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JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE DEMONSTRATION

**QUESTIONNAIRE
AND
ADVANCE LETTER**

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ADVANCE LETTER

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Dear _____:

The United States Department of Labor is conducting a survey to help the government provide better unemployment insurance assistance to individuals looking for work in your community, especially during difficult economic times. (FLORIDA/WASHINGTON DC) has been selected to participate in this special project. You have been selected at random to represent others in your area.

The study, which is being conducted by Mathematica Policy Research in Princeton, New Jersey, involves a thirty minute telephone interview. Questions will be about the job you held just before you collected unemployment insurance benefits, your experiences looking for work, any job training or education programs you may have attended since you started collecting benefits, and your opinions about services you received from your local Unemployment Insurance Agency.

Your participation is voluntary, but very important. All the information that you provide during the telephone interview will be held in the strictest confidence. Your name will not be associated with your answers, and your participation in this study will not affect your past or future rights to unemployment insurance benefits. No one will attempt to sell you anything or ask for a donation because you participated in this study.

An interviewer from Mathematica Policy Research will call you in the near future to complete the interview. He or she will answer any questions you have about the interview at that time. If you have any questions before then, please call Rita Stapulonis, the survey director at Mathematica. The number is 1-800-XXX-XXXX and there is no charge for the call.

If your telephone number is unlisted or has changed since you collected benefits, we ask that you call the toll free number mentioned above to tell us where you may now be reached.

We look forward to speaking with you soon.

Sincerely,

Rita A. Stapulonis
Survey Director

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QUESTIONNAIRE

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TIME STARTED: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> : <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	1 AM 2 PM
ELAPSED TIME: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> MINUTES	

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JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE DEMONSTRATION PROJECT QUESTIONNAIRE

SAMPLE:

- <1> WASHINGTON, DC
- <2> FLORIDA

GROUP:

- <1> TREATMENT 1
- <2> TREATMENT 2
- <3> TREATMENT 3

ORIENTATION:

JSW:

- | | |
|---------|--------------|
| <1> YES | <1> YES "Y" |
| <2> NO | <2> NO "N" |
| | <3> "NO JSW" |
| | <4> EXCUSED |

BENEFIT BEGIN DATE: - -
MONTH DATE YEAR

>intr1< UPON CONTACTING DESIGNATED SAMPLE MEMBER:

My name is [fill NAME] and I'm calling from Mathematica Policy Research in Princeton, New Jersey. We are conducting a survey for the United States Department of Labor of people who established claims for unemployment benefits. The purpose of the survey is to improve services to people who collect unemployment insurance. It is not concerned with who should or should not get unemployment benefits. Are you willing to take part in this important study?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO (GO TO REFUSAL STATUS)
- <8> DON'T KNOW/HAS QUESTIONS (GO TO INFO SCREEN)

>intr2< The interview takes about 30 minutes. We could do it right now or I could call you back at a more convenient time.

- <1> CONTINUE
- <0> SCHEDULE CALLBACK (GO TO CALLBACK SCREEN)

==>

1< RESPONDENT INFORMATION SCREENS

CONTINUE IF NECESSARY: We are calling people who established claims for unemployment benefits during the past year or so. That's why we contacted you.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. READ ONLY IF SAMPLE MEMBER REQUESTS MORE INFORMATION.

I DON'T COLLECT ANYMORE/I COLLECTED FOR A VERY SHORT TIME: We are calling a group of people who collected benefits during the past one and one-half years. Since most people collect unemployment for short periods of time, your responses and views are most important. The interview goes very quickly.

I'M NOT INTERESTED: Let me reassure you that we are not selling anything. Your participation in the survey is very important to improving the Unemployment Insurance System. Any information you give me will be held in the strictest confidence.

IF DISSATISFIED WITH LOCAL UNEMPLOYMENT AGENCIES SAY: I understand. Your comments will be especially important to the research. The [r]United States[n] Department of Labor wants to have feedback from people who were satisfied [r]and[n] people who were dissatisfied with their experiences.

