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**LONGITUDINAL SURVEY OF AUSTRALIAN YOUTH
Y98-Y03 cohorts**

2009 MAIN QUESTIONNAIRE

PHONE NUMBER RESPONDENT NAME GENDER OTHER PHONE NUMBER(S)

CONTACT 1 NAME PHONE NUMBER RELATIONSHIP

CONTACT 2 NAME PHONE NUMBER RELATIONSHIP

CONTACT 3 NAME PHONE NUMBER RELATIONSHIP

INTRODUCTION

Good My name is from the Wallis Group. May I speak to (RESPONDENT NAME)

WHEN YOU MAKE CONTACT WITH RESPONDENT:

Good My name is from the Wallis Group. I'm calling to conduct your interview as part of the Longitudinal Survey of Australian Youth. You may remember doing the survey last year and getting a calendar and newsletter at Xmas.

IF NECESSARY: A letter was sent in July, to let you know about this year's survey and asking you to update your details. I hope you received it.

PREQ1: The survey may be monitored for quality control purposes - if you don't want this to happen, please let me know.

Monitoring allowed..... 1

Monitoring not permitted..... 2

RESPONDENT DETAIL CHECK

1 Before we start the interview, I need to check that the details I have for you are correct. Firstly, is your name spelt ... **(REFER TO SPELLING ON SCREEN)**

1 Correct (continue)

2 Not correct (record change as necessary)

2 And is your address... **(READ OUT ADDRESS, SUBURB, POSTCODE)**

1 Correct (continue)

2 Not correct (record change as necessary)

3 And is the best phone number for contacting you ... **(READ OUT PHONE NUMBER)**

1 Correct (continue)

2 Not correct (record change as necessary)

4 And is **(ALT PHONE NUMBER)** also a valid number for you? **(IF AVAILABLE)**

1 Correct (continue)

2 Not correct (record change as necessary)

3 No longer have alternative

4a Do you have an alternative number we might try you on? For example, a mobile number. **(IF NO ALT. AVAILABLE)**

1 Yes (RECORD NUMBER)

2 No

- 5 ...and your email address **(IF AVAILABLE)** ... **(READ OUT EMAIL ADDRESS)**
- 1 Correct (continue)
 - 2 Not correct (record change as necessary)

- 5a Do you have an email address **(IF NO EMAIL ADDRESS AVAILABLE)**
1. Yes (RECORD EMAIL ADDRESS)
 2. No

CHECK DATE OF LAST INTERVIEW – IF BEFORE MAY 31 2008 CONTINUE ELSE GO TO 7

Last time you were interviewed was on... **(date of last interview FROM SAMPLE)** and we missed interviewing you in the last round of LSAY.

- 6 Just to catch up, can you tell me what was your main activity between **(date of last interview FROM SAMPLE)** and 1st of October 2008?
IF NECESSARY ADD: For example were you mainly working, studying or doing something else.
1. Working full time
 2. Working part time
 3. Study/training
 4. Home duties/looking after children
 5. Time off – incl. Travel or holiday
 6. Ill/unable to work
 7. Taking a GAP year
 8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO PRE A1

- 7 Last time you were interviewed was on... **(date of last interview FROM SAMPLE)**
Today, I'd like to find out what has happened to you since the last interview.
As always, your answers in this survey will be strictly confidential.

SECTION C : POST-SCHOOL STUDY

PRE CA1 IF UNIVERSITY/TAFE STUDY AT LAST INTV

2008 CA2=1 OR
 2008 CA6=1 OR
 2008 CA10=2-13 AND CA27=1 OR
 2008 CC5=1-12 AND CC14=1 OR
 2008 C84=2-13

GO TO CA1

IF APPRENTICE/TRAINEE AT LAST INTV

2008 CD7=1, CD7a=1
 2008 C82=1,2

GO TO CA3

IF DEFERRED UNI/TAFE STUDY AT LAST INTV

2008 CA30=3 AND C82=4 OR
 2008 CC21=3 AND C82=4

GO TO CA4

ELSE GO TO CA7

CA1 At your last interview on **(DATE OF LAST INTV.)** we recorded that you were doing **(QUAL FROM SAMPLE)** studies, was that correct?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CA7

CA2 Are you still doing **(QUAL FROM SAMPLE)** studies or have you stopped them?

1. Still doing
2. Finished/stopped

GO TO CA28a
 GO TO CA18

CA3 At your last interview on **(DATE OF LAST INTV.)** we recorded that you were doing an apprenticeship or traineeship, was that correct?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CD7a
 GO TO CA7

CA4 At your last interview on **(DATE OF LAST INTV.)** we recorded that you had deferred from **(QUAL FROM SAMPLE)** studies, was that correct?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CA7

CA5 Did you ever resume those studies?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CA7

CA6 Are you still doing **(QUAL FROM SAMPLE)** studies or have you stopped them?

1. Still doing
2. Finished/stopped

GO TO CA28b
 GO TO CA18

CA7 (Since your last interview on **(DATE OF LAST INTV./ 1st OCT 2008)**) have you started an apprenticeship, traineeship or any full time or part time study or training at university, TAFE or other educational institution?

INTERVIEWER NOTE – DO NOT INCLUDE JOB TRAINING

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO C100

CA8 What was the first study or training you started after (**DATE OF LAST INTV./ 1st OCT 2008**) was it...(READ OUT)

1. An apprenticeship
2. A traineeship
3. Full time study, or
4. Part time study

GO TO PRE CD1
GO TO PRE CD1

CA9 Which month and year did you start this study?

06 – 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CA10 When you **started** this course, what type of qualification were you working towards - for example, a degree, a diploma, a certificate, or some other qualification? (IF CERTIFICATE: PROBE "What level certificate (is/was) that?")

1. Year 12 – but not at secondary school
2. Certificate 1
3. Certificate 2
4. Certificate 3
5. Certificate 4
6. Certificate (Don't know level)
7. TAFE Diploma
8. TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
9. A university Diploma
10. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
11. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)
12. Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
13. Postgraduate Degree
(includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)
14. Short course or recreational course (eg Two week computing course, etc)
15. Something else (SPECIFY _____)
16. Single module only
17. None
18. Don't know

GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14
GO TO CA14

CA11 Are you still doing it?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO PRE CA12
GO TO CA12

PRE CA12 IF CA10=1 GO TO C92
ELSE GO TO GO TO C100

CA12 Which month and year did you stop doing it?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CA13 Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time
3. Equally full time and part time

NOW GO TO C82

CA14 What was the full name of the qualification you started?
 (RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate IV in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

QUAL1 _____

CA15 What was your **main** area of study when you started this course?

CA16 What was the name of the institution where you first started this **CA14 - QUAL1**?
 (PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST1 _____

CA16a Which campus was that?

Non-classifiable (970000)

CA17 Are you still doing that **CA14 - QUAL1**?
 1. Yes GO TO CB1
 2. No

CA18 Which month and year did you stop doing the (**CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE**)?

07 - 09

Month	Year

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CA19 Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?
 1. Full time
 2. Part time
 3. Equally full time and part time

CA20 Did you complete it, withdraw from it, defer your studies or change to a different course?
 1. Completed
 2. Withdrew (INCL. DROPPED OUT, FAILED) GO TO CA22
 3. Deferred GO TO CA22
 4. Changed to another course GO TO CC1

CA20a What was your **main** area of study when you completed this course?

Unclassifiable/Don't know (999999) (ASCED)

CA21 I'm going to read out some statements about your **(CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE)**. Please tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree with each one.

- a. The study or training developed my problem solving skills
 - b. The study or training sharpened my analytic skills
 - c. It helped me develop my ability to work as a team member
 - d. As a result of the study or training, I feel confident about tackling unfamiliar problems
 - e. It improved my skills in communication
 - f. It helped me to develop the ability to plan my own work
 - g. Overall I was satisfied with the quality of the study or training
 - h. It has improved my career prospects
 - i. It helped me make contacts I could use in the future to help me get work
-
- 1. Strongly agree
 - 2. Agree
 - 3. Disagree
 - 4. Strongly disagree
 - 5. (Unsure/can't say)

NOW GO TO CA24

CA22 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might defer or withdraw from a course of study. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision.

- | | | |
|---|-----|----|
| a. You had problems juggling study and work commitments | Yes | No |
| b. You wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship | Yes | No |
| c. Financially you couldn't afford to continue | Yes | No |
| d. You just lost interest | Yes | No |
| e. You never really wanted to study | Yes | No |
| f. The course turned out to be not what you wanted | Yes | No |
| g. It wouldn't have led to a good job or career | Yes | No |
| h. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| i. The study load was too heavy | Yes | No |
| j. You never really intended to complete the course | Yes | No |
| k. Because of problems with access or transport | Yes | No |
| l. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CA23 And what was your **main** reason for deferring/withdrawing?

