



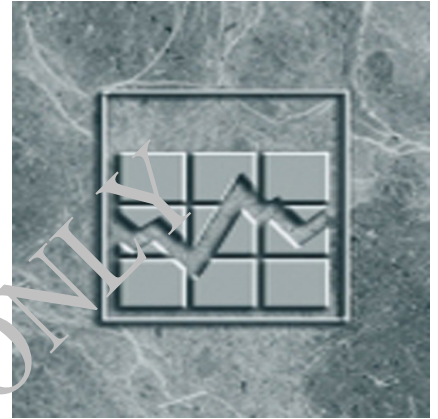
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Every January, the Survey of Labour and Income Dynamics (SLID) Labour interview is conducted using computer-assisted interviewing (CAI). CAI is paperless interviewing. This document is therefore a written approximation of the CAI interview, or the questionnaire.

A labour questionnaire is collected for all respondents 16 years and over. In January, 2001 data was collected for reference year 2000 from panels 2 and 3, which consisted of approximately 37,000 households and 90,600 people.

This document outlines the structure of the January 2001 Labour interview including question wording, possible responses, and flows of questions.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Every January, the Survey of Labour and Income Dynamics (SLID) Labour interview is conducted using computer-assisted interviewing (CAI). CAI is paperless interviewing. This document is therefore a written approximation of the CAI interview, or the questionnaire. The CAI process is as follows:

- (a) A question appearing on the computer screen is read aloud to the respondent.
- (b) The respondent's answer is directly entered by the interviewer.
- (c) Based on the answer given, and/or age or other flow criterion, the computer determines the next question to be asked and displays it on the screen.

This research paper presents the content of the Labour interview¹ including question wording, possible responses, and flows of questions.

2. WHAT'S NEW

Modified questions:

The prefixes in every section have been shortened to reflect processing.

<u>FROM:</u>	<u>TO</u>
DATES	DA
CHAR	CH
SEARCH	SE
COMP	CO
SPEND	SP
EDUC	ED
DISAB	DI
END	EN
PROXY	PR

All question numbers have been standardized to 3 digits (e.g. DATES_Q1 is now DA_Q001).

¹ The household composition and demographic questions are presented in a separate document.

DA_Q040, CH_Q175, CH_Q210, ED_Q030

Wording change only.

**ED_Q020, ED_Q030, ED_Q055, ED_Q080, ED_Q105, ED_Q130, ED_Q150,
ED_Q185**

Wording change to Interviewer Note.

CH_Q210:

Wording of the question was changed so that the response categories could be read out loud to the respondent.

CH_Q215:

This was previously an interviewer instruction (CHAR_N215), and is now a question which is read out loud to the respondent.

ED_Q135, ED_Q160

Response category 3 was deleted and replaced with response category 5. There was minimal difference between these two categories which was causing confusion.

3. HOW TO READ THIS DOCUMENT

Question numbers: For each section, the question numbers refer to the actual numbers used in the software and which appear on an interviewer's computer screen. Bold text is read, as worded, by the interviewer. Instructions for the interviewer are preceded by the word "INTERVIEWER" and are not read out loud to the respondent.

Naming conventions: Naming conventions were changed to conform to the standards for Statistics Canada social surveys.

Questions with C (e.g. ED_C001) = internal check
N (e.g. ED_N045) = interviewer instructions
E (e.g. CH_E010) = interviewer instruction edit
Q (e.g. DA_Q065) = question

Pre-fill items: Shown in square brackets [] are items specific to each respondent's interview. The software adds the relevant information into the question, making it simply a matter of reading for the interviewer. Pre-fill items include:

[respondent] - This is the first and last name of the household member to whom the questions refer. This is not necessarily the person who is talking to the interviewer.

[fname] - This is the first name of the household member to whom the questions refer. This is not necessarily the person who is talking to the interviewer

[reference year] - This is the year **for which** the information is collected (2000).

[current year] - This is the year **during which** the information is collected (2001).

[employer] - This is the employer referred to in the question. Questions may be asked for a maximum of six employers. In each case, the specific employer's name is placed in the pre-fill item.

[class of worker] indicates whether the respondent is a paid worker, self-employed or working in a family business without pay.

[type of work] - This is a short description of the respondent's occupation or type of work performed, at last contact.

[industry] - This is a description of the industry of the employer as provided by the respondent.

[start date] and [end date] - Depending on the question, these refer to either the start and end dates of a specific job, of an unpaid absence, or a jobless spell.

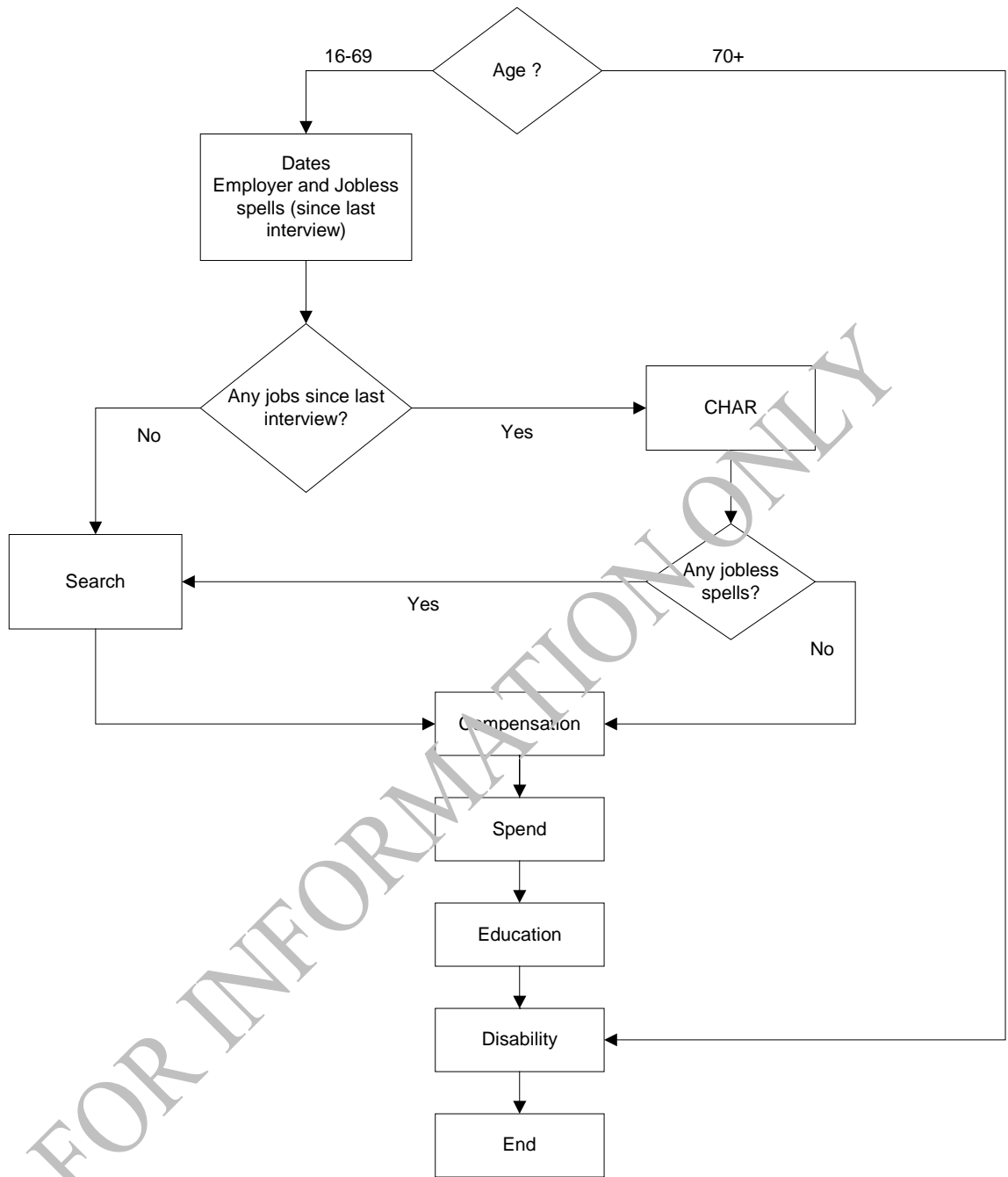
[prefill from Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu] - Wage reported previous year for respondent.

Ranges: Hard and soft ranges are specified for some of the questions. The hard range gives the highest and lowest acceptable response values. For example, in

CH_Q110 (number of employees supervised directly) a hard range of 1 - 995 exits. If the interviewer tries to enter a number greater than 995, the system will not accept this.

The soft range specifies an upper limit which, if exceeded, will result in a probe to confirm that the amount entered is correct. If it is correct, the interviewer can enter it as long as it does not exceed the hard range. For example, if the respondent states that the number of people supervised was 65, this exceeds the soft range of > 60. If confirmed as correct, the interviewer can enter this amount as it does not exceed the 995 upper limit of the hard range.

Dates: All dates are in DD/MM/YYYY format unless otherwise specified.



4. CONTENT

The general flow of the Labour interview is given in the flowchart on the previous page.

An initial divergence based on age can be seen. Those aged 16-69 are asked the labour series of questions, while those 70 years and over flow to DA_Q001 (main activity) and then to the Disability (DI) module. For the former, if the respondent worked since the last interview, the characteristics of up to six jobs are asked, followed by identification of jobless spells. If a jobless spell occurred, the respondent is asked the Search (SE) series of questions. These are also asked for respondents who have not worked since the last Labour interview. The Compensation (CO) questions are then asked of all respondents, as are subsequent modules on Spend (SP), Education (ED), Disability (DI) and End-contact(EN).

5. LABOUR INTERVIEW

The Labour interview is comprised of eight main modules as outlined in the following table.

MODULES OF THE LABOUR SURVEY AND MAJOR COMPONENTS

<u>DA</u>	<u>CH</u>	<u>SE</u>	<u>CO</u>	<u>SP</u>	<u>ED</u>	<u>DI</u>	<u>EN</u>
Job Tenure	General Job Characteristics	Jobless Spells	Receipt of Employment Insurance	Receipt of Support Payments	Months Attended School Limitations	Identifies Disabilities/Activity	Permission to Link to Income Tax
Reasons for Leaving Job	Supervisory/Managerial Responsibilities	Job Search Activities	Receipt of Workers' Compensation	Payment of Support	Type of Educational Establishment	Impact of Condition on Amount and/or the Ability to Work	
	Work Schedule		Receipt of Social Assistance or Welfare	Payments for Child Care	Information on Any Diplomas, Certificates or Degrees Earned		
	Wages & Fringe Benefits						
	Absences from Work for 1 or More Weeks						

The household composition and demographic questions are presented in a separate document.

