

Australian Catholic University (ACU)

Our Lives (Wave 8 2021)

WG4830

RECONTACT INFORMATION

PREG1 Firstly we would like to ask you to update your contact details, in order to help us to stay in touch with you in the future. Your contact details will be stored separately from your survey responses and will remain confidential. Your contact details will also be used to contact you if you are drawn as a winner in our two prize draws!

G1 **Interviewer read out, confirm and update as necessary. Please confirm details and amend accordingly.**

- 01 First Name: **[FNAME]**
- 02 Last Name: **[LNAME]**
- 03 Primary email address: **[EMAIL1]**
(That is, the email address that you check most often)
- 04 Secondary email address: **[EMAIL2]**
(e.g. a work email address or an email address from an educational institution)
- 05 Best phone number for contacting you: **[PHONE1] <10-DIGITS REQUIRED>**
- 06 Alternative phone number for contacting you: **[PHONE2] <10-DIGITS REQUIRED>**
(Do you have an alternative number we might try you on?)

G2 Are there any changes to your address?

Interviewer read out, confirm and update as necessary. / Please confirm details and amend accordingly.

- 01 Street Address:
- 02 Suburb / Town:
- 03 State:
- 04 Postcode:
- 05 Country (If not Australia):

G2B Are you likely to move to a new residential address in the next 6 months? **If so, please provide new details if available.**

- 01 Yes, I am likely to move to a new residential address in the next 6 months
- 02 No, I will be at the same residential address in 6 months time **GO TO G3**
- 99 Unsure, or unsure of new address details **GO TO G3**

G2B_STREET Please provide new details:

- 01 Street Address:
- 02 Suburb / Town:
- 03 State:
- 04 Postcode (if available):
- 05 Country (if not Australia):

G3 Would you consider **[STREET ADDRESS] [SUBURB/TOWN]** to be just a **mailing** address or is it also your residential address?

- 01 Yes, I live at **(STREET ADDRESS) (SUBURB/TOWN)**
- 02 No, I live elsewhere (please specify your postcode to help us know which part of Australia you live in, or the country you live in if outside Australia)

SECTION A: STUDY, WORK & CAREERS

STUDYING AT LAST WAVE, ASK A1, ELSE GO TO A5

DEFINITION OF CURRENT STUDY LEVEL AND FIELD OF STUDY:

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 6 OR WAVE 7: IF WAVE 6 C5=01, CARRY FORWARD FROM WAVE 6 SAMPLE / IF WAVE 6 C9 ANSWERED, DERIVE FROM WAVE 6 C9 / IF WAVE 7 B4=01 CARRY FORWARD FROM WAVE 7 SAMPLE / **IF WAVE 7 B8 ANSWERED, DERIVE FROM WAVE 7 B8**

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 5: DERIVE FROM SAMPLE PREPARED FOR WAVE 6

PREA1 In the following section, we'd like to ask you some questions about work and study.

A1 Back in [DATE OF LAST FULL INTERVIEW] we recorded that you were doing [STUFLD] was that correct?

Please select one option below

01	Yes	GO TO A2
02	No	GO TO A5

A2 What was the outcome of those studies?

Please select one option below

01	Still doing it	GO TO A7
02	Completed	GO TO A3
03	Withdrew	GO TO A3
04	Failed	GO TO A3
05	Deferred	GO TO A3
06	Changed to another course	GO TO A5

PREA3 IF A2=2-5, CONTINUE.

A3 Which month and year did this outcome take place?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12), YY (ALLOW 15-21)>

99 Don't know

A4 Since that outcome occurred, have you begun or attempted any other new study?

Note: This can include apprenticeships, traineeships, or study at university, TAFE or any other educational institution.

Please select one option below

01	Yes	GO TO A5
02	No	GO TO A11

PREA5 ALL ANSWER A5 EXCEPT IF A2=1 OR A4=2

A5 Are you [IF A2=6 OR A4=1: still] currently studying [IF A2=6: the course you changed to? If you have changed multiple times, please answer for the course you most recently changed to]?

Note: This can include apprenticeships, traineeships, or study at university, TAFE or any other educational institution.

Please select one option below

01	Yes	
02	No	GO TO A11

A6 What is the level of the study you are currently undertaking?

Please select one option below

- 01 Certificate – Level I
- 02 Certificate – Level II
- 03 Certificate – Level III
- 04 Certificate – Level IV
- 05 Certificate – Not known
- 06 Diploma
- 07 Advanced diploma or Associate Degree
- 08 Bachelor Degree (without Honours)
- 09 Bachelor Degree (with Honours)
- 10 Graduate Certificate
- 11 Graduate Diploma
- 12 Masters' Degree
- 13 Doctoral Degree
- 95 Other (please specify)

A7 Are you studying mostly full-time or part-time?