- 1. You had problems juggling study and work commitments
- 2. You wanted to get a job, apprenticeship or traineeship
- 3. Financially you couldn't afford to continue
- 4. You just lost interest
- 5. You never really wanted to study
- 6. The course turned out to be not what you wanted
- 7. It wouldn't have led to a good job or career
- 8. You had been getting poor results
- 9. The study load was too heavy
- 10. You never really intended to complete the course
- 11. Because of problems with access or transport
- 12. Because of health or personal reasons
- 13. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CA24 While you were doing that **(CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE)**, did you study at the same institution the whole time?

- 1. Yes
 - 2. No
- GO TO C82

CA25 What institution were you studying at when you (finished/stopped doing) that course?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2 _____

CA25a Which campus was that?

CA26 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CA27 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO C82

CA28a Is it the same course as the one you were doing last year?

1. Yes GO TO CA29
2. No GO TO CA29

CA28b Is it the same course as the one you were doing when you deferred?

1. Yes
2. No

CA29 Are you currently studying mainly full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time

PRE CA30 IF CA28a OR CA28b = 1, GO TO CA39
ELSE CONTINUE

CA30 What is the name of the course you are doing now?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate VI in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

QUAL _____

CA31 What is your main area of study in this course?

CA32 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one course to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to change course?

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. Course costs were too high in the first course | Yes | No |
| b. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second | Yes | No |
| c. You didn't like the first course | Yes | No |
| d. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. There were better career prospects from the second course | Yes | No |
| f. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| g. The study load was too heavy | Yes | No |
| h. You would really have preferred to do the second course | Yes | No |
| i. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CA33 And what was your **main** reason for making the change?

1. Course costs were too high in the first course
2. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second
3. You didn't like the first course
4. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted
5. There were better career prospects from the second course
6. You had been getting poor results
7. The study load was too heavy
8. You would really have preferred to do the second course
9. Because of health or personal reasons
10. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CA34 When you changed course did you also change institution?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO CA38

CA35 Where did you move to?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST _____

CA35a Which campus was that?

CA36 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to **INST in CA35?**

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CA37 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CA38 Which month and year did you change?

07 - 09

Month	Year

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

NOW GO TO C92

CA39 Are you still studying at the same university or TAFE as (last year/when you deferred)?

1. Yes GO TO C92
2. No

CA40 Where are you studying now?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST _____

CA40a Which campus is that?

Non-classifiable (970000)

CA41 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision move to **INST at CA40?**

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CA42 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO C92

CB1 Are you currently studying mainly full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time

CB2 Have you studied at **CA16 – INST1** for the whole time you've been doing this course?

1. Yes GO TO C92
2. No

CB3 Where are you studying now?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2 _____

CB3a Which campus is that?

CB4 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CB5 And what was your **main** reason for changing from **CA16 - INST1** to **CB3 – INST2**?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO C92

CC1 While you were doing your (**CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE**), were you studying at the same institution the whole time?

1. Yes GO TO CC5
2. No

CC2 What other institution did you study your (**CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE**) at?

(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST2 _____

CC2a Which campus was that?

CC3 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to **CC2 – INST2**?

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----|
| a. | The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. | The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. | You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. | The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. | The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. | Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. | Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CC4 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CC5 You said earlier you stopped doing the (**CA14 - QUAL1/QUAL FROM SAMPLE**), because you changed courses. What type of qualification did you study towards next? For example, a degree, a diploma, a TAFE certificate, or some other qualification?
(IF CERTIFICATE: PROBE "What level certificate (is/was) that?")

1. Certificate 1
2. Certificate 2
3. Certificate 3
4. Certificate 4
5. Certificate (Don't know level)
6. TAFE Diploma
7. TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
8. A university Diploma
9. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
10. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)
11. Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
12. Postgraduate Degree
(includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)
13. Something else (SPECIFY _____)

CC6 What is the full name of the course you changed to?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg. Certificate IV in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

Qual2 _____

CC7 What was your **main** area of study in this new course?

CC8 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one course to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to make the change from **CA14 – QUAL1** to **CC6 - QUAL2**?

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----|
| a. | Course costs were too high in the first course | Yes | No |
| b. | The first course was a pre-requisite for the second | Yes | No |
| c. | You didn't like the first course | Yes | No |
| d. | The first course turned out to be not what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. | There were better career prospects from the second course | Yes | No |

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----|
| f. | You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| g. | The study load was too heavy | Yes | No |
| h. | You would really have preferred to do the second course | Yes | No |
| i. | Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CC9 And what was your **main** reason for changing from **CA14 – QUAL1** to **CC6 - QUAL2**?

1. Course costs were too high in the first course
2. The first course was a pre-requisite for the second
3. You didn't like the first course
4. The first course turned out to be not what you wanted
5. There were better career prospects from the second course
6. You had been getting poor results
7. The study load was too heavy
8. You would really have preferred to do the second course
9. Because of health or personal reasons
10. Other (SPECIFY_____)

CC10 When you changed course did you also change institution?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CC14

CC11 Where did you move to?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST3 _____

CC11a Which campus was that?

CC12 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision to move to **INST in CC11**?

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----|
| a. | The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. | The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. | You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. | The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. | The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. | Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. | Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CC13 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
2. The place you went to provides better quality education
3. You had been getting poor results
4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
6. Because of easier access or better transport
7. Because of health or personal reasons
8. Other (SPECIFY_____)

CC14 Are you still doing the **CC6 - QUAL2**?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO CC20

CC15 Are you studying mainly full time or part time?

1. Full time
2. Part time

CC16 Are you still studying at (most recent of: **CA16, CB3, CC2 or CC11**)?

- 1. Yes GO TO C92
- 2. No

CC17 Where are you now?
(PROBE FOR FULL NAME OF INSTITUTION)

INST4 _____

CC17a Which campus is that?

CC18 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might change from one institution to another. For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision move to **INST at CC17**?

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice | Yes | No |
| b. The place you went to provides better quality education | Yes | No |
| c. You had been getting poor results | Yes | No |
| d. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted | Yes | No |
| e. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution | Yes | No |
| f. Because of easier access or better transport | Yes | No |
| g. Because of health or personal reasons | Yes | No |

CC19 And what was your **main** reason for changing?

- 1. The place you moved from wasn't your first choice
- 2. The place you went to provides better quality education
- 3. You had been getting poor results
- 4. The course at the first place wasn't exactly what you wanted
- 5. The course you wanted wasn't available at the first institution
- 6. Because of easier access or better transport
- 7. Because of health or personal reasons
- 8. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO C92

CC20 Which month and year did you stop doing **CC6 - QUAL2**?

07 - 09

Month	Year

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CC20a Did you mainly study for this qualification full time or part time?

- 1. Full time
- 2. Part time

CC21 Did you complete it, withdraw from it, defer your studies or change to a different course?

- 1. Completed
- 2. Withdrew (INCL. DROPPED OUT, FAILED) GO TO C82
- 3. Deferred GO TO C82
- 4. Changed to another course GO TO C82

CC21a What was your **main** area of study when you completed this course?

NOW GO TO C82

CD1 Which month and year did you start this (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CD2 What level Certificate were you doing when you started? Was it a Certificate level 1,2,3 or 4, or something else?

1. Cert level 1
2. Cert level 2
3. Cert level 3
4. Cert level 4
5. Certificate (Don't know level)
6. Diploma
7. Something else (SPECIFY _____)

CD3 What kind of (apprenticeship/traineeship) was it - what was your main area of training?

Unclassifiable/Don't know (999999) (ASCED)

CD4 Were your classes, or off-the-job training, provided by a TAFE college?

1. Yes GO TO CD6
2. No
3. Don't know GO TO CD6

CD5 Who did provide the classes or training then?

1. Employer/group employer
2. Business college or other non-TAFE training company
3. Other (SPECIFY _____)
4. Don't know

CD6 When you started, were you employed by a group training company, or by a particular employer?

1. Group training company
2. Particular employer
3. Don't know

CD7 Are you still doing an (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

1. Yes GO TO CD8
2. No GO TO CD16

CD7a Are you still doing it?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO CD16

CD8 Are you doing that (apprenticeship/traineeship) mainly on a full-time or part-time basis?

1. Full time

2. Part time

CD9 Are you still with the same (group training company/employer) (as when you started/as you were at the time of your last interview)?

- 1. Yes GO TO CD15
- 2. No

CD10 Are you now employed by a group training company or by a particular employer?

- 1. Group training company
- 2. Particular employer

CD11 Which month and year did you change employer?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CD12 Was it your choice to change employer, did you have to leave because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to change for some other reason?

- 1. Chose to change
- 2. Going out of business GO TO CD15
- 3. Laid off/forced to change GO TO CD15

CD13 I'm going to read out some reasons why people might change employer. For each one, please tell me whether or not it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

- a. Someone offered you a better job Yes No
- b. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work Yes No
- c. You weren't happy with the on the job training Yes No
- d. Because of problems with travelling or transport Yes No
- e. Because of health or personal reasons Yes No

CD14 What was the **main** reason you changed employer?

