 → F3
No, has <u>one</u> job only (C6=2) .....	2 → F3
Respondent did <u>not</u> answer C6 .....	3 → F3

F3 For your [job / main job] what was the total gross amount of your most recent pay *before* tax or anything else was taken out?

It will help to answer this question if you can refer to your last pay-slip.

If respondent does not know his/her last pay, but does know his/her annual salary, accept the annual amount.

Enter amount (whole \$)  → F4c

Nil.....	999997 → F5a
Don't know .....	999999 → F4a

F4a Do you know what your income from wages and salaries in this job is *after* tax is taken out?

Yes.....	1
No .....	2 → F5b

F4b What was the total amount of your most recent pay *after* tax was taken out?

Enter amount (whole \$)

Nil..... 999997

F4c And what period does that cover?

Week.....	1
Fortnight .....	2
Month.....	3
Year .....	4 → F6

**F5a And is that amount your *usual* pay?**

Yes ..... 1 →F6  
 No ..... 2

**F5b How much do you *usually* receive each pay period?**

IF VARIES: Looking over the last month, on average how much would you have received each week or each fortnight?

Enter amount (whole \$)

Nil ..... 999997 →F6  
 Don't know ..... 999999 →F6

**F5c And is that before tax or after tax is taken out?**

Before tax is taken out ..... 1  
 After tax ..... 2  
 Don't know ..... 9

**F5d And what period does that cover?**

Week ..... 1  
 Fortnight ..... 2  
 Month ..... 3  
 Year ..... 4

**F6 CHECK F2: Does respondent currently hold one job or more than one?**

Has more than one job (F2=1) ..... 1 →F7  
 Has only one job (F2=2) ..... 2 →F10  
 Respondent did not answer C6 (F2 = 3) ..... 3 →F10

**F7 Now I would like to ask you some questions about [your other job / all your other jobs together]. What was the total amount of your most recent gross pay *before* tax or anything else was taken out for [your other job / all your other jobs]?**

**It will help to answer this question if you can refer to your last pay-slip[s] from your other job[s].**

If respondent does not know their last pay, but does know his/her annual salary in these jobs, accept the annual amount.

Enter amount (whole \$)  →F8c

Nil ..... 999997 →F9a  
 Don't know ..... 999999 →F8a

**F8a Do you know what your income from wages and salaries in [your other job / all your other jobs] is *after* tax is taken out?**

Yes ..... 1  
 No ..... 2 →F10

**F8b What was the total amount of your most recent pay from [your other job / all your other jobs] *after* tax was taken out?**

Enter amount (whole \$)

Nil ..... 999997

**F8c And what period does that cover?**

Week ..... 1  
 Fortnight ..... 2  
 Month ..... 3  
 Year ..... 4 →F10

**F9a Is that your *usual* pay from [your other job / all your other jobs]?**

Yes ..... 1 →F10  
 No ..... 2

**F9b How much do you *usually* receive each pay for [your other job / all your other jobs]?**

Enter amount (whole \$)

Nil ..... 999997 →F10  
 Don't know ..... 999999 →F10

**F9c And is that before tax or after tax is taken out?**

Before tax is taken out ..... 1  
 After tax ..... 2  
 Don't know ..... 9

**F9d And what period does that cover?**

Week ..... 1  
 Fortnight ..... 2  
 Month ..... 3  
 Year ..... 4

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**F10 I would now like to ask you some questions about income received from government benefits, pensions or allowances.**

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**F11 CONFIRM AGE AND SEX**

IF MALE ASK: **Are you aged 65 or more?**

IF FEMALE ASK: **Are you aged 63 or more?**

- If male aged 65 or more ..... 1 →F12a  
If female aged 63 or more ..... 2 →F12a  
Otherwise ..... 3 →F13
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**F12a Do you currently receive the Age Pension from the Australian federal government?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F13  
Don't know ..... 9 →F13
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**F12b How much do you currently receive each fortnight?**

Enter amount (whole \$)

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**F13 Excluding any Family Tax Benefit payment, do you currently receive any (*other*) income from the government in the form of a benefit, pension or allowance?**

*We are only interested here in payments from Australian governments.*

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F17  
Don't know ..... 9

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**F14 Looking at SHOWCARD F14, do you currently receive any of these government pensions or allowances? (Which ones?)**

MULTI RESP

Newstart Allowance .....	01
Mature Age Allowance .....	02
Service Pension (paid by Dept of Veteran Affairs) [exclude superannuation, e.g., DFRDB] .....	03
Disability Support Pension (paid by Centrelink).....	04
Wife Pension.....	05
Carer Payment.....	06
Sickness Allowance .....	07
Widow Allowance (including Widow B Pension, paid by Centrelink).....	08
Special Benefit.....	09
Partner Allowance.....	10
Parenting Payment (NOT Family Tax Benefit) .....	11
Youth Allowance .....	12
Austudy / Abstudy payment.....	13
None of these .....	97 →F16a
Don't know .....	99 →F16a

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**F15 How much was the last [pension / allowance] payment you received from [this source / these sources] [those listed at F14], and how many weeks did that payment cover?**

a. Enter amount (whole \$)

b. Enter number of weeks

**F16a** Looking at SHOWCARD F16, do you *currently* receive any of these other pensions, allowances or other forms of assistance? PROBE: Any others? RECORD UNDER 16a

**F16b** For each source marked, also ask:

How much was the latest payment you received from (*specify payment / allowance*)?

**F16c** How many weeks was that payment for?

	16a	16b	16c No. of weeks
	Amount		
War Widow's / Widower's Pension (paid by DVA)	1	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Disability Pension (paid by DVA)	2	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Carer Allowance	3	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Baby Bonus.....	4	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Pensions or benefits paid by overseas governments	5	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Other government pensions benefits, <i>excluding</i> Superannuation, Family Tax Benefit payment ( <i>specify</i> )	8	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
None of the above .....	7		

**F17** Looking at SHOWCARD F17, I would now like to ask you a similar set of questions in relation to your income for the last financial year. This is the period covering 1<sup>st</sup> July 2008 to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2009. This might seem repetitive but it's really important that we get this information, so please take your time working it out. First, did you work for an employer for wages and salary at any time during the *last financial year*?

Yes ..... 1

No ..... 2 →F21

**F18** Last financial year, what was your total wage and salary income from *all* jobs *before* tax or anything else was deducted?

*Do not include income from businesses. This should be gathered at F23, rather than here.*

Enter annual amount (\$ whole \$)  →F21

Don't know..... 999999 →F19

**F19** Do you know how much your income from wages and salaries was *after* tax was taken out?

Yes..... 1

No ..... 2 →F21

**F20** What was the total amount of your wage and salary income *last financial year* after tax was taken out?

Enter annual amount (\$ whole \$)

**F21** During the last financial year did you, at any time:

work in your own business or farm; or were a silent partner in a partnership; or were a beneficiary of a trust (excluding those that are used just for investment purposes)?

Yes..... 1

No ..... 2 →F27a

**F22** Were any of your businesses incorporated businesses? (See SHOWCARD F22 for a definition of incorporated.)

*This includes trusts from F21.*

Yes..... 1

No ..... 2 →F25a

**F23** Excluding dividends, in the last financial year, what was your total income from wages and salary from these incorporated businesses *before* income tax was deducted?

Please exclude wages and salary already reported.

*This includes trusts from F21.*

Enter amount (whole \$)

Recorded elsewhere..... 9999998

Don't know ..... 9999999

**F24a** In the last financial year, did you receive any dividends from your incorporated businesses?

*This includes trusts from F21.*

Yes..... 1

No ..... 2 →F25a

**F24b** Including only your share, what was your total income from dividends from your incorporated businesses *in the last financial year*?

