

INFORMATION SHEET

Part A – INTERVIEWER TRANSCRIPTION ITEMS

R1. Marital status – Transcribe from Household Record Card item 7

- (007) 1 ☐ Married, spouse present
 2 ☐ Married, spouse absent
 3 ☐ Widowed
 4 ☐ Divorced
 5 ☐ Separated
 6 ☐ Never married

R2. Address where respondent living at time of interview – Transcribe information for this item from record card item 2b

- (008) 1 ☐ Same as on record card label – SKIP to R3
 2 ☐ Different from record card label – Transcribe below

Number and street

Place

State

ZIP code

R3. Permanent address – Transcribe information from record card item 2e

Enter permanent address below ONLY if different from R2 above

Number and street

Place

State

ZIP code

Part B – 1978 INFORMATION

R4. Interview status in 1978

- (009) 1 ☐ Interview in 1978 – SKIP to item 1 and begin regular interview
 2 ☐ Noninterview in 1978 – ASK R5

R5. What were you doing around October 1, 1978 – working or something else?

- (010) 1 ☐ Working } SKIP to R7
 2 ☐ With a job, but not at work }
 3 ☐ Looking for work } ASK R6
 4 ☐ Going to school }
 5 ☐ Armed Forces – SKIP to R7
 6 ☐ Unable to work }
 7 ☐ Other – Specify, } ASK R6
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R6. Did you do any work at all at that time in 1978, not counting work around the house?

- (011) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK R7
 2 ☐ No – Mark “Not employed in 1978” in R7 and SKIP to R8

If “Armed Forces” in R5, mark box 2, then ask R8

R7. For whom did you work then?

- (012) 1 ☐ Not employed in 1978
 2 ☐ In Armed Forces in 1978

If “Going to school” in R5, mark “Yes” and ask R9a

R8. Were you attending or enrolled in regular school around October 1, 1978?

- (013) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK R9a
 2 ☐ No – SKIP to R9b

R9a. What grade were you attending at that time?

Mark appropriate box in b, then ask R10

b. What was the highest grade completed at that time?

- (014) Elementary 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
- (015) High school 1 2 3 4
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
- (016) College 1 2 3 4 5 6+
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
- (017) Never attended 0
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If “Armed Forces” in R7, mark “Yes” and ask date discharged.

R10. Have you ever served in the U.S. Armed Forces?

- (018) 0 ☐ No – SKIP to item 1 and begin regular interview
 1 ☐ Yes – What date were you discharged?

(019) Month Day Year } SKIP to item 1 and begin regular interview

R11. Date of 1978 interview or 10/01/78 if noninterview in 1978

(020) Month Day Year

1. What were you doing most of **LAST WEEK** – working, looking for work, or something else?

- (021) 1 ☐ WK – Working – *SKIP to 5a*
2 ☐ J – With a job but not at work – *SKIP to 3b*
3 ☐ LK – Looking for work
4 ☐ S – Going to school } ASK 2
5 ☐ U – Unable to work – *SKIP to 4*
6 ☐ OT – Other – *Specify* } ASK 2

2. Did you do any work at all **LAST WEEK**, not counting work around the house?

NOTE: If farm, ask about unpaid work

- (022) 1 ☐ Yes – *SKIP to 5a*
2 ☐ No – *ASK 3a*

3a. Did you have a job or business from which you were temporarily absent or on layoff last week?

- (023) 1 ☐ Yes – *ASK b*
2 ☐ No – *SKIP to 4*

b. Why were you absent?

- (024) 1 ☐ On layoff – *ASK 3c*
2 ☐ New job to begin within 30 days – *SKIP to 4*
3 ☐ Other – *Specify* } *SKIP to 5a*

c. When did this layoff begin?

- (025)

Month	Day	Year
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 } *SKIP to 5a*

4. Between (date in R11) and **LAST WEEK**, were you ever employed at a full-time or part-time job?

- (026) 1 ☐ Yes – *ASK 5a*
2 ☐ No – *SKIP to item 10a on page 5*

5a. For whom did you (last) work? (Name of company, business, organization or other employer)

(027)

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b. What kind of business or industry was this?
(For example: TV and radio manufacturer, retail shoe store, State Labor Department, farm)

(028)

5c. What kind of work were you doing? (For example: electrical engineer, waiter, stock clerk, farmer)

d. What were your most important activities or duties?
(For example: selling cars, operating printing press, finishing concrete, cleaning buildings)

e. Were you –

- (029) * 1 ☐ P – An employee of a **PRIVATE** company, business, or individual for wages, salary, or commissions?
2 ☐ G – A **GOVERNMENT** employee (Federal, State, county, or local)?
3 ☐ Federal 4 ☐ State 5 ☐ Other
6 ☐ O – Self-employed in your **OWN** business, professional practice, or farm?
Is this business incorporated?
7 ☐ Yes 8 ☐ No (or farm)
9 ☐ WP – Working **WITHOUT PAY** in family business or farm?

f. How did you learn to do this (that) work?