Please select one option below

- 01 Full-time
- 02 Part-time

IF A2=01, GO TO A11

ALL ELSE (E.G. A5 = 01) CONTINUE TO A8

A8 What is the name of the course you are doing now?

95 [Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]

A9 What is your main area of study in this course?

95 [Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]

A10 Which month and year did you begin this course?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12, 99), YY (ALLOW 15-21, 99)>

99 Don't know

ALL

PREA11 Now we'd like to ask about your participation in work.

A11 Are you currently working in a paid job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No

GO TO PRE A13

A12 Do you currently have more than one job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes, I have 2 jobs

- 02 Yes, I have more than 2 jobs
03 No

DEFINITION OF WORKING IN LAST WAVE:

IF WORKING IN WAVE 7: DERIVE WORKING IN LAST WAVE IF A11=01

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 6: DERIVE WORKING IN LAST WAVE IF C20=01

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 5: DERIVE FROM SAMPLE PREPARED FOR WAVE 6

DEFINITION OF EMPLOYER FROM SAMPLE:

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 7 USE [CHECK WITH WALLIS]

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 6 USE C35A IF EMPLOYED (C20=01) AND C25B ≠ 01 (VERSION 2) OR C25A ≠ 01 OR 04 (VERSION 1); OTHERWISE IF EMPLOYED IN WAVE 6 (C20=01) IN CONTINUING EMPLOYMENT (C25A=01 OR 04 OR C25B=01) USE EMPLOYER NAME FROM SAMPLE PREPARED FOR WAVE 6. IF C25A=04 USE REVISED EMPLOYER NAME.

IF INTERVIEWED IN WAVE 5, DERIVE FROM SAMPLE PREPARED FOR WAVE 6.

PRE A13

WORKING IN LAST WAVE & NOW NOT WORKING, GO TO A13

WORKING IN LAST WAVE & STILL WORKING, GO TO A16

NOT WORKING IN LAST WAVE & NOW WORKING, GO TO A21

W5 GROUP AND NOW WORKING GO TO A26

ALL OTHERS NOT WORKING, GO TO A36

IF WORKING IN LAST WAVE & NOW NOT WORKING

A13 Back in [DATE], you told us you were working for [EMP]. Which month and year did you finish that job?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12, 99), YY (ALLOW 15-21, 99)>

99 Don't know

A14 Was it your choice to leave that job, 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?

Please select one option below

- | | | |
|----|---|-----------|
| 01 | Chose to stop | GO TO A15 |
| 02 | Going out of business | GO TO A36 |
| 03 | Laid off/forced to stop for some other reason | GO TO A36 |

A15 What was the **main reason** you left that job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Found job with better pay or hours
- 02 Found a job better suited to your skills
- 03 Found job with better career prospects
- 04 Not satisfied with pay or hours of work
- 05 The job did not match your skills or qualifications
- 06 You weren't happy with the job prospects in that industry
- 07 You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work
- 08 Reasons to do with study
- 09 Health or personal reasons

- 10 Went to live somewhere else
- 11 Temporary or seasonal job
- 95 Other (please specify)

NOW GO TO A36

IF WORKING IN LAST WAVE & STILL WORKING

A16 At your last interview in [DATE], you told us you were working for [EMP]. Do you still have that job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes GO TO A17
- 02 No GO TO A18
- 03 Didn't have a job at the last interview GO TO A21
- 04 Yes – same job but company name has changed (please specify) GO TO A17

A17 Is this still your main job at present? That is, the job in which you usually work the most hours each week?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes GO TO A21
- 02 No GO TO A21

IF A16=02 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A21

A18 Which month and year did you finish that job?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12, 99), YY (ALLOW 15-21, 99)>

- 99 Don't know

A19 Was it your choice to leave that job, 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?

Please select one option below

- 01 Chose to stop GO TO A20
- 02 Going out of business GO TO A21
- 03 Laid off/forced to stop for some other reason GO TO A21

IF A19=01 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A21

A20 What was the main reason you left that job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Found job with better pay or hours
- 02 Found a job better suited to your skills
- 03 Found job with better career prospects
- 04 Not satisfied with pay or hours of work
- 05 The job did not match your skills or qualifications
- 06 You weren't happy with the job prospects in that industry
- 07 You didn't get on with your boss or other people at work
- 08 Reasons to do with study
- 09 Health or personal reasons
- 10 Went to live somewhere else
- 11 Temporary or seasonal job
- 95 Other (please specify)

MAIN SAMPLE & WORKING CONTINUE, W5 GROUP GO TO PRE A26, ELSE GO TO A36

PREA21 We'd like to ask you some questions about **[IF A12=03: your present job / IF A12=01-02: your main job (that is, the job which you usually work the most hours each week)]**

A21 Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you usually work in this job?

