# REPUBLIC OF MALAWI NATIONAL STATISTICAL OFFICE

# 2024 LABOUR FOUR SURVEY HOUSEHOLD QUESTIONNAIRE

CLUSTER:
REGION:
DISTRICT:
TA/STA:
ENUMERATION NUMBER:
HOUSEHOLD NUMBER:
HOUSEHOLD HEAD:
INTERVIEWER NAME:
SUPERVISOR NAME:
DATE OF INTERVIEW:
START TIME:
END TME:

# **POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS**

#### **DEM01**

Please give me the names of the persons who usually live in your household starting with the head of the household

# DEM01

What is the relationship of (NAME) to the head of the household?

1=HEAD

2=WIFE OR HUSBAND

3=SON OR DAUGHTER

4=STEP-SON OR STEP-DAUGHTER

5=SON-IN-LAW OR DAUGHTER-INLAW

6=GRANDCHILD

7=PARENT

8=PARENT-IN-LAW

9=BROTHER OR SISTER

10=NIECE OR NEPHEW

11=CO-WIFE

12=OTHER RELATIVE

13=DOMESTIC WORKER

14=NOT RELATED

#### **DEM03**

Is the (NAME) Male or Female?

1=MALE

2=FEMALE

On what day was (NAME) born?

#### **DEM04**

In what month was (NAME) born?

- 01. January
- 02. February
- 03. March
- 04. April
- 05. May
- 06. June
- 07. July
- 08. August
- 09. September
- 10. October
- 11. November
- 12. December
- 99. Don't know

# **DEM05**

In what Year was (NAME) born?

# DEM06

How old is (NAME)?

#### **DEM07**

Is (NAME) present resident, absent resident or visitor?

- 1. PRESENT RESIDENT
- 2. ABSENT RESIDENT
- VISITOR

#### **DEM08**

What is (NAME)'s current marital status?

- 1. NEVER MARRIED
- 2. MARRIED
- 3. COHABITING
- 4. DIVORCED
- 5. SEPARATED
- 6. WIDOWED

#### DEM09

Is [NAME] able to read and write a simple sentence in any language?

1=VFS

2=NO

#### **DEM10**

Has [NAME] ever attended school?

1=Never attended

2=Currently attending

3=Ever attended

#### DEM11

What is the highest level of education that (NAME) has attended?

0=PRE-SCHOOL

1=PRIMARY

2=SECONDARY

3=TECHNICAL

4=UNIVERSITY

5=OTHER TERTIARY

#### **DEM12**

What is the highest grade (NAME) completed at that level?

#### DEM12

What is the highest qualification (you/NAME) attained?

01=None

02=Primary School Leaving Certificate

03=Junior Certificate

04=Malawi School Certificate of Education / General Cerfiticate of Education

05=A Level

06=Certificate of Competence

07=TEVET Level 1/Trade test grade 3/Malawi craft certificate

08=TEVET Level 2/Trade test grade 2/Malawi craft Intermediate certificate

09=TEVET Level 3/Trade test grade 1/Malawi craft advanced certificate

10= TEVET Level 4 (Technician Diploma)

15=Diploma

16=Degree

17=PhD

#### **DEM13**

What is (you/NAME) area of study?

00=Generic programmes and qualifications

01=Education

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02=Arts and humanities
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03=Social sciences, journalism and information

04=Business, administration and law

05=Natural sciences, statistics mathematics and statistics

06=Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs)

07=Engineering, manufacturing and construction

08=Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and veterinary

09=Health and welfare

10=Services

11=Automobile Mechanics (AMM)

12=Administrative Studies (AAS)

13=Bricklaying (BRL)

14=Cosmetology (CMG)

15=Carpentry and Joinery (CRJ)

16=Edible Horticulture (EHC)

17=Electrical Installation and Electronics (EIE)

18=Fabrication and Welding (FBW)

19=Food Production (FPR)

20=General Fitting (GFT)

21=Motorcycle Mechanics (MCM)

22=Painting and Decoration (PAD)

23=Plumbing (PLB)

24=Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanics (RAM)

25=Solar Photovoltaic Installation (SPV)

26=Tailoring and Fashion Designing (TFD)

27=Tour Guide (TRG)

28=Wood Work Machining (WWM)

Specify Broad area of study for (you/NAME)

Specify Narrow area of study for (you/NAME)

Specify Specify Detailed area of study for (you/NAME)

# DEM13B

Was the training you attended institution-based (at the Technical college) or work place-based training?