Mark all that apply; do not read list. After each response ask, "Any other way?"

- (030) * 0 ☐ No training required – *SKIP to h*
1 ☐ College courses
2 ☐ Trade, vocational, or business school; technical institute
3 ☐ Company training course
4 ☐ Armed forces
5 ☐ Apprenticeship
6 ☐ Learned on the job from supervisor or someone else (on-the-job training)
(031) * 7 ☐ Worked way up by promotion
8 ☐ Learned from relative or friend
9 ☐ Just picked it up
(032) 10 ☐ Other – *Specify*

Go to
Check
Item A

CHECK ITEM A

Refer to item 5f

- (033) 1 ☐ More than one category marked in 5f – *ASK 5g, page 4*
2 ☐ All others – *SKIP to h, page 4*

5g. Which one of these would you say has been most helpful?

Mark (X) only one category.

- (035) 1 ☐ College courses
2 ☐ Trade, vocational, or business school; technical institute
3 ☐ Company training course
4 ☐ Armed forces
5 ☐ Apprenticeship
6 ☐ Learned on the job from supervisor or someone else (on-the-job training)
7 ☐ Worked way up by promotion
8 ☐ Learned from relative or friend
9 ☐ Just picked it up
10 ☐ Other

h. When did you start working for (Entry in 5a)?

(036)

Month	Day	Year

i. How many hours per week do (did) you usually work at that job?

(037)

_____ Hours

CHECK ITEM B

Refer to 5e on page 3

- (038) 1 ☐ "P" or "G" in 5e - ASK 6
2 ☐ "O" or "WP" in 5e - SKIP to Check Item C-1 on page 5

6. Altogether, how much do (did) you usually earn at this job before deductions?

(039) \$ _____ . _____ per hour
Dollars Cents
OR

(040) \$ _____ . 00 per
Dollars only

- (041) 2 ☐ Day
3 ☐ Week
4 ☐ Biweekly
5 ☐ Month
6 ☐ Year
7 ☐ Other - Specify _____

7a. When you were first offered a job with this employer, were you working for someone else?

- (042) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

b. Were you looking for work when you were offered this job?

- (043) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

8a. Are (Were) your wages (salary) or working conditions on this job set by a collective bargaining agreement between your employer and a union or employee association?

- (044) 1 ☐ Yes - ASK b
2 ☐ No - SKIP to e

b. Are (Were) you a member of that union or employee association?

- (045) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

c. Are (Were) you a member of any other union or employee association?

- (046) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

d. All in all, how satisfied are (were) you with your (union/employees' association) - very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, not too satisfied, or not at all satisfied?

- (047) 1 ☐ Very satisfied
2 ☐ Somewhat satisfied
3 ☐ Not too satisfied
4 ☐ Not at all satisfied

e. People have different ideas about whether unions should represent various types of employees. Thinking about your current (last) job, if an election were held with secret ballots, would you vote for or against having a union or employees' association represent YOU?

- (048) 1 ☐ For
2 ☐ Against
3 ☐ Don't know - SKIP to Check Item C-1 on page 5

f. Why is that?

(049)

CHECK ITEM C-1

Refer to 1, 2, and 3b on page 3

- (050) 1 ☐ Labor Force Group A ("WK" in 1 or "Yes" in 2 or "Other" in 3b) – ASK 9a
2 ☐ All others – SKIP to 10a below

**9a. How do you feel about the job you have now?
Do you (Read answer categories) –**

- (051) 1 ☐ Like it very much?
2 ☐ Like it fairly well?
3 ☐ Dislike it somewhat?
4 ☐ Dislike it very much?

b. What are the things you like most about your job?

(052) _____

(053) _____

(054) _____

c. What are the things you don't like about your job?