- 01 Hours per week <1-100>
- 999 Hours vary

IF A21=999 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A23

A22 Including any paid or unpaid overtime, how many hours per week do you work on average over a usual 4-week period from this job?

- 01 Hours per week <1-100>

A23 For this job, what is the total gross amount of your pay in your usual pay period, before tax or anything else is taken out?

- 01 Enter amount <\$1 TO \$1,000,000 – WHOLE VALUES ONLY>
- 97 Nil
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

IF A23=01 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A25

A24 And what period does that cover?

Please select one option below

- 01 Hour
- 02 Week
- 03 Fortnight
- 04 Month
- 05 Year

A25 Does your work ever involve...

RESPONSE SET; MULTICODE

Please select all that apply

- 01 Working night or evening shifts
- 02 Weekend work
- 03 Working public holidays
- 04 Other non-standard shifts (e.g. 'on call', as needed, task-based)
- 97 None of the above - I work fairly standard shifts
- 99 Don't know

[EXCLUSIVE]

ALL WORKING**IF WORKING (A11=01) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO PRE A36**

PREA26 **[Wave 5:** We'd like to ask you some questions about **[IF A12=3:** your present job / **IF A12=1-2:** your main job (that is, the job which you usually work the most hours each week)]

A26 Which of these categories best describes your type of employment contract for this job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Employed on a fixed-term contract
- 02 Employed on a casual basis
- 03 Employed on a permanent or ongoing basis
- 04 Self-employed (including freelancing, task-based contracts or 'gigs')
- 99 Don't know

**IF MAIN JOB SAME AS LAST INTERVIEW (A16=01 OR 04) & A17 = 01, GO TO A30
ALL OTHERS WORKING (NEW OR UNRECORDED MAIN JOBS) CONTINUE**

A27A Who do you work for in this job?

This will make it easier to ask you about your employment in the future. Examples: Woolworths, Brighton Primary School, Department of Health

- 95 Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]
- 98 Prefer not to say

A27B/C What kind of work do you do in this job? That is, what is your occupation called and what are the main tasks and duties you undertake in this job?

- 95 Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]

MAIN TASKS DUTIES

A28 Which month and year did you begin this job?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12, 99), YY (ALLOW 15-21, 99)>

- 99 Don't know

MAIN SAMPLE & WORKING CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO PRE A36

A29 How did you get this job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Got it through a relative, friend or acquaintance
- 02 Job was advertised (e.g. newspaper or website such as SEEK)
- 03 Approached employer to ask if jobs available
- 04 Employer approached me
- 05 Through a recruitment agency
- 06 Through an unpaid internship, traineeship or work experience placement
- 07 Through an online gig/crowd work platform (e.g. Freelancer or Uber)
- 08 Through school / college / university
- 09 Started my own business
- 95 Other (please specify)

IF MAIN JOB SAME AS LAST INTERVIEW (A16=01 OR 04) & A17=01 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A33

A30 [Now some] questions about how your job with [A16=04 OR EMP] might have changed since your last interview.

Compared to last year in this job, is the type of work you do...

Please select one option below

- 01 More skilled
- 02 Less skilled
- 03 About the same

A31 Would you say you have...

Please select one option below

- 01 More responsibility
- 02 Less responsibility
- 03 About the same

A32 In your job with [A16=04 OR EMP], have you had a promotion since [LASTINT]?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 99 Don't know

IF MAIN SAMPLE AND WORKING CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO PRE A37A

A33 Here are some questions about how satisfied or dissatisfied you are with different aspects of your job. [IF A12 = 1-2: for these questions, we are only interested in your **main job**].

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Your total pay and hours
- B Your job security
- C The work itself (what you do)
- D The fit with your skills and qualifications
- E The fit with your career aspirations
- F The flexibility available to balance work and non-work commitments
- G All things considered, how satisfied are you with your job

RESPONSE SET

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Not satisfied at all
- 02-09
- 10 Very satisfied

A34 At any time in the last 4 weeks have you actively looked for a new job?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 99 Can't say/Don't know

A35 If you could choose the total number of hours you work each week, and taking into account how that would affect your income, would you prefer to work...

Please select one option below

- 01 Fewer hours than you do now
- 02 About the same hours as you do now
- 03 Or more hours than you do now

ALL

ALL NOT WORKING (A11=02) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A37A.

A36 What is the **main** reason you aren't currently in paid work?

Please select one option below

- 01 Study commitments
- 02 Family/carer/home commitments (includes pregnancy)
- 03 Working as unpaid trainee, intern or volunteer
- 04 Health or personal reasons
- 05 Cannot find a job with suitable hours or pay
- 06 Cannot find a job that interests me
- 07 Cannot find a job that matches my skills or qualifications
- 08 Cannot find any work at all
- 09 I do not want or need to work
- 10 Time off - including gap year, travel, or holiday
- 95 Other (please specify)

ALL

A37A Now, we would like to ask about your future career plans.