Enter amount (whole \$)

Don't know ..... 9999999

**F25a In the last financial year, did you have any unincorporated businesses?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F27a

*NOTE: Respondents cannot answer NO to both F25a and F22. If they do, query.*

**F25b What was your total share of profit or loss from your unincorporated businesses or farms before income tax but after deducting business expenses in the last financial year?**

Enter amount (whole \$)  →F26

Don't know ..... 9999999 →F27a

**F26 INTERVIEWER RECORD: Is the amount recorded at F25b a profit or loss?**

Profit ..... 1  
Loss ..... 2  
Break-even ..... 3

**F27a Looking at SHOWCARD F27a, did you earn more than \$100 during the last financial year in interest from all of these sources combined?**

*Showcard lists: interest from banks; other financial institutions; bonds; debentures; cash management trusts; family or other private trust funds; or interest from loans to other persons not in this household.*

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F28a

**F27b How much did you earn from all of these sources combined? Please include only your share.**

Enter full amount if over \$100  
(whole \$)

Don't know ..... 999999

**F28a During the last financial year did you receive any income in the form of royalties?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F28c

**F28b What was the total amount of income you received from royalties? (Include only your share.)**

Enter amount (whole \$)

Don't know ..... 999999

**F28c Looking at SHOWCARD F28c, during the last financial year did you receive any income or dividends from these type of investments?**

*Showcard lists: company shares; managed funds; property trusts.*

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F29a

**F28d What was the total amount of income you received from these investments? Include only your share from any joint investments.**

Enter amount (whole \$)

Don't know ..... 999999

**F29a During the last financial year, did you receive rent from any properties you owned or were buying?**

*Exclude rent or board from another member of the household, but include income from lodgers.*

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 →F30a

**F29b What was the total amount of income you received from renting properties during the last financial year after expenses were deducted? Your share only. Please exclude rent already included in business income.**

Enter amount (whole \$)  →F29c

Don't know ..... 999999 →F30a

Already reported (part of business income) ... 999997 →F30a

**F29c INTERVIEWER RECORD: Is the amount recorded at F29b a profit or loss?**

Profit ..... 1  
Loss ..... 2  
Break-even ..... 3

**F30a I am now going to ask you about your receipt of government pensions, benefits and allowances during the 2008/2009 financial year. Before I do that, can I first ask if you received any of the government bonus payments listed on SHOWCARD F30?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 ➔F31

**F30b Which ones?**

*MULTI RESP*

Bonus payment for pensioners, seniors, people with disability, carers and veterans  
(paid in December 2008) ..... 01  
Bonus payment for families  
(paid in December 2008) ..... 02  
Single Income Family Bonus (paid in March 2009) ..... 03  
Back to School Bonus (paid in March 2009) ..... 04  
Training and Learning Bonus (paid in March 2009) ..... 05  
Temporary supplement to the Education Entry Payment (paid in March 2009) ..... 06  
Farmers Hardship Bonus  
(paid in March or April 2009) ..... 07  
Tax bonus for Working Australians  
(paid around April 2009) ..... 08

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**F31 Looking at SHOWCARD F31, during the last financial year, did you receive any of these government pensions or allowances? Do not include the bonus payments already mentioned.**

Yes ..... 1 ➔F32a  
No ..... 2 ➔F33a

**F32a Which ones?** [FOR EACH ONE RECEIVED, CIRCLE CORRESPONDING NUMBER IN COLUMN A BELOW.]

PROBE: Any others? (excluding Family Tax Benefit and bonus payments already mentioned)

**F32b For how many weeks last financial year did you receive the [specify pension / allowance]?**

[FOR EACH ONE RECEIVED, WRITE IN NUMBER IN COLUMN B BELOW.]

**F32c Including only your share, how much did you receive in total income from the [specify pension / allowance] last financial year? Please include any lump sum advances you received, but do not include any bonus payments previously mentioned.**

[FOR EACH ONE RECEIVED, WRITE IN AMOUNT IN COLUMN C BELOW.]

IF RESPONDENT DOES NOT KNOW YEARLY AMOUNT ASK:

**What about the average received per fortnight from the [specify pension / allowance]? Are you able to estimate what that amount was? WRITE IN AMOUNTS IN COLUMN D BELOW.**

	A	B No. of weeks received	C Annual amount	D Average per fortnight
Age Pension (from Australian Govt) .....	01		\$	\$
Newstart Allowance .....	02		\$	\$
Mature Age Allowance .....	03		\$	\$
Service Pension (paid by DVA) (excl superannuation) ....	04		\$	\$
Disability Support Pension (paid by Centrelink) .....	05		\$	\$
Disability Pension (paid by DVA) .....	06		\$	\$
Wife Pension .....	07		\$	\$
Carer Payment .....	08		\$	\$
Carer Allowance .....	09		\$	\$
Sickness Allowance .....	10		\$	\$
Widow Allowance (including Widow B Pension) .....	11		\$	\$
War Widow's / Widower's Pension (paid by DVA) .....	12		\$	\$
Special Benefit .....	13		\$	\$
Partner Allowance .....	14		\$	\$
Youth Allowance .....	15		\$	\$
Austudy/Abstudy .....	16		\$	\$
Parenting Payment .....	17		\$	\$
Baby Bonus .....	18		\$	\$
Pensions / benefits from overseas governments .....	19		\$	\$
Other government pensions / allowances (specify) .....	97		\$	\$

**NB: DO NOT INCLUDE FAMILY TAX BENEFIT OR ANY GOVERNMENT BONUS PAYMENTS ALREADY MENTIONED**

**F33a** Looking at SHOWCARD F33, during the last financial year did you receive payments from any of these sources? Include both lump sums and more regular payments but do not include any payments we have already recorded elsewhere. Also, do not include Family Tax Benefit payments.

PROBE: Any others? [Prompt for cash gifts.]

RECORD UNDER F33a

For each source marked, also ask:

**F33b** How much did you receive from [specify source] during the last financial year?

	F33a	F33b	
		Estimated value	Don't know
Superannuation / Rollover Fund / Annuity / Life insurance / Allocated Pension Fund .....	01	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Child support / Maintenance .....	02	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Workers compensation / Accident or sickness insurance / Personal accident claims .....	03	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Redundancy and severance payments .....	04	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Inheritance / Bequests .....	05	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Parents - (IF RESPONDENT LIVES WITH PARENTS, SAY: Include any money you may receive as pocket money or as a regular allowance) .....	06	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Other persons not in this household (but excluding any income already reported).....	07	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
Any other source (specify)	96	\$ <input type="text"/>	999999
None of the above.....			97

**F34** Do you have a credit card or charge card that you use regularly (at least once a month)? Make sure you also include any store cards you might have.

We're only interested in cards used for personal use, not business.

Note that cards linked directly to the account holder's savings are 'debit' cards and should not be recorded here.

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 ➔ G1

**F35** Looking at SHOWCARD F35, how often is the entire balance on all your credit cards paid off each month?

Hardly ever or never.....	1
Not very often.....	2
About half of the time.....	3
Most months.....	4
Always or almost always .....	5

## G. FAMILY FORMATION

### G1 How many children in total have you ever had? That is, ever [fathered / given birth to] or adopted?

This only includes natural and adopted children, not step or foster children

TOTAL CHILDREN EVER HAD	All children (a)	IF ZERO (no children ever).....→ G12
		ELSE (if at least one child).....proceed
How many of these children live in this household at least 50% of the time?	(b)	→ LIST IN GRID AT G15a (on page 36)
How many live in another household more than 50% of the time?	(c)	→ LIST BELOW IN G3a
How many usually live in a non-private dwelling, but spend the remainder of the time mainly with you?	(d)	Non-private dwellings: boarding school, university hall of residence, institution
How many other children (not included above) live elsewhere?	(e)	→ LIST BELOW IN G3a
DO NOT ASK (only record if this information is volunteered) Number of children who have since died		(f)

### G2 CHECK G1c and G1e: Are any children listed at G1c or G1e? (if so, their names should be listed at G3a)

Yes.....1 → G3b

No .....2 → G12

**G3b Could you please tell me the age of [...name(s) of child(ren) listed at G3a...]** List age in column G3b.

**G3d Looking at SHOWCARD G3d, how far away from you does [...name(s) of child(ren) listed at G3a...]** usually live? Record for each child in column G3d. Best estimate OK. If DK where child is living record 9.

ONLY COMPLETE G3e TO G3i FOR CHILDREN AGED 24 YEARS OR LESS.

**G3g Did [...name(s) of child(ren) listed at G3a...]** attend primary or high school during 2009?

**G3h Do you provide or receive any financial support to help meet general everyday expenses of [name(s)]?** For instance, any weekly, fortnightly or monthly child support? Exclude any payments to cover one-off or periodic expenses such as school fees or medical bills.

Probe to find out whether respondent pays or receives everyday financial support and code accordingly for each child in column G3h. If respondent both pays and receives, record **net outcome**. That is, on the whole, do they end up paying or receiving financial support for everyday expenses?

**G3i Do you provide or receive any other financial support? For instance, for things such as school or tuition fees, or medical, dental, or clothing costs that crop up?**

Probe to find out whether pays or receives 'other' financial support and code accordingly for each child in column G3i. If pays and receives, record **net outcome**.

