

MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD

Christian name
for reference only

Age last birthday

Inf.	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66				
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QUESTIONNAIRE ON HOUSEHOLD RESOURCES
&
STANDARDS OF LIVING IN THE UNITED KINGDOM
1967-68

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Ch8
July 72

- I Housing and Living Facilities
- II Employment
- III Occupational Facilities and Fringe Benefits
- IV Current Monetary Income
- V Assets and Savings
- VI Health and Disability
- VII Social Services
- VIII Private Income in Kind
- IX Style of Living

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ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY
 23. * Do you think you could GENUINELY say you are poor now?

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY
 X Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.24
 Y all the time } ASK Q.23 (ages)
 0 sometimes }
 1 never } SKIP TO Q.24
 2 DK }

(a) Do you feel poor at any of these times or in any of these situations?
 PROMPT AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY
 3 at weekends
 4 mid-week
 5 at Christmas
 6 with some of your friends
 7 with some of your relatives
 8 with some of the people round here
 9 other (SPECIFY)

Handwritten: No

FOR CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY
 24. (a) There's been a lot of talk about poverty. Do you think there's such a thing as REAL poverty these days? *

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY
 yes
 no
 DK

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER

Short of food & fire + no family to fall back on. - widows with young children are the saddest thing

(c) Would you say that if people are in poverty its mainly

PROMPT AND CODE ONE ONLY
 X - their own fault?
 Y - the Government's fault?
 0 - the fault of their education?
 1 - the fault of industry not providing the right jobs?
 2 - anything else? (SPECIFY) *Individual character.*
 3 - a combination of (some of) these?
 4 - none of these?
 5 DK

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER AND HOUSEWIFE ABOUT ALL AGED 23 AND OVER CODE ALL AGED 23 & OVER
 25. Do you mind telling me if you voted in the last General Election (I don't mean who you voted for, just whether you voted)? *

yes, voted
 no
 DK
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ASK CHIEF WAGE EARNER/H.O.H. CODE C.W.E./H.O.H. ONLY
 26. If there is poverty what do you think can be done about it? nothing DK

WRITE IN ANSWER

Depends on the work - then again some will work + some won't. I've never lived in a 'ish so I don't really know. - if you've a bit of land to grow food + a roof over your head you never really can say you're poor.

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An example of the difference that family support and income in kind can make, - obviously didn't feel that was hand up, - she was widowed when her youngest son was 5 and had in washing and cleaned & cooked at the "big house" to keep them, so felt relatively well off now, - wouldn't hear of Social Security, "always managed to keep my head above water and always will". I don't want anything I haven't earned. - I paid stamps for my pension, - I tried to get it to her that she was hers by right, she said if that was so that would give it to me! Anyway we don't need it, we manage nicely with the stuff from the garden & my married sons and their wives couldn't be better.

ASK CHIEF WAGE
23. Do you think
you are poor

(a) Do you feel
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FOR CHIEF WAGE EA
24. (a) There's b
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(b) What would you
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(c) Would you say
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Y - 2
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PROMPT 1 - 4
AND CODE 2 - 5
ONE ONLY

ASK CHIEF WAGE EARN
25. Do you mind the
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ASK CHIEF WAGE EARN
26. If there is
can be done abou

WRITE IN ANSWER
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