HOW SAMPLE MEMBER'S NAME WAS SELECTED: Your name has been selected as part of a random sample of individuals in [fill FL/DC] who filed for unemployment benefits during the past two years.

CONFIDENTIALITY: Any information you give me will be held in the strictest confidence by my company and will be used only for the purposes of this study. Your answers will be combined with those of others and your name will never be used in reporting the results of the study. Your answers to questions will not affect your eligibility for any public program.

==>

a< UI CLAIM DATE

a1< According to [fill DC/FL] Unemployment Insurance Agency records,
you filed for unemployment benefits on or about ([fill BENEFIT
BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE). (Is that correct?)

INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT DOES NOT CONTEST DATE, CODE <1>
AND goto >b1<.

<1> DATE ACCEPTED [goto b1]

<0> DATE REJECTED

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

a2< Did you file for or start collecting unemployment benefits anytime
around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE)?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: Did you file for or start collecting
unemployment benefits between (THREE
MONTHS BEFORE [fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM]
MONTH) and (THREE MONTHS AFTER [fill
BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH)?

<1> YES

<0> NO [INTERVIEWER: USE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER FROM SAMPLE
SCREEN TO CONFIRM THAT RESPONDENT IS
THE CORRECT SAMPLE MEMBER, AND TERMINATE
INTERVIEW.]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

13m< When around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH) did you file for unemployment benefits? If you filed more than once during that period, please tell me about the [r]first[n] time you filed for benefits.

INTERVIEWER: THIS DATE BECOMES CLAIM DATE, REPLACING DATE THAT ORIGINALLY APPEARED ON SCREEN.

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY <7> JULY
<2> FEBRUARY <8> AUGUST
<3> MARCH <9> SEPTEMBER
<4> APRIL <10> OCTOBER
<5> MAY <11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE <12> DECEMBER

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

3d< ENTER DAY

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

>a3y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

>< PRE-CLAIM EMPLOYMENT

>1< Now, I'd like to ask you about the job you had just [r]before[n] you filed for unemployment benefits in ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR). What kind of company did you work for? What did they make or sell?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: The job you had that made you eligible to collect unemployment insurance benefits.

IF DON'T KNOW: Then tell me about the [r]longest[n] job you had in the twelve months before you filed your claim around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE).

FOR EXAMPLE: TV AND RADIO MANUFACTURER, RETAIL SHOE STORE, WOMAN'S DRESS MANUFACTURER.

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR THE MAJOR PRODUCT OR SERVICE AT THE PART OF THE COMPANY THE RESPONDENT WORKED FOR.

<1> (SPECIFY) [specify] END WITH ///

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>b2< What was your job title?

FOR EXAMPLE: ELECTRICAL ENGINEER, STOCK CLERK, SEWING MACHINE OPERATOR.

PROBE FOR CLEAR AND DESCRIPTIVE JOB TITLE.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

b3< When did you [r]first[n] start working for that employer? [r]AFTER
ANSWER, SAY:[n] Was that the first time you started working there,
or had you worked there before? [r]ADJUST DATE, IF NECESSARY.[n]

DATE MUST BE [r]BEFORE[n] ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE).

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY <7> JULY
<2> FEBRUARY <8> AUGUST
<3> MARCH <9> SEPTEMBER
<4> APRIL <10> OCTOBER
<5> MAY <11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE <12> DECEMBER

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

==>

>b3d< ENTER DAY

INTERVIEWER: IF SAMPLE MEMBER CANNOT GIVE EXACT DATE: PROBE FOR
BEGINNING (CODE 01), MIDDLE (CODE 15), OR END OF
MONTH (CODE 30).

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

==>

b3y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

==>

4< And what was the [r]last[n] date that you worked on that job before
you applied for unemployment insurance benefits in ([fill BENEFIT
BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: How long before ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM]
DATE) did you lose that job?