(055) _____

(056) _____

(057) _____

10a. Do you (or your wife) own an automobile(s)?

- (058) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to Check Item C-2 below

b. How many?

(059) _____ Automobiles

CHECK ITEM C-2Refer to item 4 on page 3 and to
Check Item C-1 above

- (060) 1 ☐ "No" in item 4 – SKIP TO Check Item G
on page 7
2 ☐ Box 2 marked in Check Item C-1 – SKIP
to Check Item D on page 6
3 ☐ All others – ASK 11a

11a. What hours do you usually work?

- (061) 1 ☐ Regular day shift
2 ☐ Regular evening shift
3 ☐ Regular night shift
4 ☐ Split shift
5 ☐ Hours vary

b. How long does it usually take you to get to work?

(062) _____ Minutes

**11c. What means of transportation do you usually use
to get to work?**

Mark (X) as many boxes as apply

- (063) 1 ☐ Own auto – ASK d
* 2 ☐ Ride with someone else
3 ☐ Bus or street car
4 ☐ Subway or elevated
5 ☐ Railroad
6 ☐ Taxicab
(064) 7 ☐ Walk only
* 8 ☐ Other – Specify _____
- } SKIP to e
} SKIP to Check Item D on page 6

**d(1) How many days per week do you usually drive
your own automobile to work?**

(065) _____ Day(s) per week

**(2) What is the total round trip cost of any parking
fees or tolls you have to pay when you drive
your own auto?**

(066) 0 ☐ No cost
OR

(067) \$ _____ . _____ per
Dollars Cents

- (068) 1 ☐ Day
2 ☐ Week
3 ☐ Month

(3) How many miles do you go by auto round trip?

(069) _____ Miles

☐ Only box 1 marked in 11c – SKIP to
Check Item D on page 6

**e. What is the total cost of the round trip by (Means of
transportation in 11c, other than own auto)?**

(070) 0 ☐ No cost
OR

(071) \$ _____ . _____ per
Dollars Cents

- (072) 1 ☐ Day
2 ☐ Week
3 ☐ Month

CHECK ITEM D

Refer to item 4 on page 3

- (073) 1 ☐ "Yes" in 4 – ASK 12a
2 ☐ All others – SKIP to Check Item E on this page

12a. When did you stop working for (Entry in 5a)?

(074)

Month	Day	Year

b. Why did you leave (Entry in 5a)?

Mark (X) only one category.

INVOLUNTARY REASON

- (075) 1 ☐ Layoff, plant closed, end of temporary job
2 ☐ Discharged

VOLUNTARY REASON

- (075) 3 ☐ Found better job
4 ☐ Didn't like work, hours, working conditions
5 ☐ Dissatisfied with wages
6 ☐ Interpersonal relations at work
7 ☐ Health; disability
8 ☐ Family or personal reasons
9 ☐ Didn't like location, community
10 ☐ Returned to school
11 ☐ Other – Explain,

CHECK ITEM E

Refer to R7 on page 2

- (076) 1 ☐ Employer name or "Self-employed" entered in R7 – SKIP to Check Item F below
2 ☐ All others – ASK 13

13. How many employers have you worked for since (Entry in R11)?

(077) _____ Employers

▶ SKIP TO CHECK ITEM G ON PAGE 7

CHECK ITEM F

Refer to R7 on page 2, and 5a on page 3

- (078) 1 ☐ Employer name in R7 is the same as employer in 5a – SKIP to 14d on this page
2 ☐ Employer name in R7 is different from the employer in 5a – ASK 14a

14a. On (Date in R11) you were working for (Employer in R7). Why did you leave that job?

Mark (X) only one category.

- (079) 0 ☐ Did not leave job – SKIP to d

INVOLUNTARY REASON

- (079) 1 ☐ Layoff, plant closed, end of temporary job
2 ☐ Discharged

VOLUNTARY REASON

- (079) 3 ☐ Found better job
4 ☐ Didn't like work, hours, working conditions
5 ☐ Dissatisfied with wages
6 ☐ Interpersonal relations at work
7 ☐ Health; disability
8 ☐ Family or personal reasons
9 ☐ Didn't like location, community
10 ☐ Returned to school
11 ☐ Other – Explain,

b. When did you stop working for (Employer in R7)?

(080)

Month	Day	Year

c. How many employers other than (Entry in R7) have you worked for since (Entry in R11)?