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DA: Dates – Employer start and end dates are collected for up to six employers during the year. This module has an employer roster (a list of all employers the person worked for during the year), and a ghost employer roster (a list of former employers reported in previous interviews). Feeding back of employer names from the previous January also occurs in this module. For a person on unpaid absence at the beginning of last January, the absence as well as the employer name is fed back.

Regarding “Don’t know’s” in employer dates: To collect information on an employer, the interviewer must be able to establish the date the person started working for that employer. If the interviewer is able to establish the month the job began, but not the day, the computer will set the day to 01 and the employer will be accepted. Similarly, if the interviewer can establish the month the job ended, but not the day, the computer will set the day to 28. However, if the interviewer cannot get an estimate of the month in which the job started or ended, it is impossible to proceed with that employer, and it is deleted from the roster. If the respondent reports no employers during the past year, the respondent skips to SE.

The following classification of jobs is used in DA:

Job Type 1 - a job at which the respondent was working on December 31st of the previous reference year.

Job Type 2 - a job at which the respondent was not working on December 31st of the previous reference year, but to which he/she was attached (i.e. on temporary lay-off or away on an absence of more than four weeks).

Job Type 3 - a job not previously identified in the survey, generally one at which the respondent started working during the reference year.

Jobless spells are derived from the employer dates, but not confirmed with respondents.

Employment with each employer is characterized as ended or unended, referring to whether the respondent was working for the employer at the

end of the reference year. If a job type 1 is denied, the job is deleted without an array of probing questions. For job type 2, one probing question is asked if the job is denied.

- CH: Characteristics – This will be collected for up to six employers per respondent. For job type 1 and 2, information on employer name, and type of work performed is fed back to the respondent. A change in occupation and wages can be recorded, as can two changes in work schedules for job types 1 and 2. This allows greater precision in deriving implicit hourly wage rates or total annual earnings from an employer (total annual earnings from all employers will also be collected in May in the income interview). The number of absences of one week or more (except paid vacation), and details on the first and last absences with each employer are also recorded.
- SE: Search – If there was a jobless spell identified in ‘DA’ or if the respondent did not work at any time in the year, the flow will be directed to this module. For each jobless spell, there are a series of questions on job search, and the desire for employment. For people who begin the year with a jobless spell, the search status in January is fed back to the respondent only if they were looking for work.
- CO: Compensation – This module asks questions regarding receipt of Employment Insurance, Social Assistance, or Workers Compensation. This information is collected for everyone, independently of any reported job absences and jobless spells. The information which is collected includes:
- receipt of Employment Insurance, Workers Compensation, and Social Assistance during reference year;
 - months received.
- SP: Spend – This new module requests information on support payments, both paid and received. Also, there are questions on child care expenses. The first time SLID collected this type of information was for reference year 1999.

- ED: Education – This module on formal education includes educational activity during the year, and degrees, certificates or diplomas obtained. If respondents attended more than one type of educational institution, several flows will result providing information also on field of study, program length, and whether studies were part-time, full-time, or both. By asking question ED_Q150 about other degrees, certificates or diplomas received during the reference year, this identifies situations where a respondent received a degree in the reference year although the program finished the previous year.
- DI: Disability – This module contains questions concerning disability, which have been modified in conjunction with questions that will be asked in the 2001 Census. These disability questions are asked of all respondents. The basic structure of the questions concern disability at home, at work and in other activities, but a distinction is made in the questions asked for those who worked versus those who didn't work in the reference year. No questions are asked about disability at work for respondents aged 70+.
- EN: End – This module asks the tax permission question of each respondent in preparation for the May Income survey. If permission is given, then the next contact will be January of the next year, not in May.

5.1 DA MODULE

If respondent < 16 years old: Will not appear on the component screen.

If Slidmem.prelflag = 1 (member is a joiner, a new panel or a member who turned 16), the proxy question will be asked in the Preliminary interview.

If Slidmem.prelflag = 2 (previously interviewed respondent), the proxy question will be asked in the Labour interview.

PR_N001: INTERVIEWER: Select the name of the person who is providing the information. If the person is not on the list select 'Non-household member'.

Header: first and last name of respondent, industry and class of worker

DA_Q001: **I'd like to ask you a few questions about his main activity at the end of [reference year]. Was [fname]'s main activity . . .**

I'd like to ask you a few questions about her main activity at the end [reference year]. Was [fname]'s main activity . . .

I'd like to ask you a few questions about your main activity at the end of [reference year]. Was your main activity . . .

01. **Working at a job or business?**
02. **Looking for work?**
03. **Going to school?**
04. **Keeping house?**
05. **Caring for other family members including young children?**
06. **Retired?**
07. **Long term illness or disabled?**
08. **Doing volunteer work?**
09. **No main activity?**
10. **Other (specify)**
98. **Refuse**
99. **Don't know**

If answered "Other" go to DA_Q001S

Otherwise go to DA_C005

DA_Q001S: INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to DA_C005

DA_C005: If age > 69 go to DI_C001
If age is 16 - 69 and job type = 1 go to DA_Q005

If age is 16 - 69 and job type = 2 go to DA_Q010
Otherwise go to DA_Q015

DA_Q005: **Based on our interview of a year ago, he was working for [employer] around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct?** (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

Based on our interview of a year ago, she was working for [employer] around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct? (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

Based on our interview of a year ago, you were working for [employer] around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct? (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Yes if Slidmem.preflag = 1 go to DA_C045
 if Slidmem.preflag = 2 go to DA_Q085 and set start date to 01/01/reference year
If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_E005

DA_E005: Respondent is denying working for this employer in [reference year]. Press 'D' to delete from the Employer Roster.

go to DA_C001

DA_C001: If more job type 1 or 2 to be confirmed go to DA_C120 unless all employers have been denied then go to DA_Q015.

DA_Q010: Header information: Industry, class of worker

Based on our interview of a year ago, he had a job with [employer], but he was not at work around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct? (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

Based on our interview of a year ago, she had a job with [employer], but she was not at work around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct? (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

Based on our interview of a year ago, you had a job with [employer], but you were not at work around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this correct? (any spelling errors or clarifications can be made later)

[Screen shows date absence began and reason for absence]

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to DA_Q070

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_Q025

DA_Q015: **Did he work at a job or business in [reference year]?**

Did she work at a job or business in [reference year]?

Did you work at a job or business in [reference year]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse

Were you still working for [employer] around the beginning of January [reference year]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes set job type to 1;
 if Slidmem.prelflag = 1 go to DA_C045
 if Slidmem.prelflag = 2 go to DA_Q085
If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_E025

DA_E025: Respondent is denying working for this employer in [reference year].
 Press 'D' to delete from the Employer Roster.

go to DA_C120

DA_Q030: **For whom did he work?** (name of business, government department or person)

For whom did she work? (name of business, government department or person)

For whom did you work? (name of business, government department or person)

INTERVIEWER: To select a ghost employer enter the number next to the employer name. To add a new employer, select 'New employer'.

DA_C030: If ghost employer reported, set ghost job type to 3 and go to DA_Q055.
 If new employer reported, set job type to 3 and go to DA_N035.

DA_N035: INTERVIEWER: Enter name of employer (name of business, government department or person).

Maximum: 50 bytes

DA_C035: If valid answer, set employer name.
If Refuse/Don't know set employer name to "this employer".

go to DA_C045

DA_Q040: **For whom did he work?**

For whom did she work?

For whom did you work?

INTERVIEWER: Probe for name of business, government department or person.

Maximum: 50 bytes

DA_C040: Set job type to 3.
If valid answer, set employer name.
If Refuse/Don't know, set employer name to 'this employer'.

DA_C045: If Slidmem.prelflg = 1 go to DA_Q045 (new panel, joiner
January or May)
If Slidmem.prelflg = 2 go to DA_Q050 (previously
interviewed respondent)

DA_Q045: **When did he start working for [employer]?**

When did she start working for [employer]?

When did you start working for [employer]?

Interviewer enters day/month/year

If Refuse/Don't know in day or month	set to 01
If Refuse/Don't know in year	go to DA_E045
Otherwise	go to DA_C046

Hard range:	minimum:	reference year minus ([age] minus 10) (10 years old)
	maximum:	31/12/reference year

DA_E045: A value must be entered in year. Go back and enter a value.

DA_C046: If the date reported in DA_Q045 is prior to the reference year, then set the start date on the Employer Roster to January 1st of reference year;
Otherwise set start date to entry in DA_Q045. This date is used to calculate jobless spells.
go to DA_Q060

DA_Q050: **When did he start working for [employer]?**

When did she start working for [employer]?

When did you start working for [employer]?

Interviewer enters day/month/year

If the date reported in DA_Q050 is prior to the reference year, then set the start date on the Employer Roster to January 1st of reference year;
Otherwise set start date to entry in DA_Q050. This date is used to calculate spells.

If Refuse/Don't know in day and/or month	set to 01
If Refuse/Don't know in year	go to DA_E050
Otherwise	go to DA_Q060

Hard range: minimum: none
maximum: 31/12/reference year

Soft range: minimum: 01/01/reference year
maximum: 31/12/reference year

DA_E050: A value must be entered in year. Go back and enter a value.

Soft edit for DA_Q050: If respondent gives minimum date prior to January 1st of reference year the following message will pop up:

DA_E051: We are considering only jobs that started between January 1st and December 31st of [reference year]. Are you sure this job didn't start between those dates ?

DA_Q055: **When in [reference year] did he start working for [employer]?**

When in [reference year] did she start working for [employer]?

When in [reference year] did you start working for [employer]?

Interviewer enters day/month/year

If Refuse/Don't know in day set to 01

If Refuse/Don't know in month and/or year go to DA_N055

Otherwise go to DA_Q085

Hard range: minimum: 01/01/reference year
maximum: 31/12/reference year

DA_N055: INTERVIEWER: Dates are critical to continue the interview. Go back to DA_Q055 and enter a month or year otherwise press 'D' to delete employer from Employer Roster.

go to DA_C120

DA_Q060: **Did he work for this employer before [year from DA_Q045 or DA_Q050]?**

Did she work for this employer before [year from DA_Q045 or DA_Q050]?

