

Christian name  
for reference only

Inft.	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Miss PARTREE	Miss IDA								
65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66	65-66				
66	66	66	66	66	66				

Age last birthday

6/32

1263

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A Survey carried out from the University of Essex  
and the University of London (L.S.E.)

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(i)  
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## INTRODUCTION

### (a) IF INFORMANT WILLING TO GIVE INTERVIEW

proceed to Q. 1 at the beginning of the Housing Section and when the interview is finished complete the Summary at the beginning of the questionnaire.

### (b) IF A FIRM REFUSAL

(and no other adult member of the household is likely to give an interview now or at a later date) encourage the informant at least to answer the questions on your Summary sheets. Information on these sheets giving:

- (i) the reference number of the household
- (ii) the date of call(s)
- (iii) the reasons why no interview was obtainable (in addition to the notes on your record sheet) must be provided in all instances.

Finally, leave a copy of our introductory letter and send us the Summary sheets as soon as possible.

### (c) IF PUT OFF AT FIRST CONTACT

(because of illness, domestic emergency, etc.) then having made sure that no other adult member of the household is free to give an interview (unless of course circumstances clearly dictate that this enquiry should not be made), leave the introductory letter and go immediately for fear of jeopardising a later interview, asking only when a second call might be convenient. Use your record sheet to note the date and result of this first contact.

### IF PUT OFF AGAIN AT SECOND CONTACT

then try at least to obtain the answers to the questions in the Summary sheets, preferably taking replies from someone in the household but, failing that, from an external source.

At this point we rely on your discretion to decide whether

- (a) the household's response should be regarded as a disguised refusal (in which case return Summary sheets and complete your record sheet accordingly); or
- (b) an interview is probably obtainable at a third call, in which case retain the Summary sheets for the time being (they can be destroyed if you obtain an interview at the third visit or returned to us if you are put off a third time).

If you are in any doubt then consult the London Office or Regional Supervisor about the advisability of a third call.

## NOTE.

INFT - looks after  
a mentally  
retarded old lady  
"The selfless" pays  
her £4 a week  
to look after her  
This other lady  
gets about 15/-  
from the security  
for spending  
money as well  
the INFT didn't  
let me see the  
mentally retarded  
old lady  
So all the information  
regarding her  
came from  
INFT.  
INFT rather cagey  
about where  
exactly 2ND's  
money came from  
and also who  
exactly paid  
her the £4 a week.  
to look after 2ND



Name of Interviewer.....JB Seaman.....

SERIAL  
NUMBER

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6	3	2	1	2	6	3	0	1

C.I.C.

Date(s) of interview(s).....22nd Nov '68.....

Length of interview(s).....1 1/2 hrs.....

or contacts.....

Total actual interviewing time.....1 1/2 hrs.....

## Form of introduction

"My name is X. I'm from Essex/London University. We're preparing a report (writing a book) about standards of living in Britain today and how families manage. We think it's important for the Government and everyone else to know what the facts really are. We're hoping to talk to about 3,000 families throughout the country and I'd be very grateful if you could help us by answering some questions. All our information is, of course, strictly confidential."

## SUMMARY : COMPLETE AFTER INTERVIEW

1. Interview carried out at first call at second call at third or later call	10 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 0	3. Which sections were answered in whole or in part by which persons on the household?	Write Section 1, 2, 3, etc.	5. Number of other households at address.....	21 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1 0
2. Information for household — — complete skip to Q. 3 incomplete—answer 2a	11	Informant	13 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1	6. Household living on ground basement floor 1st floor 2nd floor 3rd floor 4th floor 5th or above Specify	22 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 1 2 3 4 5
(a) Sections Housing incomplete Employment Occupational Income Assets Health Soc. Services Inc. in kind Style of living	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	2nd member	14 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 2	Answer 6a {	
CODE ALL THAT APPLY	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 3	3rd	15 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 0	(a) Is there a lift in the building? Yes No	6 7
(b) Reasons if incomplete — — ill/disabled does not know information unwilling to give information other (specify) see note	12 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1	4th	16 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1		
		5th	17 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1		
		6th	18 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1	7. Is there an internal or external flight of at least 4 steps or stairs to the dwelling entrance?	23 8 9
		Other (specify)	19 <input checked="" type="radio"/> 1		
		4. Semi or detached house or bungalow Ter. h'se or bungalow Self-con. flat in block Self-con. flat in house Self-con. flat attached to shop/business Room(s): furnished Other (specify) Unfurnished rooms	20 <input checked="" type="radio"/> X Y 1 2 3 4 5		

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## HOUSING AND LIVING FACILITIES

### General

Information recorded by the interviewer on the left of the main column is needed so that the circumstances of the household may be fully understood by those in the office but it may not be required for computer-analysis.