(081) _____ Employers

▶ SKIP TO CHECK ITEM G ON PAGE 7

d. Since (Entry in R11), have you worked for anyone else other than (Entry in 5a)?

- (082) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK e
2 ☐ No – SKIP to Check Item G on page 7

e. How many?

(083) _____ Employers

CHECK ITEM G

Refer to item 1 on page 3

- (084) 1 ☐ "Unable to work" in 1 – SKIP to Check Item H below
2 ☐ All others – ASK 15

15. Do you have any health problems that limit in any way the kind or amount of work you can do?

- (085) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No

CHECK ITEM H

Refer to items 1, 2, and 3b on page 3

- (086) 1 ☐ Labor Force Group A ("WK" in 1 or "Yes" in 2 or "Other" in 3b) – Skip to 16c
2 ☐ Labor Force Group B (LK" in 1) – SKIP to 16b
3 ☐ Labor Force Group C (All others) – ASK 16a

16a. Have you been looking for work during the past 4 weeks?

- (087) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 19a on page 8

b. Is there any reason why you could not take a job LAST WEEK?

- (088) Yes →

1 <input type="checkbox"/> Already has a job
2 <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary illness
3 <input type="checkbox"/> Going to school
4 <input type="checkbox"/> Other – Specify _____

- (088) 5 ☐ No

▶ SKIP TO ITEM 17 BELOW

c. Have you been looking for other work during the past 4 weeks?

- (089) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK 17
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 19a on page 8

17. What have you been doing in the last 4 weeks to find work?

Mark all methods used; do not read list. After each response ask, "Anything else?"

- (090) 0 ☐ Nothing
* 1 ☐ State employment agency
2 ☐ Private employment agency
3 ☐ Employer directly
4 ☐ Friends or relatives
5 ☐ Placed or answered ads
6 ☐ School employment service
(091) 7 ☐ Other – Specify (e.g., CETA, union or professional register, etc.) _____

(092)

18a. What type of work are you looking for?

b. How many hours per week do you want to work?

(093) _____ Hours per week

c. What would the wage or salary have to be?

(094) \$ _____ . _____ per hour
Dollars Cents

OR

(095) \$ _____ . 00 per
Dollars only

- (096) 2 ☐ Day
3 ☐ Week
4 ☐ Biweekly
5 ☐ Month
6 ☐ Year
7 ☐ Any pay
8 ☐ Other – Specify _____

d. Are there any restrictions such as hours or location of job that would be a factor in your taking a job?

- (097) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK e
2 ☐ No – SKIP to f

(098)

e. What are these restrictions?

f. If you were offered a job in this area at the same pay as your last (current) job, would you take it?

Mark (X) only one category

- (099) 0 ☐ Never worked
1 ☐ Yes, definitely
2 ☐ It depends on type of work
3 ☐ It depends if satisfied with company
4 ☐ It depends – Other – Specify below
5 ☐ No, pay not high enough
6 ☐ No, other – Specify _____

CHECK ITEM I

Refer to item 4 on page 3

- (100) 1 ☐ "No" in 4 – Mark "None" box in 19a and SKIP to 19c
2 ☐ All others – ASK 19a

19a. In the last 12 months, how many different weeks did you work altogether? Count any weeks in which you did any work at all and weeks in which you were on paid vacation or paid sick leave.

- (101) _____ Weeks – ASK 19b
o ☐ None – SKIP to 19c

b. During the weeks that you worked, how many hours per week did you usually work?

- (102) _____ Hours per week

CHECK ITEM J

Refer to 19a above

- (103) 1 ☐ 52 weeks in 19a – SKIP to Check Item L on this page
2 ☐ 1–51 weeks in 19a – ASK 19c

19c. You said you worked (Entry in 19a) weeks in the last 12 months. How many of the remaining (52 minus entry in 19a) weeks were you looking for work or on layoff from a job?

- (104) _____ Weeks
o ☐ None

CHECK ITEM K

Refer to 19a and 19c on this page

- (105) 1 ☐ "None" in 19a AND "None" in 19c – ASK 19d
2 ☐ Entry in 19a + entry in 19c = 1–51 weeks – ASK 19d
3 ☐ Entry in 19a + entry in 19c = 52 weeks – SKIP to Check Item L

19d. What was the main reason you were not working or looking for work during the remaining weeks in the last 12 months?