1 = Instituional

2= Work place

# DEM13C

Was it provided by the formal TEVET system or informal TEVET system?

1 = Yes

2= No

#### DEM13F

Was it a pre-employment training or in-service training?

1 = Yes

2= No

#### **DEM14**

Was [NAME] born in this country?

1 = Yes

2= No

#### **DEM15**

In which country was [NAME] born?

### **DEM16**

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When did [NAME] first arrive in Malawi?
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#### **DEM17**

How long (have/has) (you/NAME) been living in Malawi?

**READ** 

1=LESS THAN 12 MONTHS

2=1 YEAR TO LESS THAN 5 YRS

3=5 YEARS TO LESS THAN 10 YEARS

4=10 YEARS OR MORE

#### **DEM18**

What was (your/NAME)'s main reason for moving to Malawi?

01=TO TAKE UP A JOB

02=JOB TRANSFER

03=TO LOOK FOR WORK, CLIENTS

04=TO STUDY

05=MARRIAGE

06=FAMILY MOVED/JOINING FAMILY

07=MEDICAL TREATMENT, HEALTH

08=CONFLICT, INSECURITY, NATURAL DISASTER

09=LIFESTYLE, COST-OF-LIVING

10=OTHER

#### DEM19

(Are/Is) (you/NAME) a citizen of Malawi or another country?

OPTION C] AND MARK ALL THAT APPLY

A=MALAWI

**B=ANOTHER COUNTRY** 

C=STATELESS

#### **DEM20**

Which other country (are/is) (you/NAME) a citizen of?

#### DEM21B

(Do/Does) (you/NAME) have difficulty seeing, even if wearing glasses? Would you say,...

READ [EXCEPT

READ

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

#### DEM22B

(Do/Does) (you/NAME) have difficulty hearing, even if using a hearing aid?

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

# DEM23

(Do/Does) (you/NAME) have difficulty walking or climbing steps?

READ ONLY IF NEEDED

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

#### DEM24

(Do/Does) (you/NAME) have difficulty remembering or concentrating?

READ ONLY IF NEEDED

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

#### DEM25

(Do/Does) (you/NAME) have difficulty with (self-care such as) washing all over or dressing?

**READ ONLY IF NEEDED** 

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

#### DEM26

Using (your/his/her) (usual/customary) language, (do/does) (you/NAME) have difficulty communicating, for example understanding or being understood by others?

READ ONLY IF NEEDED

1=No, no difficulty

2=Yes, some difficulty

3=Yes, a lot of difficulty

4=Cannot do it at all

#### **DEM27**

Do/Does (you/NAME) have albinism?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

#### **HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS**

# HC01

What is the denomination of head of the household?

01=Roman Catholic,

02=CCAP,

03=SDA/Baptist/Apostolic,

04=Muslim,

05=Anglican

06=Anglican

07=Baptist

08=Jehovas Witness

09=Bible Believer

10=New Apostolic

11=Church of Christ,

12=Pentecostal,

13=Hinduism

14=Other christian denomination,

15=Other denomination

16=No Denomination

# **HC03**

To what ethnic group/tribe does (name of the head of the household from HL2) belong?