### QUESTION 1 — Rooms

No room should be listed twice. Bedsitters should be listed as bedrooms and not also as living-rooms. Do not count a scullery or a hall or a bathroom as a room. The total number of living and dining and bedrooms should not include a kitchen if it is not large enough for a family to eat in. You will see that there are two numbered boxes in the column in which to write the numbers of bedrooms and total numbers of rooms. Each is for each digit in the total: Thus, if there are 9 or fewer rooms the number should be written in the right-hand box and "0" should be written in the left-hand box. If there are, say, 13 rooms, then "1" should be written in the left-hand and "3" in the right hand box. This will help us to avoid mistakes in transferring information to the computer.

### QUESTION 2 — Additional or fewer rooms

Define "room" as above.

### QUESTION 4

A water closet flushed by water. Chemical or earth closets are not included, nor are flush water closets which can only be reached by going outdoors across a yard, even if under cover.

*No provision for  
disposal of rubbish  
in the flats. Rubbish  
has to be taken  
down stairs and  
put in litter-bin  
in the street*

### QUESTION 5

A garden is any space at the front or back of the house where it is possible to grow something. A yard is an outdoor space which is covered in concrete, asphalt, etc., where there are no plants or lawn other than in boxes or barrels (if any).

If you have already seen the garden it may be unnecessary to ask the second part of the question, for it may be possible to code 3, 4 or 5. But be sure that you are taking back as well as front garden into the reckoning. Add the two together in estimating size.



SECTION I HOUSING AND LIVING FACILITIES

I'd like to start by asking a few questions about your house/flat

1(a) How many rooms are there - I mean for the sole use of the household?

number of living and dining-rooms (excluding bed-sitter)

0 1

number of kitchens

0 1

Is the kitchen large enough to eat in? Yes

1

No

2

\*number of bedrooms (including bed-sitter)

\*total number of living and dining and bedrooms (including kitchen if large enough to eat in)

(b) How many of these rooms are usually heated during the evenings in winter (whether by coal, gas or electric, paraffin stove or central heating)?

DK

2. Would you and your family like to have more rooms or fewer rooms in the home?

X\* more than one room extra

Y an extra bedroom

0 an extra living room

CODE 1 number of rooms about right

ONE 2 one room fewer

ONLY 3 two or more rooms fewer

4 DK

3. Is electricity laid on?

yes, power points and lighting

yes, lighting only

No

DK

4. Has the household the sole or shared use of the following INDOOR facilities?

(a) A flush W.C.\*

X yes, sole use

Y yes, shared

0 none

PROMPT

(b) A sink or washbasin

1 yes, sole use

2 yes, shared

3 none

CODE

and cold water tap

ALL

(c) A fixed bath or shower

4 yes, sole use

5 yes, shared

6 none

THAT

(d) A gas or electric cooker

7 yes, sole use

8 yes, shared

9 none

APPLY

5. Does the household have the sole use or shared use of a garden or yard?

X sole use garden

Y sole use yard

0 shared garden

1 shared yard

2 neither garden nor yard

ASK Q. 5(a)

SKIP TO Q.6.

(a) Is it - too small for the household to sit in the sun (e.g. smaller than 10 feet x 10 feet)

CODE - at least big enough for the household to sit in the sun, but not equal in size to a tennis court

ONE - substantial in size (e.g. equal in size to a tennis court or bigger)

ONLY

6. One or two other questions about living here. Do you find the air in this neighbourhood clean or is it dirty, smoky or foul-smelling?

always dirty, smoky, foul-smelling  
sometimes dirty, smoky or foul-smelling  
not dirty, smoky or foul-smelling  
DK

24/25

0 2

26/27

0 3

28/29

0 1

X

30

X

Y

0

1

2

3

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X

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5

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X

Y

0

1

shared with 3 other households (30th people)



*we are employed: P.T. (see under cover)*

SECTION 11 EMPLOYMENT

1. Can you tell me who in the household was at work last week, for any number of hours, however few?  
 attended paid employment, or self employed \*  
 not attending paid employment) SKIP TO Q.6  
 DK