Children who live elsewhere most of the time  First name	Age (years)	Sex 1=M 2=F	SHOWCARD A1= <5kms B2= 5-9 C3=10-19 D4= 20-49 E5= 50-99 F6= 100-499 G7=500 plus H8=o/seas	Month and year of birth (enter 99 / 9999 if DK)	mnth      year	Where does ... usually live?	Did ... attend school in 2009?	Everyday financial support (single response)	'Other' financial support (single response)
						1= with other parent 2= with other relatives 3= fostered/adopted out 4= living independently 7= other (specify) 9= don't know			
G3a	G3b	G3c	G3d	G3e		G3f	G3g	G3h	G3i
1.									
2.									
3.									
4.									
5.									
6.									
7.									
8.									
9.									

Only complete columns G3e to G3i if child is aged 24 or less

**G4a CHECK G3b: Are all children aged 25 years or more?**

All children are 25 or more ..... 1 → G12  
 Else ..... 2 → G4b

**G7b INTERVIEWER RECORD: Does the respondent *pay* or *receive* the amount at G7a?**

Pay ..... 1  
 Receive ..... 2

**G4b CHECK G3h: Pay or receive everyday financial support?**

Any code 1 or 2 in column G3h?  
 Yes, code 1 or 2 listed in column G3h ..... 1 → G5a  
 No code 1 or 2 listed in column G3h ..... 2 → G6

**G5a In total, how much regular financial support do you [pay / receive] for the everyday expenses of [this child / these children]?**

Note that for any children under age 18 this will typically mean child support payments.

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know ..... 99999 → G6

**G5b How often is this amount [paid / received]?**

- Weekly ..... 1
- Fortnightly ..... 2
- Four weekly ..... 3
- Each calendar month ..... 4
- Yearly ..... 5
- Other (please specify) ..... 8

**G5c INTERVIEWER RECORD: Does the respondent *pay* or *receive* the amount at G5a?**

Pay ..... 1  
 Receive ..... 2

**G6 CHECK G3i: Pay or receive other financial support?**

Any code 1 or 2 in column G3i?  
 Yes, code 1 or 2 in column G3i ..... 1 → G7a  
 No code 1 or 2 in column G3i ..... 2 → G8a

**G7a How much have you [paid / received] for specific additional expenses such as school fees, medical bills, clothing etc for [this child / these children] over the last 12 months?**

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know ..... 99999

**Questions for parents with children aged 17 or less who live elsewhere**

**G8a CHECK G3b: Are there any children who are aged 17 years or less?**

Yes, children aged 17 or less ..... 1 → G8b  
 No children aged 17 or less ..... 2 → G12

**G8b I have already asked you if you actually provide or receive any financial support to help meet the everyday expenses of your children. Can you now tell me whether you are expected to pay or receive any financial support, either by the Child Support Agency, or because you have a private agreement, to help meet these expenses?**

- Yes ..... 1
- No ..... 2 → G9a
- Don't know ..... 9 → G9a

**G8c In total, how much regular financial support are you expected to [pay / receive] for the everyday expenses of [this child / these children]?**

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know ..... 99999 → G9a

**G8d And what period does this cover?**

- Week ..... 1
- Fortnight ..... 2
- Four weeks ..... 3
- Calendar month ..... 4
- Year ..... 5
- Other (please specify) ..... 8

**G8e INTERVIEWER RECORD: Should the respondent *pay* or *receive* the amount at G8c?**

- Pay ..... 1
- Receive ..... 2

**G8f Who decided, or helped you decide, how much child support is expected to be paid?**

Child Support Agency.....	1
Court.....	2
Other parent privately.....	3
Respondent on their own.....	4
Other party ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....	7
Don't know.....	9
Refused .....	8

**G9a I am now going to ask you about the contact you have with [name of youngest child who usually lives elsewhere]. Looking at SHOWCARD G9a, how often do you usually see [...name...].**

Daily.....	1
At least once a week .....	2
At least once a fortnight.....	3
At least once a month.....	4
Once every 3 months .....	5
Once every six months.....	6
Once a year .....	7
Less than once a year.....	8
Never.....	9 ➔ G12

**G9b About how many nights each week, fortnight or month does this child usually stay overnight with you?**

*If respondent refers to weeks rather than nights, record number of full weeks instead of nights. If overnight contact is sparse, interviewer to get estimate for 3, 6 or 12 month period.*

**Zero overnight stays in a year .....997**

Else: Record number of nights	OR	Record number of full weeks
<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
Per week ....1	Per...	
Fortnight....2	Fortnight....2	
4 weeks....3	4 weeks....3	
3 months ....4	3 months ....4	
6 months ....5	6 months ....5	
Year.....6	Year .....	6

**G9c And about how many days would [...name...] spend with you each week, fortnight or month without staying overnight?**

*If daytime contact is sparse, interviewer to get estimate for 3, 6 or 12 month period.*

**Zero day visits in a year .....997**

**Else:**      Record number of days      Record number of full weeks

<input type="text"/>	OR	<input type="text"/>
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Per week ....1	Per...
Fortnight....2	Fortnight....2
4 weeks ....3	4 weeks.....3
3 months ....4	3 months ....4
6 months ....5	6 months ....5
Year.....6	Year .....

**G10 Looking at SHOWCARD G10, how do you feel about the amount of contact you have with [...name...]?**

Nowhere near enough.....	1
Not quite enough.....	2
About right .....	3
A little too much.....	4
Way too much.....	5

**G11a CHECK G3f: Does the youngest child on the list at G3f usually live with their other parent? (G3f=1)**

Yes .....	1 ➔ G11b
No .....	2 ➔ G12

**G11b I now have one question about [...name...]'s other parent. Looking at SHOWCARD G11b, what is the current employment status of that other parent?**

Employed full-time (35+ hours per week).....	1
Employed part-time (less than 35 hours per week).....	2
Not employed <u>BUT</u> is looking for work .....	3
Neither employed <u>NOR</u> looking for work:	
Retired.....	4
Home duties .....	5
Non-working student .....	6
Other .....	7
Don't know.....	9

**Resident parent questions  
(children living with respondent)**

**G12 Do you have responsibility for any grandchildren or any step or foster children who usually live in this household?**

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → G14

**G13 How many of these children do NOT have a natural or adoptive parent living in this household?**

Record number  → List names of all these children at G15a (then go to G14)

None, all have natural / adoptive parent in household ..... 97 → G14

**G14 CHECK G1b, G1d and G13: Are any children recorded at any of G1b, G1d or G13? (if so their names should be listed at G15a)**

Yes ..... 1 → G15b  
No ..... 2 → G25

**G15b** Probe for age of children listed in G15a.

ONLY COMPLETE G15c TO G15d FOR CHILDREN AGED 24 YEARS OR LESS

**G15c** Did [...] name(s) of child(ren) listed at G15a / attend primary or high school during 2009?

**G15d** Does [...] name(s) of child(ren) in grid have another parent who lives elsewhere? (This includes a natural or adoptive parent, but not step or foster.) IF YES, record in column G15d.

ONLY COMPLETE G15e TO G15g FOR CHILDREN WITH A PARENT LIVING ELSEWHERE.

**G15e** Looking at SHOWCARD G15e, how far away from you does ...'s other parent usually live? – Best estimate OK. Only use DK (9) if the person doesn't know where the other parent is living.

**G15f** Do you receive any financial support from, or pay any financial support to, ...'s other parent to help meet general everyday expenses of (name)? For instance, any weekly, fortnightly or monthly child support? Exclude any payments to cover one-off or periodic expenses such as school fees or medical bills. Probe to find out whether respondent pays or receives everyday financial support and code accordingly for each child in column G15f. If respondent pays and receives, record net outcome. That is, on the whole, do they end up paying or receiving financial support for everyday expenses?

**G15g** Do you receive any other financial support from, or pay any other financial support to, ...'s other parent? For instance, for school or tuition fees or for medical, dental, or clothing costs that crop up? Probe to find out whether pays or receives 'other' financial support and code accordingly for each child in column G15g. If both (i.e. pays and receives) record net outcome. That is, on the whole, do they end up paying or receiving?

Children who live here most of the time	Age (years)	Did ... attend school in 2009? 1=Yes 2=No	Whether ... has another natural or adoptive parent who lives elsewhere 1=Yes 2=No	SHOWCARD		Only complete following columns if child has another natural or adoptive parent who lives elsewhere
				A1= <5kms B2= 5-9 C3=10-19 D4= 20-49 E5= 50-99 F6= 100-499 G7=500 plus H8=0/seas	Everyday financial support (single response) 1= pays 2= receives 3= neither 8= refused 9= don't know	
G15a	G15b	G15c	G15d	G15e	G15f	G15g
1.						
2.						
3.						
4.						
5.						
6.						
7.						
8.						
9.						
10.						