What kind of job would you like to have by the time you turn 30?

What is the occupation called?

- 95 [Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]
- 99 Don't know GO TO A39

A37B And what are the main tasks and duties you would undertake in this job?

- 95 [Please type your answer in the box, providing as much detail as you can:]
- 99 Don't know

A38 How **confident** are you of having this kind of job by the time you turn 30?

Please select one option below

- 01 Not at all confident
- 02 Not very confident
- 03 Somewhat confident

- 04 Confident
- 05 Very confident

A39 **[IF A2 OR A5=01: Excluding any study you are doing currently,] Do you plan to undertake any further study in future?**

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 99 Don't know

IF A39=01 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO A41

A40 What is the highest level of study you expect to complete in the future?

Please select one option below

- 01 Certificate – Level I
- 02 Certificate – Level II
- 03 Certificate – Level III
- 04 Certificate – Level IV
- 05 Certificate – Not known
- 06 Diploma
- 07 Advanced diploma or Associate Degree
- 08 Bachelor Degree (without Honours)
- 09 Bachelor Degree (with Honours)
- 10 Graduate Certificate
- 11 Graduate Diploma
- 12 Masters' Degree
- 13 Doctoral Degree
- 95 Other (please specify)

ALL

A41 Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with the following statements.

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Thinking about my career inspires me
- B I can adapt to change in the world of work
- C I am good at understanding job market trends
- D Ongoing education is important for my career prospects

RESPONSE SET;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree or disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree

SECTION B: RELATIONSHIPS & LIVING SITUATION

ALL

B1 Next, we would like to ask about your current relationships and living situation. Which of the following **best describes** your present situation?

Please select one option below

Note: If living both with your partner and other adults, please choose option 6.

- 01 I mostly live with my parent(s)
- 02 I mostly live by myself
- 03 I mostly live together with my partner only
- 04 I mostly live together with my partner and my child/children (including step-children)
- 05 I mostly live together with my partner and my parent(s) or their parent(s)
- 06 I mostly live with friends/housemates in a group shared household
- 07 I mostly live in a student residence
- 95 Something else (please specify)

IF B1=01, 05, OR 07 GO TO B3, ELSE CONTINUE

B2 The place where you live **most often**, is...

Please select one option below

- 01 A place I own outright
- 02 A place I am buying (e.g. making mortgage repayments)
- 03 A place I am renting from a private landlord
- 04 A place I am renting from public housing authority
- 05 Somewhere with no fixed address (e.g. couch surfing, car or other vehicle, sleeping rough)
- 95 Something else (please specify)

IF MAIN SAMPLE & DOES NOT OWN HOME OUTRIGHT (B1=01, 05, 07 OR B2=02-04) CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B5

B3 In your current place of residence, do you make, or contribute towards, mortgage payments, rental payments, or other payments (e.g. board)?

Please note: If you share payments with others, please only specify the value that you personally pay.

Please specify below

- 01 Mortgage payments (please specify whole dollar value)
- 02 Rental payments (please specify whole dollar value)
- 03 Board (please specify whole dollar value)
- 04 I don't make payments
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF B3=01-03 AND AMOUNT GIVEN FOR MORTGAGE, RENT OR BOARD PAYMENT CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B5

B4 And what period does that cover?

Please select one option below

- 01 Week
- 02 Fortnight
- 03 Month
- 04 Year

MAIN SAMPLE CONTINUE, W5 GROUP GO B6

B5 How important is it to buy your own home by the time you turn 30?

Please select one option below

- 01 Not at all important
- 02 Not very important
- 03 Somewhat important
- 04 Important
- 05 Very important

ALL

PREB6 The next questions will be about your intimate relationships. Please be assured that responses to all questions in this survey will be treated as strictly confidential.

IF STILL IN NAMED RELATIONSHIP FROM W5 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B8

B6 At your last interview in [DATE], you told us you were in a relationship with [PART]. Are you still in this relationship?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 03 I wasn't in this relationship or don't recognise this name
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF B6 = 02 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B8

B7 In what month and year did your relationship with [PART] end?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12), YY (ALLOW 15-21)>

- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

ALL

B8 Which of the following best describes your current relationship status?