- 1. Someone offered you a better job?
- 2. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work? GO TO CD15
- 3. You weren't happy with the on the job training? GO TO CD15
- 4. Because of problems with travelling or transport? GO TO CD15
- 5. Because of health or personal reasons? GO TO CD15
- 6. Other (SPECIFY _____) GO TO CD15

CD14a And what was the main way in which the next job was better?

- 1. Better pay
- 2. Better hours
- 3. Better career prospects
- 4. More interesting work
- 5. Not really better, just different
- 6. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CD15 Which month and year do you expect to finish your (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

09 - 16

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

NOW GO TO PRE C93

CD16 Which month and year did you stop doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship)?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CD17 Did you finish it, withdraw from it, have you taken time out or have you stopped for some other reason?

- 1. Finished GO TO CD21
- 2. Withdrew GO TO CD19
- 3. Time out GO TO CD19
- 4. Stopped for other reason (SPECIFY _____)

CD18 Was it your choice to stop, did you have to stop because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to stop for some other reason?

- 1. Chose to stop
- 2. Going out of business GO TO CD21
- 3. Laid off/forced to stop GO TO CD21

CD19 I am going to read out a list of reasons why people might stop doing their (apprenticeship/traineeship). For each one please tell me whether it was a factor in your decision.

- a. Someone offered you a better job Yes No
- b. The pay was too low Yes No
- c. You weren't happy with the job prospects in that industry Yes No
- d. You basically didn't like the type of work Yes No
- e. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work Yes No
- f. You weren't happy with the on-the-job training Yes No
- g. You weren't happy with the off-the-job training Yes No
- h. You found the study too difficult Yes No
- i. Because of problems with travelling or transport Yes No
- j. Because of health or personal reasons Yes No

CD20 And what was your **main** reason for stopping?

- 1. Someone offered you a better job?
- 2. The pay was too low?
- 3. You weren't happy with the job prospects in that industry?
- 4. You basically didn't like the type of work?
- 5. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work?
- 6. You weren't happy with the on-the-job training?
- 7. You weren't happy with the off-the-job training?
- 8. You found the study too difficult?
- 9. Because of problems with travelling or transport?
- 10. Because of health or personal reasons?
- 11. Other (SPECIFY _____)

CD21 When you were doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship) were you with the same (group training company/employer) the whole time?

- 1. Yes GO TO C82
- 2. No

CD22 Did you move to a group training company or to a particular employer?

- 1. Group training company
- 2. Particular employer

CD23 Which month and year did you change employer?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

CD24 Was it your choice to change employer, did you have to leave because the employer was going out of business, or were you laid off or forced to change for some other reason?

- 1. Chose to change
- 2. Going out of business GO TO C82
- 3. Laid off/forced to change GO TO C82

CD25 I'm going to read out some reasons why people might change employer. For each one, please tell me whether or not it was a factor in your decision to make the change.

- a. Someone offered you a better job Yes No
- b. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work Yes No
- c. You weren't happy with the on the job training Yes No
- d. Because of problems with travelling or transport Yes No
- e. Because of health or personal reasons Yes No

CD26 What was the main reason you changed employer?

- 1. Someone offered you a better job
- 2. You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work GO TO C82
- 3. You weren't happy with the on the job training GO TO C82
- 4. Because of problems with travelling or transport GO TO C82
- 5. Because of health or personal reasons GO TO C82
- 6. Other (SPECIFY _____) GO TO C82

CD27 And what was the main way in which the next job was better?

- 1. Better pay
- 2. Better hours
- 3. Better career prospects
- 4. More interesting work
- 5. Not really better, just different
- 6. Other (SPECIFY _____)

C82 Are you currently doing . . . (READ OUT)

- 1. An apprenticeship
- 2. A traineeship, or
- 3. Any other study or training at university, TAFE or other educational institution GO TO C83b
- 4. (None of these) GO TO C100

C83a Are you doing your (apprenticeship/traineeship) mainly on a full-time or part-time basis?

- 1. Full time
- 2. Part time

NOW GO TO C84

C83b Is your study mainly full-time or part-time?

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

- C84 What type of qualification are you working towards, for example, a degree or diploma, a certificate or some other qualification?
(IF CERTIFICATE : PROBE "What level certificate is that?")
1. Year 12 – but not at secondary school GO TO C91
 2. Certificate 1
 3. Certificate 2
 4. Certificate 3
 5. Certificate 4
 6. Certificate (Don't know level)
 7. TAFE Diploma
 8. TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
 9. A university Diploma
 10. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
 11. Bachelor Degree (may include honours)
 12. Graduate Diploma/Graduate Certificate
 13. Postgraduate Degree
(includes Doctoral Degree/Masters Degree)
 14. Short course or recreational course (eg Two week computing course, etc)
 15. Something else (SPECIFY_____)
 16. Single module only
 17. None
 18. Don't know

PREC85 IF C82 = 1 OR 2 (APPRENTICESHIP/TRAINEESHIP), GO TO C87
ELSE CONTINUE

C85 What is the name of the institution where you are doing this study or training?
(RECORD FULL NAME OF THE INSTITUTION)

C85a Which campus is that?

Non-classifiable (970000)

C86 What is the full name of this qualification?
(RECORD FULL NAME eg Certificate IV in Journalism, Diploma in Automotive Engineering)

C87 What is your **main** area of study or training in this (apprenticeship/ traineeship/ course)?

PRE C88 IF C82 = 3 (OTHER STUDY), GO TO C91
ELSE CONTINUE (APPRENTICES/TRAINEES)

C88 Are your classes, or off-the-job training, provided by a TAFE college

1. Yes GO TO C90
2. No
3. Don't know GO TO C90

C89 Who does provide the classes or training then?

1. Employer/group employer
2. Business college or other non-TAFE training company
3. Other (SPECIFY _____)
4. Don't Know

C90 Are you employed by a group training company, or by a particular employer?

1. Group training company
2. Particular employer
3. Don't know

C91 Which month and year did you start this (apprenticeship/traineeship/study)?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

C92 Which month and year do you expect to complete your current (apprenticeship/traineeship/study)?

09 - 16

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

PRE C93 IF C84 = 14-18, GO TO C100
ELSE CONTINUE

C93 Are you presently receiving Youth Allowance, or ABSTUDY, payments?

1. Yes
 2. No
 3. Don't know
- GO TO PRE C95
GO TO PRE C95

C93a Are you receiving your Youth Allowance, or Abstudy payments as a dependent or as an independent student?

1. Dependent
2. Independent
3. Don't know

C94 How much per fortnight do you receive?

Record dollar amount \$1 to 800
Don't know 999

PRE C95 IF (APPRENTICE/TRAINEE) GO TO C100
ELSE CONTINUE

C95 What (other) sources of income do you have while you are studying?
(PROBE : "What others?") (MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)

- a. Paid work
- b. My parents or family
- c. Scholarship
- d. Cadetship
- e. Other government allowances
- f. Other (SPECIFY _____)
- g. (None/no other)

C96 Who pays for any course fees, excluding HECS-HELP or FEE-HELP loans?
INTERVIEWER NOTE: This does not include Text Books, Admin Fees etc.
(MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)

- a. No fees
- b. Myself
- c. My parents or family
- d. My employer
- e. The government
- f. Other (SPECIFY _____)

PREC97 IF UNI STUDY LAST YR FROM SAMPLE,
AND (CA2=1 OR CA6=1), GO TO C97
IF (CA10=9-13 AND CA17=1), OR C84=9-13
OR (CC5=8-12 AND CC14=1), GO TO C97

IF (TAFE DIPLOMA OR ADV. DIPLOMA FROM LAST INTV, OR.
IF CA10=7,8 AND CA17=1, OR
IF CC5=6,7 AND CC14=1, OR
C84=7,8 GO TO C99

ELSE GO TO C100

C97 Is your university place a Commonwealth Supported place (formerly called a HECS place) or a full-fee paying place?

1. Commonwealth supported (HECS or HELP)
2. Full-fee paying GO TO C99
3. No fees – full scholarship GO TO C100

C98 How are you paying for your course? Is it(READ OUT)

1. HECS-HELP loan, which you will start to pay back when you earn a certain amount
2. Partial up-front payment and part HECS-HELP loan, or
3. Full up-front payment

NOW GO TO C100

C99 How are you paying for your course? Is it(READ OUT)

1. FEE-HELP loan, which you will start to pay back when you earn a certain amount, or
2. Full up-front payment
3. Payment scheme offered by the course provider
4. Your employer is paying
5. A scholarship, or a
6. Combination of these

C100 I'd now like you to think about any careers guidance or advice you may have received since your last interview
Since (your last interview) have you accessed any of the following types of career services?
(MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

- a. Talked to a careers guidance officer
- b. Completed a questionnaire to find out your interests or abilities
- c. Been provided with information on how to apply for a job
- d. Received information about further study, such as graduate programs, other courses
- e. Used an on-line career website or career planning tool

PRE C101 IF ANY 'YES' TO C100, CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO PRE C103

C101 Did you access this career service(READ OUT) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

- a. through an educational institution (eg TAFE, university etc)?
- b. through a government agency such as Centrelink, Job network referral etc?
- c. through an employer program (eg information sessions or interviews)?
- d. through a private provider you paid for yourself?, or
- e. from somewhere else (SPECIFY _____)?