- (106) 1 ☐ Personal, family reason
2 ☐ Ill or disabled, unable to work
3 ☐ Did not want to work
4 ☐ Other – Specify

CHECK ITEM L

Refer to item 4 on page 3

- (107) 1 ☐ "No" in 4 – SKIP to Check Item M on page 9
2 ☐ All others – ASK 19e

19e. We've just been talking about the last 12 months. Now I'd like you to think back about the 12 months before that, in other words, the time from 2 years ago to 1 year ago. During that 12-month period, did you (Read answer categories) –

- (108) 1 ☐ Work most of the year, that is 46–52 weeks?
2 ☐ Work more than half the year, that is, 26–45 weeks?
3 ☐ Work less than half the year, that is, 1–25 weeks?
4 ☐ Not work at all?

Notes

CHECK ITEM M

Refer to RI on page 2

- (109) 1 ☐ Married, spouse present } ASK 20a
2 ☐ Married, spouse absent }
3 ☐ Widowed – SKIP to 20b
4 ☐ Divorced – SKIP to 20c
5 ☐ Separated – SKIP to 20d
6 ☐ Never married – SKIP to 20e

20a. What was the date of your present marriage?

(110)

Month	Year
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 SKIP to 20e

b. When were you widowed?

(111)

Month	Year
-------	------

 SKIP to 20e

c. When were you divorced?

(112)

Month	Year
-------	------

 SKIP to 20e

d. When were you separated?

(113)

Month	Year
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 SKIP to 20e

20e. How many persons, not counting yourself (or your wife), are dependent upon you for at least one-half of their support?

(114) _____ Persons
0 ☐ None – SKIP TO 21 on page 10

f. Do any of these dependents live somewhere else other than here at home with you?

(115) 2 ☐ No – SKIP to 21 on page 10
1 ☐ Yes – How many?

(116) _____ Dependents – ASK g

g. What is their relationship to you?

(117) ☐ (1) _____

(118) ☐ (2) _____

(119) ☐ (3) _____

(120) No. family members

(121) No. household members

(122)

(123)

(124)

Notes

INTERVIEWER



Refer to Household Record Card, items 4–10. Transcribe for all family members the line number (in 21a), name (in 21b), relationship (in 21c), sex (in 21d), and date of birth (in 21e). Then ask items f through l, as applicable. If the respondent has no family members listed, transcribe only 21a, b, and e for the respondent and skip to 22.

21. Now I have a few questions about the education and work experience of the other members of your family living here (with you).

TRANSCRIBE FROM RECORD CARD

Line number 21a.	NAME 21b.	RELATIONSHIP TO RESPONDENT Example: husband, son, mother, father-in-law, brother, etc. 21c.	SEX Circle 1 – Male 2 – Female 21d.	DATE OF BIRTH Enter two digits each for the month, day, and year 21e.			AGE How old was . . . on Oct. 1, 1980? 21f.
				Mo.	Day	Yr.	
		Respondent					
			(126)	(127) 2	(128)		(129)
			(136)	(137) 2	(138)		(139)
			(146)	(147) 2	(148)		(149)
			(156)	(157) 2	(158)		(159)
			(166)	(167) 2	(168)		(169)
			(176)	(177) 2	(178)		(179)
			(186)	(187) 2	(188)		(189)
			(196)	(197) 2	(198)		(199)
			(206)	(207) 2	(208)		(209)
			(216)	(217) 2	(218)		(219)
			(226)	(227) 2	(228)		(229)
			(236)	(237) 2	(238)		(239)
			(246)	(247) 2	(248)		(249)
			(256)	(257) 2	(258)		(259)
			(266)	(267) 2	(268)		(269)
			(276)	(277) 2	(278)		(279)
			(286)	(287) 2	(288)		(289)

21. (Continued)