Did you work for this employer before [year from DA_Q045 or DA_Q050]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to DA_Q065

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_Q085

DA_Q065: **When did he first start working for [employer]?**

When did she first start working for [employer]?

When did you first start working for [employer]?

Interviewer enters month/year

If Refuse/Don't know in month set to 01

If Refuse/Don't know in year go to DA_E065

Otherwise go to DA_Q085

Hard range: minimum: reference year minus ([age] minus 10) (10 yrs old)

maximum: answer in DA_Q045/DA_Q050

DA_E065: A value must be entered in year. Go back and enter a value.

DA_Q070: **Did he return to work for [employer] in [reference year]?**

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_Q090

DA_Q090: **When did his job with [employer] end?**

When did her job with [employer] end?

When did your job with [employer] end?

Interviewer enters day/month/year

If Refuse/Don't know in day set to 01

If Refuse/Don't know in month or year go to DA_N095

Otherwise go to DA_Q095

Hard range: minimum: date in DA_Q045/DA_Q050

maximum: 31/12/reference year

If date entered is < date in DA_Q045 or DA_Q050 the following message pops up:

Check dates. Date job ended is before date job started.

DA_N095: Check dates. Month and year when job ended is necessary to continue this interview. Probe for dates; if not available press 'D' to delete employer from Employer Roster.

Press Up arrow to go back.

go to DA_C120

DA_Q095: **Did he leave this job or did the job come to an end?**

Did she leave this job or did the job come to an end?

Did you leave this job or did the job come to an end?

1. Left job go to DA_Q100

- 2. Job came to an end go to DA_Q115
- 3. Both go to DA_Q100
- 8. Refuse go to DA_C120
- 9. Don't know go to DA_C120

DA_Q100: **What was his main reason for leaving this job?**

What was her main reason for leaving this job?

What was your main reason for leaving this job?

- 01. Own illness or disability
- 02. Caring for own children
- 03. Caring for elder relative(s)
- 04. Other personal or family responsibilities
- 05. School
- 06. Found new job
- 07. Moved to a new residence
- 08. Dissatisfied with job
- 09. Retirement
- 10. To concentrate on other job
- 11. Other (specify)
- 98. Refuse
- 99. Don't know

- If answered "Own illness or disability" go to DA_Q105
- If answered "Dissatisfied with job" go to DA_Q110
- If answered "Other" go to DA_Q100S
- Otherwise go to DA_C120

DA_Q100S **INTERVIEWER:** Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to DA_C120

DA_Q105: **Was this due to a work related illness or injury?**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to DA_C120

DA_Q110: INTERVIEWER: If necessary ask:

Can you be more specific about why he was not satisfied with this job?

Can you be more specific about why she was not satisfied with this job?

Can you be more specific about why you were not satisfied with this job?

01. Poor pay
02. Not enough hours of work
03. Too many hours of work
04. Poor physical conditions (bad ventilation, too noisy, etc.)
05. Sexual harassment
06. Personal conflict with employer / other employees
07. Work too stressful
08. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to DA_Q110S

Otherwise go to DA_C120

DA_Q110S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to DA_C120

DA_Q115: **What was the main reason why this job came to an end?**

01. Company moved
02. Company went out of business
03. Seasonal nature of work
04. Layoff / business slowdown (not caused by seasonal conditions)
05. Labour dispute
06. Dismissal by employer
07. Temporary job / contract ended
08. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to DA_Q115S

Otherwise go to DA_C120

DA_Q115S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to DA_C120

DA_C120: If there is another job type 1 to be confirmed go to DA_Q005

If there is another job type 2 to be confirmed go to DA_Q010

If DA_Q010 = Yes and DA_Q070 = Refuse/

Don't know and there are no more employers go to SE_C001

If 6 employers go to DA_N120

Otherwise go to DA_Q120

DA_Q120: **Did he work for any other employers in [reference year]?**

Did she work for any other employers in [reference year]?

Did you work for any other employers in [reference year]?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Yes go to DA_Q040 and repeat for next employer.

If there is a ghost employer go to DA_Q030 and repeat for next employer.

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to DA_N120

DA_N120: INTERVIEWER: Review the information. If changes are necessary use <PgUp> to go back. No further information is needed for deleted employers marked with an 'X'. Press <Enter> to continue.

Employer Name	Start Date	End Date
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If respondent did not work in [reference year] go to SE_C001

If respondent worked in [reference year] go to CH_C001

5.2 CH MODULE

CH_C001: If job type = 3 go to CH_Q001
If job type = 1 or 2 go to CH_Q005

Header: Employer name, start date and end date

CH_Q001: **I would like to ask you a few questions about [respondent's] work with [employer]. What kind of business, industry or service was this?** (e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

I would like to ask you a few questions about your work with [employer]. What kind of business, industry or service was this? (e.g. federal government, canning industry, forestry services)

go to CH_Q015

Maximum: 50 bytes

CH_Q005: **I would like to ask you some questions about [respondent's] work with [employer]. Is this still the correct employer name?**

I would like to ask you some questions about your work with [employer]. Is this still the correct employer name?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes/Refuse/Don't know

If paid worker go to CH_Q040

If self-employed or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q011

If No go to CH_Q010

CH_Q010: **What is the employer name?**

If paid worker go to CH_Q040

If self-employed or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q011

If Refuse/Don't know go to CH_E010

Maximum: 50 bytes

CH_E010: **If you don't know the name, can you give me a brief description of the employer?** (e.g. restaurant, hospital, etc.)

If paid worker go to CH_Q040

If self-employed or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q011

CH_Q011: **Are you still [class of worker]?**

1. Confirmed
2. Not confirmed
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If confirmed and self employed go to CH_Q050

and not self employed go to CH_Q040

If not confirmed go to CH_N015

If Refuse/Don't know go to CH_E015

CH_Q015: **In this job, was he ...**

In this job, was she ...

In this job, were you ...

1. **A paid worker?**
2. **Self employed?**
3. **Working in a family business without pay?**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Paid worker go to CH_Q030

If Self employed go to CH_Q020
If Working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q050
Refuse/Don't know go to CH_E015

CH_N015: INTERVIEWER: Select correct class of worker

1. **Paid worker**
2. **Self employed**
3. **Working in a family business without pay**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Paid worker go to CH_Q030
If Self employed go to CH_Q020
If Working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q050
Refuse/Don't know go to CH_E015

CH_E015: INTERVIEWER: Class of worker is required for question flow. Go back to previous questions and enter the class of worker.

CH_Q020: **Did he have an incorporated business?**

Did she have an incorporated business?

Did you have an incorporated business?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q025: **Did he have any employees?**

Did she have any employees?

Did you have any employees?

- 1. Yes go to CH_C040
- 2. No go to CH_C040
- 8. Refuse go to CH_Q050
- 9. Don't know go to CH_Q050

CH_Q030: **How did he get his job with [employer]?**

How did she get her job with [employer]?

How did you get your job with [employer]?

- 01. Contacted employer directly
- 02. Friend or relative
- 03. Searched the Internet
- 04. Placed or answered newspaper ad
- 05. Employment agency (including Canada Employment Centres)
- 06. Referral from another employer
- 07. Contacted directly by employer
- 08. Union
- 09. Required for Social Assistance/Welfare-Workfare
- 10. Other (specify)
- 98. Refuse
- 99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q030S

Otherwise go to CH_C035

CH_Q030S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_C035

CH_C035: If Slidmem.prelflg = 1 go to CH_Q038 (new panel,
joiners Jan. or May)
If Slidmem.prelflg = 2 go to CH_Q035 (previously
interviewed respondent)

CH_Q035: **When was he offered this job?**

When was she offered this job?

When were you offered this job?

Hard range: minimum: reference year minus ([age] minus
10) (10 years old,
maximum: start date of job
(DA_Q045/_Q050/_Q055)
or 12/reference year

Soft range: minimum: 01/reference year
maximum: 12/reference year

go to CH_C040

Soft edit for CH_Q035:

If respondent gives minimum date prior to January 1 of reference
year the following message will pop up:

CH_EC035: **We are considering only jobs that started between January
and December of [reference year]. Are you sure about the date
you were offered this job?**

CH_Q038: **When was he offered this job?**

When was she offered this job?

When were you offered this job?

Hard range: minimum: reference year minus ([age] minus 10) (10 years old)

maximum: start date of job (DA_Q045/_Q050/_Q055) or 12/reference year

CH_C040: If self employed go to CH_Q050
 Otherwise go to CH_Q040

CH_Q040: **Is his job permanent, or is there some way that it is not permanent?**

(e.g. seasonal, temporary, term, casual, etc.)

Is her job permanent, or is there some way that it is not permanent?

(e.g. seasonal, temporary, term, casual, etc.)

Is your job permanent, or is there some way that it is not permanent?

(e.g. seasonal, temporary, term, casual, etc.)

- 1. Permanent
- 2. Not permanent
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Permanent/Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q050

If Not permanent go to CH_Q045

CH_Q045: **In what way is his job not permanent?**

In what way is her job not permanent?

In what way is your job not permanent?

- 1. Seasonal job
- 2. Temporary, term or contract job (non-seasonal)

- 3. **Casual job**
 - 4. **Work done through a temporary help agency**
 - 5. Other (specify)
 - 8. Refuse
 - 9. Don't know
- If answered "Other" go to CH_Q045S
 Otherwise go to CH_Q050

CH_Q045S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q050

CH_Q050: **How many persons were employed at the location where he worked for [employer]? Was it . . .**

How many persons were employed at the location where she worked for [employer]? Was it . . .

How many persons were employed at the location where you worked for [employer]? Was it . . .

- 1. **Less than 20**
- 2. **20 to 99**
- 3. **100 to 499**
- 4. **500 to 999**
- 5. **1000 and over**
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

CH_Q055: **Did this employer operate at more than one location in Canada?**

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

Yes if CH_Q050 = 5 and if job type = 1 or 2 go to CH_Q065
 if job type = 3 go to CH_Q080
 otherwise go to CH_Q060

No/Refuse/Don't know if job type = 1 or 2 go to CH_Q065
 if job type = 3 go to CH_Q080

CH_Q060: **About how many persons were employed at all these locations?
 Was it . . .**

INTERVIEWER: Probe for an estimate.