2. Just the one job, or more than one? I mean did you do any spare-time or regular paid work? \*  
 one job  
 two or more jobs

3. Is the work carried out here in the house or flat? \*  
 yes, main/only occupation  
 yes, secondary occupation(s) only  
 no

4. What was the usual hour at which you started and finished work each day last week? \*  
 X worked from before 8 am to 6 pm (or earlier)  
 CODE ONE Y before 8 am and finished after 6 pm  
 ONLY ON 0 8 am (or after) to 6 pm (or earlier)  
 BASIS OF 1 8 am (or after) and finished after 6 pm  
 ANSWER 2 after 6 pm to 8 am (or earlier)  
 3 no usual hour of starting and/or finishing

5. Can you tell me the total number of hours you worked last week (counting all jobs for which you received pay)? Insert number \*  
 IF WORKED LESS THAN 30 HOURS ASK Q.5(a) DK  
 IF WORKED 30 HOURS OR MORE SKIP TO Q.7

(a) When did you last work 30 hours or more in a week? X less than 6 months ago  
 Y 6 months and less than 1 year ago  
 0 1 and less than 3 years  
 1 3 and less than 10 years  
 2 10 or more years  
 3 never  
 4 DK

(b) Would you work more hours if such a job were available? 5 yes, unconditionally  
 6 yes, with reservations  
 7 no, would not wish to  
 CODE ONE ONLY 8 no, could not do so  
 ON BASIS OF ANSWER 9 DK

6. IF NOT AT WORK LAST WEEK OR WORKING LESS THAN 30 HOURS  
 Why weren't you at work last week? X housewife  
 OR Why weren't you at work full-time? Y retired  
 0 student  
 1 pre-school or school child SKIP TO NEXT SECTION  
 PROMPT \* 2 unemployed  
 3 sick or injured  
 4 disabled or handicapped  
 CODE ONE 5 paid holiday  
 ONLY \* 6 unpaid holiday  
 7 not working because: school holidays  
 8 : caring for someone ill  
 9 : deputising for housewife  
 X other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Y DK

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7	8	9	10
27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27
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3	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5	3 4 5
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29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29
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6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
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X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y	X Y



**QUESTION 14 Best job**

If you are asked "What do you mean by 'best'?" you should say "It is up to you to decide" (adding, but only if necessary, "whether it's best because of the money, the people, the job in itself or anything else"). Of course there will be people who give a mixture of reasons. Code the one they treat as most important. If they are undecided code DK.

**QUESTION 15**

A few persons — e.g. students — may have worked for part of the last year, or may work every Saturday and still be in full-time education. We will be asking about them later. Code them as still in full-time education.

**QUESTION 15(a) Years of full-time education**

The question is worded so that if someone has missed a year's schooling because of illness, say, between the ages of 5 and 14, he can adjust his answer accordingly. You can check (or aid other informants trying to reach an answer) by deducting five years from the leaving age and then asking if the result allows for any absence because of hospitalisation, war evacuation, military service, or any other reason. Note that full-time education can be provided in hospital. Only deduct a year if ALL of it was spent out of school. When writing in leaving age and number of years education remember again to insert each digit.

*WFT didn't know  
when 2nd left  
School or even if  
she ever went to  
a proper school  
etc since she  
was mentally  
retarded*

**QUESTION 16 Manual Workers**

If you are in doubt from what you have been told about a man's job whether it is manual ask, "How do you do your work? Is it mostly heavy work, or operating a machine or mostly with your hands?" If he indicates any of these ask Q. 16. If still in doubt ask the question and write a note.

**QUESTION 17(a) Husband's occupation**

Follow same procedure as above under Question 10. It will be even more necessary to probe for the exact type of job. Encourage the woman to tell you what her husband did, since the answer is most important for us in classifying occupational status.



QUESTION 29(c) Estimate of market rent

Proceed as for Q. 27(a)

QUESTION 30(a) Income from lodgers or boarders

Be careful not to obtain an inflated total. Amounts may vary according to numbers of boarders and, if necessary, write down separate amounts on this page. If the informant has difficulty in producing an average per week or total in year, obtain last week's GROSS income (taking into account number of boarders) and then work back to get an estimate for the year.