**G16 CHECK G15d: Parent who lives elsewhere.  
Any code 1s in column G15d?**

Yes, at least one code 1 in G15d.....1→G17  
Else (all rows are code 2 in G15d).....2→G25

**G17 CHECK G15f: Pay or receive everyday financial support?  
Any code 1 or 2 in column G15f?**

Yes, code 1 or 2 in column G15f .....1→G18a  
No code 1 or 2 in column G15f .....2→G19

**G18a Excluding any payments for specific expenses, how much regular (everyday) financial support are you currently [getting from / paying to] the other parent[s] of your [child/children]?**

Note that for any children under age 18 this will typically mean child support payments

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know..... 99999 →G19

**G18b How often is that amount paid?**

Weekly.....1  
Fortnightly.....2  
Four weekly .....3  
Each calendar month.....4  
Yearly .....5  
Other (please specify) .....8

**G18c INTERVIEWER RECORD: Does the respondent pay or receive the amount at G18a?**

Pay .....1  
Receive .....2

**G19 CHECK G15g: Pay or receive other financial support?**

**Any code 1 or 2 in column G15g?**

Yes, code 1 or 2 in column G15g .....1→ G20a  
No code 1 or 2 in column G15g .....2→ G21a

**G20a How much have you [received from / paid to] the other parent[s] of your [child/children] for specific additional expenses such as school fees, medical bills, clothing etc over the last 12 months?**

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know..... 99999

**G20b INTERVIEWER RECORD: Does the respondent *pay* or *receive* the amount at G20a?**

Pay .....1  
Receive .....2

**Questions for parents with children aged 17 or less with another parent who lives elsewhere**

**G21a CHECK G15b and G15d: Any children aged 17 or less AND who have another parent living elsewhere (code 1 in column G15d)?**

Yes, 17 or less in G15b AND code 1 in G15d .....1→G21b  
Else .....2→G25

**G21b I have already asked you if you actually provide or receive any financial support to help meet the everyday expenses of your children. Can you now tell me whether you are expected to pay or receive any financial support, either by the Child Support Agency, or because you have a private agreement, to help meet these expenses?**

Yes .....1  
No .....2→G22a  
Don't know .....9→G22a

**G21c In total, how much regular financial support are you expected to [pay / receive] for the everyday expenses of [this child / these children]?**

Enter amount  
(whole \$)

Don't know..... 99999 →G22a

**G21d And what period does this cover?**

Week .....1  
Fortnight .....2  
Four weeks .....3  
Calendar month .....4  
Year .....5  
Other (please specify) .....8

**G21e INTERVIEWER RECORD: Should the respondent *pay* or *receive* the amount at G21c?**

Pay .....1  
Receive .....2

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**G21f Who decided, or helped you decide, how much child support is expected to be paid?**

Child Support Agency.....	1
Court.....	2
Other parent privately.....	3
Respondent on their own.....	4
Other party ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....	7
Don't know.....	9
Refused .....	8

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**G22a I am now going to ask you about the contact [name of youngest child with parent living elsewhere] has with [his / her] other parent.**

**Looking at SHOWCARD G22a, how often does [...] usually see [his / her] other parent?**

Daily.....	1
At least once a week .....	2
At least once a fortnight.....	3
At least once a month.....	4
Once every 3 months .....	5
Once every six months.....	6
Once a year .....	7
Less than once a year .....	8
Never.....	9 → G25

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**G22b And about how many nights each week, fortnight or month does [...] usually stay overnight with their other parent?**

*If respondent refers to weeks rather than nights, record number of full weeks instead of nights.*

*If overnight contact is sparse, interviewer to get estimate for 3, 6 or 12 month period.*

**Zero overnight stays in a year .....997**

Else:	Record number of nights	OR	Record number of full weeks
	<input type="text"/>		<input type="text"/>
Per week ....1		Per...	
Fortnight.....2		Fortnight....2	
4 weeks.....3		4 weeks....3	
3 months ....4		3 months ....4	
6 months ....5		6 months ....5	
Year.....6		Year .....6	

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**G22c And about how many days would [...] spend with their other parent each week, fortnight or month without staying overnight?**

*If daytime contact is sparse, interviewer to get estimate for 3, 6 or 12 month period.*

**Zero day visits in a year .....997**

Else:      Record  
number of  
days      OR      Record  
number of  
full weeks

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Per week ....1	Per ...
Fortnight.....2	Fortnight....2
4 weeks ....3	4 weeks.....3
3 months ....4	3 months ....4
6 months ....5	6 months ....5
Year.....6	Year .....6

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**G23 Looking at SHOWCARD G23, how do you feel about the amount of contact [...] has with their other parent?**

Nowhere near enough .....	1
Not quite enough .....	2
About right .....	3
A little too much .....	4
Way too much.....	5

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**G24 Looking at SHOWCARD G24, what is the current employment status of that other parent?**

Employed – usually works 35+ hours per week .....	1
Employed – usually works less than 35 hours per week .....	2
Not employed <u>BUT</u> is looking for work .....	3
Neither employed <u>NOR</u> looking for work:	
Retired .....	4
Home duties .....	5
Non-working student.....	6
Other .....	7
Don't know.....	9

## Remaining child-related questions

### G25 SEX FILTER

- Male ..... 1 → G26  
Female ..... 2 → G27

### G26 CONFIRM AGE:

**Just to confirm, are you ...**

- less than 18 years of age? ..... 1 → H1  
18-54 years of age? ..... 2 → G28  
55 years or older? ..... 3 → H1

### G27 CONFIRM AGE:

**Just to confirm, are you ...**

- less than 18 years of age? ..... 1 → H1  
18-44 years of age? ..... 2 → G28  
45 years or older? ..... 3 → H1

### G28 Now a question about any future children.

Using the scale on SHOWCARD G28, I want you to pick a number between 0 and 10 to show how you feel about having [a child / more children] in the future.

*Read if necessary*

(The more definite you are that you would like to have [a child / more children], the higher the number you should pick. The more definite you are that you do not want to have [a child / more children], the lower the number.)

*This only includes natural children, not adopted.*

Record liking from 0 to 10

### G29 And how likely are you to have [a child / more children] in the future?

Again, pick a number between 0 and 10 using the scale on SHOWCARD G29. The more likely it is that you will have [a child / more children], the higher the number you should pick. The less likely it is, the lower the number.

*This only includes natural children, not adopted.*

Record likelihood from 0 to 10

### G30 CHECK G29

G29 is 5 or less

(unsure / unlikely to have a child) ..... 1 → H1

G29 is 6 or more ..... 2 → G31

### G31 How many (more) children do you intend to have?

Enter intended number of children  
excluding any already had

## **H. PARTNERING / RELATIONSHIPS**

**H1 Looking at SHOWCARD H4, which of these best describes your current marital status? By ‘married’ we mean in a *registered marriage*.**

- Married (in a registered marriage) ..... 1 → H3
- Separated, but not divorced ..... 2 → H4
- Divorced ..... 3 → H4
- Widowed ..... 4 → H4
- Never married but living with someone in a relationship ..... 5 → H7b
- Never married and not living with someone in a relationship ..... 6 → H2

**H2 CHECK G26 or G27:**

- G26 or G27=1 (less than 18 years of age) 1 → K1
- G26 or G27=2 (18 years and over) 2 → H10

**H3 Looking at SHOWCARD H6, which of the following best describes your current living circumstances?**

- Married and living with spouse ..... 1
- Married, but spouse is in an institution (e.g., nursing home, gaol) ..... 2
- Married, but living with spouse less than half the time owing to work / other commitments ..... 3

**H4 How many times, in total, have you been legally married? That is, in a registered marriage. (Include your [current / last] marriage.)**

Once ..... 1  
 Twice ..... 2  
 Three times ..... 3  
 Four times ..... 4

Five or more – check counting marriages vs relationships, then specify number

<b>H5</b>		Present or most recent marriage	First marriage if married more than once	Second marriage if married more than twice	Third marriage if married more than 3 times	Fourth marriage if married more than 4 times
<b>a In what (month and) year were you married?</b>	Month	<input type="text"/>				
<i>Only need month for present or most recent marriage.</i>	Year	<input type="text"/>				
<b>b (Some people live together before marrying), did you and your [wife /husband] live together before marrying?</b>	Yes	1	1	1	1	1
	No	2	2	2	2	2
<b>c [IF YES to b] How long did you live together before marrying?</b>	Years	<input type="text"/> OR <input type="text"/>				
<i>If less than one year, record months.</i>	Months					