DATE SHOULD BE [r]BEFORE[n] ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE), BUT
MAY NOT BE.

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY	<7> JULY
<2> FEBRUARY	<8> AUGUST
<3> MARCH	<9> SEPTEMBER
<4> APRIL	<10> OCTOBER
<5> MAY	<11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE	<12> DECEMBER

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

4d< ENTER DAY

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

4y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

5< Did you work continuously at that job between (MONTH AND YEAR IN b3), and (MONTH AND YEAR IN b4), or were there periods when you were not working for that employer because you were laid off without pay or were doing something else?

INTERVIEWER: CONSIDER UNPAID ABSENCES OF TWO WEEKS OR MORE AS NONCONTINUOUS EMPLOYMENT. PAID VACATIONS AND SICK TIME AND STRIKES ARE NOT BREAKS IN EMPLOYMENT.

<1> YES, CONTINUOUSLY [goto b7]

<0> NO, NOT CONTINUOUSLY

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

6< In general, were you laid off from this job on a regular basis--for example, for a few weeks at about the same time each year?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7< How many hours [r]per week[n] did you usually work on that job? Please include [r]regular[n] overtime hours.

< > NUMBER OF HOURS PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

8< And how much did you usually make per week when you left that job,
before taxes and other deductions? Please include tips,
commissions, and regular overtime.

INTERVIEWER: ACCEPT MOST CONVENIENT PAY PERIOD. IF NECESSARY,
CONFIRM PAY PERIOD.

IF PAID BY HOUR, ENTER DOLLARS HERE AND CENTS ON NEXT SCREEN.

< > PER HOUR

<97> NOT PAID BY THE HOUR

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

8c< [no erase]ENTER CENTS HERE

<00-99> CENTS

===>

9a< ENTER AMOUNT, THEN CODE TIME PERIOD

< > AMOUNT

<999998> DON'T KNOW

<999999> REFUSED

===>

>b9p< ENTER TIME PERIOD

<1> PER WEEK

<2> ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS

<3> TWICE A MONTH

<4> PER MONTH

<5> PER YEAR

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

10< Which, if any, of the following fringe benefits did you receive at that job? Did you receive . . .

. . . Paid vacation?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

11< READ IF NECESSARY: Did you receive . . .

. . . Paid holidays?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

12< READ IF NECESSARY: Did you receive . . .

. . . Paid sick leave?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

13< READ IF NECESSARY: Did you receive . . .

. . . Health insurance?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

b14< READ IF NECESSARY: Did you receive . . .

. . .A pension plan?

[INTERVIEWER: 401K IS A PENSION PLAN]

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

b15< Which of the following best describes the way that job ended around
([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR): You were laid off,
you quit, you retired, you were fired, or there was some other
reason?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: The time just before you filed for
unemployment benefits in ([fill BENEFIT
BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR).

PROBE IF "OTHER REASON": What was the reason?

PROBE [r]ANY[n] "OTHER REASON" (FOR EXAMPLE, LACK OF WORK,
COMPANY/PLANT MOVED/CLOSED, REORGANIZATION, LABOR DISPUTE) FOR
[r]TYPE[n] OF JOB SEPARATION.

<1> LAID OFF/LACK OF WORK/COMPANY OR PLANT CLOSED

<2> QUIT [goto b21]

<3> RETIRED [goto b27]

<4> FIRED [goto b22]

<5> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify] [goto b25]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

16< Which of the following best describes the reason that you were laid off . . .

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONLY ONE. ("DOWNSIZING" IS CODE <3>)

- <1> the company moved, [goto b25]
- <2> the plant or facility closed or went out of business,
- <3> your job or shift was eliminated,
- <4> there was a lack of work or business was slack, or
- <5> there was some other reason? (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <6> EMPLOYER CLAIMED SAMPLE MEMBER COULDN'T DO
JOB ANYMORE [goto b25]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>b17< At the time that you were laid off, did you expect to go back to that job?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: Did you think it would be a temporary layoff?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto b19]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

18< When you were laid off, did you get a [r]definite[n] recall date?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

19< (Even though you did not expect it at the time you were laid off,) Did you actually go back to that job?