QUESTION 30(c) Net income

Carefully prompt for services and the cost of providing these services so that you can make an estimate of NET income — "profit" as some people will understand it. In some instances you will have to write down figures for gross amount received and an estimate of the cost of different services. If the informant does not know what his net income has been, make an estimate on the basis of what he tells you about gross payments and cost of services and expenses. Try to obtain a figure net of any tax paid. As before, note that if you cannot do this, you can strike out "after" tax in the box provided. We are asking you to provide a figure both for last week and last year. There may be changes in income (due to loss or arrival of boarders) during the year which are revealed in interview. Remember also that costs may be as great or even greater than receipts. In these cases write in "O" and make a note.

QUESTION 32 Value of own food or poultry

Try to obtain a weekly average of the value of using own garden, allotment and farm produce. Do not waste too much time on produce amounting in value to less than 10s. a week. Be careful not to give an inflated estimate of the saving. Husbands sometimes exaggerate the value of what they grow in a large garden. What you want is an estimate of what it would cost in the shops to purchase the kind of produce consumed in the home which is grown by the household, LESS all expenses. For a small-holding or farm this means taking account of purchases of stock or seed, wages, payments of fuel bills, etc., in the same way as earlier you explored the income of the self-employed.

QUESTION 33 Total income last year

In some instances you may have difficulty with an informant who, though willing to answer other questions, is unwilling to answer questions on income, or an informant who is vague or uncertain about details. By adopting a matter of fact approach or by coming back to these questions after dealing with the rest of the questionnaire in an interview, you may overcome the difficulty. If the questions remain unanswered, try the question here as given, adding any other explanation according to your individual style or to the circumstances of the situation. Show the Flash-card and the do your best to arrive at a specific amount. Also do your best to check: "Does that include family allowances, pensions, etc.?" You may be surprised sometimes to find that the informant gradually undends and is prepared to answer many preceding questions. You should also do your best to check whether the total given includes other income units in the household. Try to establish totals for these units in the same way.

boarder is 2nd  
\* SEE PAGE 38. Q19  
2nd the boarder is  
mentally defective  
the wife pays  
NFT 24 a week  
to look after her  
NFT says she  
doesn't make  
anything or keep's  
her but I think  
she must make  
a little about 10/-/wk.  
Before she had  
this boarder 2yrs  
ago she was  
Receiving National  
Assistance about  
30/- a week.



## V SAVINGS AND ASSETS

### QUESTION 1 Personal

This excludes a business bank account which is covered by Q. 4. Avoid double-counting the same bank balance or assets when questioning husband and wife.

### QUESTION 2 Savings

Note that you should proceed by prompting all items to see how many are appropriate, then try to establish a total and then establish totals for each item only as a check or if necessary. Care should be taken to avoid double-counting. If the informant is hesitant or confused repeat the question to make sure he or she knows what kind of savings you are referring to and THEN show Flashcard No. 4 to get the total. Then try to obtain an absolute total rather than a range. For example, you could ask: "Would you say the figure was at the top end or the lower end of that range — nearer X or nearer Y?"

### QUESTION 2(c) Interest

Try to establish the amounts the informant receives in the form he receives it — that is, before tax is deducted or after it has been deducted at source. In difficult instances you need not waste time converting a "before tax" total into "after tax" so long as you make plain what it is. We will do that work in the office.

WFT doesn't  
think 2nd has  
any savings

### QUESTION 3 Value of stocks and shares

This question of the value of stocks and shares is crucial and every encouragement should be used to obtain an answer. Some informants simply will not know. Remember that brokers sometimes send an annual valuation. If there is considerable uncertainty, tactfully suggest or imply that it would be very helpful to know and take any opportunity to see the valuation or to leave a note (and s.a.e.) so that a more reliable estimate can be made and either you can pick it up at a second call or ask for it to be sent on.

### QUESTION 3(b) Interest

Proceed as in Q. 2c above. Mostly amounts will be received after tax has been deducted.

### QUESTION 4

This is to cover any type of business which is owned in part or in whole by the informant. Being a director does not necessarily mean ownership. The answer to this question should not duplicate the answer to the previous question. Shares come under Q. 3. This is to cover such things as shops, professional practices and small businesses of every kind except limited companies. In all cases make sure that money in the business, bank account and stocks are borne in mind when the valuation is made. When the business (e.g. shop or farm) is run from the owner occupier's dwelling, the value of the dwelling will often have been included in the answer to this question (i.e. Q. 25 in Section V). UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES MUST THE DWELLING BE COUNTED TWICE. The valuation should be on the assumption that the informant had to sell but was in no great hurry. A year or even more could be taken to find a purchaser. The valuation should NOT be made on the basis of: "What would you take for your business?" — that is, when the informant has to be persuaded to sell. NOTE that vehicles should be included in the valuation of a business — say of a haulage contractor, a cab owner or even a building contractor or window cleaner.