- 1. **Less than 20**
- 2. **20 to 99**
- 3. **100 to 499**
- 4. **500 to 999**
- 5. **1000 and over**
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If job type = 1 or 2 go to CH_Q065
 If job type = 3 go to CH_Q080

Soft edit on CH_Q060:
 If CH_Q060 < CH_Q050 go to CH_E060

CH_E060: **You reported less people working at all locations than the
 location where you are working.**

CH_Q065: **Our records show that in January [reference year], the kind of
 work he was doing was [type of work]. Is this correct?**

Our records show that in January [reference year], the kind of work she was doing was [type of work]. Is this correct?

Our records show that in January [reference year], the kind of work you were doing was [type of work]. Is this correct?

- 1. Yes go to CH_Q090
- 2. No go to CH_Q070
- 8. Refuse go to CH_Q090
- 9. Don't know go to CH_Q090

CH_Q070: **What kind of work was he doing with [employer] in January [reference year]?** (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work was she doing with [employer] in January [reference year]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work were you doing with [employer] in January [reference year]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

CH_Q075: **What were his most important activities or duties in January [reference year]?** (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were her most important activities or duties in January [reference year]? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were your most important activities or duties in January [reference year]? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

Go to CH_Q090

CH_Q080: **What kind of work was he doing with [employer]?** (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work was she doing with [employer]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work were you doing with [employer]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

CH_Q085: **What were his most important activities or duties?** (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were her most important activities or duties? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were your most important activities or duties? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

go to CH_Q105

Header for CH_Q090, _Q095 and _Q100: type of work

CH_Q090: **Did the kind of work he was doing with [employer] change during [reference year]?**

Did the kind of work she was doing with [employer] change during [reference year]?

Did the kind of work you were doing with [employer] change during [reference year]?

- 1. Yes go to CH_Q095
- 2. No go to CH_Q105
- 8. Refuse go to CH_Q105
- 9. Don't know go to CH_Q105

CH_Q095: **What kind of work was he doing [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?** (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work was she doing [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

What kind of work were you doing [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]? (e.g. office clerk, factory worker, forestry technician, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

CH_Q100: **What were his most important activities or duties [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?** (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were her most important activities or duties [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

What were your most important activities or duties [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]? (e.g. filing documents, drying vegetables, forest examiner, etc.)

Maximum: 50 bytes

Header: employer name, start date and end date

CH_Q105: **In the past year at this job, did he supervise the work of other employees on a day-to-day basis?**

In the past year at this job, did she supervise the work of other employees on a day-to-day basis?

In the past year at this job, did you supervise the work of other employees on a day-to-day basis?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q110

If No/Refuse/Don't know
and paid worker go to CH_Q125

Otherwise go to CH_Q150

CH_Q110: **About how many people did he supervise directly?**

About how many people did she supervise directly?

About how many people did you supervise directly?

INTERVIEWER: Probe for an estimate

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 995

Soft range: > 60

CH_Q115: **Did he have an influence on whether a person he supervised received a pay raise or promotion?**

Did she have an influence on whether a person she supervised received a pay raise or promotion?

Did you have an influence on whether a person you supervised received a pay raise or promotion?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q120: **Was he directly responsible for deciding the work to be done by the people he supervised?**

Was she directly responsible for deciding the work to be done by the people she supervised?

Were you directly responsible for deciding the work to be done by the people you supervised?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If paid worker go to CH_Q125

Otherwise go to CH_Q150

CH_Q125: **In the past year at this job, did he make decisions about budgets or staffing?**

In the past year at this job, did she make decisions about budgets or staffing?

In the past year at this job, did you make decisions about budgets or staffing?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q130: **Was his work with [employer] managerial?**

Was her work with [employer] managerial?

Was your work with [employer] managerial?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q135

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q140

CH_Q135: **Would his work be best described as top, upper, middle or lower management?**

Would her work be best described as top, upper, middle or lower management?

Would your work be best described as top, upper, middle or lower management?

1. Top management
2. Upper management
3. Middle management
4. Lower management
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q140: Which of the following best describes his work schedule with [employer] [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?

Which of the following best describes her work schedule with [employer] [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?

Which of the following best describes your work schedule with [employer] [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?

01. A regular daytime schedule go to CH_Q150
02. A regular evening shift go to CH_Q150
03. A regular night or graveyard shift go to CH_Q150
04. A rotating shift (changes from days to evenings to nights) go to CH_Q150
05. A split shift (two distinct periods each day) go to CH_Q150
06. On call go to CH_Q145
07. An irregular schedule go to CH_Q145
08. Other (specify) go to CH_Q140S
98. Refuse go to CH_Q150
99. Don't know go to CH_Q150

CH_Q140S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q150

CH_Q145: What was the main reason that he worked this schedule?

What was the main reason that she worked this schedule?

What was the main reason that you worked this schedule?

01. Own illness or disability
02. Caring for own children
03. Caring for elder relatives(s)
04. Other personal or family responsibilities
05. Going to school
06. Could only find this type of work
07. Did not want a regular schedule
08. Requirement of the job/no choice
09. Earn more money
10. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q145S
 Otherwise go to CH_Q150

CH_Q145S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q150

CH_Q150: **At this job, did he usually work every week of the month?**

At this job, did she usually work every week of the month?

At this job, did you usually work every week of the month?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes/Refuse/Don't know and paid worker go to CH_Q160
 If Yes/Refuse/Don't know and self employed

or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q165
If No go to CH_Q155

CH_Q155: **How many weeks did he usually work each month?**

How many weeks did she usually work each month?

How many weeks did you usually work each month?

If paid worker go to CH_Q160

If self-employed or working in
a family business without pay go to CH_Q165

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 3

CH_Q160: **How many hours per week did he usually get paid?**

How many hours per week did she usually get paid?

How many hours per week did you usually get paid?

INTERVIEWER: If the hours/week vary, take the average
over the last 4 weeks worked

If total is < than 30 hours go to CH_Q170

If total is > than 30 hours/Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q175

Hard range: minimum: 1.00
maximum: 168.00

Soft range: < 5 and > 60

CH_Q165: **How many hours per week did he usually work?**

How many hours per week did she usually work?

How many hours per week did you usually work?

INTERVIEWER: If the hours/week vary, take the average over the last 4 weeks worked

If total is < than 30 hours go to CH_Q170

If total is > than 30 hours/Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q175

Hard range: minimum: 1.00

maximum: 168.00

Soft range: < 5 and > 60

CH_Q170: **What was the main reason he usually worked less than 30 hours per week?**

What was the main reason she usually worked less than 30 hours per week?

What was the main reason you usually worked less than 30 hours per week?

01. Own illness or disability
02. Caring for children
03. Caring for elder relative(s)
04. Other personal or family responsibilities
05. Going to school
06. Could only find part-time work
07. Did not want full-time work
08. Full-time work under 30 hours per week
09. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q170S

Otherwise go to CH_Q175

CH_Q170S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q175

CH_Q175: **Did he regularly work any of his scheduled hours at home?**

Did she regularly work any of her scheduled hours at home?

Did you regularly work any of your scheduled hours at home?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

Yes go to CH_Q180

No If self-employed or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q210

If a paid worker and CH_Q140 = On call go to CH_Q210

If a paid worker and CH_Q140 = Irregular schedule go to CH_Q251

Otherwise go to CH_Q185

Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q185

CH_Q180: **How many hours per week did he usually work at home?**

How many hours per week did she usually work at home?

How many hours per week did you usually work at home?

Hard range: minimum: 1.00
maximum: 168.00

Soft range: > 60

If self-employed or working in a family business without pay go to CH_Q210
If a paid worker and CH_Q140 = On call go to CH_Q210
If a paid worker and CH_Q140 = Irregular Schedule go to CH_Q251
Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q185
Otherwise go to CH_Q185

CH_Q185: **Did the number of hours usually worked per week for this employer change in [reference year]?**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q190
Otherwise go to CH_Q251

CH_Q190: **In what month was this?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

If months not equal to dates worked go to CH_E190
Otherwise go to CH_Q195

CH_E190: Check dates. Month in which hours changed is not within start and end dates of job.

go to CH_Q195

CH_Q195: **Before this change, did he usually work every week of the month?**

Before this change, did she usually work every week of the month?

Before this change, did you usually work every week of the month?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q205
Otherwise go to CH_Q200

CH_Q200: **How many weeks did he usually work per month?** (before this change)

How many weeks did she usually work per month? (before this change)

How many weeks did you usually work per month? (before this change)

INTERVIEWER: Probe for an estimate

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 3

CH_Q205: **How many hours per week did he usually get paid?** (before this change)

How many hours per week did she usually get paid? (before this change)

How many hours per week did you usually get paid? (before this change)

INTERVIEWER: Probe for an estimate

Hard range: minimum: 1.00
maximum: 168.00

Soft range: < 5 and > 60

go to CH_Q251

CH_Q210: **Last year, when did he work for [employer]?**

Last year, when did she work for [employer]?

Last year, when did you work for [employer]?

1. **All months of the year:**

Edit on all months of the year:

To select this answer, respondent must have worked from
01/01/reference year to 31/12/reference year;

Otherwise go to CH_E210

If paid worker and not the same employer as last year

(CH_Q005 = No) go to CH_Q251

If paid worker and same employer as last year

(CH_Q005 = Yes)

and if Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu > 0 go to CH_Q240

If paid worker and same employer as last year

(CH_Q005 = Yes)

and Empl.oldwage = \$0.00 and Empl.oldwageu = 0

go to CH_Q245

Otherwise, if more employers go to CH_C001

If no more employers go to SE_C001

2. **Some of the months** go to CH_Q215

3. **None of the months** if more employers go to CH_C001
if no more employers go to SE_C001

8./9. Refuse/Don't know

If paid worker and not the same employer
as last year (CH_Q005 = No) go to CH_Q251

If paid worker and same employer as last year
(CH_Q005 = Yes)
and if Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu > 0
go to CH_Q240

If paid worker and same employer as last year
(CH_Q005 = Yes) and Empl.oldwage = \$0.00
and Empl.oldwageu = 0 go to CH_Q245

Otherwise, if more employers go to CH_C001

If no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q210: **Dates worked for this employer are [start date] and [end date],
therefore you cannot select 'All months of the year'.**

CH_Q215: **In which months did he work for [employer]?**

In which months did she work for [employer]?