<1> YES [goto b25]

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

20< (Even though you did not expect it when you were laid off,) Do you [r]now[n] expect to go back to that job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===> [goto b25]

21< Which of the following best describes the reason that you quit...

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONLY ONE.

<1> you quit because of health or personal reasons,

<2> you quit because of unsatisfactory working arrangements or you disliked the job,

<3> you quit because you knew the plant or company was going to close or move, [goto b23]

<4> you quit because commuting became too difficult or expensive, or

<5> there was some other reason? (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===> [goto b25]

22< Why were you fired?

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the
[r]main[n] reason? CODE ONLY ONE.

- <1> EMPLOYER CLAIMED SAMPLE MEMBER WAS NOT WORKING/
WAS NOT DOING JOB WELL
- <2> EMPLOYER CLAIMED SAMPLE MEMBER COULDN'T DO JOB ANYMORE
- <3> ABSENCE/ARRIVE LATE/LEAVE EARLY
- <4> DISPUTE WITH EMPLOYER
- <5> LABOR DISPUTE
- <6> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

>b23< How long before you [fill were laid off/were fired/quit] did your
employer officially notify you that this would happen?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER LENGTH OF TIME HERE AND PERIOD ON NEXT SCREEN.

< >

- <97> [r]NO[n] ADVANCE NOTICE
- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

===>

24< ENTER PERIOD

- <1> DAYS
- <2> WEEKS

===>

b25< Did your employer offer you any services to help you find a new job?

PROBE: Examples of services are counseling or resume help.

<1> YES

<2> NO [goto b27]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

b26< What services did you use? (DO NOT READ LIST)

CODE ALL THAT APPLY.

<1> JOB COUNSELING/CAREER COUNSELING

<2> INDIVIDUAL OR GROUP SESSIONS TO TEACH HOW
TO LOCATE JOBS AND TO INTERVIEW FOR JOBS

<3> JOB SEARCH WORKSHOP

<4> RESUME PREPARATION

<5> JOB CLUB

<6> JOB LISTINGS

<7> TRAINING/RETRAINING

<8> UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STAFF VISITED COMPANY

<9> EMPLOYMENT SERVICE STAFF VISITED COMPANY

<10> JTPA STAFF VISITED COMPANY

<11> OTHER (SPECIFY) [SPECIFY]

<97> NONE

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

b27< Did you belong to a union on that job?

<1> YES [goto b30, if b15 <3> RETIRED, OTHERWISE, CONTINUE TO b28]

<0> NO [goto b30]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

28< Did your union offer you any services to help you find a new job?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto b30]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>b29< What union services did you use?

PROBE: What else?

INTERVIEWER: READ LIST IF NECESSARY, CODE ALL THAT APPLY.

<1> Job counseling/career counseling

<2> Individual or group sessions to teach how
to locate jobs and to interview for jobs

<3> Job Search Workshop

<4> Resume preparation

<5> Job Club

<6> Job Listings

<7> Training/retraining

<8> Other (SPECIFY) [specify]

<97> None

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===> [goto b30]

>b30< When that job ended, did you receive severance pay?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto b32]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

b31a< How much did you receive as severance pay?

ENTER AMOUNT

\$< > AMOUNT

<998> DON'T KNOW

<999> REFUSED

===>

b31b< IF OTHER:

<1> OTHER

SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>b32< Did you receive a buyout from that employer?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto c1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

b32a< What was in the buyout package?

ENTER AMOUNT

\$< > AMOUNT

<998> DON'T KNOW

<999> REFUSED

===>

32b< IF OTHER:

<1> OTHER

SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

<< POST-CLAIM JOB SEARCH ACTIVITIES

c1< After you lost your job around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR), did you look for work?