**If respondent is still in their first marriage, go to H6**

<b>d [FOR PREVIOUS MARRIAGES]</b> <b>How did the marriage end?</b>	Still married	1				
	Separated	2				
	Divorced	3	3	3	3	3
	Widowed	4	4	4	4	4
<b>e [IF WIDOWED] In what year did this occur?</b>	Year	<input type="text"/>				
<b>f [IF SEPARATED / DIVORCED]</b> <b>In what year did you finally separate?</b>	Year	<input type="text"/>				
<b>g [IF DIVORCED] In what year was your divorce finalised?</b>	Year	<input type="text"/>				
<b>h [IF SEPARATED / DIVORCED]</b> <b>Whose decision was it to finally separate?</b>	Mostly mine	1	1	1	1	1
	Mostly partner's	2	2	2	2	2
	Joint	3	3	3	3	3

**H6 CHECK H1: Is code 2, 3 or 4 recorded at H1? (That is, is respondent separated, divorced or widowed?)**

Yes, code 2, 3 or 4 recorded at H1 ..... 1 → H7a  
 Other ..... 2 → H11

## Non-marital relationships

**H7a Are you currently living with someone in a relationship?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → H10

**H7b When did you begin living with your current partner?**

*If month not known, enter 99 and obtain year.*

Record month   and year

**H8 Looking at SHOWCARD H9, how likely are you to marry your current partner?**

- Very likely ..... 1 → H11  
Likely ..... 2 → H11  
Not sure ..... 3  
Unlikely ..... 4  
Very unlikely ..... 5  
Prefer not to disclose ..... 8

**H9 Still looking at SHOWCARD H9, even though you [are unsure about marrying / don't think you will marry] your current partner, how likely is that you will ever marry [or re-marry] in the future?**

- Very likely ..... 1  
Likely ..... 2  
Not sure ..... 3  
Unlikely ..... 4  
Very unlikely ..... 5  
Prefer not to disclose ..... 8

**NOW GO TO H11**

**H10 Looking at SHOWCARD H9, how likely is it that you will ever [marry / re-marry] in the future?**

- Very likely ..... 1  
Likely ..... 2  
Not sure ..... 3  
Unlikely ..... 4  
Very unlikely ..... 5  
Prefer not to disclose ..... 8

**H11 (Some people live together as a couple without marrying). Have you ever lived with someone (else) as a couple for more than 3 months, but did not marry them?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K1

**H12 How many such relationships have you lived in?**

*Exclude any current relationship reported in H7a or H7b.*

Record number; must be at least 1

**H13 Thinking about [this / the first such] relationship, in what month and year did you start living together?**

*If month not known, enter 99 and obtain year.*

Record month   and year

**H14 And how long did you live together as a couple?**

*Count only time spent living together. Exclude any periods of temporary separation, and also exclude the time at the beginning of the relationship before they moved in together.*

Full years   Full months

## K. HEALTH AND HEALTH CARE

**K1 Now some questions about your health and your views on life.**

**In general, how would you rate your health? Is it excellent, very good, good, fair or poor?**

- |                 |        |
|-----------------|--------|
| Excellent.....  | 1      |
| Very good ..... | 2      |
| Good.....       | 3      |
| Fair .....      | 4      |
| Poor.....       | 5      |
| Don't know..... | 9 → K3 |

**K2 What do you think is the per cent chance that your health will**

- [still be excellent (if currently excellent) /  
still be very good or better (if currently very good) /  
still be good or better (if currently good) /  
still be fair or better (if currently fair) /  
have improved significantly (if currently poor)]

**four years from now?**

**Your answer should range between 0%, which means there is no chance, and 100%, which means it is absolutely certain.**

Record %  %

Don't know..... .999

### K3 CONFIRM OR CHECK AGE:

- |                           |         |
|---------------------------|---------|
| If aged under 65 .....    | 1 → K4a |
| If age 65-89.....         | 2 → K4b |
| If aged 90 or older ..... | 3 → K5  |

**K4a How likely do you think it is that you will live to be 75 or more? Is it very likely, likely, unlikely or very unlikely?**

- |                    |        |
|--------------------|--------|
| Very likely .....  | 1 → K5 |
| Likely .....       | 2 → K5 |
| Unlikely .....     | 3 → K5 |
| Very unlikely..... | 4 → K5 |
| Don't know.....    | 9 → K5 |

**K4b How likely do you think it is that you will live to be [80] (if aged <70) /**

- |                               |
|-------------------------------|
| 85 (if aged 70-74) /          |
| 90 (if aged 75-79) /          |
| 95 (if aged 80-84) /          |
| 100 (if aged 85-89)] or more? |

**Is it very likely, likely, unlikely or very unlikely?**

- |                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| Very likely .....   | 1 |
| Likely .....        | 2 |
| Unlikely .....      | 3 |
| Very unlikely ..... | 4 |
| Don't know.....     | 9 |

**K5** Looking at SHOWCARD K5, do you have any long-term health condition, impairment or disability (such as these) that restricts you in your everyday activities, and has lasted or is likely to last, for 6 months or more?

Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K19a

**K6a** Which ones? PROBE: Any others?

Circle code at K6a ➔.

**K6b** And could you please tell me when you first developed [this condition / each of these conditions]?

Conditions	K6a	Year first developed	At Birth	D/K
Sight problems not corrected by glasses / lenses .....	01	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Hearing problems .....	02	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Speech problems.....	03	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Blackouts, fits or loss of consciousness .....	04	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Difficulty learning or understanding things .....	05	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Limited use of arms or fingers ...	06	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Difficulty gripping things.....	07	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Limited use of feet or legs .....	08	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
A nervous or emotional condition which requires treatment .....	09	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Any condition that restricts physical activity or physical work (e.g., back problems, migraines) .....	10	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Any disfigurement or deformity .....	11	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Any mental illness which requires help or supervision ..	12	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing.....	13	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Chronic or recurring pain .....	14	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Long-term effects as a result of a head injury, stroke or other brain damage .....	15	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
A long-term condition or ailment which is still restrictive even though it is being treated or medication being taken for it .....	16	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999
Any other long-term condition such as arthritis, asthma, heart disease, Alzheimer's disease, dementia etc. ....	17	<input type="text"/>	9996	9999

**K7 [Does your condition / Do your conditions] limit the type of work or the amount of work you can do?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K9  
Unable to do any work ..... 3 → K9

**K8 Using the scale on SHOWCARD K8, could you pick a number between 0 and 10 to indicate how much your condition[s] limit[s] the amount of work you can do?**

An answer of 0 means “not at all” and an answer of 10 means you are “unable to do any work”.

Enter number from 0 to 10

### **Difficulties caused by health conditions**

**K9 Look now at SHOWCARD K9. You only need to answer “yes” or “no”. Because of the condition[s] you have told me about, do you ever have difficulty with....**

a) self care activities?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

b) mobility activities?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

c) communicating in your own language?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

**K10a Still looking at the types of tasks listed on SHOWCARD K9, do you ever need help or supervision with any of these tasks because of the condition[s] you have told me about?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K12a

**K10b Which ones?** MULTI RESP

- Self-care ..... 1  
Mobility ..... 2  
Communication in own language ..... 3

**K11a Do you always need help with any of these tasks?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K12a

**K11b Which ones?**

MULTI RESP

- Self-care ..... 1  
Mobility ..... 2  
Communication in own language ..... 3

**K12a I now have some questions about different types of aids you might use because of your condition[s]. Looking at SHOWCARD K12, do you use any aids such as these?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K13

**K12b Which ones?**

MULTI RESP

- Mobility aids ..... 1  
Self-care aids ..... 2  
Non-electronic communication aids ..... 3  
Electronic communication aids ..... 4

**K13 Looking at SHOWCARD K13, has your home been modified in any way because of your condition[s]?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2

**K14 CONFIRM OR CHECK: Is respondent aged 65 years or older?**

- Yes (65 years or older) ..... 1 → K19a  
No (less than 65 years) ..... 2 → K15a

**K15a Because of the condition[s] you have told me about, do you currently have any difficulties with employment, such as those listed on SHOWCARD K15?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K16