Please select one option below

- 01 Married
- 02 Not married but living with each other (e.g. de facto)
- 03 In a serious/committed relationship (but not living together)
- 04 In a casual relationship or dating
- 05 Other (e.g. 'Friends with benefits')
- 06 Single
- 07 Separated
- 08 Divorced
- 09 Widowed
- 98 Prefer not to say

LAST_RELSTAT: DERIVE LAST_REL_STAT FROM LAST WAVE (WAVE 5, WAVE 6, OR WAVE 7) AS FOLLOWS

- 0 NOT INTERVIEWED IN LAST WAVE
- 1 MARRIED IN LAST WAVE
- 2 NOT MARRIED BUT LIVING WITH EACH OTHER (E.G. DE FACTO) IN LAST WAVE
- 3 IN A SERIOUS/COMMITTED RELATIONSHIP (BUT NOT LIVING TOGETHER) IN LAST WAVE
- 4 IN A CASUAL RELATIONSHIP OR DATING IN IN LAST WAVE

- 5 OTHER (E.G. 'FRIENDS WITH BENEFITS') IN LAST WAVE
- 6 SINGLE IN LAST WAVE
- 7 SEPARATED IN LAST WAVE
- 8 DIVORCED IN LAST WAVE
- 9 WIDOWED IN LAST WAVE

IF NOT MARRIED IN LAST WAVE & NOW MARRIED, ASK B9

- B9 In what month and year did you and [IF B6=1: [PART] / ALL ELSE: your partner] get married?
 <MM (ALLOW 01-12), YY (ALLOW 15-21)>
- 98 Prefer not to say
 - 99 Don't know

IF NOT COHABITING IN LAST WAVE & NOW COHABITING, ASK B10

- B10 In what month and year did you begin living with [IF B6=1: [PART] / ALL ELSE: your partner]?
 <MM (ALLOW 01-12), YY (ALLOW 15-21)>
- 98 Prefer not to say
 - 99 Don't know

PRE_B11: IF B8=01-05 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B15

- B11 How committed are you to [IF B6=1: [PART] / ALL ELSE: your partner]?

Please select one option below

- 01 Not committed at all
- 02-09
- 10 Very committed
- 98 Prefer not to say

- B12 How satisfied are you with your current relationship with [IF B6=1: [PART] / ALL ELSE: your partner]?

Please select one option below

- 01 Very dissatisfied
- 02-09
- 10 Very satisfied
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF COHABITING ASK B13

- B13 How satisfied are you with the way household tasks are divided between you and [IF B7=1: [PART] / ALL ELSE: your partner]?

Please select one option below

- 01 Very dissatisfied
- 02-09
- 10 Very satisfied
- 98 Prefer not to say

ALL

B15 Now, we would like to ask about your family plans and circumstances.

How many children of your own, if any, do you have?

If you have no children, please enter 0.

<ALLOW 0-10>

98 Prefer not to say GO TO B20

IF B15>0 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO B18

B16 How many children of your own do you have living with you?

If you have no children, please enter 0.

<ALLOW 0-10>

98 Prefer not to say GO TO B20

[EXCLUDE IF ALREADY ANSWERED IN W5, W6 OR W7]

B17 What month and year did you first become a parent?

<MM (ALLOW 01-12), YY (ALLOW 15-21)>

99 Don't know

B18 How strongly do you feel about having **[IF B15>0: additional]** children?
The more you want to have **[IF B15>0: additional]** children, the higher the number you should choose.

Please select one option below

01 Definitely do not want to have (additional) children

02-09

10 Definitely want to have (additional) children

98 Prefer not to say GO TO B20

IF B18=01 GO TO B20

B19 Thinking about when you might consider having **[IF B15>0: additional]** children, how **important** are the following things?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Being married
- B Being in a serious/committed relationship
- C Having achieved your career goals
- D Owning your own home
- E Being financially secure

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select one option below

01 Not at all important

02 Not very important

03 Somewhat important

04 Important

05 Very important

B20 How **confident** are you that the following people won't let you down?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Your parents
- B Your friends
- C Your best friend
- D Your brothers and sisters
- E Your neighbours
- F **[IF B8 =1-3]** Your partner

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select one option below

- 01 Not at all confident
- 02 Not very confident
- 03 Somewhat confident
- 04 Confident
- 05 Very confident
- 97 Does not apply to me

SECTION C – FINANCIAL SITUATION

IF COHABITING ASK C1, ELSE GO TO C2

C1 What is the **combined** gross annual income, before tax or other deductions, for you and your partner, from all sources? Please include any government payments, and income from interest or dividends.

Please select one option below

- 01 Nil or negative income
- 02 \$1 to \$20,000 per year
- 03 \$20,001 to \$40,000 per year
- 04 \$40,001 to \$60,000 per year
- 05 \$60,001 to \$80,000 per year
- 06 \$80,001 to \$100,000 per year
- 07 \$100,001 to \$140,000 per year
- 08 \$140,001 to \$180,000 per year
- 09 \$180,001 to \$240,000 per year
- 10 \$240,001 to \$300,000 per year
- 11 \$300,001 or more per year
- 98 Prefer not to say

C2 What is your gross **personal** annual income, before tax or other deductions, from all sources? Please include any government payments, and income from interest or dividends.

