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Section:	Introduction

INTRO　　We are conducting a survey to find out the Employment Insurance Coverage of people in different situations. (This information will help Human Resources and Skills Development make decisions about how employment insurance money should be spent to assist people.)

Your answers to this voluntary survey are important and will be kept confidential under the Statistics Act. (Your answers to this survey will NOT in any way affect your eligibility for Employment Insurance or the benefits you receive.)

Note:　　Coverage statements are provided throughout the questionnaire with the exception of the Confirm Mother Status (MO), Confirm Type (TY), Last Work (LW) and Out of Scope (OS) modules. These modules confirm or update the respondent's situation which determines if the respondent is in-scope or not. Throughout the questionnaire, we will be using the abbreviations DK for "Don't Know" and RF for "Refused".

The past tense was used throughout this questionnaire for most questions because the reference period is in the past. In Job Information section (JB), the questions were asked in past tense unless the respondent confirmed their work status, then the questions were asked in present tense. In section called Work in Last Year (WY), some questions for regular population refer to the year before the survey reference month. For mothers, some questions refer to 12 months prior the birth/adoption of the child. In Employment Insurance section (EI), most questions for the regular population refer to the Labour Force Survey reference week. For mothers, most questions focus on the entire period since the birth or adoption of their child. In Parental Benefits for Mothers section (PM) and Parental Benefits for Fathers section (PF), some questions were asked in past tense if the age of the child is greater than 10 months. Otherwise, the appropriate tense (present and future) was used.

During the development of the application variables are set, created and calculated. In order to instruct the programmer easily, certain variables are given shortened names. Here is the list of descriptions and their shortened names. REFMO - reference month, LWM/LWY - last worked month and year, if LWY is 1901 - LWY - Never worked, TYPE - type of respondent (1 to 5), WRK - whether worked reference week, COW - class of worker main job, ERNAME - employer name, RSWK - reason stopped working at last job, BYEAR - birth year of child, BMTH - birth month of child, SPPR - spouse present in household, MULTF - whether a multi or single case family, MULTINC - multiple household, LFS - labour force status, SALMIN - minimum salary per hour for respondent's province of residence, MOTHER - respondent identified as mother of a child aged 12 months or less, SRYR - survey year, LWP - last worked period, FAMSZ - family size, RELHD - relationship to head of household, RAGE - age of respondent, SALRYHR - salary per hour.

Section:	**Confirm Mother Status (MO)**

MO_C01　　If MOTHER=0 (Non-mother) .... (Go to TY_C01)

MO_Q01　　**According to our information, in (reference month) your youngest child was aged 12 months or less. Is this correct?**

1　　Yes
2　　No .... (Go to MO_D04)
　　　DK, RF .... (Go to MO_D04)

MO_Q02　　**Are you the mother of your child by birth or by adoption?**

1　　By birth
2　　By adoption
　　　DK, RF

MO_Q03   **Is it also correct that your child was born in (birth month), (birth year)?**

1   Yes..(Go to MO_D04)
2   No
           DK, RF ....(Go to MO_D04)

MO_Q04M   **What is your child's month of birth?**

01   January
02   February
03   March
04   April
05   May
06   June
07   July
08   August
09   September
10   October
11   November
12   December
           DK, RF ....(Go to MO_D04)

MO_Q04Y   **What is your child's year of birth?**

           ____(4 spaces)   [Min: 2005 Max: 2006]

           DK, RF ....(Go to MO_D04)

MO_D04   If MO_Q01=2, MO_Q01=DK or MO_Q01=RF, then set MOTHER=0,
           Else if response in MO_Q04M and MO_Q04Y, then set MOTHER=1,
           BMTH=MO_Q04M, and BYEAR=MO_Q04Y,
           Else set MOTHER=1, BMTH=S_BMTH and BYEAR=S_BYEAR.

Note: If MOTHER=0 and S_TYPE=5, then set OutType=1 and go to OS_R01.

Section: **Confirm Type (TY)**

TY_C01   If TYPE=1 (Unemployed or looking for work during the survey reference week)
           ....(Go to TY_Q01)
           If TYPE=2 (Working less than 30 hours during the survey reference week)
           ....(Go to TY_Q02)
           If TYPE=3 (Not in the labour force and not looking for work during the survey
           reference week)
           ....(Go to TY_Q03)
           If TYPE=4 (Employed full-time during ref. week with a change in employment
           during the prev. 3 months)
           ....(Go to TY_Q04)
           If TYPE=5 (Mother with infant, who worked during reference week)(Go to TY_Q05)

TY_Q01   **According to our Labour Force Survey interview with you, you were without work and wanting to work during the (second or third week) of (reference month). Is this correct?**

1   Yes.. (Go to TY_D08)
2   No, respondent did work during reference week............................ (Go to TY_D06)
3   Respondent was not working and did not want to.......................... (Go to TY_D08)
           DK, RF .... (Go to TY_D08)

TY_Q02   **According to our Labour Force Survey interview with you, you were working less than 30 hours during the (second or third week) of (reference month). Is this correct?**

1   Yes.. (Go to TY_D08)
2   No, respondent did not work during reference week...................... (Go to TY_Q08)
3   No, worked more than 29 hours during reference week .... (Go to TY_Q07)
           DK, RF .... (Go to TY_D08)

TY_Q03   **According to our Labour Force Survey interview with you, you were not working and not looking for work during the (second or third week) of (reference month). Is this correct?**

1   Yes.. (Go to TY_D08)
2   No, respondent did work during reference week............................ (Go to TY_D06)
3   No, respondent was actually looking for work that week .... (Go to TY_D08)
           DK, RF .... (Go to TY_D08)

TY_Q04   **According to our Labour Force Survey interview with you, you were employed during the (second or third week) of (reference month) but had a change in employment at some time during the last three months. Is this correct?**

1   Yes.. (Go to TY_Q07)
2   No, respondent worked continuously during the last 3 months..... (Go to TY_END)
3   No, respondent not employed during reference week
           DK, RF

Default: (Go to TY_Q08)

TY_Q05   **According to our Labour Force Survey interview with you, you were working during the (second or third week) of (reference month). Is this correct?**

1   Yes
2   No, not working that week
           DK, RF

Default: (Go to TY_D08)

TY_D06   If MOTHER=1 then set TYPE=5 and WRK=1.

TY_C06   If MOTHER=1 .... (Go to TY_END)
           Else... (Go to TY_Q06)

TY_Q06   **How many paid hours did you work in total during the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 95]

DK, RF ....(Go to TY_Q06A)

TY_C06A   If TY_Q06 is less than 30 .... (Go to TY_D08)
Else.. (Go to TY_Q07)

TY_Q06A   **Would you say that you worked less than 30 hours or more?**

1   Less than 30 hours .... (Go to TY_D08)
2   30 hours or more
DK, RF

TY_Q07   **Did you have a week without work (or pay) between (reference month - 2 months) and the end of the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to TY_END)
DK, RF

Default: (Go to TY_D08)

TY_Q08   **Did you actually look for work or want to work during the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
DK, RF

TY_D08   If (TY_Q01=3, TY_Q01=DK or TY_Q01=RF) or (TY_Q05=2, TY_Q05=DK or TY_Q05=RF) or (TY_Q08=2, TY_Q08=DK or TY_Q08=RF) then set TYPE=3 and WRK=2,
Else if TY_Q03=3 or TY_Q08=1 then set TYPE=1 and WRK=2,
Else if TY_Q07=1, TY_Q07=DK or TY_Q07=RF then set TYPE=4 and WRK=1,
Else if TY_Q06 is less than 30 or TY_Q06A=1 then set TYPE=2 and WRK=1,
Else set TYPE=S_TYPE and WRK=S_WRK.

TY_END   End of Confirm Type module

Note: (If TY_Q04=2 then set OutType=2) or (if TY_Q04=1 and TY_Q07=2 then set OutType=2) or ((if TY_Q01=2 or TY_Q03=2) and (TY_Q07=2 then set OutType=5)) or (if TY_Q02=3 and TY_Q07=2 then set OutType=3) and go to OS_R01.

Section: Last Work (LW)

LW_D01   Set LWY=S_LWY and LWM=S_LWM.

LW_C01A   If WRK=1 .... (Go to LW_D08)
                 Else if LWY="1901" .... (Go to LW_Q01)
                 Else if WRK=2 and S_WRK=1 .... (Go to LW_Q03)
                 Else.. (Go to LW_Q02)

LW_Q01   **In that interview in (reference month) you indicated that you never worked.**
                Is this correct?

1   Yes, never worked.. (Go to LW_D08)
2   No, worked before .... (Go to LW_Q03)
                 DK, RF .... (Go to LW_D08)

LW_Q02   **In that interview in (reference month) you indicated that you last worked in**
                (last worked month), (last worked year). Is this correct?

1   Yes, the date is good.. (Go to LW_D07)
2   No, the date is wrong
3   No, never worked .... (Go to LW_D08)
                 DK, RF

LW_Q03   **When did you last work?**

1   Select to enter date
2   Never worked .... (Go to LW_D08)
                 DK, RF .... (Go to LW_Q04)

LW_Q03Y   **In what year did you last work?**

                 _____(4 spaces)   [Min: 1927 Max: 2006]

                 DK, RF .... (Go to LW_Q04)

LW_Q03M   **In what month did you last work?**

01   January
02   February
03   March
04   April
05   May
06   June
07   July
08   August
09   September
10   October
11   November
12   December
                 DK, RF

LW_C04   If response in LW_Q03Y and LW_Q03M.................................... (Go to LW_D06)
                 Else if LW_Q03M=blank and LW_Q03Y=SRYR - 1..................... (Go to LW_Q04)
                 Else if LW_Q03M=blank and LW_Q03Y=SRYR - 2..................... (Go to LW_Q05)
                 Else... (Go to LW_D08)

LW_Q04	**Was it within the last year?**

1   Yes... (Go to LW_D08)
2   No
     DK, RF

LW_Q05	**Was it within the last two years?**

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Default: (Go to LW_D08)

LW_D06   Set LWY=LW_Q03Y and LWM=LW_Q03M.