C102 How useful was the information you received?
Was it ... (READ OUT)

1. Very useful
2. Somewhat useful
3. Not very useful
4. Not at all useful

PRE C103 IF 'NO' TO ALL IN C100 ASK C103,
ELSE GO TO PRE C104

C103 Which of the following is the main reason you didn't access any careers services, was it because.....(READ OUT)

1. careers services were not needed?
2. you considered they were not useful or appropriate?
3. careers services were not available, or?
4. some other reason (SPECIFY _____)?

PRE C104 IF Y03 GO TO PRE D1
ELSE CONTINUE

C104 I'd like to ask you about formal post-school qualifications. What qualifications, if any, have you completed since leaving secondary school, for example, a diploma, a certificate, a bachelor degree?

1. Certificate 1
2. Certificate 2
3. Certificate 3
4. Certificate 4
5. Certificate (Don't know level)
6. Traineeship
7. Apprenticeship
8. TAFE Diploma
9. TAFE Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
10. A university Diploma
11. A university Advanced Diploma/Associate Degree
12. Bachelor Degree
13. Bachelor Degree with Honours
14. (Post) Graduate diploma /certificate
15. Masters Degree

16. PhD or other Doctorate
17. Something else (SPECIFY _____)
18. None
19. Don't know

PRE C105 IF CERTIFICATE MENTIONED IN C104 (CODE(S) 1-5), ASK C105
IF APPRENTICESHIP/TRAINEESHIP MENTIONED (CODE(S) 6-7), ASK C106
ELSE GO TO C107

C105 (Was your certificate/Were any of your certificates) part of an apprenticeship or traineeship? (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

1. Yes –Apprenticeship
2. Yes – Traineeship
3. No – Neither

NOW GO TO C107

C106 What was the certificate level of your apprenticeship or traineeship?

1. Certificate 1
2. Certificate 2
3. Certificate 3
4. Certificate 4
5. Certificate (Don't know level)
6. Diploma or Advanced Diploma
7. Don't know

C107 Do you hold any other qualifications or certificates that might help in securing employment? For example, first aid certificates, responsible serving of alcohol certificate, security licence, articulated driving licence
(PROBE FULLY) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE)

1. First aid certificate
2. Responsible serving of alcohol
3. Responsible conduct of gambling
4. Articulated driving licence
5. Fork-lift licence
6. Other (SPECIFY _____)
7. No, none
8. Don't know

SECTION D: WORK

EVERYONE ANSWERS THIS SECTION

PRE D1 : IF CD7=1, CD7a=1, OR C82=1 OR 2, GO TO D4
ELSE GO TO D1

D1 Do you currently work in a job, your own business or on a farm?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Waiting to start job GO TO PRE D5

D2 Do you have a job or business that you are away from because of holidays, sickness or any other reason?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No GO TO PRE D5

D3 DELETED

D4 Do you currently have more than one job?

- 1. Yes GO TO PRE D7
- 2. No GO TO PRE D7

PRE D5 **IF SAMPLE SAYS "JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO D5**
IF SAMPLE SAYS "NO JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO PRE D46

D5 At your last interview, you told us you were working for **(EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE)**. Which month and year did you finish that job?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88
Didn't have a job at the last interview 87 GO TO PRE D46

D6 What was the main reason you left that job?

- 1. Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job
- 2. Was (other) temporary or seasonal job
- 3. Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
- 4. Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working conditions/boss or other workers)
- 5. Went to live somewhere else
- 6. Reasons to do with study
- 7. To get another job/better job (eg more money/better working conditions)
- 8. Other (SPECIFY_____)

GO TO PRE D46

PRE D7 **IF SAMPLE SAYS "JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO D7**
IF SAMPLE SAYS "NO JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO PRE D10

D7 At your last interview, you told us you were working for **(EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE)**. Do you still have that job?

- 1. Yes GO TO D12
- 2. No

- 3. Didn't have a job at the last interview GO TO PRE D10
- 4. Yes – Same job but company name changed
(SPECIFY _____) GO TO D12

D8 Which month and year did you finish that job?

07 - 09

Month	Year

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

D9 What was the main reason you left that job?

- 1. Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job GO TO PRE D10
- 2. Was (other) temporary or seasonal job GO TO PRE D10
- 3. Got laid off/sacked/retrenched GO TO PRE D10
- 4. Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/
other working conditions/boss or other workers) GO TO PRE D10
- 5. Went to live somewhere else GO TO PRE D10
- 6. Reasons to do with study GO TO PRE D10
- 7. To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/
better working conditions) GO TO D9a
- 8. Other (SPECIFY _____) GO TO PRE D10

D9a What was the **main** way in which the next job was better?

- 1. Better pay
- 2. Better hours
- 3. Better career prospects
- 4. More interesting work
- 5. Not really better just different
- 6. Other (SPECIFY _____)

PRE D10 IF D4 = 1 GO TO D11
IF D4 = 2 GO TO D10

D10 Altogether, how many hours do you usually work each week in your present job?
IF HOURS VARY ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record numeric response 1 to 100
Don't know 999

NOW GO TO D17

D11 I'd like to ask you about your main job, that is, the job in which you usually work the most hours. How many hours do you usually work each week in your main job?
IF HOURS VARY, ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record numeric response 1 to 100
Don't know 999

NOW GO TO D17

D12 In your job with (**EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE**), how many hours do you usually work each week?
IF HOURS VARY ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record numeric response 1 to 100

Don't know

999

D13 I have a few questions about how your job might have changed since (your last interview). Firstly, your pay - do you now earn more, less, or about the same per hour as you did at that time?

- 1. More per hour
- 2. Less per hour
- 3. About the same

D14 Compared to last year in this job, is the type of work you do more-skilled, less-skilled or is it about the same?

- 1. More skilled
- 2. Less skilled
- 3. About the same

D15 Would you say you have more or less responsibility, or is it about the same?

- 1. More responsibility
- 2. Less responsibility
- 3. About the same

D16 In your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE)**, have you had a promotion since (your last interview)?

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

D17 Do you work for wages or salary, are you self-employed in your own business, or do you work in some other way?

- 1. Wages/salary
 - 2. Self-employed
 - 3. Other way
- GO TO D20
GO TO D21

D18 How often do you get paid?

- 1. Weekly
- 2. Fortnightly
- 3. Monthly
- 4. Other (SPECIFY _____)

IF D17=3 OR D18=4 - ASK FOR WEEKLY INCOME IN D19 AND D21

D19a How much is your usual gross (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything else is taken out?

IF ONLY HOURLY RATE KNOWN – RECORD RATE
IF ONLY ANNUAL SALARY KNOWN – RECORD SALARY

- 1. Can provide requested pay
 - 2. ONLY annual rate available
 - 3. ONLY hourly rate available
 - 4. Don't know
- GO TO D19c
GO TO D19b
GO TO D21

Record numeric response \$1 to 10,000

GO TO D21

D19b How much per hour is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?

Record numeric response \$1 to 200
Don't know 99

NOW GO TO D21

D19c How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 200,000
Don't know	999999

NOW GO TO D21

D20 On average, how much do you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business expenses?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 10,000
Don't know	99999

NOW GO TO D23

D21 And how much is your usual (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) take home pay from that job?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 10,000
Don't know	99999

D22 Does your job entitle you to any form of paid annual leave or sick leave, apart from public holidays?

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

D23 Is the job you have now the type of job you would like as a career?

IF RESPONDENT UNSURE, ASK: Well, all things considered, would you say.....

1. Yes
2. No
3. Can't say/Don't know

PRE D24 IF D17=1 CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO D25

D24 I'd now like to ask how satisfied you are with this job. For each statement I read out, please tell me whether you are Very satisfied, Satisfied, Dissatisfied or Very dissatisfied with this aspect of your job. Firstly, how satisfied are you with

- a. The kind of work you do?
- b. Opportunities to use your skills and experience?
- c. Your immediate boss or supervisor ?
- d. Other people you work with?
- e. The pay you get?
- f. Opportunities for training?
- g. The tasks you are assigned?
- h. Recognition you get for tasks well done?
- i. Your opportunities for promotion?

1. Very satisfied
2. Satisfied
3. Dissatisfied
4. Very dissatisfied
5. Can't say/Don't know
6. (Not applicable)

PRE D25 IF D4 = 1 AND SAMPLE SAYS "JOB LAST YEAR"
 ASK D25 VERSION 1
 ELSE ASK D25 VERSION 2

D25(1) What kind of work do you do in this job?