<1> YES
<0> NO [goto c17]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

c2< How long were you actively looking and available for work after your job ended around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR ESTIMATE, IF NECESSARY.

< > # WEEKS
< > # MONTHS

<97> STILL LOOKING
<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

>c3< And about how many hours per week did you spend on average looking for work?

< > # HOURS PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

:4< Did you go to the state Job Service to get help in finding a job?

<1> YES
<0> NO [goto c10a]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

5< Did the Job Service refer you to any employers?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto c10a]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>c6< How many employers were you referred to?

< > # EMPLOYERS REFERRED TO

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

7< Did (that/any of those [fill NUMBER IN c6]) employer(s) offer you a job?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto c10a]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>c8< IF "YES" IN c7 AND MORE THAN ONE EMPLOYER IN c6, ASK: How many job offers did you get?

< > # JOB OFFERS

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

9< Did you actually start work for (that/any of those) employer(s)?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

10a< I'm going to read a list of a number of other things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Register with any private employment agencies?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

10b< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Ask friends or relatives about job openings?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

:10c< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Look at want ads?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

:10d< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...[r]Answer[n] any ads?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

10e< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Personally [r]place[n] any ads in newspapers or other publications?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

>c10f< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Apply directly to places that you might have wanted to work for?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

<10g< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Check with your union, if you are a member?

INTERVIEWER: CODE <7> IF Q.B27 IS "NO".

<1> YES

<0> NO

<7> NOT APPLICABLE, NOT A UNION MEMBER

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

<10h< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: I'm going to read a list of a number of things people sometimes do when looking for work, and I'd like you to tell me whether you did any of these things (during that period).

Did you . . .

...Is there anything else you ([fill do/did] during that period) to find a job?

<1> YES (SPECIFY) [specify] END WITH///

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>c11< On average, about how many [r]different[n] employers did you visit [r]in-person[n] each week during that period? Please do not include telephone and mail contacts.

<0> NONE

< > # EMPLOYERS VISITED IN-PERSON PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

12< And about how many [r]other[n] employers did you contact each week
[r]by mail[n] during that period?

<0> NONE
< > # EMPLOYERS CONTACTED BY MAIL PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

13< Were there any that you contacted [r]just[n] by [r]telephone[n]?

PROBE: Please do not include any that you may have telephoned
concerning your in-person visit.

<1> YES
<0> NO [goto c15]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

>c14< About how many did you contact by telephone each week?

< > # EMPLOYERS CONTACTED BY PHONE PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

15< Did you stop looking for work during the time after you lost your
job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR], or are you still looking?

<1> STOPPED LOOKING
<0> STILL LOOKING [goto d1]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

:16< Did you stop looking because you started working again, or was there some other reason?

INTERVIEWER: IF "OTHER REASON", PROBE: What was the reason?

IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> REEMPLOYED BY FORMER OR NEW EMPLOYER
- <2> EXPECTED TO GET OLD JOB BACK
- <3> IN SCHOOL OR OTHER TRAINING
- <4> DID NOT WANT TO WORK/DID NOT WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK
- <5> RETIRED, ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <6> COULDN'T FIND ANY WORK
- <7> LACKED NECESSARY SCHOOLING, TRAINING, SKILLS
OR EXPERIENCE
- <8> OTHER PERSONAL HANDICAP IN FINDING JOB, INCLUDING
RACIAL, SEXUAL, OR AGE DISCRIMINATION
- <9> ILL HEALTH/PHYSICAL DISABILITY/PREGNANCY
- <10> COULDN'T ARRANGE CHILD CARE
- <11> OTHER FAMILY RESPONSIBILITY
- <12> TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM
- <13> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

- ==> [goto d1]

17< Why didn't you look for work?

INTERVIEWER: IF "OTHER REASON", PROBE: What was the reason?

IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> NEW JOB TO START
- <2> EXPECTED TO GET OLD JOB BACK/TEMPORARY LAYOFF
- <3> IN SCHOOL OR OTHER TRAINING
- <4> DID NOT WANT TO WORK/DID NOT WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK
- <5> RETIRED, ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <6> BELIEVED NO WORK AVAILABLE IN LINE OF WORK OR AREA
- <7> LACKED NECESSARY SCHOOLING, TRAINING, SKILLS
OR EXPERIENCE
- <8> OTHER PERSONAL HANDICAP IN FINDING A JOB, INCLUDING
RACIAL, SEXUAL, OR AGE DISCRIMINATION
- <9> ILL HEALTH/PHYSICAL DISABILITY/PREGNANCY
- <10> COULDN'T ARRANGE CHILD CARE
- <11> OTHER FAMILY RESPONSIBILITY
- <12> TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM
- <13> EXPECTED UNION TO PROVIDE JOB
- <14> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

====>

I< DEMONSTRATION PARTICIPATION AND SERVICES RECEIVED

11< CHECK SAMPLE INFORMATION, SAMPLE MEMBER IS IN:

- <1> TREATMENT GROUP 1
- <2> TREATMENT GROUP 2
- <3> TREATMENT GROUP 3
- <4> CONTROL [goto e1]
- <5> NON-ELIGIBLE SAMPLE MEMBER [goto e1]

==>

>d2< INTERVIEWER: CHECK SAMPLE AND ENTER APPROPRIATE CODE.

- <1> "N" TO ORIENTATION [goto d3]
- <2> GROUP 1, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "Y" TO JSW [goto d8]
- <3> GROUP 1, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "N" TO JSW [goto d5]
- <4> GROUP 1, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "E" TO JSW [goto d6]
- <5> GROUP 2 OR 3, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "Y" TO JSW [goto d8]
- <6> GROUP 2 OR 3, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "N" TO JSW [goto d6]
- <7> GROUP 2 OR 3, "Y" TO ORIENTATION, "NO JSW" ASSIGNED [goto d6]
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

==>

13< According to [fill DC/FL] Unemployment Insurance Agency records, after you lost your job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR], you were asked to participate in a special unemployment program called the Job Search Assistance Program, but did not come to the orientation session.

Why didn't you participate?

PROBE, IF NECESSARY: Do you remember receiving a letter asking you to come to an orientation session?

IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD HELP TO GET JOB
- <2> GOT JOB BEFORE SCHEDULED/REEMPLOYED
- <3> WAS AWAITING RECALL
- <4> WAS PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE IN DIFFERENT PROGRAM
- <5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK/DIDN'T WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK
- <6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <7> DIDN'T RECEIVE NOTICE/LETTER
- <8> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <9> DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT/NEVER HEARD OF
JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM [goto e1]
- <10> CLAIMS DID ATTEND SESSION [goto d4a]
- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

===>

>d4< Did the Unemployment Insurance Agency ever ask why you didn't participate in the program?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

====> [goto e1]

14a< Did you attend the Job Search Workshop?

<1> YES [goto d8]

<0> NO [goto d7]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

>d5< According to [fill DC/FL] Unemployment Insurance Agency records, after you lost your job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR], you were asked to participate in a special unemployment program called the Job Search Assistance Program, but dropped out after the first week and did not continue to the Job Search Workshop.

Why didn't you continue on to the Job Search Workshop?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

<1> DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD HELP TO GET JOB [goto d5a]

<2> GOT JOB BEFORE SCHEDULED/EXCUSED BECAUSE WENT BACK TO
WORK/REEMPLOYED [goto d5a]

<3> EXCUSED BECAUSE EXPECTING RECALL [goto d5a]

<4> EXCUSED BECAUSE PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE
IN DIFFERENT PROGRAM [goto d5a]

<5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK/DIDN'T WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK [goto d5a]

<6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE [goto d5a]

<7> EXCUSED BECAUSE OF LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY [goto d5a]