### QUESTION 5 Other property

Remember that some people use two houses. Others have houses which they rent off to others. This last is not uncommon among elderly people who may be very poor themselves. A "boat" may include anything from a luxury yacht to a small rowing boat.



11. Apart from what you have told me about already have you received any other money amounting to £25 or more in the last 12 months which was spent on ordinary living expenses (rather than saved or used to buy property, like a house or a car) such as:

PROMPT an inheritance amount     
 AND CODE betting or football pool win  
 ALL THAT premium bond or prize  
 APPLY other (SPECIFY)  
 ON THE none of these  
 RIGHT DK

total  
gained  
in £'s

12. May I just check on debts or loans? Are you making hire purchase payments on personal possessions, for example on furniture and household appliances?

(a) How much altogether do you have to pay, yes ASK Q.12(a)  
 excluding interest? \* no } SKIP TO Q.13  
 DK }

IF DK OR UNCERTAIN ASK:

Original price TICK IF DOCUMENTS SEEN ☐

Deposit paid

Amount of each repayment

No. of repayments made INTERVIEWER OR OFFICE

No. of repayments still total owed in £'s  
 to make

13. FOR ALL WITH PERSONAL BANK ACCOUNT (0.1)  
 Have you an overdraft on any personal bank account? yes ASK Q.13(a)  
 no } SKIP  
 DK } T O  
 Does Not Apply } Q.14

(a) How much is the overdraft, including any loan? total in £'s

14. FOR ALL PAYING RENT OR MORTGAGE  
 Are you behind with your rent/payments? yes ASK Q.14(a)  
 no } SKIP  
 DK } T O  
 Does Not Apply } Q.15

(a) How many weeks/payments (or total amount)? OFFICE: total arrears in £'s

15. Apart from what you have told me do you owe anyone any money - say £25 or more? yes ASK Q.15(a)  
 no } SKIP TO Q.16  
 DK }

(a) How much? total in £'s

16. Does anyone owe you any money - say £25 or more? yes ASK Q.16(a)  
 no } SKIP TO Q.17  
 DK }

(a) How much? total in £'s

17. IF SAVINGS AND ASSETS INFORMATION INCOMPLETE ASK:  
 If may be difficult to give any details but I wonder if you would mind looking at this card (SHOW FLASHCARD NO.4) and telling me which number best indicates the total value of any savings, property (including house and car) and personal possessions you may have?  
 range code

PROBE FOR SEPARATE INCOME UNITS

total value in £'s  
 if volunteered

11PT doesn't think 2ND has any savings though she can't be absolutely sure.

1st	2nd	3rd	4th	INTERVIEWER: CODE 05, 06, etc. IF 5th, 6th MEMBERS OF HOUSEHOLD	
42	42	42	42	42	42
X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
43-47	43-47	43-47	43-47	43-47	43-47
E	E	E	E	E	E
48	48	48	48	48	48
X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
49-52	49-52	49-52	49-52	49-52	49-52
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53	53	53	53	53	53
X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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54-58	54-58	54-58	54-58	54-58	54-58
E	E	E	E	E	E
59	59	59	59	59	59
X	X	X	X	X	X
Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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60-62	60-62	60-62	60-62	60-62	60-62
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63-66	63-66	63-66	63-66	63-66	63-66
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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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67-70	67-70	67-70	67-70	67-70	67-70
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3	3	3	3	3	3
71	71	71	71	71	71
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Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
0	0	0	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3
72-76	72-76	72-76	72-76	72-76	72-76
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#### QUESTION 4 Special schools & centres

This question is asked only of persons who have been ill and off work or confined to bed or the house for eight weeks or more continuously, and those who are coded for any item in Question 3.

*WFT said 2ND  
had been in  
and out of  
mental houses  
all his life!*

#### QUESTION 5 Date of onset of sickness or disabling condition

Our object is to establish the year of onset but the question is worded 'first have any condition' so as to allow for the fact that some conditions develop out of others. For persons with a disabling condition you ask, in effect, when all the trouble started.