In which months did you work for [employer]?

INTERVIEWER: Select all months that apply

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

If paid worker and not the same employer
as last year (CH_Q005 = No) go to CH_Q251

If paid worker and a new employer
reported go to CH_Q251

If paid worker and same employer
as last year (CH_Q005 = Yes) go to CH_Q254

Otherwise, if more employers go to CH_C001

If no more employers go to SE_C001

Edit: Must be within dates worked for this employer;
If dates inconsistent with job dates go to CH_E215

CH_E215: Check dates. Months specified are not within start and end dates
of job.

CH_Q240: **At the beginning of last year , he said that his wage at this job was \$ [prefill from Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu]. Was this correct?**

At the beginning of last year , she said that her wage at this job was \$ [prefill from Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu]. Was this correct?

At the beginning of last year, you said that your wage at this job was \$ [prefill from Empl.oldwage and Empl.oldwageu]. Was this correct?

- 1. Yes go to CH_Q250
- 2. No go to CH_Q245
- 8. Refuse go to CH_Q255
- 9. Don't know go to CH_Q255

CH_Q245: **What was his wage at this job at the beginning of last year?**

What was her wage at this job at the beginning of last year?

What was your wage at this job at the beginning of last year?

INTERVIEWER: If wage is greater than \$999,995.00, enter 999,995.00

Hard range: minimum: \$ 0.01
maximum: \$ 999,995.00

Soft range: > \$99,995

Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q250

Otherwise go to CH_Q246

CH_Q246: **Is this wage . . .**

01. **Hourly?**
02. **Daily?**
03. **Weekly?**
04. **Bi-weekly?**
05. **Semi-monthly?**
06. **Monthly?**
07. **Yearly?**
08. **Other (specify)**

Refuse/Don't know not permitted for this question

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q246S

Otherwise go to CH_Q250

CH_Q246S **INTERVIEWER:** Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q255

CH_Q250: **Did his wage at this job change during the year?**

Did her wage at this job change during the year?

Did your wage at this job change during the year?

1. Yes go to CH_Q251
2. No go to CH_Q255
8. Refuse go to CH_Q260
9. Don't know go to CH_Q260

CH_Q251: **What is the easiest way for you to tell us his wage or salary at this job? Would it be:**

What is the easiest way for you to tell us her wage or salary at this job? Would it be:

What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary at this job? Would it be:

01. **Hourly ?**
02. **Daily ?**
03. **Weekly ?**
04. **Bi-weekly ?**
05. **Semi-monthly ?**
06. **Monthly ?**
07. **Yearly ?**
08. **Other (specify)**

Refuse/Don't know not permitted for this question

Note: Numbers 04 and 05 were previously combined

If Other (specify) go to CH_Q255

Otherwise go to CH_Q252

CH_Q252: **What was his [prefill of answer from CH_Q251] wage or salary, before taxes and deductions, [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?**

What was her [prefill of answer from CH_Q251] wage or salary, before taxes and deductions, [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?

What was your [prefill of answer from CH_Q251] wage or salary, before taxes and deductions, [when this job ended] [at the end of reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Before taxes and deductions, including tips and commissions and excluding paid

overtime. If wage or salary is greater than \$999,995.00, enter 999,995.00

Hard range: minimum: \$ 0.01
maximum: \$ 999,995.00

Soft range: > \$99,995

If CH_Q251 = Hourly and < \$10	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Daily and < \$75	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Weekly and < \$375	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Bi-weekly and < \$750	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Semi-monthly and < \$750	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Monthly and < \$1,500	go to CH_Q253
If CH_Q251 = Yearly and < \$18,000	go to CH_Q253
Refuse/Don't know	go to CH_Q260
Otherwise	go to CH_Q254

CH_Q253: **Was this the minimum wage?**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q254: **Does he usually receive tips and commissions?**

Does she usually receive tips and commissions?

Do you usually receive tips and commissions?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

Were you covered by a union contract or collective agreement?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q270: **I would now like to ask you about job benefits that some employers offer. In his job with [employer], did he have an employer pension plan?**

I would now like to ask you about job benefits that some employers offer. In her job with [employer], did she have an employer pension plan?

I would now like to ask you about job benefits that some employers offer. In your job with [employer], did you have an employer pension plan?

INTERVIEWER: Also called a Registered Pension Plan.
Exclude CPP or QPP (Canada/Quebec Pension Plan).

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q272
Otherwise go to CH_Q271

CH_Q271: **Did he contribute to this pension plan, for example, through pay deductions?**

Did she contribute to this pension plan, for example, through pay deductions?

Did you contribute to this pension plan, for example, through pay deductions?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to CH_Q275

CH_Q272: **In this job, did he participate in a group RRSP?**

In this job, did she participate in a group RRSP?

In this job, did you participate in a group RRSP?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q273

Otherwise go to CH_Q275

CH_Q273: **Did his employer contribute to this group RRSP?**

Did her employer contribute to this group RRSP?

Did your employer contribute to this group RRSP?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q275: **In this job, did his employer offer him any of the following benefits? (even if he chose not to take them)**

In this job, did her employer offer her any of the following benefits? (even if she chose not to take them)

In this job, did your employer offer you any of the following benefits? (even if you chose not to take them)

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply

1. **Medical insurance or health plan (in addition to public health insurance coverage)**
2. **Dental plan (dental plan or dental coverage with the health plan)**
3. **Life and/or disability insurance plan**
4. **None of the above**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q277: **Did his employer give him the option of a:**

Did her employer give her the option of a:

Did your employer give you the option of a:

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply

1. **Low-interest loan**
2. **Profit sharing plan**
3. **Stock purchase plan (or Stock option plan)**
4. **None of the above**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q279: **In this job, were there other important benefits available to him as an employee?**

In this job, were there other important benefits available to her as an employee?

In this job, were there other important benefits available to you as an employee?

1. Yes (specify)
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If answered "Yes" go to CH_Q279S
Otherwise go to CH_C280

CH_Q279S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_C280

Absences

CH_C280: If job type = 1 or 3 go to CH_Q280

If job type = 2 go to CH_Q285

On call workers: if more employers go to CH_C001

Otherwise go to SE_C001

CH_Q280: **Not counting fully paid vacation, was he absent from this job for a period of one week or longer?**

Not counting fully paid vacation, was she absent from this job for a period of one week or longer?

Not counting fully paid vacation, were you absent from this job for a period of one week or longer?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If yes go to CH_Q320
Otherwise if more employers go to CH_C001
otherwise go to SE_C001

CH_Q285: **Before returning to work for [employer] did he receive any pay from this employer?**

Before returning to work for [employer] did she receive any pay from this employer?

Before returning to work for [employer] did you receive any pay from this employer?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q290
Otherwise go to CH_C290

CH_Q290: **Was that full or partial pay?**

1. Full pay
2. Partial pay
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to CH_C290

CH_C290: If reas_absen from Empl.dbf OR Ghostemp.dbf = 08
(reason for absence is seasonal layoff) go to CH_Q295
Otherwise go to CH_Q305

CH_Q295: **In [reference year], did he look for another job before returning to work?**

In [reference year], did she look for another job before returning to work?

In [reference year], did you look for another job before returning to work?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q300
Otherwise go to CH_Q305

CH_Q300: **In which months did he look for another job?**

In which months did she look for another job?

In which months did you look for another job?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

Edit: Months should be within start date of job and return date in DA_Q075;

If not go to CH_E300

CH_E300: Check dates. Months in CH_Q300 should be before date returned to work in DA_Q075

Start: date of absence

End: date of absence

CH_Q305: **After returning to work for [employer], was he absent from this job for a period of one week or longer, not counting fully paid vacations?**

After returning to work for [employer], was she absent from this job for a period of one week or longer, not counting fully paid vacations?

After returning to work for [employer], were you absent from this job for a period of one week or longer, not counting fully paid vacations?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q310

If No/Refuse/Don't know and more employers go to CH_C001

If no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q310: **How many times was he absent after returning to work on [return date from DA_Q075]?**

How many times was she absent after returning to work on [return date from DA_Q075]?

How many times were you absent after returning to work on [return date from DA_Q075]?

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 52

Soft range: = 1 and > 20

If only once make [last] = blank

If more than once make [last] = last then go to CH_Q375

Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q315

CH_Q315: **Would you say it was more than once?**

1. Yes make [last] = last

2. No make [last] = blank

8. Refuse

9. Don't know

If Yes/No go to CH_Q375

If Refuse/Don't know and
more employers go to CH_C001

If no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q320: **How many times was he absent?**

How many times was she absent?

How many times were you absent?

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 52

Soft range: > 20

If only once, make [first] = a blank go to CH_Q330

Otherwise [first] = first and [last] = last go to CH_Q330

If Refuse and more employers go to CH_C001
If Refuse and no more employers go to SE_C001
If Don't know go to CH_Q325

CH_Q325: **Would you say it was more than once?**

1. Yes make [first] = first, [last] = last
2. No make [first] = blank
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes/No go to CH_Q330
If Refuse/Don't know and
more employers go to CH_C001
If no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q330: **When did his [first] absence begin?**

When did her [first] absence begin?

When did your [first] absence begin?

Hard range: must be within dates worked for this employer

Interviewer enters day/month/ year go to CH_Q335
Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q335

CH_Q335: **When did this absence end?**

Hard range: minimum: 01/01/reference year
maximum: 31/12/reference year

Interviewer enters day/month/year

If start date from CH_Q330 or end date from

CH_Q335 are Refuse/Don't know go to CH_Q340
Otherwise go to CH_Q345

Edit: CH_Q335 > CH_Q330; if not go to CH_E335
CH_Q335 < DA_Q090; if not go to CH_E336

CH_E335: Check dates. Date absence ended in CH_Q335 should be later than date absence began in CH_Q330

CH_E336: Check dates. Date absence ended in CH_Q335 should be before date job ended in DA_Q090

CH_Q340: **About how many weeks would you say this absence lasted?**

Interviewer enters estimate

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 52

CH_Q345: **What was the main reason for this absence?**

01. Own illness or disability
02. Maternity leave
03. Caring for own children
04. Caring for elder relative(s)
05. Other personal or family responsibilities
06. School or educational leave
07. Labour dispute
08. Temporary layoff due to seasonal conditions
09. Temporary layoff - non-seasonal
10. Unpaid or partially paid vacation
11. New job to start in the future
12. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Own illness or disability" go to CH_Q350

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q345S

Otherwise go to CH_Q355

CH_Q345S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q355

CH_Q350: **Was this due to a work related illness or injury?**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q355: **Did he receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?**

Did she receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?