**K15b Which difficulties on SHOWCARD K15 currently apply to you?** MUTI RESP

- Permanently unable to work ..... 1  
Restricts type of job can do ..... 2  
Restricts number of hours that can be worked ..... 3  
Makes it more difficult to change jobs / get a better job / find a suitable job ..... 4  
Need additional time off work ..... 5  
Need ongoing assistance / supervision at work ..... 6  
Need special equipment / arrangements ..... 7  
Other employment difficulties ..... 8

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**K16 Are you currently attending school or enrolled in a course of study to obtain an educational qualification?**

*If on holidays, but expects to be attending school or studying when holidays finish, code as "YES".*

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K18a
- 

**K17a Because of the condition[s] you have told me about, do you currently have any difficulties with education, such as those listed on SHOWCARD K17?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K19a
- 

**K17b Which ones?**

MULTI RESP

- Need additional time off school / study ..... 1 → K19a  
Have to attend special classes / school ..... 2 → K19a  
Need ongoing assistance or supervision ..... 3 → K19a  
Restricted in the number of hours can study ..... 4 → K19a  
Need special equipment, modified environment, or other special arrangements ..... 5 → K19a  
General learning difficulties ..... 6 → K19a  
Other difficulties ..... 8 → K19a
- 

**K18a Would you like to be enrolled at school or undertaking further study?**

- Yes, would like to be studying ..... 1  
No, would not like to be studying ..... 2 → K19a
- 

**K18b Are you not enrolled in an educational course because of the condition[s] you have told me about?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No, other reason ..... 2
- 

**Serious illness conditions****K19a I am now going to ask some questions about some specific medical conditions. Looking at SHOWCARD K19, have you been told by a doctor or nurse that you have any of these conditions? Please only include current conditions that have lasted or are likely to last for six months or more.**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K22  
Don't know ..... 9 → K22
- 

**K19b Which ones?**

PROBE: Any others?

MULTI RESP

- Arthritis or osteoporosis ..... 01  
Asthma ..... 02  
Any type of cancer ..... 03  
Chronic bronchitis or emphysema ..... 04  
Type 1 diabetes (also known as juvenile-onset or insulin-dependent diabetes) ..... 05  
Type 2 diabetes (also known as late-onset or non-insulin dependent diabetes) ..... 06  
Depression or anxiety ..... 07  
Other mental illness ..... 08  
Heart disease ..... 09  
High blood pressure or hypertension ..... 10  
Any other serious circulatory condition (e.g., stroke, hardening of the arteries) ..... 11
- 

**K20a Do you regularly see a doctor or other medical practitioner about [this condition / any of these conditions]?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K21a  
Don't know ..... 9 → K21a
- 

**K20b Approximately how often do you see a doctor or medical practitioner about your condition?**

*If more than one condition, obtain an answer for the condition for which the respondent most regularly sees a medical practitioner.*

- At least monthly ..... 1  
Less often than monthly, but at least once every 6 months ..... 2  
Less often than once every 6 months, but at least once a year ..... 3  
Less often than yearly ..... 4  
Don't know ..... 9
- 

**K21a Do you take any prescription medications for [this condition / any of these conditions]?**

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → K22  
Don't know ..... 9 → K22
- 

**K21b CHECK K19b:**

- If only one condition on K19b ..... 1 → K22  
If more than one condition on K19b ..... 2 → K21c
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**K21c For which conditions do you take this prescription medication?**

MULTI RESP

Arthritis or osteoporosis.....	<u>01</u>
Asthma .....	<u>02</u>
Any type of cancer .....	<u>03</u>
Chronic bronchitis or emphysema .....	<u>04</u>
Type 1 diabetes (also known as juvenile-onset or insulin-dependent diabetes) .....	<u>05</u>
Type 2 diabetes (also known as late-onset or non-insulin dependent diabetes) .....	<u>06</u>
Depression or anxiety.....	<u>07</u>
Other mental illness.....	<u>08</u>
Heart disease .....	<u>09</u>
High blood pressure or hypertension.....	<u>10</u>
Any other serious circulatory condition (e.g., stroke, hardening of the arteries).....	<u>11</u>
Don't know.....	<u>99</u>

**Retrospective questions on childhood health**

**K22 These next questions ask about your health during childhood; that is, before you turned 15 years of age. How would you describe your health during that time? Was it excellent, very good, good, fair or poor?**

Excellent.....	<u>1</u>
Very good .....	<u>2</u>
Good.....	<u>3</u>
Fair .....	<u>4</u>
Poor .....	<u>5</u>
Health varied [unprompted] .....	<u>6</u>
Don't know.....	<u>9</u>

**K23 When you were growing up, did you ever miss a month of school because of a health problem? That is, were you absent from school for 30 or more consecutive days?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u>
Don't know.....	<u>9</u>

**K24 Were any of your parents or guardians smokers at any stage during your childhood?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u>
Don't know.....	<u>9</u>

**HEALTH CARE UTILISATION: Concession cards & private health insurance**

**K25 Now some questions about health care services you may have used.**

**Look now at SHOWCARD K25. Do you have any of these cards?**

MULTI RESP

Department of Veterans' Affairs <u>Orange</u> Treatment Entitlement Card .....	<u>1</u>
Department of Veterans' Affairs <u>White</u> Treatment Entitlement Card .....	<u>2</u>
Department of Veterans' Affairs <u>Gold</u> Treatment Entitlement Card.....	<u>3</u>
Health Care Card.....	<u>4</u>
Pensioner Concession Card.....	<u>5</u>
Commonwealth Seniors Health Card .....	<u>6</u>
No – do not have any of these cards .....	<u>7</u>
Don't know .....	<u>9</u>

**K26 Apart from Medicare, are you currently covered by private health insurance?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u> ➔ K29
Don't know.....	<u>9</u> ➔ K31

**K27 Are you covered by family, couple, sole parent or single membership?**

Family membership .....	<u>1</u>
Couple membership .....	<u>2</u>
Sole parent membership .....	<u>3</u>
Single membership.....	<u>4</u>
Don't know.....	<u>9</u> ➔ K31

**K28 What type of health insurance do you have? Hospital cover only, extras cover only, or both hospital and extras cover?**

'Extras' cover is also known as 'ancillary' cover. Extras include such things as dental care, physiotherapy, chiropractic services, and podiatry.	
Hospital cover only .....	<u>1</u> ➔ K31
Extras cover only.....	<u>2</u> ➔ K29
Both hospital and extras cover .....	<u>3</u> ➔ K31
Don't know.....	<u>9</u> ➔ K31

**K29 Have you ever had private health insurance for hospital cover in the past?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u> ➔ K31
Don't know.....	<u>9</u> ➔ K31

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**K30 Looking at SHOWCARD K30, how long ago did you drop your hospital cover?**

Less than one year ago .....	1
One to less than two years ago .....	2
Two to less than five years ago .....	3
Five to less than 10 years ago .....	4
Ten or more years ago .....	5
Don't know.....	9

**HEALTH CARE UTILISATION:  
Doctor and hospital visits**

**K31 Looking at SHOWCARD K31, how long has it been since you last saw a dentist?**

Less than 6 months ago .....	1
Six to less than 12 months ago .....	2
One to less than 2 years ago.....	3
Two to less than 5 years ago .....	4
Five or more years ago .....	5
Never been to the dentist .....	8
Don't know .....	99

**K32a Is there a particular doctor you usually see if you are sick or if you need advice about your health?**

Yes .....	1 ➔K33a
No / More than one.....	2
Don't know .....	9

**K32b Is there a particular clinic or health centre you usually go to if you are sick or if you need advice about your health?**

Yes .....	1
No / More than one.....	2
Don't know .....	9

**K33a During the last 12 months, have you seen a family doctor or another GP about your health?**

Yes .....	1
No .....	2 ➔K35a
Don't know .....	9 ➔K35a

**K33b Approximately how many times have you seen a family doctor or another GP about your health in the last 12 months?**

Record number of visits

Don't know.....99

**K34 Thinking now about your most recent visit to a family doctor or other GP, did you or someone in your family have any out-of-pocket expenses for that consultation? Do not include medicines or tests prescribed by the doctor.**

*An out-of-pocket expense is sometimes known as a gap payment and is usually incurred if the consultation was not bulk billed.*

Yes .....	1
No.....	2
Don't know.....	9

**K35a Looking at SHOWCARD K35, during the last 12 months, have you seen any of these health care providers about your health?**

Yes .....	1
No.....	2 ➔K36a
Don't know.....	9 ➔K36a

**K35b Which ones?**

PROBE: Any others?