D25(2) In your (main) job what kind of work do you do?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

Inadequate description (9000) (ANZSCO)

PRE D26 IF D7 = 1 OR 4, GO TO PRE D41
 ELSE CONTINUE

D26 Who do you work for?

**(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER
 IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, IF ANY, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)**

D27 What is **(EMPLOYER FROM D26)** main kind of business?

**(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
 eg Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)**

Unclassifiable/Don't know (999) (ANZSIC)

D28 Which month and year did you begin working for **(EMPLOYER FROM D26)**?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

PRE D29 IF D17=2 OR 3 - GO TO PRE D41

D29 How did you get this job, for example, through Centrelink, Job Services Australia or Job Network member, did you see an ad in the newspaper, or what?

1. Through Centrelink job search facilities (such as touchscreens or computers)
2. Through Job Services Australia / Job Network member (referral or touchscreens)
3. Through another employment agency (incl. on-line agencies)
4. Job was advertised (inc. newspaper / radio / TV / internet)
5. Got it through a friend or relative
6. Employer approached me
7. Written / phoned / approached employer to ask if any jobs available
8. Checked workplace notices
9. Advertised or tendered for work, incl. on the net
10. Through school / college / university
11. Other (SPECIFY _____)

D30 – D40 REMOVED

PRE D41 IF MORE THAN ONE JOB (D4=1) THEN GO TO D41
 IF D10, D11 OR D12=LESS THAN 30 HOURS THEN GO TO D42
 ELSE GO TO D44

D41 You said earlier that you have more than one job. Altogether, how many hours each week do you usually work in ALL your jobs?

Record number of hours 1 to 100
 Don't know 999

PRE D42 IF D41=30 HOURS OR MORE, OR D41=999 (DON'T KNOW) GO TO D44
 ELSE CONTINUE

D42 Would you rather be working full time that is, 30 hours a week or more, or part time?

1. Prefer full time
 2. Prefer part time GO TO D44

D43 Are you looking for full time work?

1. Yes GO TO PRE D46
 2. No

D44 Are you looking for work at all at the moment - either an additional job or a new job?

1. Yes
 2. No GO TO PRE D46

D45 Are you looking for an additional job, or do you want to change jobs?

1. Additional job
 2. Change jobs

PRE D46 IF SAMPLE WRONG (D5=87) D46d
 IF SAMPLE SAYS JOB LAST YEAR
 BUT NO JOB NOW (D1=3 OR D2=2)- D46a
 IF JOB NOW BUT NOT JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=2) D46b
 IF SAMPLE WRONG (D7=3) AND JOB NOW (D4=1,2) D46c
 IF JOB NOW (D4=1,2) AND SAMPLE SAYS
 NO JOB LAST YEAR D46c
 IF NOT CURRENTLY WORKING OR WAITING
 TO START (D2=2 OR D1=3) AND
 SAMPLE SAYS NO JOB LAST YEAR - D46d
 IF STILL WORKING IN JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=1 OR 4) - D46e

D46a Apart from the job you had at **(EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE)**, how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.

RECORD NUMBER _____
 Don't know (99)

D46b Apart from the job at **(EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE)**, and the job you have now at **(EMPLOYER FROM D26)**, how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).

RECORD NUMBER _____
 Don't know (99)

D46c Apart from your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D26)**, how many other jobs, if any, have you had since the last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).

RECORD NUMBER _____
Don't know (99)

D46d Since we last interviewed you, how many jobs, if any, have you had? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.

RECORD NUMBER _____
Don't know (99)

D46e Apart from your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM D7=4 OR SAMPLE)**, how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).

RECORD NUMBER _____
Don't know (99)

PRE D47 IF D46=0 AND EITHER CURRENTLY NOT WORKING (D2=2)
OR WAITING TO START (D1=3) - GO TO PRE F1
ELSE CONTINUE

D47 Since (your last interview, which was on **(DATE OF INTERVIEW)** during which months, if any, have you worked full time – that is 30 hrs per week or more – in any one job?

(CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WORKED FULL TIME)

- | | |
|-------------------|---|
| a. None | l. May 2009 |
| b. July 2008 | m. June 2009 |
| c. August 2008 | n. July 2009 |
| d. September 2008 | o. August 2009 |
| e. October 2008 | p. September 2009 |
| f. November 2008 | q. October 2009 |
| g. December 2008 | r. November 2009 |
| h. January 2009 | s. December 2009 |
| i. February 2009 | t. January 2010 |
| j. March 2009 | u. During every month up to the present month |
| k. April 2009 | |

IF D47=21 GO TO PRE E1, ELSE CONTINUE

D48 ...And since (DATE OF INTERVIEW) in which months, if any, have you worked part time – that is less than 30 hrs per week (for all jobs)?

(CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WORKED PART TIME)

- | | |
|-------------------|---|
| a. None | l. May 2009 |
| b. July 2008 | m. June 2009 |
| c. August 2008 | n. July 2009 |
| d. September 2008 | o. August 2009 |
| e. October 2008 | p. September 2009 |
| f. November 2008 | q. October 2009 |
| g. December 2008 | r. November 2009 |
| h. January 2009 | s. December 2009 |
| i. February 2009 | t. January 2010 |
| j. March 2009 | u. During every month up to the present month |
| k. April 2009 | |

SECTION E : JOB HISTORY

PRE E1 IF D4 NOT ANSWERED AND D46=0, GO TO PRE F1
IF D4 NOT ANSWERED AND D46>0, GO TO E1
IF D4=2 AND D46=0, GO TO PRE E24
IF D4=2 AND D46>0, GO TO E2a
IF D4=1 GO TO E3

E1 Now I have a few questions about your most recent job.
In your most recent job, who did you work for?

**(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER
IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)**

NOW GO TO E2b

E2a Now I have a few questions about your most recent other job
What kind of work did you do in that job?

**(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN
JOB)**

Inadequate description (9000) (ANZSCO)

NOW GO TO E4

E2b What kind of work did you do in that job?

**(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN
JOB)**

Inadequate description (9000) (ANZSCO)

NOW GO TO E4

E3 Thinking about the other job you have now, what kind of work do you do in that job?

**(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN
JOB)**

Inadequate description (9000) (ANZSCO)

E4 What was/is your employer's main kind of business?

**(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES,
e.g. Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)**

Unclassifiable/Don't know (999) (ANZSIC)

E5 How many hours per week did/do you usually work in that job?

(IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)

Record numeric response	1 to 100
Don't know	999

PRE E5a IF E3 ANSWERED AND E5>D12, GO TO E5a
ELSE GO TO E6

E5a You said that you work more hours in this job than you do in your job with **(EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE)**, would you consider this job to be your main job?

- 1. Definite YES
- 2. Hours really vary between the two jobs
- 3. Definite NO (just more hours at this point) GO TO E6

E5b Who do you work for in this job?

**(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER
IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)**

E6 Did/do you work for wages or salary with an employer, were/are you self employed in your own business, or did/do you work in some other way?

- 1. Wages/salary
- 2. Own business GO TO E8
- 3. Other way GO TO E8
- 4. Don't know GO TO PRE E9

E7a How much was/is your usual gross weekly pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything else was/is taken out?

IF ONLY HOURLY RATE KNOWN – RECORD RATE
IF ONLY ANNUAL SALARY KNOWN – RECORD SALARY

- 1. Can provide requested pay
- 2. ONLY annual rate available GO TO E7c
- 3. ONLY hourly rate available GO TO E7b
- 4. Don't know GO TO PRE E9

Record numeric response \$1 to 10,000	GO TO PRE E9
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E7b How much per hour was/is your pay – before tax or anything else was/is taken out?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 200
Don't know	999

NOW GO TO PRE E9

E7c How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 200,000
Don't know	999999

NOW GO TO PRE E9

E8 On average, how much did/do you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business expenses?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 10,000
Don't know	99999

PRE E9 IF D46=2 OR MORE - GO TO E9
ELSE GO TO PRE E24

E9 Now thinking of your **next most recent** other job, what kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN THAT JOB)

Don't know	(0)
Inadequate description	(9000) (ANZSCO)

E10 What was your employer's main kind of business?

(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES, e.g. Sells clothes, Makes furniture, Fast food outlet)

Unclassifiable/Don't know (999) (ANZSIC)

E11 How many hours per week did you usually work in that job?

(IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)

Record numeric response	1 to 100
Don't know	999

E12 Did you work for wages or salary with an employer, were you self employed in your own business, or did you work in some other way?

- | | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| 1. Wages/salary | |
| 2. Own business | GO TO E14 |
| 3. Other way | GO TO E14 |
| 4. Don't know | GO TO PRE E24 |

E13 How much was your usual gross weekly pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything else was taken out?