LW_D07   Set MONTHS=(SRMTH, SRYR) minus (LWM, LWY).

LW_D08   If WRK=1 set LWP=0, LWY=blank and LWM=blank, Else if LW_Q01=1 or
LW_Q01=blank or LW_Q02=3 or LW_Q03=2 set LWP=4, LWY=1901 and
LWM=01, Else if LW_Q04=1 or LW_Q03Y=SRYR set LWP=1, Else if LW_Q05=1
set LWP=2, Else if LW_Q05=2 or LW_Q05=blank set LWP=3,
Else if MONTHS < 12 set LWP=1,
Else if 11 < MONTHS < 24 set LWP= 2,
Else set LWP=3.

Note: These conditions are mutually exclusive: when one is met, skip to LW_D09.

LW_D09   If LW_Q03=blank or LW_Q03Y=blank or LW_Q03M=blank set LWY=1900 and
LWM=01.

LW_END   End of Last Work module

Note: If MOTHER=0 and TYPE=3 and (LWP=3 or LWP=4), then Set OutType=4 and go to OS_R01, Else
go to JB_C01.

Section: **Out of Scope (OS)**

OS_R01   **Thank you for your cooperation and excuse us for disturbing you.**

Section: **Job Information (JB)**

JB_D01A   Create text variable called LWDATE using LWM and LWY set in LW module. If
LWM=03 and LWY=2006 then LWDATE should read 'in March 2006'.

JB_C01   If LWP=4..(Go to WY_C01)
           If S_ERNAME=not blank.. (Go to JB_Q01)
           Else.. (Go to JB_Q02)

JB_Q01   **At our last interview you indicated that you worked or last worked for (employer name). Is this correct?**

1   Yes...(Go to JB_D03)
2   No, did not work for that employer
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who ever worked and who reported their employer's name from the Labour Force Survey (LFS)*

JB_Q02   **For whom were you working for at that time?**

1   Enter the employer's name
2   Own business ....(Go to JB_D03)
3   Family worker ....(Go to JB_D03)
         DK, RF ....(Go to JB_D03)

Coverage: *Respondents who ever worked and who did not report their employer's name from the Labour Force Survey (LFS)*

JB_Q02N   **For whom were you working at that time?**

         ____(50 spaces)
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who ever worked and who did not report their employer's name from the Labour Force Survey (LFS) (excluding respondents who had their own business, are a family worker or who reported "don't know" or "refused" in JB_Q02)*

JB_D03   If JB_Q01=1 set COW=S_COW and ERNAME=S_ERNAME, Else if JB_Q02=1 set COW=1, ERNAME=JB_Q02N, Else if JB_Q02=2 set COW=2, ERNAME='your own business', Else if JB_Q02=3 set COW=3, ERNAME='the family business', Else if JB_Q02=blank set COW=1 and ERNAME='Your most recent employer'.

JB_C03A   If WRK=1 and COW > 1 .... (Go to JB_Q03)
               Else...(Go to JB_C10)

JB_Q03   **Did you also work for pay at another job or business in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No ....(Go to JB_C10)
         DK, RF ....(Go to JB_C10)

Coverage: *Respondents who worked in reference week as a non paid employee*

JB_Q04   **What is the name of this employer you also worked for?**

               <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: We are looking for a job which is paid by an employer only, not a self-employed job

               ____(50 spaces)
               DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who worked in reference week as a non paid employee and also worked for pay at another job or business*

JB_C10	If COW > 1 ....(Go to WY_C01)
	Else if ERNAME=S_ERNAME ....(Go to JB_C13)
	Else.. (Go to JB_Q10)

JB_Q10   **What kind of business, industry or service (is/was) this?**

____(30 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Only paid employees who provided an employer name not available from the LFS continue with JB_Q10 to JB_Q12. This information is available from the LFS for respondents who confirmed the employer name carried from the LFS*

JB_Q11   **What kind of work (are/were) you doing?**

____(30 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Only paid employees who provided an employer name not available from the LFS continue with JB_Q10 to JB_Q12. This information is available from the LFS for respondents who confirmed the employer name carried from the LFS*

JB_Q12M   **When did you start working for (employer name)?**

01	January
02	February
03	March
04	April
05	May
06	June
07	July
08	August
09	September
10	October
11	November
12	December
	DK, RF ....(Go to JB_C13)

Coverage: *Only paid employees who provided an employer name not available from the LFS continue with JB_Q10 to JB_Q12. This information is available from the LFS for respondents who confirmed the employer name carried from the LFS*

JB_Q12Y   **When did you start working for (employer name)?**

____(4 spaces)   [Min: 1927 Max: 2006]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Only paid employees who provided an employer name not available from the LFS continue with JB_Q10 to JB_Q12. This information is available from the LFS for respondents who confirmed the employer name carried from the LFS*

JB_C13	If LFS=1 and ERNAME=S_ERNAME .... (Go to JB_Q21)
	Else.. (Go to JB_Q13)

JB_Q13   **In that job with (employer name), (are/were) you a union member?**

1   Yes.. (Go to JB_Q15)
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees*

JB_Q14   **Are/were you covered by a union contract or collective agreement?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employee,*
               and were not a union member

JB_Q15   **What is/was your usual (gross) rate of pay, before deductions? Do not**
               include overtime, tips, commissions or bonuses

1   Enter salary $
2   Minimum wage .... (Go to JB_Q16)
3   Only earned commissions ....(Go to JB_Q17A)
           DK, RF .... (Go to JB_Q16)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees*

JB_Q15A   **What is/was your usual (gross) rate of pay, before deductions? Do not**
               include overtime, tips, commissions or bonuses

           ____(9 spaces)   [Min: .01 Max: 900000.00]
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees,*
               and who were paid a salary other than minimum wage

JB_Q15B   **...Per (unit of measurement)**

01   Hour
02   Day
03   Week
04   Biweekly
05   Twice per month
06   Month
07   Year
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees,*
               and who were paid a salary other than minimum wage

JB_Q16   **Do/did you usually receive commissions, tips, or bonuses?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to JB_Q18)
      DK, RF .... (Go to JB_Q18)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees, and who did not declare in JB_Q15 that they were only paid commissions*

JB_Q17A   **What was your usual (gross) commissions/tips/bonus pay before deductions?**

      <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Enter amount in dollars only. If response is $90,000 or more, enter 90000

      ____(8 spaces)   [Min: .01 Max: 90000.00]

      DK, RF .... (Go to JB_Q18)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees, and who received commissions*

JB_Q17B   **...Per (unit of measurement)**

01   Hour
02   Day
03   Week
04   Biweekly
05   Twice per month
06   Month
07   Year
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees, and who received commissions*

JB_Q18   **On average, how many paid hours did you usually work per week in that job with (employer name)? (excluding overtime)**

      <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: If the number of hours varies from week to week, give an average over four weeks

      ____(3 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 99]
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees*

JB_D18	If JB_Q15=3 then set SALRYHR=0, Else if JB_Q15=2 then set SALRYHR=SALMIN, Else if JB_15B=1 then set SALRYHR =JB_Q15A, Else if JB_15B=2 then set SALRYHR=JB_Q15A/6, Else if JB_Q18 is blank or zero '0' then set SALRYHR to blank, Else if JB_15B=3 then set SALRYHR=JB_Q15A/JB_Q18), Else if JB_15B=4 then set SALRYHR= JB_Q15A/(2 * JB_Q18), Else if JB_15B=5 then set SALRYHR=JB_Q15A/(2.16 * JB_Q18), Else if JB_15B=6 then set SALRYHR=JB_Q15A/(4.33 * JB_Q18), Else if JB_15B=7 then set SALRYHR=JB_Q15A/(52 * JB_Q18), Else set SALRYHR to 'blank'.

Note: The variable SALRYHR will be used in the Job Search module (JS).

JB_Q19   Is/was your job with (employer name) permanent?

INTERVIEWER: Permanent means that at the time of hiring, the employer gave no indication that the job would only last for a fixed duration, until a given date or until the end of a project

1   Yes, permanent .... (Go to JB_Q21)
2   No, not permanent
       DK, RF .... (Go to JB_Q21)

Coverage: Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees

JB_Q20   In what way is/was your job not permanent. Was it?

1   Seasonal
2   Temporary, term or contract job (non-seasonal)
3   Casual
4   Work done through a temporary help agency
5   Other..(Go to JB_S20)
       DK, RF

Default: (Go to JB_Q21)

Coverage: Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees, and who were not permanent employees

JB_S20   (In what way is/was your job not permanent. Was it?)

       ____(80 spaces)

JB_Q21   Were Employment Insurance premiums deducted from your wages or salary at that job with (employer name)?

INTERVIEWER: Enter 'Yes' if there were deductions at the beginning of the calendar year, but are no longer deducted because the maximum deduction for the year has been reached

1   Yes..(Go to WY_C01)
2   No
       DK, RF ....(Go to WY_C01)

Coverage: Respondents who did not have the same employer as the LFS but were working as paid employees, and who were not permanent employees

JB_Q22	**Was this because...?**

01	your weekly hours or earnings are/were too low to be insured by EI
02	you are/were self-employed or working on a contract
03	you are/were working for a family business
04	your job is/was part of a government job creation program
05	you work/worked outside Canada
06	you are/were paid in cash
07	other..(Go to JB_S22)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to JB_D23)

Note: Class of Worker (COW) value is reset if JB_Q22=2 (self-employed) or JB_Q22=3 (family worker).