Did you receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes

go to CH_Q360

If No/Refuse/Don't know and

if CH_Q345 = 08 (seasonal layoff)

go to CH_Q365

If more than one absence

go to CH_Q375

If one absence and more employers

go to CH_C001

If no more employers

go to SE_C001

CH_Q360: **Was that full or partial pay?**

1. Full pay
2. Partial pay
8. Refuse

9. Don't know

If CH_Q345 = 08 (seasonal layoff)	go to CH_Q365
If more than one absence	go to CH_Q375
If one absence and more employers	go to CH_C001
If no more employers	go to SE_C001

CH_Q365: **Did he look for another job during this absence?**

Did she look for another job during this absence?

Did you look for another job during this absence?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes, and absence start and end dates complete	go to CH_Q370
not complete and more employers	go to CH_C001
no more employers	go to SE_C001

If No/Refuse/Don't know,	
and more than one absence	go to CH_Q375
one absence and more employers	go to CH_C001
no more employers	go to SE_C001

CH_Q370: **In which months did he look for another job?**

In which months did she look for another job?

In which months did you look for another job?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply. Months marked should be within dates shown below.

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

If dates inconsistent with dates of absence go to CH_E370
 If more than one absence go to CH_Q375
 If one absence and more employers go to CH_C001
 If no more employers go to SE_C001

Edit: Months in CH_Q370 must be within months in CH_Q330
 and CH_Q335,
 If not go to CH_E370

CH_E370: Check dates. Months looked for work in CH_Q370 should be within dates of absence. Go back to CH_Q330, CH_Q335 or CH_Q370 to correct.

Start: date of absence End: date of absence

CH_Q375: **When did his [last] absence from this job in [reference year] begin?**

When did her [last] absence from this job in [reference year] begin?

When did your [last] absence from this job in [reference year] begin?

03. Caring for own children
04. Caring for elder relative(s)
05. Other personal or family responsibilities
06. School or educational leave
07. Labour dispute
08. Temporary layoff due to seasonal conditions
09. Temporary layoff - non-seasonal
10. Unpaid or partially paid vacation
11. New job to start in the future
12. Other (specify)
98. Refuse
99. Don't know

If answered "Own illness or disability" go to CH_Q395

If answered "Other" go to CH_Q390S

Otherwise go to CH_Q400

CH_Q390S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to CH_Q400

CH_Q395: **Was this due to a work related illness or injury?**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CH_Q400: **Did he receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?**

Did she receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?

Did you receive any pay from [employer] for this absence?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CH_Q405

If No and CH_Q390 = 08 go to CH_Q410

Otherwise if more employers go to CH_C001

if no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q405: **Was that full or partial pay?**

1. Full pay
2. Partial pay
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If CH_Q390 from Empl.dbf = 08 OR
if Ghostempl.dbf = 08 (seasonal layoff) go to CH_Q410

Otherwise if more employers go to CH_C001

if no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q410: **Did he look for another job during this absence?**

Did she look for another job during this absence?

Did you look for another job during this absence?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes if absence start and end dates complete
go to CH_Q415
Otherwise, if more employers go to
CH_C001;
if no more employers go to SE_C001

If No/Refuse/Don't know if more employers go to CH_C001;
if no more employers go to SE_C001

CH_Q415: **In which months did he look for another job?**

In which months did she look for another job?

In which months did you look for another job?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

Edit: Months in CH_Q415 must be within months in CH_Q375
and CH_Q380,

If not go to CH_E415

CH_E415: Check dates. Months looked for work in CH_Q415 should be
within dates of absence. Go back to CH_Q375, CH_Q380 or
CH_Q415 to correct.

Start: date of absence End: date of absence

go to CH_Q375 or CH_Q415 to correct

otherwise if more employers go to CH_C001
if no more employers go to SE_C001

5.3 SE MODULE

Header information: start and end dates of derived jobless spell

Screen options: household list, employer roster, ghost employers

SE_C001: If there are jobless spells and if
Slidmem.lookwork = 1 (was jobless Jan. 1/[reference year])
and gap started < = Jan 6 of [reference year] go to SE_Q001
If a jobless spell identified during current interview go to SE_Q005
If there are no jobless spells go to CO_C001
If start date or end date of jobless spell = R/DK go to CO_C001

SE_Q001: **Based on our interview of a year ago, [respondent] [was]
looking for work around the beginning of January [reference
year]. Is this correct?**

**Based on our interview of a year ago, [you] [were] looking for
work around the beginning of January [reference year]. Is this
correct?**

Header: Non working period from _____ to _____

1. Yes
2. No
3. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to SE_Q010

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to SE_Q005

SE_Q005: **Did [respondent] look for work at any time between [start date
of jobless spell] and [end date of jobless spell]? (DD/MM/YYYY)**

**Did you look for work at any time between [start date of
jobless spell] and [end date of jobless spell]? (DD/MM/YYYY)**

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to SE_Q010

If No/Refuse/Don't know go to SE_Q015

SE_Q010: In which months did he look?

In which months did she look?

In which months did you look?

1. In all months of jobless spell
 - if another jobless spell go to SE_Q005
 - if no more jobless spells go to CO_C001
2. Specify months go to SE_N010
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If another jobless spell go to SE_Q005

If no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

SE_N010: INTERVIEWER: Indicate months looked for work. Months must be between [start of jobless spell] and [end of jobless spell]. Select from list of months; mark all that apply

If another jobless spell go to SE_Q005

If no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

Edit: Months looked for work = jobless spells;

If not go SE_E010

SE_E010: Check dates. Months looked for work in SE_Q010 should be within jobless dates in SE_Q005. Go back to SE_Q010 to correct.

If another jobless spell go to SE_Q005

If no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

SE_Q015: **Did he want a job during this period?**

Did she want a job during this period?

Did you want a job during this period?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to SE_Q020

If No/Refuse/Don't know and
if more jobless spells go to SE_Q005

If no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

SE_Q020: **What was the main reason he did not look for work during this period?**

what was the main reason she did not look for work during this period?

What was the main reason you did not look for work during this period?

01. Own illness or disability
02. Caring for own children
03. Caring for elder relative(s)
04. Other personal or family responsibilities
05. Going to school

- 06. Waiting for recall (to former job)
- 07. Waiting for replies from employers
- 08. Believes no work available
- 09. No reason given
- 10. Other (specify)
- 98. Refuse
- 99. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to SE_Q020S
 Otherwise if another jobless spell go to SE_Q005
 if no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

SE_Q020S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

If another jobless spell go to SE_Q005
 If no more jobless spells go to CO_C001

5.4 CO MODULE

CO_C001: If Slidmem.uiflag = 1 (received Employment Insurance benefits in December [previous year]) go to CO_Q005
 If Slidmem.uiflag = 2 go to CO_Q010

CO_Q005: **Based on our interview of a year ago, [respondent] received Employment Insurance benefits in December [previous year]. Is this correct?**

Based on our interview of a year ago, you received Employment Insurance benefits in December [previous year]. Is this correct?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No

- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

CO_Q010: **Did [respondent] receive any income from Employment Insurance benefits in [reference year]?**

Did you receive any income from Employment Insurance benefits in [reference year]?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Yes go to CO_Q015
 Otherwise go to CO_C020

CO_Q015: **In which months?**

- 1. All months of the year go to CO_C020
- 2. Specify months go to CO_N015
- 8. Refuse go to CO_C020
- 9. Don't know go to CO_C020

CO_N015: INTERVIEWER: Indicate months Employment Insurance benefits received

CO_C020 If Slidmem.workcomp = 1 (received Workers' Compensation benefits in December [previous year]) go to CO_Q020
 If Slidmem.workcomp = 2 go to CO_Q025

CO_Q020: **Based on our interview of a year ago, [respondent] received Workers' Compensation benefits in December [previous year]. Is this correct?**

Based on our interview of a year ago, you received Workers' Compensation benefits in December [previous year]. Is this correct?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CO_Q025: Did he receive any income from Workers' Compensation benefits in [reference year]?

Did she receive any income from Workers' Compensation benefits in [reference year]?

Did you receive any income from Workers' Compensation benefits in [reference year]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CO_Q030
Otherwise go to CO_C035

CO_Q030: In which months?

1. All months of the year go to CO_C035
2. Specify months go to CO_N030
8. Refuse go to CO_C035
9. Don't know go to CO_C035

CO_N030: INTERVIEWER: Indicate months Workers' Compensation benefits received

CO_C035: If Slidmem.socass = 1 (received Social Assistance in December [previous year] go to CO_Q035
If Slidmem.socass = 2 go to CO_Q040

CO_Q035: **Based on our interview of a year ago, he received Social Assistance or welfare in December [previous year]. Is this correct?**

Based on our interview of a year ago, she received Social Assistance or welfare in December [previous year]. Is this correct?

Based on our interview of a year ago, you received Social Assistance or welfare in December [previous year]. Is this correct?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

CO_Q040: **Did he receive any income from Social Assistance or welfare in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any income from Social Assistance or welfare in [reference year]?

Did you receive any income from Social Assistance or welfare in [reference year]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to CO_Q045

Otherwise go to SP_Q001

CO_Q045: **In which months?**

- | | |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| 1. All months of the year | go to SP_Q001 |
| 2. Specify months | go to CO_N045 |
| 8. Refuse | go to SP_Q001 |
| 9. Don't know | go to SP_Q001 |

CO_N045: INTERVIEWER: Indicate months Social Assistance received

go to SP_Q001

5.5 SP MODULE

SP_Q001: **In [reference year], did he RECEIVE any support payments from a former spouse or partner? By support payments we mean alimony, separation allowance, or child support.**

In [reference year], did she RECEIVE any support payments from a former spouse or partner? By support payments we mean alimony, separation allowance, or child support.

In [reference year], did you RECEIVE any support payments from a former spouse or partner? By support payments we mean alimony, separation allowance, or child support.