Please select one option below

- 01 Nil or negative income
- 02 \$1 to \$10,000 per year
- 03 \$10,001 to \$20,000 per year
- 04 \$20,001 to \$30,000 per year
- 05 \$30,001 to \$40,000 per year
- 06 \$40,001 to \$60,000 per year
- 07 \$60,001 to \$80,000 per year
- 08 \$80,001 to \$100,000 per year
- 09 \$100,001 to \$120,000 per year
- 10 \$120,001 to \$150,000 per year
- 11 \$150,001 or more per year
- 98 Prefer not to say

ALL

C3 What government payments, if any, do you **currently** receive?

RESPONSE FRAME; MULTICODE

Please select all that apply

- 01 JobSeeker Payment (unemployment benefits; formerly Newstart Allowance)
- 02 Parenting payment
- 03 Sickness Allowance
- 04 Disability Support Pension
- 05 Family Tax Benefit
- 06 Rent Assistance
- 07 National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS) plan
- 08 Carer Allowance
- 09 Austudy
- 10 COVID-19 Disaster Payment
- 95 Any other allowance (please specify)

- 97 None of these
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF COVID SURVEY NON-COMPLETER, ASK C4

C4 During 2020/2021, did you receive a wage subsidy through JobKeeper?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

ALL

C5 During **2020**, did you apply for and receive an early release of your superannuation?

Please select one option below

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF C5=01, ASK C6

C6 What was the main use of your lump sum superannuation withdrawal?

Please select one option below

- 01 Paid mortgage / rent
- 02 Paid household bills
- 03 Paid credit cards / other personal debt
- 04 Bought or paid off car / vehicle
- 05 Added to savings
- 95 Other (please specify)
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF MAIN SAMPLE ASK C7, ELSE GO TO SECTION D

C7 Which of the following descriptions comes closest to how you feel about your [IF COHABITING: household] income nowadays?

Please select one option below

- 01 Living comfortably on present income
- 02 Coping on present income
- 03 Finding it difficult on present income
- 04 Finding it very difficult on present income
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

SECTION D: POLITICS & SOCIETY

PRED1 **[MAIN SAMPLE:** Now we will ask you about a variety of cultural and political issues. Once again, please be assured that responses in this survey will be treated as strictly confidential. / **W5 GROUP:** Now we will briefly ask about your social and political values.]

IF MAIN SAMPLE CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO D7

D1 Please indicate how strongly you agree or disagree with each statement.

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Australia should take in more migrants
- B Migrants should adapt to the Australian way of life
- C Climate change is a serious threat to Australia
- D Electricity should be produced from renewable sources as much as possible, even if this increases the cost
- E People who receive welfare benefits should be under more obligation to find work
- F The threat of COVID-19 is greatly exaggerated
- G Sometimes people's freedoms need to be restricted to keep Australia safe

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree

D2 How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements about vaccines?

SET; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Childhood vaccines are effective
- B Data about the effectiveness of vaccines are largely made up
- C I am concerned about serious adverse effects of vaccines
- D The COVID-19 vaccines available in Australia right now are generally safe and reliable

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree
- 98 Prefer not to say

D3 There are different opinions about the effects that immigrants have on Australia.

SET; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Immigrants increase the crime rate
- B Immigrants are generally good for Australia's economy
- C Immigrants take jobs away from people who are born in Australia
- D Immigrants make Australia more open to new ideas and culture
- E Immigrants increase the risk of terrorism

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree

D4 Over the past two years, have you done any of the following things to express your views or represent your interests?

RESPONSE FRAME; MULTICODE

Please select all that apply

- 01 Contacted a politician or government official
- 02 Taken part in a protest, march, or demonstration
- 03 Worked together with people who shared the same concern
- 04 Signed either a written or online petition
- 05 Posted or shared something on a social networking platform
- 06 Boycotted or bought certain products for environmental, ethical, or political reasons
- 97 None of the above
- 98 Prefer not to say

D5 For each of the following statements, please specify whether it is true or false.

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A There are 75 members of the House of Representatives
- B The Constitution can only be changed by the High Court
- C The Senate election is based on proportional representation

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 True
- 02 False
- 99 Don't know

D6 How strongly do you agree or disagree with each of these statements regarding politics?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A The people instead of politicians should make our most important policy decisions
- B Politicians in the government are corrupt
- C Politicians make decisions that harm the interests of the ordinary people
- D The ordinary people should have more influence in political decision-making than big companies that only want to make profits
- E Politicians listen too much to minority or special interest groups who do not speak for everyone

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree
- 98 Prefer not to say

ALL

D7 Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as...