Coverage: *Paid employees at last or current job who did not report having Employment Insurance premiums deducted from their wages or salary*

JB_S22	(Was this because...?)

_____(80 spaces)

JB_D23	If JB_Q22=2 set COW=2, if JB_Q22=3 set COW=3.

Section:	**Work in Last Year (WY)**

WY_C01	If LWP=4..(Go to SW_C01A)

WY_D01B	Create variable called CHILB. CHILB=BMTH and BYEAR from MO section. For instance, if BMTH=3 and BYEAR=2006, then CHILB should read 'March 2006'. Create variable called CHILB11. CHILB11=CHILB less 11 months. For instance, if BMTH=3 and BYEAR=2006, then CHILB11 (CHILB - 11 months) should read 'April 2005'.

WY_Q01	**Between (reference month - 11 months) and (reference month), how many weeks did you work (including leave with pay)?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 52]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who ever worked*

WY_C02A	If MOTHER=1 ....(Go to WY_C02B)
	Else if WY_Q01=0 ....(Go to SW_C01A)
	Else..(Go to WY_Q04)

WY_C02B	If WY_Q01=0..(Go to WY_Q03)
	Else if WY_Q01 > 40 ....(Go to WY_Q04)
	Else..(Go to WY_Q02)

WY_Q02	**Did you work at a job or business or were you absent from a job during the 3 months prior to the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Yes, working or absent from work ....(Go to WY_Q04)
2   No, did not have a job or business
        DK, RF ....(Go to SW_C01A)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked between 1 to 40 weeks during the year prior to the birth or adoption of their child*

WY_Q03	**Why did you not work in the (year/3 months) prior to the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Took care of other children
2   Preferred to stay at home
3   Went to school or took training
4   Could not find suitable work
5   Other... (Go to WY_S03)
        DK, RF

Default: (Go to WY_C04)

Coverage: *Mothers who did not have a job 3 months prior to the birth or adoption of their child (includes zero weeks and WY_Q02 = 2)*

WY_S03	(Why did you not work in the (year/3 months) prior to the birth/adoption of your child?)

     ____(80 spaces)

WY_C04	If WY_Q01=0 ....(Go to SW_C01A) Else..(Go to WY_Q04)

WY_Q04	**Of the weeks you worked during the year prior to the birth/adoption of your child between (reference month - 11 months) and (reference month), did you work?**
	INTERVIEWER: Full-time work is to be interpreted as 30 hours or more per week. If working at two jobs in a week, add hours from both jobs

1   All weeks full-time
2   Most weeks full-time and some weeks part-time (or half and half)
3   Most weeks part-time and some weeks full-time
4   All weeks part-time ....(Go to WY_Q06)
        DK, RF ....(Go to SW_C01A)

Coverage: *Respondents who had at least one week of paid employment in the last year*

WY_Q05	**During the weeks that you worked full-time, how many hours on average did you work per week?**

     ____(3 spaces)   [Min: 30 Max: 168]
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who worked at least some weeks full-time prior to the birth/adoption of their child*

WY_C06	If WY_Q04=1 ....(Go to SW_C01A)

WY_Q06 **During the weeks that you worked part-time, how many hours on average did you work per week?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 30]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who worked at least some weeks part-time prior to the birth/adoption of their child*

Section: **Stopped Working (SW)**

SW_C01A If LWP=0 or LWP > 2 or COW > 1 ....(Go to BK_C01)

SW_R01 **According to our information, you stopped working or had an interruption of work with (employer name) (last work date).**

SW_C01B If RSWK=11 or RSWK=99..(Go to SW_Q01)
Else ....(Go to SW_C02)

SW_Q01 **What was the main reason you stopped working at that job?**

01	Own illness or disability
02	Caring for own children
03	Caring for elder relative
04	Pregnancy
05	Other personal or family responsibilities
06	Going to school
07	Lost job, laid off or job ended
08	Business sold or closed down
09	Changed residence
10	Dissatisfied with job
11	Retired
12	Other...(Go to SW_S01)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to SW_D02)

Coverage: *Paid employees who have worked in the past two years but did not work during reference week and who retired or for whom the information was not available from the LFS*

SW_S01 (What was the main reason you stopped working at that job?)

_____(80 spaces)

SW_D02 Set RSWK=SW_Q01.

SW_C02 If SW_Q01=11 ....(Go to SW_Q02)
Else if SW_Q01=7 ....(Go to SW_Q03)
Else ....(Go to SW_C04)

SW_Q02	**Was your retirement from that job voluntary or involuntary?**

1   Voluntary
2   Involuntary
      DK, RF

Default: (Go to SW_C04)

Coverage: *Paid employees who have worked in the past two years but did not work during reference week who reported that they retired from their last job (SW_Q01=11)*

SW_Q03	**What was the specific reason for your job loss?**

01   End of seasonal job
02   End of temporary, term or contract job (non-seasonal)
03   Casual job, no work available
04   Company moved
05   Company went out of business
06   Business conditions (not enough work, drop in orders, retooling, etc.)
07   Dismissal by employer (i.e. fired)
08   Other.. (Go to SW_S03)
      DK, RF

Default: (Go to SW_Q04)

Coverage: *Paid employees who have worked in the past two years but did not work during reference week and who reported that they lost their job, were laid off or job ended*

SW_S03	(What was the specific reason for your job loss?)

      ____(80 spaces)

SW_C04	If SW_Q02=2 or (RSWK=7 or RSWK=8 or RSWK=10 or RSWK=12)(Go to SW_Q04) Else..(Go to SW_Q06)

SW_Q04	**Did you receive any advance formal notice from your employer that your work would stop, for example receive a letter, attend meetings, or receive announcements or did you know in advance that you would stop working at that job?**

1   Yes
2   No ....(Go to SW_Q06)
      DK, RF ....(Go to SW_Q06)

Coverage: *Paid employees who either lost their job, were laid off, their job ended or retired involuntarily or left their job because they were dissatisfied*

SW_Q05	**How long in advance did you get that notice or how long in advance did you know that you would leave or lose that job?**

1   To enter how long in advance
2   Knew it from the beginning ....(Go to SW_Q06)
     DK, RF ....(Go to SW_Q06)

Coverage: *Paid employees who retired involuntarily, who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, who reported that their business closed, who left because they were dissatisfied with their job and received an advanced notice or knew in advance that they would stop working*

SW_Q05A   **Number of days, weeks or months**

INTERVIEWER: If found out the same day, the answer is 0

____(4 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 365]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Paid employees who retired involuntarily, who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, who reported that their business closed, who left because they were dissatisfied with their job and received an advanced notice or knew when they would stop working*

SW_Q05B   **Unit of time**

1   Days
2   Weeks
3   Months
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Paid employees who retired involuntarily, who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, who reported that their business closed, who left because they were dissatisfied with their job and received an advanced notice or knew when they would stop working*

SW_Q06   **Did you receive a record of employment (ROE) for Employment Insurance purposes when you stopped working at your job for (employer name)?**

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Paid employees who have worked in the past two years*

SW_C07   If (RSWK=7 or RSWK=8 or RSWK=12) or SW_Q02=2 ....(Go to SW_Q07)
             Else ....(Go to BK_C01)

SW_Q07 **When you stopped working for (employer name) (last work date), did you receive any of the following payments from your employer?**

01	Severance pay or pay instead of vacation
02	A pension pay-out
03	Early retirement package
04	Wages instead of notice (lump sum amount)
05	Sick leave credits/payment for unused sick benefits
06	Any other payments..(Go to SW_S07)
07	None
	DK, RF ....(Go to SW_Q08)

Default: (Go to SW_C08)

Coverage: *Paid employees who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended, their business closed or they retired involuntarily*

SW_S07 (When you stopped working for (employer name) (last work date), did you receive any of the following payments from your employer?)

_____(80 spaces)

SW_C08 If RSWK=7 or RSWK=8..(Go to SW_Q08)
Else...(Go to BK_C01)

SW_Q08 **Did you expect to return to your job with (employer name) at that time?**

1	Yes
2	No
	DK, RF

Coverage: *Paid employees who lost their job, were laid off, their job ended or their business closed*

Section: **Break from Working Since Birth/Adoption (BK)**

BK_C01 If TYPE=5 ....(Go to BK_Q01)
Else..(Go to PM_C01A)

BK_Q01 **Have you taken a break from working (of a week or more) during your pregnancy or since the birth/adoption of your child?**

INTERVIEWER: "Working" means working for pay at a job or as a self-employed person

1	Yes...(Go to BK_Q03)
2	No
3	Not working before pregnancy or adoption ....(Go to BK_Q03)
	DK, RF ....(Go to PM_C01A)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months*

BK_Q02	**Why did you decide not to take time off for the care of your child?**
01	Still planning to take time off
02	Could not afford to give up salary
03	Afraid to lose job
04	Employer would not let me take time off
05	Family or friends took care of child
06	Found acceptable daycare services
07	Preferred to work
08	Type of work allowed her to work and care for the baby
09	Other..(Go to BK_S02)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_CO1A)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who did not take a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child*

BK_S02   (Why did you decide not to take time off for the care of your child?)