- | | |
|-------------------------------|---------------|
| 1. Can provide requested pay | |
| 2. ONLY annual rate available | GO TO E13b |
| 3. ONLY hourly rate available | GO TO E13a |
| 4. Don't know | GO TO PRE E24 |

Record numeric response	\$1 to 10,000	GO TO PRE E24
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E13a How much per hour was your pay – before tax or anything else was taken out?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 200
Don't know	99

NOW GO TO PRE E24

E13b How much per year is your pay - before tax or anything else is taken out?

Record numeric response	\$1 to 200,000
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Don't know

999999

NOW GO TO PRE E24

E14 On average, how much did you earn per week, before tax but after deducting business expenses?

Record numeric response

\$1 to 10,000

Don't know

99999

E15 - E23 DELETED

PRE E24 IF C104 IS NOT 8-12, GO TO PRE F1
 IF D4 NOT ANSWERED, GO TO PRE F1
 IF CA21 NOT ANSWERED, GO TO PRE F1
 IF D12<30, AND E5<30, GO TO PRE F1
 IF D10, D11 OR D12=>30, CONTINUE USING EMPLOYER FROM D12/D26
 IF E5=>30 AND E5a=1,2, CONTINUE USING EMPLOYER FROM E5b
 ELSE GO TO PRE F1

E24 I'm going to ask you whether you need certain skills in your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D12/D26/E5b). Please tell me whether you think each of the following are Very Important, Important, or Not Important for that job.

- a. Communication, including oral and written communication
- b. Being able to work in a team
- c. Problem-solving
- d. Initiative and creativity
- e. Planning and organisation
- f. Self-management, being able to monitor your own performance and development
- g. Learning skills, how to apply things you have learnt and continuing to learn
- h. Using technology, such IT and other technology used in your workplace
 1. Very important
 2. Important
 3. Not important
 4. Can't say/Don't know

FOR ANY SKILL AREAS THAT WERE VERY IMPORTANT or IMPORTANT

E25 How well do you think your tertiary studies prepared you for the (E24) skills you need in your current job. Would you say Very well, Well, Poorly or Not at all?

- a. Communication skills
- b. Teamwork skills
- c. Problem-solving skills
- d. Initiative and creativity skills
- e. Planning and organising skills
- f. Self-management skills
- g. Learning skills
- h. Technology skills
 1. Very well
 2. Well
 3. Poorly
 4. Not at all
 5. Can't say/Don't know

SECTION F: JOB SEARCH ACTIVITY

PRE F1 IF D4 = 1 OR 2, GO TO F7
ELSE CONTINUE

F1 At any time in the last four weeks, have you been actively looking for work?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO F7

F2 Have you been looking for full time work, or **only** part time work?
(IF LOOKING FOR BOTH FULL AND PART TIME JOB, CODE AS FULL TIME)

1. Full time GO TO F4
2. Only part time

F3 If you could, would you prefer to have a full time job?

1. Yes
2. No

F4 I am going to read a list of things that people do when looking for a job. As I read each of them please tell me which, if any, you have done in the last four weeks.

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| a. Been Registered with Centrelink as a jobseeker | Yes | No |
| b. Checked Centrelink touchscreens or computers | Yes | No |
| c. Checked or registered with a
Job Services Australia / Job Network member | Yes | No |
| d. Checked with another employment agency | Yes | No |
| e. Looked at job advertisements in newspapers or on the internet | Yes | No |
| f. Answered job advertisements in newspapers or on the internet | Yes | No |
| g. Contacted friends or relatives about a job | Yes | No |
| h. Written, phoned or approached an employer about a job | Yes | No |
| i. Advertised or tendered for work, including on the net | Yes | No |
| j. Checked workplace noticeboards | Yes | No |
| k. Asked school or another organisation for advice | Yes | No |
| l. Other (SPECIFY _____) | | |

F5 I am going to read out some problems that people can have when looking for work. As I read each of them please tell me whether you have or have not had that problem
Have you personally had trouble finding a job ...

- | | | |
|---|-----|----|
| a. Because of a health problem or some disability | Yes | No |
| b. Because employers think you are too young | Yes | No |
| c. Because of problems with childcare | Yes | No |
| d. Because of problems with transport | Yes | No |
| e. Because you don't have enough or the right kind of education or training | Yes | No |
| f. Because you don't have enough work experience | Yes | No |
| g. Because there aren't enough jobs available | Yes | No |
| h. Because of being (male/female) | Yes | No |
| i. Because of your racial or ethnic background | Yes | No |
| j. Because you need better reading and writing skills | Yes | No |
| k. Because you don't have good interview skills | Yes | No |
| l. Because of a lack of skills in writing job applications | Yes | No |
| m. Because you lack confidence | Yes | No |
| n. Because you are not good with numbers | Yes | No |

F6 If you'd found a job, could you have started work last week?

1. Yes
2. No

NOW GO TO F8

F7 Since (your last interview on **(DATE OF INTERVIEW)**), has there been any time when you were **not** working **but** looking for work?

1. Yes
2. No

GO TO INTRO F10

F8 Since (your last interview) during which months have you been **not** working **but** looking for work?

(CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WAS UNEMPLOYED)

- | | |
|-------------------|---|
| a. July 2008 | l. June 2009 |
| b. August 2008 | m. July 2009 |
| c. September 2008 | n. August 2009 |
| d. October 2008 | o. September 2009 |
| e. November 2008 | p. October 2009 |
| f. December 2008 | q. November 2009 |
| g. January 2009 | r. December 2009 |
| h. February 2009 | s. January 2010 |
| i. March 2009 | t. During every month up to the present month |
| j. April 2009 | |
| k. May 2009 | |

F9 There have been (DISPLAY NUMBER OF WEEKS) weeks since (your last interview). In how many of those (SAY NUMBER OF WEEKS) weeks would you say you have been **not** working **but** looking for work?

_____ Weeks
Don't know (99)

INTRO F10-F14 As you know, there is much discussion in the media about the economy. These final questions are about ways in which changes in the economic climate in Australia over the last 12 months, may have influenced your work or study or your plans for next year.

I'm going to read out some statements, and I'd like you to tell me whether you agree or disagree with each one.

PROBE FOR STRONGLY (DIS)AGREE OR JUST (DIS)AGREE

F10 IF HAVE A JOB (D4 IS ANSWERED) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO F12

- a. Changes in the Australian economy have affected the number of hours I work this year
- b. Changes in the Australian economy have affected the TYPE of work I do this year
- c. The current economic situation means that I am less likely to consider changing my job

1. Strongly Agree
2. Agree
3. Neither agree nor disagree
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)
7. REFUSED (DON'T READ)

F11 NOT ASKED OF THESE COHORTS.

F12 IF IN POST SCHOOL STUDY (C92 IS ANSWERED) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO F13

- a. If the Australian economy had been different, I would not have done any study in 2009
- b. I would have done a different course of study in 2009 if the Australian economy had been different
- c. The current economic situation makes me more likely to continue studying next year

1. Strongly Agree
2. Agree
3. Neither agree nor disagree
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)
7. REFUSED (DON'T READ)

F13 IF NOT STUDYING (C92 NOT ANSWERED) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO F14

- a. If the Australian economy had been different, I would have been studying in 2009
- b. The economic situation makes me more likely to consider studying next year

1. Strongly Agree
2. Agree
3. Neither agree nor disagree
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)
7. REFUSED (DON'T READ)

F14 IF NOT STUDYING (C92 NOT ANSWERED) & NOT WORKING (D4 NOT ANSWERED), BUT LOOKING FOR WORK, (F1=1) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO PRE G1

- a. Changes in the Australian economy are a major reason I do not have a job at the moment
- b. The current economic situation makes it more likely that I will do some study next year

1. Strongly Agree
2. Agree
3. Neither agree nor disagree
4. Disagree
5. Strongly disagree
6. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)
7. REFUSED (DON'T READ)

SECTION G: NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE

THIS SECTION IS ANSWERED BY THOSE WHO ARE NOT WORKING, NOT LOOKING FOR WORK, NOT IN FULL TIME STUDY OR NOT AT SCHOOL

PREG1 IF IN FULL TIME STUDY OR APPRENTICE/TRAINEE
CA29=1, OR CB1=1, OR CC15=1, OR C83b=1,
OR CD8=1/2, OR C82=1/2 OR (CA8=3 AND CA11=1)

OR HAS A JOB (D4=1/2) OR IS LOOKING FOR WORK (F1=1)
GO TO H1

G1 What would you say is your present main activity?

1. Study/training
2. Home duties/looking after children
3. Travel or holiday
4. Ill/unable to work
5. Other (SPECIFY_____)

G2 How likely is it that you will begin full time study in the next five years? Is it very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely or not at all likely?

1. Very likely
2. Somewhat likely
3. Not very likely
4. Not at all likely
5. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)

PRE G3 IF G2 = 1 OR 2, CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO G4

G3 How soon do you think you will do this? Is it ...(READ OUT)?

1. Within a year
2. 2 years
3. 3 or 4 years
4. 5 years or more
5. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)

G4 How likely is it that you will look for work in the next five years? Is it very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely or not at all likely?