INTERVIEWER: “Support payments” are covered by an agreement to pay a fixed amount on a regular basis. Exclude all other gifts or transfers of money. Include only support payments actually received.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse

9. Don't know

If Yes go to SP_Q005

Otherwise go to SP_Q010

SP_Q001 to SP_Q015 Notes:

- Report the total amount: child and spousal.
- Exclude payments tied to one specific type of expenditure, such as child care services, medical expenses or education expenses, including trust funds.
- May be paid/received by direct payment to/by the recipient OR through a government agency that garnishees the funds from the payor's paycheck. Include either type.
- If support payments were paid/received to/by two or more former spouses or partners, add the two together, i.e., treat them as one total set of payments.
- Exclude divorce settlements.

SP_Q005: **What was the total amount he RECEIVED in support payments in [reference year]?**

What was the total amount she RECEIVED in support payments in [reference year]?

What was the total amount you RECEIVED in support payments in [reference year]?

Hard range: minimum: \$ 1

maximum: \$ 999,995

Soft range: = \$1 and < \$99,996

SP_Q010: **In [reference year], did he PAY any support payments to a former spouse or partner?**

In [reference year], did she PAY any support payments to a former spouse or partner?

In [reference year], did you PAY any support payments to a former spouse or partner?

INTERVIEWER: “Support payments” are covered by an agreement to pay a fixed amount on a regular basis. Exclude all other gifts or transfers of money. Include only support payments actually paid.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to SP_Q015

Otherwise go to SP_C005

SP_Q015: **What was the total amount he PAID in support payments in [reference year]?**

What was the total amount she PAID in support payments in [reference year]?

What was the total amount you PAID in support payments in [reference year]?

Hard range: minimum: \$ 1
maximum: \$ 999,995

Soft range: = \$1 and < \$99,996

SP_C005: **Person had at least one job during the reference year:**

Yes go to SP_C010

No go to ED_C001

SP_C010: At least one child aged 15 or younger present in household:

Yes go to SP_Q020
No go to ED_C001

SP_Q020: **In [reference year], did he pay for child care, such as day care or babysitting, so that he could work at his paid job(s)?**

In [reference year], did she pay for child care, such as day care or babysitting, so that she could work at her paid job(s)?

In [reference year], did you pay for child care, such as day care or babysitting, so that you could work at your paid job(s)?

INTERVIEWER: Do not double-count any expenses paid by the household that were already reported for (or by) another household member. Exclude payments to family members living with you.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to SP_Q025
Otherwise go to SP_Q040

SP_Q020 to SP_Q045 Notes:

- Include day care, other care outside the home, in-home care, and before-or after-school programs.
- Include children's camps.
- Include hours closely connected with being available for work, such as travel time.
- Exclude periods when you were looking for a job but not working at one.
- Include days when school was closed.

SP_Q025: **What was the total amount he paid for child care in [reference year] so that he could work at his paid job(s)?**

What was the total amount she paid for child care in [reference year] so that she could work at her paid job(s)?

What was the total amount you paid for child care in [reference year] so that you could work at your paid job(s)?

INTERVIEWER: Do not double-count any expenses paid by the household that were already reported for (or by) another member.

Hard range: minimum: \$ 1
maximum: \$ 999,995

Soft range: = \$1 and < \$99,995

SP_Q030: **Does this include amounts he paid for child care or programs for children so he could continue to work at his job(s) during school holiday?**

Does this include amounts she paid for child care or programs for children so she could continue to work at her job(s) during school holidays?

Does this include amounts you paid for child care or programs for children so you could continue to work at your job(s) during school holidays?

INTERVIEWER: Do not double-count any expenses paid by the household that were already reported for (or by) another household member.

1. Yes
2. No

Without ED_Q150, these "degrees" would not be recorded. Similarly, if ED_Q005 = No then ED_Q185 will also pick up these hidden "degrees", that is degrees or certificates awarded after the year that the respondent attended the institution.

ED_C001: If Slidmem.student = 1 go to ED_Q001
If Slidmem.student = 2 go to ED_Q005

ED_Q001: **Based on our interview of a year ago, [respondent] was attending a school, college or university in December [previous year]. Is this correct?**

Based on our interview of a year ago, you were attending a school, college or university in December [previous year]. Is this correct?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

ED_Q005: **Did [respondent] attend a school, college or university in [reference year]?**

Did you attend a school, college or university in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Include attendance at a post-secondary institution if the courses taken can be used as recognized credits towards a certificate, diploma or degree. Do not include courses taken for leisure, recreation or personal interest.

1. Yes
2. No

- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q010
Otherwise go to ED_Q185

ED_Q010: **In what months?**

- 1. Regular elementary or high school term
 January to June & September to December go to ED_Q015
- 2. Regular post-secondary winter & fall terms
 January to April & September to December go to ED_Q015
- 3. Other (specify months) go to ED_N010
- 8. Refuse go to ED_Q015
- 9. Don't know go to ED_Q015

ED_N010: INTERVIEWER: Specify months, mark all that apply.

go to ED_Q015

ED_Q015: **Was this full-time, part-time or some of each?**

- 1. Full-time
- 2. Part-time
- 3. Some of each
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

go to ED_Q020

ED_Q020: **What type of school did he attend? Was it a(n)**

What type of school did she attend? Was it a(n)

What type of school did you attend? Was it a(n)

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply but select only one response per school, i.e. a place should not be listed twice because it is a trade school, but could also be called a community college.

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|---|---------------|
| 1. Elementary or high school | go to ED_Q025 |
| 2. Community college or institute of applied arts and technology | go to ED_Q030 |
| 3. Business or commercial school | go to ED_Q055 |
| 4. Trade or vocational school | go to ED_Q080 |
| 5. CEGEP | go to ED_Q105 |
| 6. University | go to ED_Q130 |
| 8. Refuse | go to ED_Q185 |
| 9. Don't know | go to ED_Q185 |

ED_Q025: **Did he complete high school in [reference year]?**

Did she complete high school in [reference year]?

Did you complete high school in [reference year]?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to next of ED_Q030, Q055, Q080, Q105, Q130, or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q030: **Did he receive any certificates or diplomas from the community college or institute of applied arts & technology in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any certificates or diplomas from the community college or institute of applied arts & technology in [reference year]?

Did you receive any certificates or diplomas from the community college or institute of applied arts & technology in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates/diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q035

Otherwise go to next of ED_Q055, Q080, Q105, Q130 or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q035: **What was the major field of study or specialization?**

maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q040

ED_Q040: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or specialization?**

1. **To prepare for first career**
2. **To change career**
3. **To improve career**
4. **To improve earnings**

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 7

go to ED_Q050

ED_Q050: **Was this full-time, part-time or some of each?** (attendance over the length of the program)

1. Full-time
2. Part-time
3. Some of each
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to next of ED_Q055, Q080, Q105, Q130 or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q055: **Did he receive any certificates or diplomas from the business or commercial school in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any certificates or diplomas from the business or commercial school in [reference year]?

Did you receive any certificates or diplomas from the business or commercial school in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse

9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q060

Otherwise go to next of ED_Q080, Q105, Q130 or Q150
depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q060: **What was the major field of study or specialization?**

Maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q065

ED_Q065: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or specialization?**

1. **To prepare for first career**
2. **To change career**
3. **To improve career**
4. **To improve earnings**
5. **To improve knowledge**
6. **Because of interest in the subject**
7. Other (specify)
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to ED_Q065S

Otherwise go to ED_Q070

ED_Q065S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to ED_Q070

ED_Q070: **How long did it take him to complete this program?**

ED_Q080: **Did he receive any certificates or diplomas from the trade or vocational school in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any certificates or diplomas from the trade or vocational school in [reference year]?

Did you receive any certificates or diplomas from the trade or vocational school in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q085

Otherwise go to next of ED_Q105, Q130 or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q085: **what was the major field of study or specialization?**

Maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q090

ED_Q090: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or specialization?**

1. **To prepare for first career**
2. **To change career**

ED_N100: INTERVIEWER: Enter the number of years it took to complete this program

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 7

go to ED_Q100

ED_Q100: **Was this full-time, part-time or some of each?** (attendance over the length of the program)

1. Full-time
2. Part-time
3. Some of each
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to next of ED_Q105, Q130 or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q105: **Did he receive any certificates or diplomas from the CEGEP in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any certificates or diplomas from the CEGEP in [reference year]?

Did you receive any certificates or diplomas from the CEGEP in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes

- 2. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q110
 Otherwise go to next of ED_Q130 or Q150 depending
 on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q110: **What was the major field of study or specialization?**

Maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q115

ED_Q115: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or
 specialization?**

- 1. **To prepare for first career**
- 2. **To change career**
- 3. **To improve career**
- 4. **To improve earnings**
- 5. **To improve knowledge**
- 6. **Because of interest in the subject**
- 7. Other (specify)
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to ED_Q115S
 Otherwise go to ED_Q120

ED_Q115S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to ED_Q120

ED_Q120: **How long did it take him to complete this program?**

How long did it take her to complete this program?

How long did it take you to complete this program?

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| 1. Answer given in months | go to ED_N120 |
| 2. Answer given in years | go to ED_N125 |
| 8. Refuse | go to ED_Q125 |
| 9. Don't know | go to ED_Q125 |

ED_N120: INTERVIEWER: Enter the number of months it took to complete this program

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 95

go to ED_Q125

ED_N125: INTERVIEWER: Enter the number of years it took to complete this program

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 7

go to ED_Q125

ED_Q125: **Was this full-time, part-time or some of each?** (attendance over the length of the program)

1. Full-time
2. Part-time
3. Some of each
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to next of ED_Q130 or Q150 depending on answer(s) marked in ED_Q020

ED_Q130: **Did he receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from the university in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from the university in [reference year]?

Did you receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from the university in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q135

Otherwise go to ED_Q150

ED_Q135: **What degrees, certificates or diplomas did he receive?**

What degrees, certificates or diplomas did she receive?

What degrees, certificates or diplomas did you receive?

1. University certificate/diploma below bachelor degree
2. Bachelor's degree(s) (e.g. B.A., B.Sc., B.Ed., B.Eng.)
3. University certificate/diploma above bachelor level but below master level

4. First professional degree in law, dentistry, veterinary medicine, optometry
5. Master's degree(s) (e.g. M.A., M.Sc., M.Ed., M.B.A., M.Eng.)
6. Ph.D. degree (e.g. Doctorate, D.Sc., D.Ed.)
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

ED_Q140: **What was the major field of study or specialization?**

Maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q145

ED_Q145: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or specialization?**

1. To prepare for first career
2. To change career
3. To improve career
4. To improve earnings
5. To improve knowledge
6. Because of interest in the subject
7. Other (specify)
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to ED_Q145S

Otherwise go to ED_Q150

ED_Q145S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to ED_Q150

ED_Q150: **Did he receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from anywhere else in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from anywhere else in [reference year]?