#### Previous occupation

In the section on Employment you have already asked for the last occupation of everyone not now at work (p. 7). Some people change their occupation because of a disabling condition before finally being obliged to give up work. You should probe for the (previous) occupation which people had before any history of illness or disability started.

#### QUESTION 6 Mobility

You should code people according to their **usual** mobility, taking no account of a temporary illness or injury. "Usual mobility" may be interpreted as "for at least eight weeks and unlikely to become more mobile in the immediate future" or "for less than eight weeks but unlikely to become more mobile within at least that total period." Someone who spends most of the time in bed and needs help to get out to sit in a chair is defined as bedfast. Someone who can get out of his bed into a chair or wheelchair and who can walk indoors but not even a few yards outdoors without help is defined as housebound. The test is whether someone can walk on his own (without the assistance or company of any other person — though with or without sticks or crutches).

#### QUESTION 7 Incapacity

In prompting this series of questions you may find it simplest to ask the question without the variation in brackets, unless it seems appropriate. Remember you are asking whether they have any difficulty in doing X. Sometimes certain questions will not apply to particular people or to particular situations. You will meet people who do not (or say they do not) wash down, negotiate stairs (living in bungalows), go shopping and do housework (especially some men). The question should then be asked in terms of "But would you have any difficulty in doing X if you had to?" The codes 0, 1, 2 are listed in increasing order of difficulty and you should check that you ring one of them for each item.

#### QUESTION 7e

It would be insensitive and unnecessary to ask questions about the daily activities of the bedfast. They are therefore excluded from this question and the rest of the series. You may encounter other people (e.g. advanced obesity) of whom it is clear that they cannot do certain activities. You may refrain from putting questions to them. The same is true of any situations in which the questions are likely to cause great distress. **BUT AS A GENERAL RULE QUESTIONS 7 (e) to (i) SHOULD BE ASKED FOR ALL OTHER THAN THE BEDFAST AND CHAIRFAST.**

#### QUESTIONS 8 & 9 Variation in incapacity

These questions explore whether the pattern of answers to Question 7 is permanent. Question 8 seeks any indication of seasonal variations (e.g. bronchitis) and Question 9 day-to-day variations in the effects of disability.



4. FOR THOSE WITH ANY LONG-TERM ILLNESS (8 WEEKS OR MORE - Q.2(a)&(b) ) AND ANY CONDITION (Q.3)

Do you attend - a special training or occupational treatment centre?

- a special school?
- a disabled person's club?
- any other club, school or centre because of your health?
- no club, school or centre?

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.6

5. FOR THOSE AGED 15-64 WITH ANY LONG-TERM ILLNESS OR CONDITION

(a) When did you first become sick or have any condition? \*

INFT. 1965. 2ND 1960 WRITE IN NUMBER OF YEARS AGO

(b) What was your occupation then? Was it the last occupation you had (which you have already told me about (p.7) or a previous one?

never had paid employment } SKIP  
condition started in last job held } TO Q.6  
condition started in previous job? ASK Q.5(c)

(c) What was that previous job? WRITE IN OCCUPATION AND EMPLOYER'S (OWN) BUSINESS

INFT. stated after shed related  
2ND born mentally retarded

6. ASK ALL. Is there anyone living here who is \*

- usually confined to bed or needs help to get out of bed and sit in a chair?
- not confined to bed but cannot walk unaided a few yards outdoors without help?
- neither of these
- DK

YES BECAUSE MENTAL CONDITION SHOULD THIS BE CODED? 2ND.

7. ASK OF ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 10

- \* Do you or would you have any difficulty (or find it troublesome, exhausting or worrying)?

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.9  
CODE 0 = no difficulty  
CODE 1 = has/would have difficulty  
CODE 2 = cannot do task

(a) washing down (whether in bath or not)?

(b) removing a jug, say, from an overhead shelf?

(c) tying a good knot in string?

(d) cutting toenails?

NOW CONTINUE FOR ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 10 AND THE BEDFAST

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.8

(e) running to catch a bus?

(f) going up and downstairs?

(g) going shopping AND carrying a full basket of shopping in each hand?

AND NOW CONTINUE FOR ALL EXCEPT CHILDREN UNDER 16 AND THE BEDFAST

Does Not Apply SKIP TO Q.8

(h) doing heavy housework, like washing floors and cleaning windows

(i) preparing a hot meal?