<8> [r]EXCUSED[n] OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify] [goto d5a]

<9> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify] [goto d5a]

<10> DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT/NEVER HEARD OF
JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM/NEVER HEARD OF JSW [goto d13]

<11> CLAIMS DID PARTICIPATE IN JSW [goto d8]

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

====>

15a< Did the Unemployment Insurance Agency ever ask why you didn't participate in the Job Search Workshop?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====> [goto d13]

16< After you lost your job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR] you were asked to participate in a special unemployment program called the Job Search Assistance Program. One part of this program was the Job Search Workshop. Were you told about this Workshop?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d13]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

17< Why didn't you participate in the Job Search Workshop?

<1> DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD HELP TO GET JOB

<2> GOT JOB BEFORE SCHEDULED/REEMPLOYED

<3> EXCUSED BECAUSE EXPECTING RECALL

<4> EXCUSED BECAUSE PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE
IN DIFFERENT PROGRAM

<5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK/DIDN'T WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK

<6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE

<7> EXCUSED BECAUSE OF LANGUAGE DIFFICULTY

<8> [r]EXCUSED[n] OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<9> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<10> DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT/NEVER HEARD OF
JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM/NEVER HEARD OF JSW

<11> CLAIMS DID PARTICIPATE IN JSW [goto d8]

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===> [goto d13]

18< According to [fill DC/FL] Unemployment Insurance Agency records, after you lost your job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR], you participated in a Job Search Workshop which was conducted as part of a special unemployment program called the Job Search Assistance Program.

[START QUESTION HERE IF RESPONDENT CAME FROM Q.d4a, d5 OR d7]

In your opinion, was that Job Search Workshop very useful, somewhat useful or not useful to [r]you[n] in defining your job skills and goals?

PROBE: The Workshop taught you how to look for a job.

- <1> VERY USEFUL
- <2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL
- <3> NOT USEFUL
- <4> DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT/NEVER HEARD OF
JOB SEARCH ASSISTANCE/NEVER HEARD OF JSW [goto d13]

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

==>

19< Was the Job Search Workshop very useful, somewhat useful or not useful to [r]you[n] in preparing your job resume?

- <1> VERY USEFUL
- <2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL
- <3> NOT USEFUL

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

>d10< How about in looking for and finding job openings--was it very useful, somewhat useful or not useful to you in looking for and finding job openings?

- <1> VERY USEFUL
- <2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL
- <3> NOT USEFUL

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

111< Was the workshop useful to you [fill at all/in any other ways]?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO [goto d13]

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

>d12< IF <1>, ASK: How was it useful?

- <1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

d13< As part of this Job Search Assistance program, some people were talked to about career choices. This discussion would have been between just you and the counselor and it may have been called a job counseling or job assessment interview. Did you participate in this type of discussion?

<1> YES [goto d16]

<0> NO [goto d14]

<7> NEVER HEARD OF ASSESSMENT/COUNSELING INTERVIEW [goto d17]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

>d14< INTERVIEWER: CHECK SCREEN.

<1> TREATMENT 1 [goto d15]

<2> TREATMENT 2 [goto d15]

<3> TREATMENT 3 [goto d15]

====>

d15< Why didn't you do the job counseling/assessment interview?

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

<1> DIDN'T THINK THE PROGRAM WAS HELPING/WASN'T INTERESTED IN IT

<2> GOT A JOB/REEMPLOYED

<3> WAS AWAITING RECALL

<4> WAS PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE IN DIFFERENT PROGRAM

<5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK/DIDN'T WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK

<6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE

<7> INTERVIEW NOT SCHEDULED/WASN'T ASKED TO DO IT

<8> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<9> NEVER HEARD OF ASSESSMENT/COUNSELING INTERVIEW

<10> CLAIMS DID HAVE ASSESSMENT/COUNSELING INTERVIEW [goto d16]

<11> EXCUSED

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

====> [goto d17]

116< In general, would you say that the interview was very useful,
somewhat useful or not useful to you in planning your work future?