1. Very likely
2. Somewhat likely
3. Not very likely
4. Not at all likely
5. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)

PRE G5 IF G4 = 1 OR 2, CONTINUE
ELSE GO TO H1

G5 How soon do you think you will do this? Is it ...(READ OUT)?

1. Within a year
2. 2 years
3. 3 or 4 years
4. 5 years or more
5. DON'T KNOW (DON'T READ)

SECTION H: LIVING ARRANGEMENTS FINANCE & HEALTH

H1 Now some questions about your living arrangements. What is your marital status? Are you ... (READ OUT)

- 1. now married
- 2. living with a partner (eg common law partner, de facto, or boyfriend/girlfriend) GO TO PRE H4
- 3. single, that is, never married GO TO PRE H5
- 4. separated (still legally married) GO TO PRE H5
- 5. divorced GO TO PRE H5
- 6. widowed GO TO PRE H5

PRE H2 IF SAMPLE SAYS MARRIED (2008 H1=1), GO TO PRE H5

H2 In which month and year did you get married?

07 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

H3 Did you and your husband/wife live together before you were married?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No GO TO PRE H5

PRE H4 IF H1 = 2, INCLUDE "and your present partner" IN H4 TEXT

H4 In which month and year did you (and your present partner) start living together?

06 - 09

Month		Year	

IF 'Don't know' RECORD: 88/88

PRE H5 IF H1 = 1 OR 2 INCLUDE "or your partner's parents" IN H5 TEXT

H5 Do you usually live with your parents (or your partner's parents) or somewhere else?

- 1. Yes (with parents/partner's parents) GO TO H7
- 2. No (somewhere else)

H6 Are you living in: ... (READ OUT)

- 1. a shared house or flat?
- 2. a place you are renting?
- 3. a place you are buying?
- 4. a place you own outright?
- 5. a private house as a boarder?
- 6. a university or TAFE residence? GO TO PRE H17
- 7. a hostel or boarding house? GO TO PRE H17
- 8. Somewhere else? (SPECIFY _____) GO TO PRE H17

H7 Apart from yourself, how many other people usually live in your household?

RECORD NUMBER _____
IF NONE (0) - GO TO PRE H9

H8 What relationship is (that person/each of them) to you?

- a. Father/step-father
- b. Father-In-law/partner's father
- c. Mother/step-mother
- d. Mother-In-law/partner's mother
- e. Brother(s)/step-brother(s)
- f. Sister(s)/step-sister(s)
- g. Husband/wife/de facto
- h. Partner
- i. Boyfriend/girlfriend
- j. Own children (including step-children)
- k. Other relatives
- l. Non-relatives

PRE H9 IF H5=1 OR H6=4 GO TO PRE H11

WORDING FOR H9

IF H1=1,2 OR H8 = 7,8, INCLUDE WORDS 'AND YOUR PARTNER'

IF H6=1,2 USE WORDS 'PAY RENT'

IF H6=5, USE WORDS 'PAY BOARD'

IF H6=3, USE WORDS 'MAKE REPAYMENTS ON YOUR OWN PLACE'

H9 How often do you (and your partner) (pay rent/board/make repayments on your own place)

1. Once a week
 2. Once a fortnight
 3. Once a month
 4. Other (SPECIFY _____)
 5. Don't pay rent/board
- GO TO PRE H11

H10 How much do you (and your partner) pay each (week/fortnight/month)?
(WHERE RENT SHARED WITH OTHERS, INCLUDE RESPONDENT (AND PARTNERS) SHARE ONLY)

Record amount _____
Don't know (9999)

PRE H11 IF NO OWN CHILDREN IN HOUSEHOLD (H8 IS NOT 10)- GO TO PRE H13

H11 How many children do you have?

RECORD NUMBER _____
IF 'Refused' RECORD: 99

H12 How old (is/are) your child(ren)

1. Child 1 _____
2. Child 2 _____
3. Child 3 _____ ...etc.

RECORD AGE IN YEARS - IF LESS THAN ONE YEAR RECORD (0)
IF 'Refused' RECORD: (99)

PRE H12a IF H1=1,2 OR H8 = 7,8 OR 9, ASK H12a
ELSE GO TO PRE H13.

H12a (Is this child/Are any of these children) your partner's child(ren) from a previous relationship or foster child(ren)?

1. Yes
2. No

PRE H13 IF H1=1,2 OR H8 = 7,8, GO TO H13
ELSE GO TO H17.

H13 Does your partner presently work in a job or business?

- 1. Yes GO TO H15
- 2. No

H14 Is your partner mainly looking for work, studying or doing something else such as home duties?

- 1. Looking for work
- 2. Studying
- 3. Home duties
- 4. Other (SPECIFY _____)

NOW GO TO PRE H17

H15 Does your partner work full time, that is 30 hours a week or more, or part time?

- 1. Full time
- 2. Part time
- 3. Don't know

H16 What kind of work does your partner do?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN THAT JOB)

 Don't know (0)
 Inadequate description (9000) (ANZSCO)

PRE H17 CHECK IF RECEIVING YOUTH ALLOWANCE FOR STUDY (C93=1),
DISPLAY CORRECT VERSION OF H17

H17 Apart from the Youth allowance you get for study, what other government payments, if any, do you (or your partner) currently receive?

What government payments, if any, do you (or your partner) currently receive?

(DO NOT READ OUT - MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)

(INTERVIEWER NOTE: ENSURE YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED HERE IS NOT YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED IN SECTION C)

- a. Youth Allowance (unemployment benefits / Newstart Allowance) GO TO H18
- b. Parenting payment GO TO H18
- c. Sickness allowance GO TO H18
- d. Disability support pension GO TO H18
- e. Family tax benefit GO TO H18a
- f. Any other allowance (SPECIFY _____) GO TO H18a
- g. (None of these) GO TO H19

H18 How much per fortnight are you (or your partner) currently receiving in total from ...

(SAY ANSWER(S) FROM H17 1-4)?

(PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE)

RECORD AMOUNT \$ _____
 Don't know 9999

H18a How much per year are you (or your partner) currently receiving in total from ... (SAY ANSWER(S) FROM H17 5-6)?

(PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE)

RECORD AMOUNT \$ _____
 Don't know 99999

H19 Do you personally have any credit cards or store cards of the kind that require you to make a monthly payment?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No GO TO H21

H20 How often do you pay the whole amount you personally owe on credit cards, rather than just a part of it?

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

H21 Have any of the following happened to you over the past year, because of a shortage of money? (READ OUT)

- | | | | |
|----|---|-----|----|
| a. | You sold something because you needed money | Yes | No |
| b. | You went without meals | Yes | No |
| c. | You had to ask family or friends for money | Yes | No |
| d. | You had to borrow money just to live on | Yes | No |
| e. | Because of a shortage of money you didn't get medicines or go to a doctor when you needed to | Yes | No |
| f. | You couldn't buy text books or other study materials | Yes | No |
| g. | You couldn't buy other things you needed | Yes | No |
| h. | You couldn't pay electricity gas or telephone bills on time
(ONLY IF NOT LIVING WITH PARENTS – (H5=2)) | Yes | No |
| i. | You couldn't pay mortgage/rent on time
(ONLY IF NOT LIVING WITH PARENTS – (H5=2)) | Yes | No |
| j. | You couldn't afford to heat your home
(ONLY IF NOT LIVING WITH PARENTS – (H5=2)) | Yes | No |

H22 Generally speaking, are you able to save money?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No GO TO H24

H23 Would you say you can save fairly regularly or only occasionally?

- 1. Fairly regularly
- 2. Only occasionally
- 3. DON'T KNOW/CAN'T SAY (DON'T READ)

H24 So, in a typical month, how well do you manage financially? Is it generally difficult or easy? (PROBE FOR LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY/EASE)

- 1. Very difficult
- 2. Fairly difficult
- 3. Neither difficult or easy
- 4. Fairly easy
- 5. Very easy

H25 Now some questions about your health.

Do you have any disability or health problem, which limits the amount or type of work or study you can do?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No GO TO J1

H26 What disability or health problems do you have?