Please select one option below

ROTATE 01- 02

- 01 Liberal
- 02 Labor
- 03 National Party
- 04 Greens
- 95 Other party (please specify)
- 97 Belonging to no party
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF MAIN SAMPLE D7=01-04, OR 95 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO D9

D8 Would you call yourself a...?

Please select one option below

- 01 Very strong supporter
- 02 Fairly strong supporter
- 03 Not a very strong supporter

ALL

D9 Generally speaking, would you say that...?

Please select one option below

- 01 Most people can be trusted
- 02 You can't be too careful in dealing with people

IF MAIN SAMPLE CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO D12

D10 How much trust do you have in the following groups...

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A The police
- B Politicians
- C Religious leaders
- D Groups that are working to protect the environment (e.g. Greenpeace, etc.)
- E The Australian Government
- F The State or Territory government where you are living now
- G Courts and the legal system
- H Banks and financial institutions
- I Medical experts
- J People from another country

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 No trust at all
- 02 Not very much trust
- 03 Quite a lot of trust
- 04 A great deal of trust

IF MAIN SAMPLE CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO D12

D11 How important are the following for you?

SET; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Being a member of your family
- B Being a part of your local community
- C Being a Queenslander
- D Being Australian
- E Being a part of the global community

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Not at all important
- 02 Not very important
- 03 Somewhat important
- 04 Important
- 05 Very important

ALL

D12 Which of the following best describes your religion?

Please select one option below

- 01 No religion
- Christian religions:**
- 02 Anglican (Church of England)
- 03 Baptist
- 04 Catholic
- 05 Lutheran
- 06 Greek Orthodox
- 07 Other Orthodox
- 08 Presbyterian / Reformed
- 09 Uniting Church
- 10 Other Christian religion (please specify)
- Other religions**
- 11 Buddhism
- 12 Hinduism
- 13 Islam
- 14 Judaism
- 15 Other non-Christian religion (please specify)
- 98 Prefer not to say

IF MAIN SAMPLE & D12 != 1, ASK D13

D13 How important is religion in your life?

Please select one option below

- 01 Not at all important in my life
- 02-09
- 10 Most important thing in my life
- 98 Prefer not to say

SECTION E: HEALTH & WELLBEING

ALL

PREE1 Next, we'd like to ask you about your overall health and wellbeing. You may find some of these questions quite personal. Please know that questions that you do not have to answer any question you don't feel comfortable responding to. [If any of the survey themes or questions make you feel distressed or uncomfortable, there is some helpline information linked below \(see 'Support Services'\)](#).

E1 In general, how would you rate your overall physical health?

Please select one option below

- 01 Excellent
- 02 Very good
- 03 Good
- 04 Fair
- 05 Poor
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

E2 In general, how would you rate your overall mental health?

Please select one option below

- 01 Excellent
- 02 Very good
- 03 Good
- 04 Fair
- 05 Poor
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

E3 Compared to one year ago, how would you rate your health in general?

Please select one option below

- 01 Much better now
- 02 Somewhat better now
- 03 About the same
- 04 Somewhat worse
- 05 Much worse
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

E4 All in all, how happy are you with your life these days?

Please select one option below

- 01 Extremely unhappy
- 02-09
- 10 Extremely happy
- 98 Prefer not to say

E5 The following questions ask about how you have been feeling in the past 30 days. For each one, please describe how often you had this feeling,

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Nervous
- B Hopeless
- C Restless or fidgety
- D So depressed that nothing could cheer you up
- E That everything was an effort
- F Worthless

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 All of the time
- 02 Most of the time
- 03 Some of the time
- 04 A little of the time
- 05 None of the time
- 98 Prefer not to say

- E6 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements. To what extent do you agree or disagree that...

SET; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A There is really no way I can solve some of the problems I have
- B Sometimes I feel that I'm being pushed around in life
- C I have little control over the things that happen to me
- D I can do just about anything I really set my mind to
- E I often feel helpless in dealing with the problems of life
- F What happens to me in the future mostly depends on me
- G There is little I can do to change many of the important things in my life

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Strongly disagree
- 02 Disagree
- 03 Neither agree nor disagree
- 04 Agree
- 05 Strongly agree
- 98 Prefer not to say

- E7 In general, about how often do you get together in person with friends or relatives not living with you?

Please select one option below

- 01 Less often than once every 3 months / Never
- 02 Once or twice every 3 months
- 03 About once a month
- 04 2 or 3 times a month
- 05 Once a week
- 06 Several times a week
- 07 Every day

E8 How likely are you to get a COVID-19 vaccination when it becomes available to you?