_____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to PM_CO1A)

BK_Q03   **When did this break from working start?**

INTERVIEWER: If there were several breaks, choose the break closest to the birth/adoption of the child

1	To enter the date
2	Never worked before birth ....(Go to PM_C01A)
	DK, RF ....(Go to BK_Q04)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work or were not working before their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child*

BK_Q03M   **What month did this break from working start?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 12]

DK, RF ....(Go to BK_Q04)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child*

BK_Q03Y   **What year did this break from working start?**

_____(4 spaces)   [Min: 2003 Max: 2006]

DK, RF ....(Go to BK_Q04)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child*

BK_Q04   **How long was this break from working, in terms of weeks?**

1   To enter the number of weeks
2   To enter the number of months .... (Go to BK_Q04B)
DK .... (Go to PM_CO1A)
RF .... (Go to PM_C01A)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child*

BK_Q04A   **How long was this break from working, in terms of weeks?**

____(3 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 108]
DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_CO1A)

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child. Answered in weeks*

BK_Q04B   **How long was this break from working, in terms of months?**

____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 24]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who took a break from work during their pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child. Answered in months*

Section: **Parental Benefits for Mothers (PM)**

PM_C01A   If LWP = 4 or MOTHER = 0 .... (Go to EI_C01)

PM_C01B   If BYEAR > 2005 and ADDPROV = 24 .... (Go to PM_Q01A)
Else .... (Go to PM_Q02A)

PM_Q01A   **Have you made any claim or applied for benefits with the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan (during your pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of your child)?**

INTERVIEWER: Since January 2006 there are 3 types of parental benefits for mother in Quebec: maternity, adoption and parental.

1   Yes .... (Go to PM_Q03)
2   No
DK, RF .... (Go to PM_Q03)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who reside in Quebec*

PM_Q01B   **Do you intend to claim or expect to receive parental benefits before your child turns one year old?**

INTERVIEWER: In Quebec, there are now 3 types of Parental Benefits for Mothers: maternity, adoption and parental.

1   Yes
2   No
          DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_Q07)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who did not make a claim or applied for benefits with the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan during pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of their child, who reside In Quebec*

PM_Q02A   **Have you made any claims or applied for maternity or parental benefits with the Canadian Employment Insurance program (during your pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of your child)?**

1   Yes.. (Go to EI_C01)
2   No
3   Made a claim to the Quebec Plan .... (Go to PM_Q03)
          DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months, except mothers who reside in Quebec*

PM_Q02B   **Do you intend to claim or expect to receive maternity or parental benefits before your child turns one year old?**

1   Yes
2   No
          DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_Q07)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months,who reside outside of Quebec and who did not make a claim or applied for parental benefits before their child turns one year old*

PM_Q03   **Have you received benefits from the Quebec Plan (during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child or for the birth or adoption of your child)?**

1   Yes..(Go to PM_Q04)
2   No ....(Go to PM_Q06)
3   Expecting benefits ....(Go to PM_Q07)
          DK, RF ....(Go to PM_Q07)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who made a claim to the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan*

PM_Q04   **How many weeks of benefits have you received from the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan?**

____(2 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 50]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who made a claim to the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan and who received benefits*

PM_Q05 **What was the weekly amount of the benefits you last received?**

INTERVIEWER: That is of the last payment received or that the respondent remembers. If the respondent states amounts higher than $850, verify if they are based on a one or two week period

____(3 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 850]
DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_Q07)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who made a claim to the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan and who received benefits*

PM_Q06 **Why do you think you did not receive parental benefits?**

1   Receiving pay for work or working
2   Not enough hours or insurable income
3   Not eligible
4   Other...(Go to PM_S06)
     DK, RF

Default: (Go to PM_Q07)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who made a claim to the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan and who did not receive benefits*

PM_S06 **(Why do you think you did not receive parental benefits?)**

____(80 spaces)

PM_Q07 **Have you made a claim (for other types of benefits/for benefits) with the Canadian Employment Insurance program during your pregnancy or since the birth or adoption of your child?**

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who did not make a claim for the Parental benefits with the Canadian Employment Insurance Program or the Quebec Parental Insurance Plan*

PM_C08 If PM_Q01B = 2 or PM_Q02B =2...(Go to PM_Q08)
            Else... (Go to EI_C01)

PM_Q08	**What was the main reason you did not claim or apply for parental benefits?**

01	Working or receiving pay from work
02	Not contributing to the program
03	Not working enough
04	Has not worked recently (eg. for 2 years)
05	Did not want benefits (too low, too much trouble)
06	Did not need benefits (have other sources of income)
07	Did not know enough about the program
08	Never thought about it
09	Other...(Go to PM_S08)
	DK, RF

Default:	(Go to EI_C01)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who did not make a claim for the other types of benefits*

PM_S08	**(What was the main reason you did not claim or apply for parental benefits?)**

               ____(80 spaces)

Section:	**Employment Insurance (EI)**

EI_C01	If LWP=4..(Go to PF_D01A)
	Else if MOTHER=0 .... (Go to EI_C02)
	Else if PM_Q02A=1 or PM_Q07=1 .... (Go to EI_D04)
	Otherwise..(Go to PF_D01A)

EI_C02	If WRK=1 or LWP=3 .... (Go to EI_Q03)
	Else.. (Go to EI_Q02)

Note: Respondents who worked reference week or last worked more than two years ago.

EI_Q02	**Have you made any claims or applied for Employment Insurance since you stopped working at your job with (employer name) (last worked date) or since you stopped working (last work date)?**

           <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: If person received benefits since that time due to a previous claim, answer 'Yes'

1	Yes..(Go to EI_Q04)
2	No
	DK, RF .... (Go to EI_C04)

Coverage: *Respondents who were not working during reference week but have worked at some time in the past two years*

EI_C03	If LWP=1 .... (Go to EI_Q03)
	Else... (Go to EI_C15)

EI_Q03   **Have you made any claims or applied for Employment Insurance from (reference month - 11 months) to (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to EI_C15)
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who either worked in the last 12 months or more than two years ago and respondents*
                 who worked during reference week, except mothers of a child 0 to 12 months

EI_C04   If WRK=1 .... (Go to EI_Q05)
               Else.. (Go to EI_Q04)

EI_Q04   **Have you received Employment Insurance benefits during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child or since you stopped working at your job with (employer name) (last worked date)?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to EI_Q14)
           DK, RF .... (Go to PF_D01A)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not work during reference week and who claimed Employment Insurance*
                 benefits since their last employment or in the past 12 months

EI_Q05   **Did you receive Employment Insurance benefits for the (second or third week) of (reference month), that is from the (first day of reference week) to the (last day of reference week) of (reference month) or do you still expect to receive benefits for that week?**

           <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: If respondent does not know, ask if they have submitted a Card or Biweekly Activity Report to a Canada Employment Centre (CEC, EI office, EIC office)

1   Yes.. (Go to EI_Q07)
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who worked during reference week and claimed Employment Insurance benefits in the*
                 past 12 months and respondents who received Employment Insurance benefits since they stopped
                 working or since the birth of their child

EI_Q06   **Did you receive Employment Insurance benefits for any other week in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to EI_C09)
           DK, RF .... (Go to EI_C09)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not receive Employment Insurance benefits during the reference week*

EI_Q07	**What type of benefits did you receive that week?**

01   Training
02   Regular
03   Maternity (only if female)
04   Parental
05   Sickness
06   Fishing
07   Other..(Go to EI_S07)
                  DK, RF

Default: (Go to EI_C08)

Coverage: Respondents who received Employment Insurance benefits during reference month

EI_S07	(What type of benefits did you receive that week?)

                  _____(80 spaces)

EI_C08	If MOTHER=1 .... (Go to EI_Q08)
	Else.. (Go to EI_Q10)

EI_Q08	**Have you received any other types of Employment Insurance benefits during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child?**

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to EI_Q10)
                  DK, RF .... (Go to EI_Q10)

Coverage: Mothers by birth of a child aged 0 to 12 months who received Employment Insurance benefits during reference week or reference month

EI_C09	If MOTHER=1 and (EI_Q06=2 or EI_Q06=blank)........................... (Go to EI_Q09)
	Else.. (Go to EI_Q14)

EI_Q09	**What type or types of Employment Insurance benefits have you received during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child?**

1   Regular
2   Maternity
3   Parental
4   Sickness
5   Other..(Go to EI_S09)
                  DK, RF

Default: (Go to EI_Q10)

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who received Employment Insurance benefits during their pregnancy or since the birth of their child, but did not receive Employment Insurance benefits during reference month or did not respond to EI_Q06

EI_S09   (What type or types of Employment Insurance benefits have you received during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child?)

_____(80 spaces)

EI_Q10   **How many weeks of Employment Insurance benefits have you received during your pregnancy or since the birth of your child or since you last applied?**

_____(3 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 158]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, or mothers who received benefits since they last worked*

EI_C11   If MOTHER=1 or EI_Q05=1 .... (Go to EI_Q11)
Else... (Go to EI_Q14)

EI_Q11   **What was the amount of Employment Insurance benefits you received per week for the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

_____(3 spaces)   [Min: 1 Max: 413]

DK, RF .... (Go to EI_C13)

Coverage: *Respondents who received Employment Insurance benefits during reference week, this also includes mothers who have received Employment Insurance benefits during pregnancy or since birth of their child*

EI_C13   If MOTHER=1 ....(Go to PF_D01A)
Else... (Go to EI_Q13)

EI_Q13   **While you were receiving benefits, were you taking training or courses to which you were referred?**

<u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Sometimes people on EI claims are referred to a course or program of instruction that they can follow at the same time that they are receiving EI benefits

1   Yes
2   No
DK, RF

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

Coverage: *Respondents who received Employment Insurance benefits during reference week*

EI_Q14	**Why do you think you did not receive Employment Insurance benefits since the birth of your child for the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

01	Still expecting benefit payment for that week
02	Had employment that week
03	Claim ran out
04	Did not work enough hours or weeks to qualify
05	Serving a waiting period
06	Payments delayed due to severance or other payments
07	Not available or not looking for work
08	Quit voluntarily (or dismissed)
09	Benefit payments withheld for other reason
10	Other...(Go to EI_S14)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

Note: Other reasons for not getting Employment Insurance benefits while on claim are: refusing to take a suitable job, failure to send in biweekly activity report, etc.