01=CHEWA

02=TUMBUKA

03=YAO

04=LOMWE

05=TONGA

06=SENA

07=NKHONDE

08=NGONI

09=MANG'ANJA

10=KHOKHOLA

11=NDALI

12=NYANJA

13=LAMBYA

15=OTHER (SPECIFY)

16=NO RESPONSE

#### HC04

In the last 12 months, which of the following sources of support did your household receive?

A=Income from household farming or fishing

B=Income from a household business (other than farming or fishing,

C=Income from a paid job (held by a household member or yourself,

D=Foodstuff produced by the household from farming, raising animals or fishin,

E=Money or support from people living abroa,

F=Support from other households in the countr,

G=Income from properties, investments or savings,

H=Private or state pension or other Government support,

I=Charity from NGOs or other charitable organisations

J=Ganyu

K=None

L=OTHER (SPECIFY)

# Specify

# HC06

Select the MAIN source of support received in the past 12 months?

A=Income from household farming or fishing

B=Income from a household business (other than farming or fishing,

C=Income from a paid job (held by a household member or yourself,

D=Foodstuff produced by the household from farming, raising animals or fishin,

E=Money or support from people living abroa,

F=Support from other households in the countr,

G=Income from properties, investments or savings,

H=Private or state pension or other Government support,

I=Charity from NGOs or other charitable organisations

J=Ganyu

K=None

L=OTHER (SPECIFY)

# Specify

# **HC08**

Thinking about the current season, has **household head** worked or helped with the household's [farming/animal rearing/fishing] activities?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

# **HC09**

Is household head involved in making decisions about the [farming/animal/fishing] products produced by the household? For example what to produce, when, how much, etc.

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

#### HC10

Is this dwelling unit owned, rented, or provided freely by institution/employer?

1=Owner/Family Occupied,

2=Rented

3=Institutional

4=Given for free

5=Other

#### HC11

Main material of the roof. Record observation.

1=Grass thatch,

2=Iron sheets,

3=Iron with Tiles,

4=Asbestos,

5=Cement,

6=Other

#### HC12

Main material of the exterior walls.

Record observation.

1=Burnt bricks

2=Unburnt bricks

3=Concrete

4=Cement blocks

5=Mud/Wattle/Dung

6=Reeds/Straw

7=Wood/Planks

8=Other

#### HC13

Main material of the dwelling floor.

Record observation.

If observation is not possible, ask the respondent to determine the material of the dwelling floor.

01=Earth/Sand,

02=Dung,

03=Wood planks,

04=Palm/Bamboo,

05=Broken bricks,

06=Parquet or polished wood,

07=Vinyl or asphalt strips,

08=Ceramic tiles,

09=Cement,

10=Bricks,

11=Other

# **HC14**

How many rooms does this dwelling unit have, including sitting rooms and dining rooms, excluding bathrooms, toilets, storerooms, and garage?

# HC15

How many rooms do members of this household usually use for sleeping?

#### **HC16**

Does your household have

- A. A radio?
- B. a bed?
- C. a sofa?
- D. A chair?
- E. a water storage tank?
- F. a clock(Wall clock)?
- G. electricity?
- H. a television?
- I. a refrigerator?
- J. sewing machine?
- K. water pump?
- L. a DVD player/Home theater?
- M. a tourch/Battery lamp/Bulb?
- N. a bicycle?
- O. a mobile telephone?
- P. a Motorcycle or scooter?
- Q. an animal-drawn cart?
- R. a car, truck or van?
- S. a boat with a motor?
- T. a fishing net?
- U. a canoe?

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#### **HC17**

Does any member of your household have

- A. a mobile telephone?
- B. a computer or a tablet?
- C. access to internet at home?

#### **HC18**

Does any member of your household own land for Agriculture?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

#### **HC19**

How many hectares/acres/football pitches(ground) of agricultural land do members of this household own?

# HC20

Does this household own any livestock, herds, other farm animals, or poultry?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

#### HC21

How many of the following animals does this household have?

- A. Milk cows or bulls? [Exortic/Hybrid]
- B. Other cattle? [Local]
- C. Horses, donkeys or mules?
- D. Goats?
- E. Sheep?