Did you receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas from anywhere else in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q155

Otherwise go to DI_C001

ED_Q155: **From what kind of institution did he receive this diploma?
Was it a . .**

**From what kind of institution did she receive this diploma?
Was it a . . .**

**From what kind of institution did you receive this diploma?
Was it a . . .**

1. **High school** go to DI_C001
2. **Community college or institute of applied arts and technology** go to ED_Q165
3. **Business or commercial school** go to ED_Q165

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| 4. Trade or vocational school | go to ED_Q165 |
| 5. CEGEP | go to ED_Q165 |
| 6. University | go to ED_Q160 |
| 8. Refuse | go to DI_C001 |
| 9. Don't know | go to DI_C001 |

ED_Q160: **What degree, certificate or diploma did he receive?**

What degree, certificate or diploma did she receive?

What degree, certificate or diploma did you receive?

1. University certificate/diploma below bachelor degree
2. Bachelor's degree(s) (e.g. B.A., B.Sc., B.Ed., B.Eng.)
3. University certificate/diploma above bachelor level but below master level
4. First professional degree in law, dentistry, veterinary medicine, optometry
5. Master's degree(s) (e.g. M.A., M.Sc., M.Ed., M.B.A., M.Eng.)
6. Ph.D. degree (e.g. Doctorate, D.Sc., D.Ed.)
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

ED_Q165: **What was the major field of study or specialization?**

maximum: 48 bytes

go to ED_Q170

ED_Q170: **What was the main reason for choosing this field of study or specialization?**

1. **To prepare for first career**
2. **To change career**
3. **To improve career**
4. **To improve earnings**

5. **To improve knowledge**

6. **Because of interest in the subject**

7. Other (specify)

8. Refuse

9. Don't know

If answered "Other" go to ED_Q170S

Otherwise go to ED_Q175

ED_Q170S INTERVIEWER: Specify

Maximum: 80 bytes

go to ED_Q175

ED_Q175: **How long did it take him to complete his program?**

How long did it take her to complete this program?

How long did it take you to complete this program?

1. Answer given in months go to ED_N175

2. Answer given in years go to ED_N180

8. Refuse go to ED_Q180

9. Don't know go to ED_Q180

ED_N175: INTERVIEWER: Enter the number of months it took to complete this program

Hard range: minimum: 1

maximum: 95

go to ED_Q180

ED_N180: INTERVIEWER: Enter the number of years it took to complete this program

Hard range: minimum: 1
maximum: 7

go to ED_Q180

ED_Q180: **Was this full-time, part-time or some of each?** (attendance over the length of the program)

1. Full-time
2. Part-time
3. Some of each
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to DI_C001

ED_Q185: **Did he receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas in [reference year]?**

Did she receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas in [reference year]?

Did you receive any degrees, certificates or diplomas in [reference year]?

INTERVIEWER: Only include certificates, diplomas or degrees from a recognized institution that resulted in graduation from a program. Do not include certificates, diplomas from single courses.

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

If Yes go to ED_Q190
Otherwise go to DI_C001

ED_Q190: **From what kind of institution did he receive these diplomas?
Was it a . . .**

**From what kind of institution did she receive these diplomas?
Was it a . . .**

**From what kind of institution did you receive these diplomas?
Was it a . . .**

1. **High school** go to DI_C001
2. **Community college or institute
of applied arts and technology** go to ED_Q165
3. **Business or commercial school** go to ED_Q165
4. **Trade or vocational school** go to ED_Q165
5. **CEGEP** go to ED_Q165
6. **University** go to ED_Q160
8. **Refuse** go to DI_C001
9. **Don't know** go to DI_C001

5.7 DI MODULE

DI_C001: all respondents go to DI_Q005

DI_Q005: **Compared to other people his age, how would you describe
[respondent's] state of health? Would you say it is . . .**

**Compared to other people her age, how would you describe
[respondent's] state of health? Would you say it is . . .**

**Compared to other people your age, how would you describe
your state of health? Would you say it is . . .**

1. **Excellent ?**

2. **Very good ?**
3. **Good ?**
4. **Fair ?**
5. **Poor ?**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

DI_Q010: **Would you describe his life as . . .**

Would you describe her life as . . .

Would you describe your life as . . .

1. **Very stressful ?**
2. **Somewhat stressful ?**
3. **Not very stressful ?**
4. **Not at all stressful ?**
5. **No opinion**
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to DI_Q015

DI_Q015: **Does he have any difficulty hearing, seeing, communicating, walking, climbing stairs, bending, learning or doing any similar activities ?**

Does she have any difficulty hearing, seeing, communicating, walking, climbing stairs, bending, learning or doing any similar activities ?

Do you have any difficulty hearing, seeing, communicating, walking, climbing stairs, bending, learning or doing any similar activities ?

1. Yes, sometimes set flgdisab = 1

- 2. Yes, often set flgdisab = 1
- 3. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

go to DI_Q020

DI_Q020: Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity he can do at home?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity she can do at home?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity you can do at home?

- 1. Yes, sometimes set flgdisab = 1
- 2. Yes, often set flgdisab = 1
- 3. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

DI_C020: If respondent is 70+ go to DI_Q033
 If respondent is < 70 and respondent worked
 In reference year (flag: datescptr > 0) go to DI_Q025
 Otherwise go to DI_Q030

DI_Q025: Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity he can do at work?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity she can do at work?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity you can do at work?

- 1. Yes, sometimes set flgdisab = 1
- 2. Yes, often set flgdisab = 1
- 3. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

go to DI_Q033

DI_Q030: **Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity he can do at a job or business or at school?**

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity she can do at a job or business or at school?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity you can do at a job or business or at school?

- 1. Yes, sometimes set flgdisab = 1
- 2. Yes, often set flgdisab = 1
- 3. No
- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

go to DI_Q033

DI_Q033: **Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity he can do in other activities, for example, transportation or leisure?**

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity she can do in other activities, for example, transportation or leisure?

Does a physical condition or mental condition or health problem reduce the amount or the kind of activity you can do in other activities, for example, transportation or leisure?

1. Yes, sometimes set flgdisab = 1
2. Yes, often set flgdisab = 1
3. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to DI_C015

DI_C015: If flgdisab = 1 go to DI_Q035
 Otherwise go to EN_C001

DI_Q035: **In what year did his condition begin?**

In what year did her condition begin?

In what year did your condition begin?

INTERVIEWER: Answer should be year the condition started

Hard range: minimum: dob of respondent
 maximum: current year

If respondent is < 70 and respondent worked
in reference year (flag: datescptr > 0) go to DI_Q040

If respondent is 70+ go to EN_C001
Otherwise go to DI_Q065

DI_Q040: **Does his condition make it difficult for him to change jobs or to get a better job?**

Does her condition make it difficult for her to change jobs or to get a better job?

Does your condition make it difficult for you to change jobs or to get a better job?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to DI_Q045

DI_Q045: **Was he satisfied with the number of weeks he worked in [reference year]?**

Was she satisfied with the number of weeks she worked in [reference year]?

were you satisfied with the number of weeks you worked in [reference year]?

1. Yes go to EN_C001
2. No go to DI_Q050
8. Refuse go to DI_Q050
9. Don't know go to DI_Q050

DI_Q050: **In [reference year], would he have preferred to work more or less than he did?**

In [reference year], would she have preferred to work more or less than she did?

In [reference year], would you have preferred to work more or less than you did?

- | | |
|---------------|---------------|
| 1. More | go to DI_Q055 |
| 2. Less | go to DI_Q060 |
| 8. Refuse | go to DI_Q065 |
| 9. Don't know | go to DI_Q065 |

DI_Q055: **Was it his condition that prevented him from working more?**

Was it her condition that prevented her from working more?

Was it your condition that prevented you from working more?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to EN_C001

DI_Q060: **Was it because of his condition that he wanted to work less?**

Was it because of her condition that she wanted to work less?

Was it because of your condition that you wanted to work less?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to EN_C001

DI_Q065: **Does his condition completely prevent him from working at a job or business or from looking for work?**

Does her condition completely prevent her from working at a job or business or from looking for work?

Does your condition completely prevent you from working at a job or business or from looking for work?

1. Yes
2. No
8. Refuse
9. Don't know

go to EN_C001

5.8 EN MODULE

EN_C001:

If Slidmem.taxperm = 1, 4 or 5	go to CAL_SO
If Slidmem.taxperm = 2 or 0	go to EN_Q001
If Slidmem.taxperm = 3 and Proxysex = nonproxy	go to EN_Q005
Otherwise	go to EN_Q001

Taxperm = 0 wasn't asked permission

Taxperm = 1 has given permission

Taxperm = 2 has refused permission

Taxperm = 3 does not file a tax return

Taxperm = 4 withdrew permission

Taxperm = 5 refused Income but will do Labour

EN_Q001: **SLID also collects income information in May. [Respondent] can give permission to use his tax records or we can interview him in May. If he gives permission he will be contacted only once a year in January.**

SLID also collects income information in May. [Respondent] can give permission to use her tax records or we can interview her in May. If she gives permission she will be contacted only once a year in January.

SLID also collects income information in May. You can give permission to use your tax records or we can interview you in May. If you give permission you will be contacted only once a year in January.

INTERVIEWER: Press <Enter> to continue.

go to EN_Q010

EN_Q005: Based on the information recorded last May you didn't file a tax return last year. Do you expect to file one for [reference year]?

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|--------------------|---------------|
| 1. Yes | go to EN_Q010 |
| 2. No | go to CAL_SO |
| 3. Error last year | go to EN_Q010 |
| 8. Refuse | go to CAL_SO |
| 9. Don't know | go to CAL_SO |

EN_Q010: Does he give Statistics Canada permission to use his tax records?

Does she give Statistics Canada permission to use her tax records?

Do you give Statistics Canada permission to use your tax records?

1. Yes
2. No
3. Does not file a tax return

- 8. Refuse
- 9. Don't know

CAI_SO: INTERVIEWER: This is the end of the component. Return to previously answered questions to make any necessary corrections, or select <Exit> to exit the component.

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