MULTI RESP

A hospital doctor (i.e., in outpatients or casualty) ...01

A specialist doctor (excluding in outpatients or casualty of a hospital).....02

A mental health professional, such as a psychiatrist or psychologist .....03

A podiatrist (foot doctor) .....04

A chiropractor or osteopath .....05

A physiotherapist .....06

An optometrist .....07

Any other allied health provider, such as a speech therapist, audiologist or occupational therapist.....08

An alternative health practitioner, such as a naturopath, acupuncturist or herbalist .....09

A community nurse, practice nurse, nurse practitioner or midwife .....10

**K36a Looking at SHOWCARD K36, have you had any of the health check-ups and tests listed on this card during the past 12 months?**

Yes .....	1
No.....	2 ➔K37
Don't know.....	9 ➔K37

**K36b Which ones?**

PROBE: Any others?

MULTI RESP

Pap smear .....	1
Breast screening .....	2
Prostate check .....	3
Screening for bowel cancer .....	4
Chest / other x-rays .....	5
Blood pressure .....	6
Cholesterol test .....	7
Any other blood test .....	8

**K37 During the last 12 months, have you been admitted as a patient to a hospital for an overnight stay?**

- Yes ..... 1  
 No ..... 2 ➔ K42  
 Don't know ..... 9 ➔ K42

**K38 On how many different occasions were you admitted as a patient to a hospital for an overnight stay during the last 12 months?**

Record number of admissions

Don't know ..... 999

**K39 Altogether, in the last 12 months, how many nights did you stay in hospital?**

Record number of nights

Don't know ..... 999

**K40 I would now like to talk to you about your most recent overnight admission to hospital. How many nights did you stay in hospital?**

Record number of nights

Don't know ..... 999

**K41 Were you admitted as a public patient, as a private patient in a private hospital, or as a private patient in a public hospital?**

- Public patient ..... 1  
 Private patient in a private hospital ..... 2  
 Private patient in a public hospital ..... 3  
 Other (please specify) ..... 8

Don't know ..... 99

**K42 During the last 12 months, have you been admitted to hospital as a day patient? (Do not include visits to emergency, outpatients or outpatient clinics.)**

A DAY PATIENT is admitted to the hospital for the day, whereas an OUT PATIENT is not admitted, they just receive treatment at the hospital.

- Yes ..... 1  
 No ..... 2 ➔ K45  
 Don't know ..... 9 ➔ K45

**K43 On how many different occasions were you admitted as a day patient to a hospital during the last 12 months?**

Record number of times

Don't know ..... 999

**K44 Think now of the last time you were admitted as a day patient. Were you admitted as a public patient, as a private patient in a private hospital, or as a private patient in a public hospital?**

- Public patient ..... 1  
 Private patient in a private hospital ..... 2  
 Private patient in a public hospital ..... 3  
 Other (please specify) ..... 8

Don't know ..... 99

**Diet****K45 The next few questions are about your eating habits.**

Looking at SHOWCARD K45, what is the main type of milk that you usually use?

- Whole / full cream ..... 1  
 Low / reduced fat ..... 2  
 Skim ..... 3  
 Evaporated or sweetened condensed ..... 4  
 Soy milk ..... 5  
 Other (please specify) ..... 6

Does not drink milk ..... 7

If respondent indicates they drink calcium enriched milk, powdered milk, UHT milk or flavoured milk, ask them if that milk is whole milk, low fat milk or skim milk, and then code appropriately.

**K46 Including tinned, frozen and fresh vegetables, on how many days in a usual week do you eat vegetables?**

Please do not include chips or French fries.

Respondents should include potatoes and salad vegetables. If queried, vegetable juice is not to be included

Record no. of days (1-7)

Do not eat vegetables in a usual week.....9 →K48

**K47 On a day when you eat vegetables, how many serves of vegetables do you usually eat?**

SHOWCARD K47 provides some examples of what a typical serve of vegetables looks like. As a rough guide, one serve is equal to a half a cup of cooked vegetables (or one cup of salad vegetables).

One serve.....	1
Two serves.....	2
Three serves.....	3
Four serves.....	4
Five serves.....	5
Six serves or more.....	6

**K48 Including tinned, frozen, dried and fresh fruit, on how many days in a usual week do you eat fruit?**

If queried, fruit juice is not to be included.

Record no. of days (1-7)

Do not eat fruit in a usual week .....9 →K50

**K49 On a day when you eat fruit, how many serves of fruit do you usually eat?**

SHOWCARD K49 provides some examples of what a typical serve of fruit looks like. (As a rough guide, one serve is equal to one medium sized piece of fruit OR two small pieces of fruit OR one cup of diced fruit pieces.)

One serve.....	1
Two serves.....	2
Three serves.....	3
Four serves.....	4
Five serves.....	5
Six serves or more.....	6

**K50 How many days per week do you usually have some food for breakfast?**

Substantial liquid meals (for example, smoothies and protein shakes), should also be included here.

Record no. of days (1-7)

None.....9

**K51 How often do you add salt to your food after it is cooked? Is it usually, sometimes, rarely, or never?**

Never / Rarely.....	1
Sometimes.....	2
Usually.....	3

**K52a How often in a usual week do you buy breakfast from a restaurant, café, fast food outlet, or any other place that prepares and sells meals?**

Answers should lie in range 0 to 7

**K52b And how often do you buy lunch?**

Answers should lie in range 0 to 7

**K52c And how often do you buy dinner (i.e., the evening meal)?**

Answers should lie in range 0 to 7

'Meals' mean more than a beverage or a snack food (like a chocolate bar).

## Carers

**K53 I now have some questions about caring for others. By care I mean regular, informal help that is ongoing. Don't include any care that you might undertake as part of your paid employment.**

**K54 CHECK HF: Does the respondent live alone or with others?**

Single-person household.....1 →K58

Multi-person household.....2 →K55

**K55 Is there anyone in this household who has a long-term health condition, who is elderly or who has a disability, and for who you care or help on an ongoing basis with any of the types of activities listed on SHOWCARD K55?**

Yes .....1

No .....2 →K58

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**K56 Who in this household do you help or care for?**

MULTI RESP

Spouse / Partner.....	<u>1</u>
Parent(s).....	<u>2</u>
Parent(s)-in-law .....	<u>3</u>
Adult child (aged 15+ years).....	<u>4</u>
Young child.....	<u>5</u>
Other relative .....	<u>6</u>
Other (unrelated person) .....	<u>7</u>

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**K57 Are you the main carer of [this person / any of these people]? (That is, are you the person who provides most of their care?)**

Yes (main carer).....	<u>1</u>
No (share the care with others) .....	<u>2</u>

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**K58 Is there anyone living elsewhere who has a long-term health condition, who is elderly or who has a disability, and for who you care or help on an ongoing basis with any of the types of activities listed on SHOWCARD K55?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u> ➔ K61

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**K59 Who [is this person / are these people] living elsewhere that you help or care for?**

MULTI RESP

Spouse / Partner.....	<u>1</u>
Parent(s).....	<u>2</u>
Parent(s)-in-law .....	<u>3</u>
Adult child (aged 15+ years).....	<u>4</u>
Young child.....	<u>5</u>
Other relative .....	<u>6</u>
Other (unrelated person) .....	<u>7</u>

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**K60 Are you the main carer of [this person / any of these people]? (That is, are you the person who provides most of their care?)**

Yes (main carer).....	<u>1</u>
No (share the care with others) .....	<u>2</u>

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**K61 I am now going to ask you some questions about how satisfied or dissatisfied you are with some of the things happening in your life. I am going to read out a list of different aspects of life and, using the scale on SHOWCARD K61, I want you to pick a number between 0 and 10 that indicates your level of satisfaction with each. The more satisfied you are, the higher the number you should pick. The less satisfied you are, the lower the number.**

a The home in which you live?	<input type="text"/>	N/A
b Your employment opportunities?	<input type="text"/>	97
c Your financial situation?	<input type="text"/>	
d How safe you feel?	<input type="text"/>	
e Feeling part of your local community?	<input type="text"/>	
f Your health?	<input type="text"/>	
g The neighbourhood in which you live?	<input type="text"/>	
h The amount of free time you have?	<input type="text"/>	

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**K62 All things considered, how satisfied are you with your life? Again, pick a number between 0 and 10 to indicate how satisfied you are.**

Enter number from 0 to 10 

**K63 Do you speak a language other than English in this home?**

Yes .....	<u>1</u>
No.....	<u>2</u> ➔ K65

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**K64 Would you say you speak English ...**

Very well?.....	<u>1</u>
Well?.....	<u>2</u>
Not well? .....	<u>3</u>
Not at all? .....	<u>4</u>

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**K65 And could you please tell me when you moved to your current address? That is, when you began living here.**

(If you have lived here before but there was a gap of more than a year when you were living somewhere else, please just tell me the date you moved back in most recently.)