Please select one option below

- 01 Not at all likely
- 02 Not very likely
- 03 Somewhat likely
- 04 Likely
- 05 Very likely
- 97 Does not apply to me – I am already vaccinated (or partially vaccinated)

IF E8 = 01-03, ASK E9

E9 Which of the following, if any, are reasons that make you less likely to get a COVID-19 vaccine?

RESPONSE FRAME; MULTICODE

Please select all that apply

- 01 I am concerned about possible side effects of a COVID-19 vaccine
- 02 I do not know if a COVID-19 vaccine will work
- 03 I do not believe I need a COVID-19 vaccine
- 04 I plan to wait and see if it is safe and may get it later
- 05 I think other people need it more than I do right now
- 06 I do not trust COVID-19 vaccines
- 07 I do not trust the government
- 95 Other (please specify)
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

SECTION F: PARENTAL SUPPORT (MAIN SAMPLE ONLY)

**IF UNABLE TO ANSWER FOR EITHER PARENT IN WAVE 7 (F1 = 04, 98 OR 99 OR F4 =03, 98 OR 99)
SKIP TO PREG7**

PREF1 This section asks about your parents and the forms of support you may exchange with them.

IF LAST COMPLETED IN WAVE 6 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO F2

F1 Which of the following best describes your mother's partnering situation? Please answer for adoptive mother if applicable.

Please select one option below

- 01 Partnered with my biological (or adoptive) father
- 02 Partnered with another person
- 03 Not partnered (including if they are separated or widowed)
- 04 Not applicable - Mother deceased
- 98 Prefer not to say
- 99 Don't know

IF F1 = 04, 98, 99 GO TO F4, ALL ELSE CONTINUE

F2 During the last 12 months, how frequently have you received the following help from your mother?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Help around the house, with shopping, paperwork, or similar
- B Emotional support (e.g. advice, consolation)
- C **[IF B16 >0]** Help with childcare

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Daily
- 02 Weekly
- 03 Monthly
- 04 Rarely
- 05 Never
- 97 Does not apply to me

F3 How closely connected do you feel to your mother today?

Please select one option below

- 01 Very close
- 02 Close
- 03 Medium
- 04 Not very close
- 05 Not close at all
- 97 Does not apply to me

IF LAST COMPLETED IN WAVE 6 & F1 = 02-99 ASK F4, ELSE GO TO PRE F5

F4 Which of the following best describes your father's partnering situation? Please answer for adoptive father if applicable.

Please select one option below

- 01 Partnered
- 02 Not partnered (including if they are separated or widowed)
- 03 Not applicable - Father deceased
- 98 Prefer not to say

99 Don't know

**PRE F5 IF UNABLE TO ANSWER FOR EITHER PARENT (F1 = 04, 98 OR 99 AND F4 = 03, 98, OR 99)
GO TO PREG7**

IF F4 = 01-02 OR F1=01 CONTINUE, ELSE GO TO F7

F5 During the last 12 months, how frequently have you received the following help from your father?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Help around the house, with shopping, paperwork, or similar
- B Emotional support (e.g. advice, consolation)
- C **[IF B16 >0]** Help with childcare

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 Daily
- 02 Weekly
- 03 Monthly
- 04 Rarely
- 05 Never
- 97 Does not apply to me

F6 How closely connected do you feel to your father today?

Please select one option below

- 01 Very close
- 02 Close
- 03 Medium
- 04 Not very close
- 05 Not close at all
- 97 Does not apply to me

ALL

F7 Do your parent(s) provide any of the following financial assistance to you?

ITEMS; DISPLAY AS GRID ONLINE

- A Housing expenses (e.g. rent)
- B Essential living expenses (e.g. food, utilities)
- C Study expenses
- D Health-related expenses
- E Transportation (e.g. car, petrol, Go Card)
- F Discretionary spending (e.g. clothing, music, restaurants)

RESPONSE FRAME;

Please select an answer in each row

- 01 All costs
- 02 Some costs
- 03 No cost

F8 Which of the following forms of support do you provide to your parent(s)?

RESPONSE FRAME; MULTICODE

Please select all that apply

- 01 Help around the house, with shopping, paperwork, or similar
- 02 Emotional support (e.g. advice, consolation)

- 03 Help with childcare (e.g. younger siblings)
- 04 Financial assistance
- 05 Technological assistance (e.g. help with checking email, resolving computer issues)
- 97 None of the above **[EXCLUSIVE]**

PREG7 IF ONLINE, CONTINUE. CATI GO TO CLOSE.

G7 And finally, how interesting did you find this survey?

- 01 Very interesting
- 02 Somewhat interesting
- 03 Not interesting

G8 Do you have any feedback regarding your experience completing this survey?

- 01 No thanks
- 95 Here's a suggestion (please specify)

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