Coverage: *Respondents who did not receive Employment Insurance benefits during the reference week and mothers who did not receive Employment Insurance benefits during their pregnancy or since the birth of their child*

EI_S14	(Why do you think you did not receive Employment Insurance benefits since the birth of your child or for (second or third week) of (reference month)?)

_____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

EI_Q15	**Do you think that you would have qualified (or been eligible) for Employment Insurance benefits in the (second or third week) of (reference month)?**

1	Yes
2	No .... (Go to EI_Q17)
	DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who did not claim, with the exception of those who never worked and mothers who did not take a break after the birth or adoption of their child*

EI_Q16	**What was the main reason you did not claim or apply for Employment Insurance benefits during this period?**
01	Was working or expecting to return to work
02	Did not want EI (benefits too low, too much trouble)
03	Did not need EI (have other sources of income)
04	Did not know enough about EI
05	Never thought about it
06	Student (incl. too young)
07	Retired (incl. Pension, too old)
08	Did not want to work
09	Receiving other benefits (incl. disability, welfare)
10	Other...(Go to EI_S16)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not claim Employment Insurance benefits since their last employment and mothers who did not claim benefits during their pregnancy or since the birth of their child and who think that they would be qualified for Employment Insurance benefits in the second or third week of the reference month*

EI_S16	(What was the main reason you did not claim or apply for Employment Insurance benefits during this period?)
	____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

EI_Q17	**Why did you think you would not qualify (or not be eligible) for Employment Insurance?**
01	Working or expect to return to work
02	Not paying EI premiums (incl. Self-employed)
03	Not enough hours to qualify
04	Student (incl. too young)
05	Not looking or available to work
06	Received severance package
07	Retired (incl. Pension, too old)
08	Has not worked recently (eg. for 2 years)
09	Quit voluntarily
10	Other...(Go to EI_S17)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to PF_D01A)

Coverage: *Respondents who did not claim Employment Insurance benefits since their last employment and mothers who did not claim benefits during their pregnancy or since the birth of their child and who think that they would not be qualified for Employment Insurance benefits in the second or third week of the reference month*

EI_S17	(Why did you think you were not eligible (or would not qualify) for Employment Insurance?)
	____(80 spaces)

Section:	**Parental Benefits for Fathers (PF)**

PF_D01A Create and set SPPR = S_SPPR.
If PM_Q03 = 1 set MotherReceived = 1 and MotherReceivedExpect = 1.
If PM_Q02A = 1 and EI_Q04 =1 set MotherReceived = 1 and
MotherReceivedExpect = 1.
If PM_Q01B = 1 or PM_Q02B = 1 set MotherReceivedExpect = 1.

PF_C01 IF MOTHER=0 ....(Go to AP_C01)
Else if MOTHER=1 and SPPR=1 ....(Go to PF_Q01A)
Else if MotherReceivedExpect = 1 .... (Go to PF_C06)
Else...(Go to AP_C01)

PF_Q01A **Has your spouse claimed paternity or parental benefits since the birth or adoption of your child?**

1   Yes...(Go to PF_Q03)
2   No
3   No spouse present .... (Go to PF_C06)
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers with a spouse present*

PF_Q01B **Does your spouse intend to claim or expect to receive paternity or parental benefits before your child turns one year old?**

1   Yes...(Go to PF_Q04)
2   No
     DK, RF .... (Go to PF_C06)

Coverage: *Mothers whose spouse did not claim parental benefits*

PF_Q02 **What is the main reason that your spouse did not apply for parental benefits?**

01   Spouse is not eligible (not working, paying premiums, self-empl)
02   Impossible to take time off work (include spouse is working)
03   Money related reasons
04   Mother wants to stay home (by choice, more practical, nursing)
05   Spouse does not want to stay home
06   Did not know that he could claim benefits
07   Other... (Go to PF_S02)
     DK, RF

Default: (Go to PF_C06)

Coverage: *Mothers whose spouse has not claimed and does not intend to claim parental benefits*

PF_S02 **(What is the main reason that your spouse did not apply for parental benefits?)**

    ____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to PF_C06)

PF_Q03   **Has your spouse received parental benefits yet?**

1   Yes
2   No
             DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers whose spouse claimed parental benefits*

PF_Q04   **How many weeks of parental benefits does your spouse intend to claim in total?**

____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 37]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers whose spouse claimed parental benefits or intends to claim parental benefits*

PF_C05   If MotherReceivedExpect = 0 .... (Go to PF_C06)
             If MotherReceived = 1 and PF_Q03 = 1.....................................(Go to PF_Q05A)
             Else...(Go to PF_Q05B)

PF_Q05A   **Has your spouse collected parental benefits at the same time as you?**

1   Yes... (Go to PF_C06)
2   No
             DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who received Employment Insurance benefits and whose spouse received parental benefits*

PF_Q05B   **Does your spouse intend to collect parental benefits at the same time as you?**

1   Yes
2   No
             DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who claimed Employment Insurance benefits and with a spouse who expects to receive parental benefits*

PF_C06   If MotherReceivedExpect = 0 and (SPPR = 0 or PF_Q01B = 2 or PF_Q01B = blank)
             ....(Go to AP_C01)

PF_Q06   **(Do you/or your spouse) intend to collect the total number of weeks of parental benefits available?**

INTERVIEWER: If the mother or the couple have already collected the maximum available enter 'Yes'

1   Yes...(Go to AP_C01)
2   No
    DK, RF ....(Go to AP_C01)

Note: These questions should not be used without also considering EI_Q10, PF_Q04 and maximum number of weeks of maternity and parental leave available.

Coverage: *Mothers who have a spouse that claimed or intends to claim parental benefits and who have not already taken all weeks available*

PF_Q07   **What is the main reason that (you and/or your spouse) do not intend to take the total number of weeks of parental leave available?**

1   Financial reasons (incl. need the money)
2   Work / Employer related reasons
3   Prefer to work
4   Other.. (Go to PF_S07)
    DK, RF

Default: (Go to AP_C01)

Coverage: *Mothers who are sharing the parental benefits with with their spouse but who jointly do not intend to take the maximum number of weeks available*

PF_S07   **(What is the main reason that (you and/or your spouse) do not intend to take the total number of weeks of parental leave available?)**

_____(80 spaces)

Section: **Additional Payments (AP)**

AP_C01   If (BK_Q01=1 or BK_Q01=3) or (MOTHER=1 and TYPE < 5 and LWP < 3)(Go to AP_Q01)
    Else... (Go to IN_R01)

AP_Q01   **Did you receive employer payments or private insurance payments or other benefits for the weeks you took off work during your pregnancy or to take care of your child?**

INTERVIEWER: If these payments are about to start, answer "Yes"

1   Yes
2   No .... (Go to IN_R01)
    DK, RF .... (Go to IN_R01)

Coverage: *Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since pregnancy or adoption of their child*

AP_Q02   **What was the source of these payments or benefits?**

1   Employer
2   Group insurance
3   Worker's compensation
4   Other..(Go to AP_S02)
             DK, RF

Default: (Go to AP_C03)

Coverage: *Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since*
              pregnancy or adoption who received additional payments since the birth or adoption of their child

AP_S02   (What was the source of these payments or benefits?)

             ____(80 spaces)

AP_C03   If (MOTHER=1 and EI_Q04=1) or PM_Q03=1 ....(Go to AP_Q03)
             Else... (Go to AP_Q04A)

AP_Q03   **Were any of these payments paid to complement Employment Insurance**
             benefits, during the weeks parental benefits were paid?

1   Yes
2   No
             DK, RF

Note: Sometimes referred to as top-up payments, these are amounts which, when added to Employment
             Insurance benefits, bring payments up to a certain percentage of the previous earnings.

Coverage: *Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since*
              pregnancy or adoption who received Employment Insurance or parental benefits and additional
              payments from their employers or other sources

AP_Q04A   **How much were these payments?**

             ____(4 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 9000]

             DK, RF ....(Go to AP_Q05)

Coverage: *Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since*
              pregnancy or adoption who received additional payments

AP_Q04B   **...Per (unit of measurement)**

1   Week
2   Every two weeks
3   Month
             DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since*
              pregnancy or adoption who received additional payments

AP_Q05	**For how many weeks did you receive these payments since your pregnancy/adoption?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 52]
DK, RF

Coverage: _Mothers who are working or who have worked in the past two years, with a period not at work since pregnancy or adoption who received additional payments_

Section:	**Income and Hardship (IN)**

IN_R01	**The next set of questions relate to income and expenses.**

IN_C01	If RELHD=3 and RAGE < 30 ....(Go to IN_Q01)
	Else ....(Go to IN_C02)

IN_Q01	**Do you rely on your parents for most of your day-to-day financial needs, for things like housing and food?**

1   Yes...(Go to JS_C01)
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: _All respondents who are sons and daughters aged less then 30 years_

IN_C02	If WRK=1 and COW=1 ....(Go to IN_Q03A)
	Else ....(Go to IN_Q02)

IN_Q02	**Did you receive any wages or salary from employment in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Note: The purpose of these questions is to determine the sources of livelihood people have. Therefore, foreign employment should also be counted. Include earnings received during sickness or maternity leave.