Persons 3 years old and older			Persons 14 years old and older			
Is . . . attending or enrolled in regular school?	If "Yes" - What grade (year)? If "No" - What is the highest grade (year) . . . ever attended? Enter code 00 - Never attended P - Preschool K - Kindergarten E1-E8 - Elementary H1-H4 - High School C1-C6+ - College	Did . . . finish the grade (year)?	In the past 12 months, how many weeks did . . . work either full or part time (NOT counting work around the house)?	If person worked at all in the past 12 months, ask 21k and 21l		
Circle 1 - Yes 2 - No 21g.		Circle 1 - Yes 2 - No 21i.		In the weeks that . . . worked, how many hours did . . . usually work per week? 21k.	What kind of work was . . . doing in the past 12 months? If more than one, record the work done longest 21l.	
(130) 2	(131)	(132) 2	(133)	(134)		(135)
(140) 2	(141)	(142) 2	(143)	(144)		(145)
(150) 2	(151)	(152) 2	(153)	(154)		(155)
(160) 2	(161)	(162) 2	(163)	(164)		(165)
(170) 2	(171)	(172) 2	(173)	(174)		(175)
(180) 2	(181)	(182) 2	(183)	(184)		(185)
(190) 2	(191)	(192) 2	(193)	(194)		(195)
(200) 2	(201)	(202) 2	(203)	(204)		(205)
(210) 2	(211)	(212) 2	(213)	(214)		(215)
(220) 2	(221)	(222) 2	(223)	(224)		(225)
(230) 2	(231)	(232) 2	(233)	(234)		(235)
(240) 2	(241)	(242) 2	(243)	(244)		(245)
(250) 2	(251)	(252) 2	(253)	(254)		(255)
(260) 2	(261)	(262) 2	(263)	(264)		(265)
(270) 2	(271)	(272) 2	(273)	(274)		(275)
(280) 2	(281)	(282) 2	(283)	(284)		(285)
(290) 2	(291)	(292) 2	(293)	(294)		(295)

INTERVIEWER

Refer to the Household Record Card. Transcribe the line number (in 22a), name (in 22b), relationship (in 22c), sex (22d), and birth date (22e), and ask the age (22f) of all NONFAMILY members living here. If there are no unrelated household members, skip to 23.

22. Now I would like to ask some questions about the other persons living here (with you) but NOT related to you.

TRANSCRIBE FROM RECORD CARD

Line number 22a.	NAME 22b.	RELATIONSHIP TO RESPONDENT Example: lodger, partner, roommate 22c.	SEX Circle 1 – Male 2 – Female 22d.	DATE OF BIRTH Enter two digits each for the month, day, and year 22e.			AGE What is . . . 's current age? 22f.
				Mo.	Day	Yr.	
			(296) 2	(298)			(299)
			(300) 2	(302)			(303)
			(304) 2	(306)			(307)
			(308) 2	(310)			(311)
			(312) 2	(314)			(315)

23. Now I would like to ask a few questions about your income in the last 12 months.

How much did you receive from wages, salary, commissions, or tips from all jobs, before deductions for taxes or anything else?

(316) \$ _____ . 00
Dollars

0 ☐ None

24b. During the past 12 months, did you receive any unemployment compensation?

(319) 2 ☐ No – SKIP to Check Item N below
1 ☐ Yes

(1) How many weeks?

(320) _____ Weeks

(2) How much did you receive per week on the average?

(321) \$ _____ . 00

24a. During the last 12 months, did you receive any income from working on your own or in your own business, professional practice, partnership, or farm?

(317) 2 ☐ No – SKIP to b
1 ☐ Yes – How much? (Obtain net income)

\$ _____ less \$ _____ =
Gross income Expenses

(318) \$ _____ . 00
Net income

CHECK ITEM N

Refer to R1 on page 2

(322) 1 ☐ Respondent is married, spouse present – ASK 25
2 ☐ All others – SKIP to 27a on page 13

25. Now I would like to ask a few questions about your wife's income in the last 12 months.

How much did your wife receive from wages, salary, commissions, or tips from all jobs, before deductions for taxes or anything else?

(323) \$ _____ . 00
0 ☐ None

26a. During the last 12 months, did your wife receive any income from working on her own or in her own business, professional practice, partnership or farm?

- (324) 2 ☐ No – SKIP to b
1 ☐ Yes – How much? (Obtain net income)

\$ _____ less \$ _____ =
Gross income Expenses

(325) \$ _____ . 00
Net income

b. During the past 12 months, did your wife receive any unemployment compensation?

- (326) 2 ☐ No – SKIP to 27a
1 ☐ Yes
(1) How many weeks?

(327) _____ Weeks
(2) How much did she receive per week on the average?

(328) \$ _____ . 00

27a. In the past 12 months, did you (or your wife) receive any food stamps under the Government's Food Stamp Plan?

- (329) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 28a

b. In how many months did you (or your wife) receive stamps?

(330) _____ Months

c. In the most recent month food stamps were received, what was the total face value of the food stamps received?