If month not known, code "99" and obtain year.

If lived at residence entire life, insert month and year in which born.

Record month 

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 and year: 

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**K66 CHECK K65: Is the answer at K65 more than 10 years ago?**

Yes (K65 is more than 10 years ago)..... 1→T1

No (K65 is 10 years or less) ..... 2→K67

**K67 In total, how many homes have you lived in during the last 10 years?**

PROBE IF PAUSE: Has it been more than 5? 10?

- |             |   |
|-------------|---|
| 1.....      | 1 |
| 2.....      | 2 |
| 3.....      | 3 |
| 4.....      | 4 |
| 5 - 9 ..... | 5 |
| 10-14 ..... | 6 |
| 15+ .....   | 7 |

**K68 CHECK K65: Is the answer at K65 more than 12 months ago?**

Yes (K65 is more than 12 months ago) ..... 1→T1

No (K65 is less than 12 months ago) ..... 2→K69

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**K69 What were the *main* reasons for you moving in the last 12 months?**

MULTI RESP

- |  |    |
|--|----|
| To start a new job with a new employer .....                                 | 01 |
| To be nearer place of work.....  | 02 |
| To be close to place of study.....   | 03 |
| Work transfer.....   | 04 |
| To start own business .....  | 05 |
| Decided to relocate own business.....  | 06 |
| To get a larger / better place .....   | 07 |
| To get a smaller / less expensive place (less rent, less upkeep, etc.) ..... | 08 |
| To get a place of my own / our own .....                                     | 09 |
| To get married / moved in with partner.....                                  | 10 |
| To live in a better neighbourhood.....                                       | 11 |
| To be closer to friends and/or family .....                                  | 12 |
| To look for work.....  | 13 |
| Marital / relationship breakdown.....  | 14 |
| Property no longer available.....  | 15 |
| Evicted.....   | 16 |
| To follow a spouse or parent / whole family moved.....                       | 17 |
| To be closer to amenities / services / public transport .....                | 18 |
| Seeking change of lifestyle.....   | 19 |
| Health reasons .....   | 20 |
| Temporary relocation (e.g., while renovating / re-building) .....            | 21 |
| Other ( <i>please specify</i> ) .....  | 97 |
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## T. TRACKING INFORMATION

**T1 The Living in Australia study appreciates your assistance and would like to contact you again in 12 months time to get an update from you.**

Now, we have the household's home phone number, but I'd like to record your work and/or mobile phone numbers too, just for back-up.

Work

Mobile

Does not have a telephone..... 6

Refused to provide ..... 8

**T2 Do you have an email address that you check regularly?**

No ..... 1

Yes (write in full email address below) ..... 2

Refused to provide ..... 8

**T3 How likely is it that you will move in the next 12 months?**

Very likely ..... 1

Likely ..... 2

Neither / not sure ..... 3 ➔ T5

Unlikely ..... 4 ➔ T5

Very unlikely ..... 5 ➔ T5

**T4a Do you know your new address?**

*Please record any information you are told (even if it is only the name of the region they are moving to).*

No ..... 1

Yes, Postal address  
(write in below, including p/code) ..... 2

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POST CODE \_\_\_\_\_

Street address  
(write in below if different from above)

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POST CODE \_\_\_\_\_

Will be overseas ..... 4

Refused to provide ..... 8

**T4b When do you expect to begin living at your new address?**

Record month and year      Month      Year  
                                              
                                  2    0     

Don't know ..... 99

- T5** We also ask for the name and number of two other people who might know where you are, in case you move in the meantime. Relatives who don't live with you are usually the best for this. (They will only be contacted if you cannot be found, and these contact details will be kept completely secure and not used for any other purpose.) Can you please let these people know that you have given this study their details in case you move and they need to be contacted?

Try to record a different contact for each respondent.

	Name and r'ship to respondent	Phone/email	Postal address
<b>CONTACT 1</b>	Name:	Work: ( ____ ) _____	
		Home: ( ____ ) _____	
	Relationship to respondent :	mob:	
Respondent's	email:	Post code <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	
<b>CONTACT 2</b>	Name:	Work: ( ____ ) _____	
		Home: ( ____ ) _____	
	Relationship to respondent :	mob:	
Respondent's	email:	Post code <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	

Reason for above contact details not given: .....8

- T6** CONFIRM D.O.B. FROM HF AND RECORD: Can you confirm your date of birth please?

If queried, explain that we need DOB on this form so we can marry the information here with the information on other forms.

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<input type="text"/>
Day	Month	Year			

- T7a** There is also a self-completion questionnaire we would like you to fill in. This contains some additional questions that you might find easier to answer by yourself. You can complete this in your own time and I will come back and collect it on another day.

Give pen (i.e. the 'gift') to respondent and recommend that they use it when completing the questionnaire.

Point out instructions on the front of SCQ and emphasise that if they make a mistake it's important that they black-out the box completely.

- T7b** ON THE FRONT OF THE SCQ RECORD THE HOUSEHOLD ID (5 DIGITS) AND THE RESPONDENT'S PERSON ID (2 DIGITS). WRITE THE RESPONDENT'S FIRST NAME IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.

- T7c** RECORD SCQ SERIAL NUMBER:

<input type="text"/>					
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**IMPORTANT NOTE:** The SCQ serial number is printed on the bottom right-hand corner of the SCQ.

SCQ not issued.....99997

- T8** TIMESTAMP

Record time now 

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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 am / pm

Total interview length 

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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 minutes

**THANK AND CLOSE**

**REMEMBER TO COMPLETE THE INTERVIEW SITUATION DETAILS ON THE LAST PAGE**

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**REMEMBER TO COMPLETE THE INTERVIEW SITUATION DETAILS ON THE LAST PAGE**

## Z. INTERVIEW SITUATION

To be completed by the interviewer in between interviews or immediately after leaving house.

### Z1 Were any other adults present during any of this interview?

- Yes ..... 1  
No ..... 2 → Z3

### Z2 How much do you think they influenced the answers?

- Not at all ..... 1  
A little ..... 2  
A fair amount ..... 3  
A great deal ..... 4

### Z3 In general, how would you describe the respondent's understanding of the questions?

- Excellent ..... 1  
Good ..... 2  
Fair ..... 3  
Poor ..... 4  
Very poor ..... 5

### Z4 Was the respondent suspicious about the study after the interview was completed?

- No, not at all suspicious ..... 1  
Yes, somewhat suspicious ..... 2  
Yes, very suspicious ..... 3

### Z5 Did the respondent refer to any of the following documents during the interview?

Yes      No

- (a) A pay slip? ..... 1 ..... 2  
(b) A tax return? ..... 1 ..... 2  
(c) A benefit statement from Centrelink? ..... 1 ..... 2  
(d) Any other document? ..... 1 ..... 2

### Z6 In general, how would you describe the respondent's co-operation during the interview?

- Excellent ..... 1  
Good ..... 2  
Fair ..... 3  
Poor ..... 4  
Very poor ..... 5

### Z7 Did the respondent have any of the following problems which may have affected the interview?

- |                                     | Yes    | No |
|-------------------------------------|--------|----|
| a Poor eyesight (blindness) .....   | 1..... | 2  |
| b Hearing problems .....            | 1..... | 2  |
| c Reading difficulties .....        | 1..... | 2  |
| d English was second language ..... | 1..... | 2  |
| e Other language problems .....     | 1..... | 2  |

### Z8a Was this interview completed with the assistance of a third party (e.g., such as an interpreter or another member of the family)?

- No ..... 1 → Z9  
Yes, Roy Morgan organised interpreter assisted ..... 2  
Yes, family member / friend assisted ..... 3

### Z8b What was the reason the interview had to be assisted?

- English language difficulties ..... 1  
Sickness or disability ..... 2  
Other ..... 3

### Z9 Where (or how) was the interview conducted?

- Face-to-face inside the respondent's home ..... 06  
Face-to-face outside the respondent's home / on doorstep ..... 07  
Face-to-face at the respondent's workplace ..... 08  
Face-to-face some other place ..... 09  
By phone at respondent's home ..... 10  
By phone at respondent's workplace ..... 11  
By phone elsewhere ..... 12

### Z10 Please note down any ambiguous or conflicting situations in this interview that you think editors and coders should know about? Please add any further remarks that may help to clarify any problems arising during processing.

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