Coverage: _All respondents who were not paid employees and were not working during the reference week, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents_

IN_Q03A	**Did you receive income or funds from self-employment in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: _All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents_

IN_Q03B   **Did you receive income or funds from alimony, student loans, scholarships in (reference month)?**

         <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Also includes: Separation allowance, child support

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_C03C   If RELHD=3 and RAGE < 30 ....(Go to IN_Q16)
         Else if FAMSZ=4 or FAMSZ=5 .... (Go to IN_Q03C)
         Else .... (Go to IN_Q03D)

IN_Q03C   **Did you receive income or funds from Child Tax benefit or Child Benefit supplement (federal or provincial) in (reference month)?**

         <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: The monthly child tax benefit is sometimes referred to as "family allowances" or "baby bonus"

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents in households with children less than 18 years old except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q03D   **Did you receive income or funds from withdrawals from a Registered Retirement Savings Plan (RRSP, RRIF) in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
3   Had no retirement savings plans
         DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q03E   **Did you receive income or funds from Worker's Compensation benefits (or disability pensions) in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_C03F   If RAGE > 49 ....(Go to IN_Q03F)
         Else .... (Go to IN_C04)

IN_Q03F   **Did you receive income or funds from Employer pensions (or survivors' pensions) in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents aged 50 years or older*

IN_C03G   If RAGE > 59 .... (Go to IN_Q03G)
               Else... (Go to IN_C04)

IN_Q03G   **Did you receive income or funds from "Canada Pension Plan/Quebec Pension Plan" or Old Age Security benefits in (reference month)?**

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents aged 60 years or older*

IN_C04   If SPPR=1 and (MULTF=blank or MULTINC=1) .... (Go to IN_Q04)
              If SPPR=0 and (MULTF=blank or MULTINC=1) .... (Go to IN_C06)
              Else... (Go to IN_Q11)

IN_Q04   **Has your spouse received income from employment in (reference month)?**

              <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Include self-employment earnings and wages or salary from paid employment

1   Yes, from his/her full-time job
2   Yes, from his/her part-time job
3   No
     DK, RF

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondents with spouse, except sons and daughters who rely on their parents*

IN_D05   If IN_Q04=4 set SPPR=0.

IN_C05   If RAGE > 49 and SPPR=1 .... (Go to IN_Q05)
              Else... (Go to IN_C06)

IN_Q05   **Did your spouse receive income from a pension?**

1   Yes
2   No
            DK, RF

Default: (Go to IN_Q06)

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondent with a spouse, who is 50 years or older present in the household*

IN_C06   If FAMSZ > 1 ....(Go to IN_Q06)
            Else..(Go to IN_Q07)

IN_Q06   **Did another member of your household receive Employment Insurance benefits?**

            INTERVIEWER: When we mention 'household' in these questions, we mean 'economic family', a group of persons living together in one dwelling and joined by relationships of blood, marriage, common-law relationships or adoption

1   Yes
2   No
            DK, RF

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondents in a household with more than one person, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q07   **Have you or any members of your household received social assistance payments in (reference month)?**

1   Yes..(Go to IN_Q08)
2   No
            DK, RF

Default: (Go to IN_Q10)

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30*

IN_Q08   **What was the amount you or your household received in social assistance payments?**

            ____(7 spaces)   [Min: 10.00 Max: 5000.00]
            DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who were social assistance recipients in reference month, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q09   **For how many months have you or your household been receiving social assistance payments?**

____(3 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 720]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who were social assistance recipients in reference month, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q10   **Did you or your family get some financial assistance from friends or relatives?**

1   Yes
2   No
          DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q11   **Did you do any odd jobs, for example for friends or relatives, to supplement your income?**

1   Yes
2   No
          DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_C12   If TYPE=4 or AP_Q03=1 ....(Go to IN_Q16)
          Else...(Go to IN_Q12)

IN_Q12   **Did you or someone in your household have to use up some of your savings or cash in your investments to meet your household expenses in (reference month)?**

<u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Regular household expenditures are those that are necessary for daily living such as food, heating, rental or mortgage payments, transportation to school or work, some clothing, taxes, etc.

1   Yes
2   No
3   Had no savings
          DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who were not employed full-time during reference week, except mothers who received payments to complement Employment Insurance benefits and sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q13   **Did you have to sell a house, a car, a boat or other possessions to meet your regular household expenses?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondents who were not employed full-time during reference week, except mothers who received payments to complement Employment Insurance benefits and sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q14   **Did you have to borrow from a bank or financial institution to meet your regular household expenses?   (Include a second mortgage)**

1   Yes
2   No
3   Could not get any loans
           DK, RF

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondents who were not employed full-time during reference week, except mothers who received payments to complement Employment Insurance benefits and sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q15   **Did you need to increase your reliance on credit to meet your regular household expenses in (reference month)? (i.e. credit card, line of credit)**

               INTERVIEWER: Exclude purchases of gifts or holiday items

1   Yes
2   No
3   Did not have credit
           DK, RF

Note: This information is only available for one household member in multiple respondents' households.

Coverage: *Respondents who were not employed full-time during reference week, except mothers who received payments to complement Employment Insurance benefits and sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q16	**What was the main source of money (or funds) used to meet your household expenses in (reference month)?**

INTERVIEWER: If respondent answers "no income", please probe to find out who pays for household expenses (lodging and food) and what the source of funds is

01	Wages or self-employment earnings of spouse or partner or other family member
02	Own wages or salary
03	Own self-employment income
04	Employment Insurance benefits of self
05	Employment Insurance benefits of another household member
06	Social assistance
07	Disability insurance/Workers' Compensation
08	Pensions or CPP/QPP of self or spouse
09	Alimony, student loans, scholarships
10	Financial assistance from friends or relatives
11	Income from investments, interest, dividends, rentals
12	Savings
13	Loan/credit
14	Other .... (Go to IN_S16)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to IN_Q17)

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_S16	(What was the main source of money (or funds) used to meet your household expenses in (reference month)?)

_____(80 spaces)

IN_Q17	**In (reference month), would you say that your household income from all sources?**

1	Met all your regular expenses and financial commitments
2	Met most but not all
3	Met some ....(Go to IN_Q18A)
4	Met very little ....(Go to IN_Q18A)
5	Did not meet any of your expenses...(Go to IN_Q18A)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to JS_C01)

Coverage: *All respondents, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18A **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you cut expenses, reduce spending?

1   Yes
2   No
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18B **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you get a job/start a new career/start a business?

1   Yes
2   No
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18C **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did your family member increase hours of work?

1   Yes
2   No
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_C18D If IN_Q10=1 ....(Go to IN_Q18E)
Else.. (Go to IN_Q18D)

IN_Q18D **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you get help from family or friends?

1   Yes
2   No
      DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, and respondents who stated in IN_Q10 that they received financial help from friends and family*

IN_Q18E   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you move (to a cheaper home) or share accommodations (with relatives)?

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18F   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you delay or consolidate debts and payments?

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_C18G   If IN_Q14=1 or IN_Q15=1 ....(Go to IN_C18H)
               Else.. (Go to IN_Q18G)

IN_Q18G   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you borrow money, take out loan, go into debt, use credit, stop paying bills?

1   Yes
2   No
     DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, and respondents who stated in IN_Q14 or IN_Q15 that they had to borrow from a bank or financial institution or increased their reliance on credit*

IN_C18H   If IN_Q12=1 .... (Go to IN_C18I)
               Else... (Go to IN_Q18H)

IN_Q18H   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you cash in savings and investments?

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, and respondents who stated in IN_Q12 that they had to cash in savings or investments*

IN_C18I   If IN_Q13=1 .... (Go to IN_C18J)
              Else .... (Go to IN_Q18I)

IN_Q18I   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you sell property or belongings?

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, and respondents who stated in IN_Q13 that they had to sell a property or belongings*

IN_C18J   If IN_Q07=1 .... (Go to IN_Q18K)
              Else .... (Go to IN_Q18J)

IN_Q18J   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you apply for social assistance?

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents, and respondents who stated in IN_Q07 that they or someone in their household received social assistance*

IN_Q18K   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you use food banks, soup kitchens?

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18L   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you apply for student loan, go back to school?

1   Yes
2   No
               DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

IN_Q18M   **What did you do or plan to do, to make up for the shortfall in your income (relative to your expenses) in (reference month)?**
Did you take a pension, CPP/QPP?

1   Yes
2   No
               DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who stated that their household income only met some, met very little or did not meet any of their regular household expenditures, except sons and daughters aged less than 30 who rely on their parents*

Section: **Job Search (JS)**

JS_C01   If TYPE=1 or EI_Q07=2 or ((MOTHER=0 and (EI_Q05=1 or EI_Q06=1))(Go to JS_R01)
               Else ....(Go to PR_C01)

Note: Only unemployed respondents and Employment Insurance recipients are asked job search questions.

JS_R01   **The following questions are about job search activities.**

JS_Q01   **During the (second or third week) of (reference month), did you do anything to find work or find a new job?**

1   Yes.. (Go to JS_Q02)
2   No
               DK, RF

Default: (Go to JS_Q06)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers*

JS_Q02 **What is the most important thing that you did that week to find work or find a new job?**

01 Employment agency (public or private)
02 Cont. employers directly (resume, visit, call, interview)
03 Looked at job ads
04 Contacted union
05 Internet access or kiosk
06 Organization/networking community
07 Checked with friends or relatives
08 Placed or answered job ads
09 Other..(Go to JS_S02)
    DK, RF

Default: (Go to JS_Q03)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search*

JS_S02 (What is the most important thing that you did that week to find work or find a new job?)