(331) \$ _____ . 00

28a. In the past 12 months, did you (or your wife) receive any other public welfare or public assistance?

- (332) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 29a

b. How many months?

(333) _____ Months

c. How much did you receive per month on the average?

(334) \$ _____ . 00

29a. In the past 12 months, have you (or your wife) received any financial assistance from any relatives or other persons NOT living with you?

- (335) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 30a

b. From whom did you receive assistance?

- (336) 1 ☐ Parents
2 ☐ Other – Specify

c. How much did you receive during the past 12 months?

(337) \$ _____ . 00

30a. Did you (or your wife) receive any other income such as rent, interest, dividends, G.I. Bill benefits, etc.?

- (338) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to Check Item O below

b. How much did you receive during the past 12 months?

(339) \$ _____ . 00

CHECK ITEM O

Refer to item 21 on page 10

- (340) 1 ☐ Only respondent (and wife and children under 14) listed in 21 – SKIP to 32
2 ☐ Other family members 14+ listed in 21 – ASK 31

31. During the last 12 months, what was the total income of all family members living here, other than yourself (and your wife)?

(341) \$ _____ . 00
0 ☐ None

32. Which of these four statements best describes your ability to get along on your income?

Read answer categories

- (342) 1 ☐ I always have money left over
2 ☐ I have enough with a little extra sometimes
3 ☐ I have just enough, no more
4 ☐ I can't make ends meet

33a. Now I'd like to ask you some questions about your education.

Are you attending or enrolled in regular school?

- (343) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 34a

b. What grade are you attending?

- (344) High school 1 2 3 4
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ – SKIP to 36a

- (345) College 1 2 3 4 5 6+
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ – SKIP to
Check
Item P
below

34a. Have you attended regular school since (Date in R11)?

- (346) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 36a

b. What is the highest grade of regular school you have completed?

- (347) High school 1 2 3 4
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ – SKIP to 36a

- (348) College 1 2 3 4 5 6+
☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ – FILL
Check
Item P

CHECK ITEM P

Refer to 33b and 34b above

- (349) 1 ☐ Completed or attending college 2+ –
ASK 35a
2 ☐ All others – SKIP to 36a

35a. Have you received a college degree since (Date in R11)?

- (350) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 36a

35b. What degree was it?

- (351) 1 ☐ Associate
2 ☐ Bachelor's (B.A., B.S., A.B.)
3 ☐ Master's (M.A., M.S., M.B.A.)
4 ☐ Doctorate (PH.D., M.D., LL.B., J.D.)
5 ☐ Other – Specify
↓

c. In what field did you receive your degree?

- (352) ☐ ☐

36a. Other than regular school, since (Date in R11), have you taken any training courses or educational programs of any kind, either on the job or elsewhere?

- (353) 1 ☐ Yes – ASK b
2 ☐ No – SKIP to 37 on page 15

If more than one, ask items 36b–f about the most recent program.

b. Did you complete this program?

- (354) 1 ☐ Yes
2 ☐ No, dropped out
3 ☐ No, still enrolled

c. What kind of training or education program did (are) you take (taking)? Specify below, then mark one box.

- (355) 1 ☐ Professional, technical
2 ☐ Managerial
3 ☐ Clerical
4 ☐ Skilled manual (including apprenticeship)
5 ☐ Sales
6 ☐ Services
7 ☐ Other – Specify
↓

36d. Where did (are) you take (taking) this training course? – Specify below and then mark the appropriate box.

- (356) 1 ☐ Business college, technical institute
- 2 ☐ Company training school
- 3 ☐ Correspondence course
- 4 ☐ Regular school
- 5 ☐ Apprenticeship
- 6 ☐ Armed Forces
- 7 ☐ Other – Specify



e. How long did (have) you attend (been attending) this course?

(357) _____ Weeks

o ☐ Less than 1 week

f. How many hours per week did (do) you spend on this training?

(358) _____ Hours

o ☐ Less than 1 hour

Refer to Household Record Card items 14 and 15

37. When you were last contacted, you gave us the names of . . . and . . . as persons who would always know where you could be reached even if you moved away. Is this information still correct?

(359) 1 ☐ Yes – Verify address and telephone numbers of two contacts.

2 ☐ No – Obtain information for one or two contacts as necessary. Draw a single line through old name(s), to be deleted. If one new contact, enter new information in item 16. If two new contacts, use item 16 and margin of record card.

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