Don't Know for any or all of these

8. Are there any other periods of the year when you might give different answers to these questions (i.e. in Q.7) about ordinary activities? \*

yes ASK Q.8(a)  
no } SKIP TO Q.9  
DK }

(a) In those periods would you find any of the activities

- much more difficult?
- more difficult?
- easier?
- much easier?

9. ASK ALL CODED 1 or 2 FOR ANY ITEM IN Q.7

Would you say you vary from week to week or day to day in having difficulty with any of these activities?

yes  
no  
DK  
DNA

10. FOR HOUSEWIFE ONLY

Do you feel tired

- all the time?
- sometimes?
- rarely or never?

DK  
DNA

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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(a)  
0 sometimes  
1 never } SKIP TO Q.24  
2 DK

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

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? \*

(b) What would you describe as poverty?

WRITE IN ANSWER

Not having enough — especially with all the prices going up I don't get any more.

(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)  
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  
DNA

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

Give more old age pensions stop giving to some people blacks etc who never worked — I've lived here and worked here all my life and I look what I get — a miserable amount.

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INTERVIEWER PLEASE CODE ALL THAT APPLY AFTER INTERVIEW

- (a) Household in which there is a child, one of whose parents is not resident
- (b) Household consisting of woman and adult dependants
- (c) Household in which there are five or more dependent children
- (d) Household containing an adult who has been unemployed for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (e) Household containing an adult under 65 years of age who has been ill or injured for eight weeks (consecutively or in last 12 months)
- (f) Household containing a disabled adult under 65  
(a) disabled  
(b) borderline disabled
- (g) Household containing a disabled or handicapped child (including child ill or injured for eight weeks or more)
- (h) Household containing a person aged 65 or over who has been bedfast or ill for eight weeks or more or who is otherwise severely incapacitated
- (i) Household in which there are  
(a) earners, none earning £12 a week or more  
(b) adult male earners (aged 21 to 64) earning less than £14 a week
- (j) Household in which there are persons who are  
(a) non-white  
(b) born in Eire

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COMPOSITION OF HOUSEHOLD: CODES (Q. 10, p. 3)

<b>One generation</b>		
Man alone: aged 60 or over	101	Man: and widowed or separated daughter
Man alone: aged under 60	102	Woman: and widowed or separated son
Woman alone: aged 60 or over	103	Woman: and widowed or separated daughter
Woman alone: aged under 60	104	Otherwise two generations: all related
Husband and wife: both aged 60 or over	105	Otherwise two generations: at least one person not related to any other
Husband and wife: at least one aged under 60	106	Other (SPECIFY)
Husband and wife: both under 60	107	
Man and woman: otherwise related	108	<b>Three generation</b>
Man and woman: unrelated	109	Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15
Two or more men only: related	110	Man, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15
Two or more men only: unrelated	111	Man, daughter & son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15
Two or more women only: related	112	Man, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15 and one over 15
Two or more women only: unrelated	113	Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15
Other (SPECIFY)	114	Woman, son and d-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15
<b>Two generation</b>		Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: all under 15
Man, wife: + 1 child under 15	201	Woman, daughter and son-in-law, grandchildren: at least one under 15, one over 15
Man, wife: + 2 children both under 15	202	Married couple, married child and child-in-law, grandchildren under 15
Man, wife: + 3 children all under 15	203	Otherwise 3-generations:
Man, wife: + 4 or more children all under 15	204	—all persons related, at least one child under 15
Man, wife: + children, at least 1 under 15 and at least 1 over 15, none married	205	—at least one child under 15
Man, wife: + children all aged 15-24, none married	206	—all persons related
Man, wife: + children all over 15, at least 1 aged 25 or over, none married	207	—unrelated
Man and one child under 15	208	Other (SPECIFY)
Man and two children both under 15	209	
Man and three or more children under 15	210	
Man and children at least one under and one over 15, none married	211	
Man and children all aged 15-24, none married	212	
Man and children all over 15 at least one 25 or over, none married	213	
Woman: and one child under 15	214	
Woman: and two children both under 15	215	
Woman: and three or more children under 15	216	
Woman: and children, at least one under and one over 15, none married	217	
Woman: and children, all aged 15-24, none married	218	
Woman: and children all over 15, at least one 25 or over, none married	219	
Man: and widowed or separated son	220	
		<b>Four generation</b>
		DESCRIBE COMPOSITION BELOW
		401