_____(80 spaces)

JS_Q03 **During the (second or third week) of (reference month), about how many hours did you spend on activities related to looking for work? (Include time spent looking at job ads, making telephone calls, writing letters, filling applications, taking job search seminars, attending interviews, etc.)**

INTERVIEWER: If above 60 hours, enter 61

_____(2 spaces) [Min: 0 Max: 61]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search*

JS_Q04 **During that week of job search, about how much did it cost you to look for work? (Include expenses such as phone bills, stationery and photocopying, ads, stamps, employment agencies, travel costs, work shops and childcare.)**

_____(4 spaces) [Min: 0 Max: 9999]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search*

JS_Q05A   **Did you look for work - outside your community (city, town or village)? (More than 60 km)**

1   Yes...(Go to JS_Q05B)
2   No
           DK, RF

Default: (Go to JS_Q06)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who indicated some job search*

JS_Q05B   **Did you look for work - outside the province?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers and who did look outside their community*

JS_Q06   **At the moment, are you working at a job or business?**

1   Yes..(Go to PR_C01)
2   No
           DK
           RF ....(Go to PR_C01)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month, except mothers*

JS_C07   If SALRYHR=blank .... (Go to JS_Q08)
           Else if COW=1 and JB_Q15=1 and SALRYHR > SALMIN ....(Go to JS_R07)
           Else... (Go to JS_Q08)

Note: Only paid employees who reported wage rates above a minimum wage are asked the following questions.

JS_R07   **The amount of pay is sometimes important when deciding to accept a new job. Imagine that you were offered a similar job to the one you had with (employer name) but at a lower wage. (Assume that this similar job offers the same hours and benefits.) Would you accept such a job if the wages were?**

JS_C07A   If SALMIN <= 0.75 * SALARYHR ....(Go to JS_Q07A)
           Else..(Go to JS_C07B)

JS_Q07A	**Would you accept such a job if the wages were 75% of the previous wages you received?**

1   Yes... (Go to JS_Q08)
2   No
       DK
       RF .... (Go to JS_Q08)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits during the reference month whose wages from their last job as a paid employee were greater than the provincial minimum wage, except mothers not looking for work and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_C07B	If SALMIN <= 0.85 * SALARYHR ....(Go to JS_Q07B)
	Else...(Go to JS_C07C)

JS_Q07B	**Would you accept such a job if the wages were 85% of the previous wages you received?**

1   Yes... (Go to JS_Q08)
2   No
       DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits during the reference month whose wages from their last job as a paid employee were greater than the provincial minimum wage and who would not accept a job where the wages were less or equal to 75% of that last job, except mothers not looking for work and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_C07C	If SALMIN <= 0.90 * SALARYHR ....(Go to JS_Q07C)
	Else...(Go to JS_C07D)

JS_Q07C	**Would you accept such a job if the wages were 90% of the previous wages you received?**

1   Yes... (Go to JS_Q08)
2   No
       DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits during the reference month whose wages from their last job as a paid employee were greater than the provincial minimum wage and who would not accept a job where the wages were less or equal to 85% of that last job, except mothers not looking for work and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_C07D	If SALMIN <= 0.95 * SALRYHR ....(Go to JS_Q07D)
	Else...(Go to JS_Q07E)

JS_Q07D   **Would you accept such a job if the wages were 95% of the previous wages you received?**

1   Yes... (Go to JS_Q08)
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits during the reference month whose wages from their last job as a paid employee were greater than the provincial minimum wage and who would not accept a job where the wages were less or equal to 90% of that last job, except mothers not looking for work and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_Q07E   **Would you accept such a job if the wages were the same as the previous wage you received?**

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits during the reference month whose wages from their last job as a paid employee were greater than the provincial minimum wage and who would not accept a job where the wages were less or equal to 95% of that last job, except mothers not looking for work and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_Q08   **Would you like to work if a suitable job were offered in the next three months**

1   Yes... (Go to JS_Q09)
2   No
         DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_C01)

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those not working during the reference week and not working at the time of the interview, except mothers*

JS_Q09   **In the next three months, what are your chances of finding an acceptable job?**

1   Not very good
2   Good
3   Very good ....(Go to PR_C01)
4   You already have a job to start within 3 months ....(Go to PR_C01)
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month and who would like to work if a suitable job was offered in the next 3 months, except mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview*

JS_Q10   **At this time, what would help you most to find a job?**

01   Skills training
02   More education (academic)
03   Child care assistance
04   Work experience
05   Job finding clubs
06   Resume writing skills
07   Moving to another city/region
08   Help in starting a business/entrepreneurship training
09   Transportation
10   Contacts or networking
11   Better health/younger/older
12   More jobs/work available
13   Other..(Go to JS_S10)
         DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_C01)

Coverage: Unemployed respondents and those who received Employment Insurance benefits in the reference month and who would like to work if a suitable job was offered in the next 3 months but whose chances of finding such job were not very good, except mothers and others who were working at the time of the interview. Category 12 was added during processing

JS_S10   (At this time, what other thing would help you most to find a job?)

         ____(80 spaces)

Section: Plans to Return to Work (PR)

PR_C01   If MOTHER=0 or LWP=4 or JS_Q06=1 ....(Go to WA_C01A)
         Else if JS_Q06=2 or JS_Q06=DK or JS_Q06=RF ....(Go to PR_C02)
         Else...(Go to PR_R01)

PR_R01   **The following questions concern your plan to return to work after the birth or adoption of your child.**

PR_Q01   **At the moment, are you working at a job or business?**

1   Yes...(Go to WA_C01A)
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months who are not currently working but have worked in the past

PR_C02   If TYPE=5 ....(Go to WA_C01A)
         Else if LWP=3...(Go to PR_Q04)
         Else...(Go to PR_Q02)

PR_Q02   **Have you performed any work for pay since the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Yes...(Go to WA_C01A)
2   No
    DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past two years and who are not currently working*

PR_C03   If COW=1 ....(Go to PR_Q03)
    Else...(Go to PR_Q04)

PR_Q03   **At the time you left your last job, did you have an agreement with your employer that you could return to work there?**

1   Yes
2   No
    DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in a paid job in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_Q04   **Are you planning to go back to work?**

1   Yes
2   No ....(Go to PR_Q12)
    DK, RF ....(Go to PR_Q12)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_Q05   **In how many months do you plan to return to work?**

    <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Enter '0' if less than a month

    ____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 60]

    DK, RF ....(Go to PR_Q06)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work*

PR_C06   If PR_Q05 > 18...(Go to PR_Q12)
    Else if LWP=3 ....(Go to PR_Q11)
    Else...(Go to PR_Q06)

PR_Q06   **Are you planning to return to work for the same employer or the same business you had before the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Yes...(Go to PR_C08)
2   No
         DK, RF ....(Go to PR_Q09)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work*

PR_Q07   **Why are you not returning to work for the same employer or the same business?**

01   Employer has let me go
02   Employer stopped operations
03   Prefer another employer or job
04   Changing place of residence
05   Want different work conditions ....(Go to PR_Q10)
06   Other...(Go to PR_S07)
         DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_Q09)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work, but are not planning on returning to work for the same employer or business as before the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_S07   (Why are you not returning to work for the same employer or the same business?)

       _____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to PR_Q09)

PR_C08   If COW=1..(Go to PR_Q08)
             Else...(Go to PR_Q09)

PR_Q08   **Are you planning to go back to the same job or position with that employer?**

         <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Same job means that the type of work, duties and wage rate have not significantly changed. If job no longer exists, mark "No"

1   Yes
2   No
         DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked for pay in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work, but are planning on returning to work for the same employer or business as before the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_Q09   **Are you planning to return to the same working conditions that you had before the birth/adoption of your child? (for example, schedule, hours, working environment)**

1   Yes...(Go to PR_Q11)
2   No
     DK, RF ....(Go to PR_Q11)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work (and have not already said that they wanted different working conditions)*

PR_Q10   **What difference are you looking for/will there be in the working conditions?**

1   Working less hours
2   Different schedule (shift)
3   Other..(Go to PR_S10)
     DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_Q11)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past two years, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work, but are not planning on returning to the same working conditions as before the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_S10   (What difference are you looking for/will there be in the working conditions?)

     ____(80 spaces)

PR_Q11   **Who will take care of your child when you return to work?**

01   Private babysitter
02   Private nursery or daycare
03   Public nursery or daycare (at reduced cost)
04   Friend or relative will take care of child
05   Employer based daycare
06   Share child care with husband
07   Other..(Go to PR_S11)
      DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_Q12)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child and who are planning to return to work in less than 18 months or are not sure when they plan to return to work*

PR_S11   (Who will take care of your child when you return to work?)

     ____(80 spaces)

PR_Q12   **What is the reason that you are not (planning to return to work/returning to work for several months/returning to work now)?**

INTERVIEWER: Same job means that the type of work, duties and wage rate have not significantly changed. If job no longer exists, mark "No"

01	Prefer to take care of my child (until school age)
02	Paid to take leave
03	Mothers should stay home with their child
04	Cannot find or afford babysitting or daycare
05	Cannot find a suitable job
06	Will go to school or take training
07	Other..(Go to PR_S12)
	DK, RF

Default: (Go to PR_D13A)

Coverage: *Mothers who have worked in the past, but have not worked for pay since the birth or adoption of their child*

PR_S12   (What is the reason that you are not (planning to return to work/returning to work for several months/returning to work now)?)