- a. Problems or disability connected with arms, legs, hands, feet, back or neck (including arthritis or rheumatism)
- b. Difficulty in seeing
- c. Difficulty in hearing
- d. Skin conditions/allergies
- e. Chest or breathing problems/asthma/bronchitis
- f. Heart/blood pressure/blood circulation problems
- g. Stomach/liver/kidney/digestive/problems

- h. Diabetes
- i. Depression/bad nerves
- j. Epilepsy
- k. Dyslexia/other learning problem
- l. Chronic Fatigue / post viral syndromes / glandular fever
- m. Other health problems or disabilities (SPECIFY _____)

SECTION J: GENERAL ATTITUDES

J1 Now some questions about volunteer activities. That is, activities you may have undertaken for others, for which you were not paid. In the last 12 months, did you...(READ OUT)

- | | | | |
|----|--|-----|----|
| a. | do any canvassing, campaigning, or fundraising as an unpaid volunteer? | Yes | No |
| b. | act as an unpaid member of a board or committee? | Yes | No |
| c. | provide information, or help to educate or influence public opinion on behalf of an organisation? | Yes | No |
| d. | help to organise or supervise activities or events for an organisation? | Yes | No |
| e. | teach or coach for a group or organisation on an unpaid basis? | Yes | No |
| f. | collect, serve, or deliver food or other goods as a volunteer through an organisation? | Yes | No |
| g. | provide voluntary health care or support through an organisation, including counselling and friendly visiting? | Yes | No |
| h. | volunteer time to a group or organisation in a way we have not mentioned? (SPECIFY _____) | Yes | No |

PREJ2 IF ANY 'YES' IN J1, ASK J2
ELSE GO TO J4

J2 Have your volunteer activities given you new skills that you could apply directly to a job or business? Would you say ... (READ OUT)

1. Not at all
2. Very little
3. A fair amount
4. A lot
5. DON'T KNOW/CAN'T SAY (DON'T READ)

J3 Have your volunteer activities ever helped you get a job?

1. Yes
2. No

J6 INTRO The next question is about a hypothetical situation that I'd like you to imagine.

IF CURRENTLY WORKING (D4 = 1,2) ASK J6a THEN GO TO J7
IF LOOKING FOR WORK (F1 = 1) ASK J6b THEN GO TO J7
ELSE ASK J6c

J6a You told me earlier that you have a job - but if you were looking for a job, what would be the lowest wage or salary you would accept to work full-time in a new job to begin immediately?

RECORD WHOLE DOLLARS \$1 to \$1,000,000
Don't know (9999999)

J6b You told me earlier that you were looking for a job. What would be the lowest wage or salary you would accept to work full-time in a new job to begin immediately?

RECORD WHOLE DOLLARS \$1 to \$1,000,000
Don't know (9999999)

J6c If you were looking for a job, what would be the lowest wage or salary you would accept to work full-time in a new job, to begin immediately?

RECORD WHOLE DOLLARS \$1 to \$1,000,000
Don't know (9999999)

J7 Would that be...(READ OUT IF NECESSARY)

1. per hour
2. per week
3. once a fortnight
4. per month (monthly)
5. per year (annually)

J8 Would you move to another city or town to improve your job or career opportunities?

1. Yes GO TO J10
2. No
3. Maybe
4. DON'T KNOW / CAN'T SAY GO TO J10

J9 What (is/would be) the main reason you would not move?
IF MORE THAN ONE MENTIONED - PROBE FOR MAIN REASON

1. Still in school
2. Happy with job situation
3. Miss family/friends
4. No guarantee of finding work elsewhere
5. Uncertainty/afraid of changes (different city, people)
6. Cultural, linguistic or social reasons
7. Cost of living elsewhere too high
8. Moving too expensive
9. Education/professional recognition
10. Caring for own child
11. Other family responsibilities
12. Other (SPECIFY_____)

J10 I am now going to read out a list of different aspects of your life. As I read them tell me whether you are very happy, happy, unhappy or very unhappy with each one. Firstly, how happy are you with ...

(STATEMENTS APPEAR IN RANDOM ORDER – with 'Your life as a whole' last)

- a. The work you do, at study, at home or in a job
- b. What you do in your spare time
- c. How you get on with people in general
- d. The money you get each week
- e. Your social life
- f. Your independence - being able to do what you want
- g. Your career prospects
- h. Your future
- i. Your life at home
- j. Your standard of living
- k. The way the country is run
- l. The state of the economy
- m. Where you live
- n. Your life as a whole

1. Very happy
2. Happy
3. Unhappy
4. Very unhappy
5. Can't say/Don't know

SECTION K : TRACKING QUESTIONS

IF Y98 GO TO K5, ELSE CONTINUE

- K1 As you know, young people in this survey are interviewed each year. Just in case you move, we would like to check the details of friends or relatives who would be likely to know how we could contact you.

We currently have listed

IF CONTACTS ARE LISTED READ OUT

ELSE CODE 4, NO CONTACTS

Contact 1 name
Contact 2 name
Contact 3 name

.... as (people/the person) who (are/is) likely to know where you will be in 12 months time. Is (CONFIRM EACH CONTACT) ... still likely to know where you will be over the next 12 months? (ACCEPT MULTIPLES)

1. Yes – confirm contact 1
2. Yes – confirm contact 2
3. Yes – confirm contact 3
4. NO contacts

FOR EACH POSITIVE RESPONSE IN K1 ASK:

- K2 Are these details for (READ NAME).. still correct?
(SPELL OUT NAME, ADDRESS, SUBURB, POST CODE, TELEPHONE NUMBER
AND RELATIONSHIP DETAILS FROM SCREEN)
AMEND DETAILS AS NECESSARY

Name
Address
Suburb
Postcode
Relationship
Phone number

IF K1=4 OR IF K1 NOT CODE 1, ASK K3

IF K1 NOT CODE 2,3, ASK K4

- K3 Can you tell me who is the person **most** likely to know where you'll be living over the next year?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO FINISH 1

RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 1 IN SPACES PROVIDED

- K4 Can you tell me another person who is likely to know where you'll be living over the next year?

1. Yes
2. No GO TO FINISH 1

RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT (2 and/or 3) IN SPACES PROVIDED

NOW GO TO FINISH 1

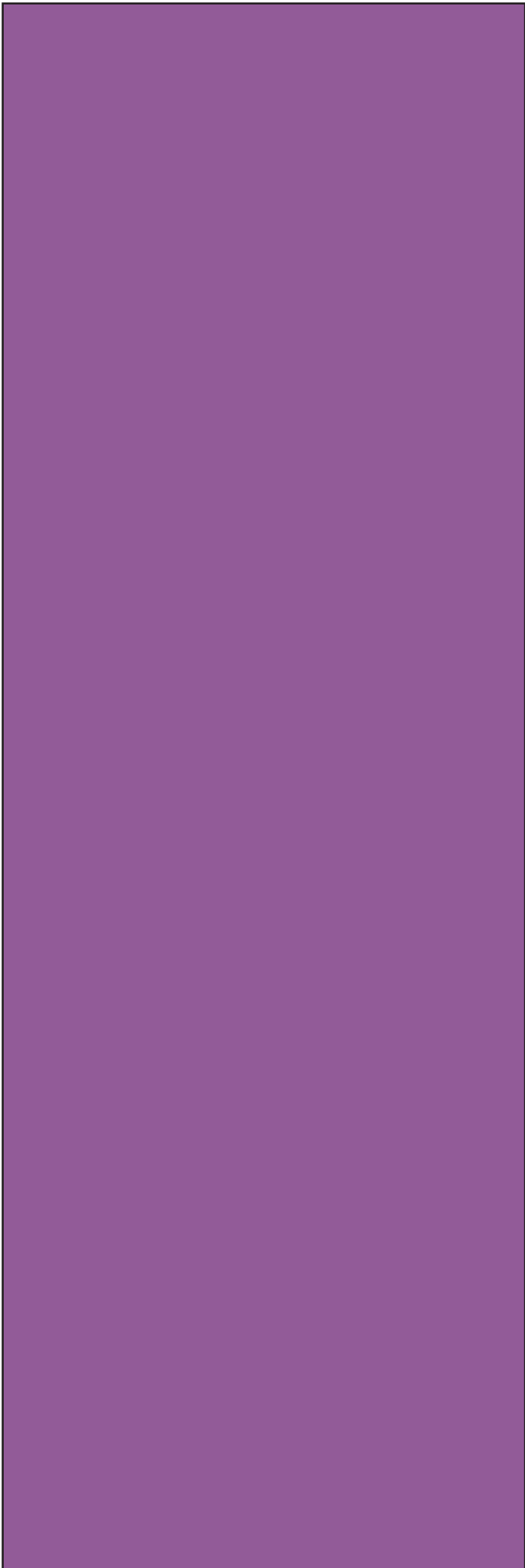
K5 Thank you (NAME). As we said in the letter, this is the last of the formal interviews for LSAY. We are very grateful for the time you have given to the survey over the last ten years. It is possible that there may be some follow-up to the survey in the future (but not annual interviews). Would you be willing to participate in future, less regular interviews or other research of this type?

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| 1. | Yes | GO TO FINISH 2 |
| 2. | No | GO TO FINISH 3 |

FINISH 1 Thank you very much for your help with this interview. Again, as part of the survey program, we will be writing to you around Christmas time and look forward to talking to you next year.

FINISH 2 Thank you very much for your help with this interview. We will write to you around Christmas time with a calendar and record of your contact details. The very best of luck for your future from all the LSAY team.

FINISH 3 Thank you very much for your help with this interview and the very best of luck for your future from all the LSAY team. We will send you your final calendar at Christmas time.



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