- F. Chickens?
- G. Pigs?
- H. Any other Livestock?

#### HC22

Does any member of this household have a bank account?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

#### **WS1**:

What is the main source of drinking water used by members of your household? If unclear, probe to identify the place from which members of this household most often collect drinking water (collection point).

01=PIPED WATER: PIPED INTO DWELLING, 02=PIPED WATER: PIPED TO YARD / PLOT, 03=PIPED WATER: PIPED TO NEIGHBOUR, 04=PIPED WATER: PUBLIC TAP / STANDPIPE, 05=TUBE WELL / BOREHOLE,

05=TUBE WELL / BOREHOLE, 06=DUG WELL: PROTECTED WELL, 07=DUG WELL: UNPROTECTED WELL, 08=SPRING: PROTECTED SPRING, 09=SPRING: UNPROTECTED SPRING,

10=RAINWATER, 11=TANKER-TRUCK,

12=CART WITH SMALL TANK,

13=WATER KIOSK,

14=SURFACE WATER (RIVER, DAM, LAKE, POND, STREAM, CANAL, IRRIGATION CHANNEL),

15=OTHER

# WS1:

What is the main source of water used by members of your household for other purposes such as cooking and handwashing? *If unclear, probe to identify the place from which members of this household most often collect water for other purposes.* 

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15=OTHER

#### WS3:

What kind of toilet facility do members of your household usually use?

If 'Flush' or 'Pour flush', probe: Where does it flush to?

If not possible to determine, ask permission to observe the facility.

1=FLUSH / POUR FLUSH: FLUSH TO PIPED SEWER SYSTEM, 2=FLUSH / POUR FLUSH: FLUSH TO SEPTIC TANK, 3=FLUSH / POUR FLUSH: FLUSH TO PIT LATRINE, 4=FLUSH / POUR FLUSH: FLUSH TO OPEN DRAIN, 5=FLUSH / POUR FLUSH: FLUSH TO DK WHERE, 6=PIT LATRINE: VENTILATED IMPROVED PIT LATRINE. 7=PIT LATRINE: PIT LATRINE WITH SLAB, 8=PIT LATRINE: PIT LATRINE WITHOUT SLAB / OPEN PIT, 9=COMPOSTING TOILET, 10=BUCKET, 11=HANGING TOILET / HANGING LATRINE, 12=NO FACILITY / BUSH / FIELD, 13=OTHER WS4: Where is this toilet facility located? 1=IN OWN DWELLING, 2=IN OWN YARD / PLOT, 3=ELSEWHERE WS5: Do you share this toilet facility with other households? 1. No **EMIGRATION** E01. Did any member of the household emigrate from Malawi during the last 10 years (from 2013 to 2023)? 1=Yes, 2=No E02. What is the name of the person who emigrated? E03. Relationship to head E04. Was (ENAME) male or female? E05. How old was **NAME**during the time he/she was migrating? E06. To which country did **NAME** emigrate? *Country Name* E07. In what year did **NAME** emigrate? 2013-2023 E08. Who facilitated the emigration E09. Reason for emigating E10.

What activity is/was **NAME** doing abroad?

- 1. Working in Mines,
- 2. Working in Farms,
- 3. Working in other sectors,
- 4. Student,
- 5. Official business,
- 6. For Medical treatment,
- 7. Following family / Marriage,
- 8. Domestic Worker,
- 9. Shop Assistant,
- 10. Other,
- 11. Don't Know

#### E11.

Did the household receive remittances in the form of cash during the last 5 years (2018 to 2023) from abroad?

# E12.

How much did your household receive in remittances in cash in the past 12 months (in Malawi Kwacha)?

# E13.

Did the household receive remittances in the form of goods during the last 5 years (2018 to 2023) from abroad?

# E14.

What is the value of the goods your household received in remittances in the past 12 months (in Malawi Kwacha)?