_____(80 spaces)

Section: **Work After Birth/Adoption (WA)**

WA_C01A   If MOTHER=0 .... (Go to CI_C01)
Else if TYPE=5 and (BK_Q01=2 or BK_Q01=3) .... (Go to CI_C01)
Else if TYPE=5 and (BK_Q01=1 or BK_Q01=blank) ....(Go to WA_Q01)
Else if JS_Q06=1 or PR_Q01=1 or PR_Q02=1 ....(Go to WA_C01B)
Else (on leave did not work since birth).. (Go to CI_C01)

WA_C01B   If LWM, LWY <= BMTH, BYEAR...(Go to WA_C07)
Else...(Go to WA_Q01)

WA_Q01   **Were you working for (employer name) before the birth/adoption of your child?**

1	Yes..(Go to WA_Q08M)
2	No
	DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is after the birth or adoption of their child*

WA_Q02   **For whom were you working for at that time?**

1   Enter the employer's name.. (Go to WA_Q02N)
2   Own business
3   The family business
       DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_Q03)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is*
                after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer

WA_Q02N   **(For whom were you working for at that time?)**

____(50 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is*
                after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer. Excludes
                respondents who owned a business or worked for the family business

WA_D02N   Create and set EMPLOYER=WA_Q02N (used in this section only).

WA_Q03   **What kind of business, industry or service was this?**

____(30 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is*
                after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer. Excludes
                respondents who owned a business or worked for the family business

WA_Q04   **What kind of work were you doing?**

____(30 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is*
                after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer. Excludes
                respondents who owned a business or worked for the family business

WA_C05   If WA_Q02=1 ....(Go to WA_Q05)
                Else...(Go to WA_C07)

WA_Q05   **In that job with employer, were you a union member or covered by a union**
                contract or collective agreement?

1   Yes
2   No
       DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is*
                after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer

WA_Q06   **What was your usual (gross) rate of pay, before deductions? Do not include overtime, tips, commissions or bonuses.**

1   Enter salary $ .... (Go to WA_Q06A)
2   Minimum wage
3   Only earned commissions
           DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_C07)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer*

WA_Q06A   **Enter the salary**

           ____(9 spaces)   [Min: .00 Max: 900000.00]
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers (exclude minimum wage and commission only earners) who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer*

WA_Q06B   **...Per (unit of measurement)**

01   Hour
03   Week
04   Biweekly
05   Twice per month
06   Month
07   Year
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers (exclude minimum wage and commission only earners) who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer*

WA_C07   If WA_Q02=1 ....(Go to WA_Q07)
           Else if WA_Q02 > 1 ....(Go to WA_Q08M)
           Else if COW=1 ....(Go to WA_Q07)
           Else...(Go to WA_Q08M)

WA_Q07   **At the time you stopped working for the birth/adoption of your child, did you have an agreement with your employer that you could return to work there?**

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child or whose last work date is after the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to the same employer*

WA_Q08M **When did you first return to work for pay after the birth/adoption of your child in (birth month)?**

01	January
02	February
03	March
04	April
05	May
06	June
07	July
08	August
09	September
10	October
11	November
12	December

DK, RF ....(Go to WA_Q09)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child*

WA_Q08Y **When did you first return to work for pay after the birth/adoption of your child in (birth year)?**

____(4 spaces) [Min: 2001 Max: 2007]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child*

WA_Q09 **Why did you return to work at that time?**

01	EI benefits ended
02	Other benefits or leave from work ran out
03	Needed the money
04	Employer required that I return
05	Worried about promotions
06	Preferred to work
07	Other..(Go to WA_S09)

DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_C10)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child*

WA_S09 (Why did you return to work at that time?)

____(80 spaces)

WA_C10 If WA_Q01=1 or WA_Q01=blank ....(Go to WA_Q12)
     Else if WA_Q01=2 ....(Go to WA_Q11)
     Else...(Go to WA_Q10)

WA_Q10   **Did you return to work for the same employer or business as before the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Yes..(Go to WA_Q12)
2   No
           DK, RF ....(Go to WA_Q12)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child but skipped WA_Q01*

WA_Q11   **Why did you not return to work for the same employer or business as before the birth/adoption of your child?**

1   Wanted different work conditions ....(Go to WA_Q14)
2   Preferred another employer
3   Was not working immediately before birth or adoption
4   Job does not exist anymore
5   Other...(Go to WA_S11)
           DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_Q13)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child who did not return to the same employer*

WA_S11   (Why did you not return to work for the same employer or business as before the birth/adoption of your child?)

           ____(80 spaces)

Default: (Go to WA_Q13)

WA_Q12   **Did you go back to the same job or position you had before?**

           <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: "Same job" means that the type of work, duties and wage rate have not changed significantly

1   Yes
2   No
           DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child and who returned to work for the same employer*

WA_Q13   **Did you return to work with the same working conditions (for example: schedule, hours, work environment)?**

1   Yes...(Go to WA_Q15)
2   No
           DK, RF ....(Go to WA_Q15)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child and who did not return to work for the same employer*

WA_Q14   **What difference (did you want/was there) in your working conditions?**

1   Less weekly hours
2   Different schedule (shift)
3   Other..(Go to WA_S14)
          DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_Q15)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child but who did not return to work with the same working conditions*

WA_S14   (What difference (did you want/was there) in your working conditions?)

          ____(80 spaces)

WA_Q15   **Who took care of your child when you returned to work?**

01   Worked and took care of child...(Go to CI_C01)
02   Shared child care with husband ....(Go to CI_C01)
03   Friend or relative took care of child
04   Private babysitter
05   Employer based daycare
06   Private nursery or daycare
07   Public nursery or daycare (at reduced cost)
08   Other..(Go to WA_S15)
          DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_Q16A)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break for the birth or adoption of their child*

WA_S15   (Who took care of your child when you returned to work?)

          ____(80 spaces)

WA_Q16A   **What was the cost of this childcare for your youngest child?**

          ____(8 spaces)   [Min: .00 Max: 10000.00]

          DK, RF .... (Go to WA_Q17TX)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break since the birth or adoption of their child and who had someone other than themselves or their spouse take care of their child when they returned to work*

WA_Q16B   **...Per (unit of measurement)**

1   Week
2   Month
3   Other..(Go to WA_S16B)
          DK, RF

Default: (Go to WA_Q17TX)

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break since the birth or adoption of their child and who had someone other than themselves or their spouse take care of their child when they returned to work*

WA_S16B   (What was the cost of this childcare for your youngest child?)

_____(80 spaces)

WA_Q17TX   **For how many of your children do you use this childcare provider?**

_____(2 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 10]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Working mothers who took a break since the birth or adoption of their child and who had someone other than themselves or their spouse take care of their child when they returned to work*

Section: **Changes in Income After Birth/Adoption (CI)**

CI_C01   If MOTHER=1 .... (Go to CI_R01)
                Else ....(Go to SD_Q01)

CI_R01   **We would like to have an indication of the change in income you experienced after the birth/adoption of your child.**

CI_Q01   **In the month before the birth/adoption of your child, was your total household income from all sources?**

                <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Include income from all household members before income tax deductions

01   Less than $1,600 (less than $20,000 per annum)
02              $1,600 to less than $2,500 ($20,000 - $30,000 per annum)
03              $2,500 to less than $3,300 ($30,000 - $40,000 per annum)
04              $3,300 to less than $5,000 ($40,000 - $60,000 per annum)
05              $5,000 to less than $6,700 ($60,000 - $80,000 per annum)
06              $6,700 or more ($80,000 or more per annum)
                DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months*

CI_Q02   **In the month after the birth/adoption of your child, did your total household income decrease, increase or stay the same?**

                <u>INTERVIEWER</u>: Include income from all household members before income tax deductions

1   Decrease
2   Increase
3   Stay the same..(Go to SD_Q01)
                DK, RF ....(Go to SD_Q01)

Coverage: *Mothers of a child aged 0 to 12 months*

CI_Q03	**By how much money per month did your household income decrease/increase after the birth/adoption of your child?**

_____(5 spaces)   [Min: 0 Max: 10000]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Mothers reporting a change in their household income after the birth/adoption of their child*

Section: **Socio-Demographics (SD)**

SD_Q01   **What is the language you first learned at home in childhood (mother tongue)?**

1   English
2   French
3   Other
      DK, RF

Coverage: *All respondents*

SD_Q02   **Were you born in Canada?**

1   Yes
2   No ....(Go to SD_Q03)
      DK, RF

Default: (Go to SD_Q05)

Coverage: *All respondents*

SD_Q03   **When did you arrive in Canada?**

INTERVIEWER: This refers to the first trip to Canada as a landed immigrant or refugee

1   To enter the year ....(Go to SD_Q03Y)
2   Never immigrated, Canadian by birth
      DK, RF

Default: (Go to SD_Q05)

Coverage: *Respondents not born in Canada*

SD_Q03Y   **When did you arrive in Canada?**

_____(4 spaces)   [Min: 1901 Max: 2006]
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents not born in Canada*

SD_Q04   **In which country were you born?**

INTERVIEWER: If person is not willing to provide the name of a Country, ask for the Continent:
North America, South America, Europe, Africa, North-East Asia, South Asia (e.g. India), South-East Asia, Australia, Middle-East

_____(30 spaces)
DK, RF

Coverage: *Respondents who were not born in Canada (based on SD_Q02 or SD_Q03)*

SD_Q05   **Now we have come to the end of the interview. Thank you very much for your participation in this survey. Do you have any comments you would like to give us concerning this project?**

1   Yes...(Go to SD_S05)
2   No
    DK, RF

Default: (Go to SD_END)

Coverage: *All respondents*

SD_S05   (Now we have come to the end of the interview. Thank you very much for your participation in this survey. Do you have any comments you would like to give us concerning this project?)

_____(100 spaces)

Coverage: *All respondents who have comments*

SD_END   End of Socio-demographics module

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