<1> VERY USEFUL
<2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL
<3> NOT USEFUL

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

==>

>d17< The Job Search Assistance program provides information about on-
the-job or ojt training opportunities. Were you told about ojt
training?

<1> YES
<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

==>

l18< Were you interested in participating in on-the-job training?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d23]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d19< Did a counselor actually [r]offer[n] you ojt training?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d24]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

l20< Did you accept this offer and attend ojt sessions?

<1> YES [goto d24]

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

d21< Why didn't you accept this ojt training?

INTERVIEWER: IF NOT INTERESTED IN TRAINING, PROBE: Was that because you weren't interested in the type of ojt offered, or because you weren't interested in [r]any[n] training.

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> NOT INTERESTED IN ANY JOB TRAINING/TRAINING NOT NEEDED
- <2> GOT ANOTHER JOB/REEMPLOYED/WENT BACK TO WORK
- <3> WAS AWAITING RECALL
- <4> WAS PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE IN OTHER PROGRAM
- <5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK
- <6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <7> TOO FAR/INCONVENIENT
- <8> WAS INTERESTED IN CLASSROOM TRAINING
- <9> TOO YOUNG/TOO OLD
- <10> ILL HEALTH/PHYSICAL DISABILITY/PREGNANCY
- <11> COULDN'T ARRANGE CHILD CARE
- <12> OTHER FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES
- <13> TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM
- <14> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <15> NOT INTERESTED IN TYPE OF JOB TRAINING OFFERED
- <16> DIDN'T BELIEVE THE KIND OF TRAINING OFFERED WOULD BE USEFUL IN FINDING AN ACCEPTABLE JOB

- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

===>

>d22< INTERVIEWER: CHECK d21. IS CODE <15> (NOT INTERESTED IN TYPE OF JOB TRAINING OFFERED) CODED?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO [goto d24]
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

123< Why weren't you interested in this type of training?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER RESPONSE.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

123a< IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

124< The Job Search Assistance program provides information about classroom training or academic or vocational training. Were you told about this type of classroom training?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>125< Were you interested in participating in classroom training?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d30]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

26< Did a counselor actually [r]offer[n] you classroom training?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d31]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d27< Did you accept this offer and attend classroom sessions?

<1> YES [goto d31]

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

128< Why didn't you accept this classroom training?

INTERVIEWER: IF NOT INTERESTED IN TRAINING, PROBE: Was that because you weren't interested in the type of classroom training, or because you weren't interested in [r]any[n] training.

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the [r]main[n] reason?

CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> NOT INTERESTED IN ANY JOB TRAINING/TRAINING NOT NEEDED
- <2> GOT ANOTHER JOB/REEMPLOYED/WENT BACK TO WORK
- <3> WAS AWAITING RECALL
- <4> WAS PARTICIPATING/GOING TO PARTICIPATE IN OTHER PROGRAM
- <5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK
- <6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <7> TOO FAR/INCONVENIENT
- <8> WAS INTERESTED IN ON-THE-JOB TRAINING
- <9> TOO YOUNG/TOO OLD
- <10> ILL HEALTH/PHYSICAL DISABILITY/PREGNANCY
- <11> COULDN'T ARRANGE CHILD CARE
- <12> OTHER FAMILY RESPONSIBILITIES
- <13> TRANSPORTATION PROBLEM
- <14> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <15> NOT INTERESTED IN TYPE OF JOB TRAINING OFFERED
- <16> DIDN'T BELIEVE THE KIND OF TRAINING OFFERED WOULD BE USEFUL IN FINDING AN ACCEPTABLE JOB

- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

====>

>d29< INTERVIEWER: CHECK d28. IS CODE <15> (NOT INTERESTED IN TYPE OF JOB TRAINING OFFERED) CODED?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO [goto d31]
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

====>

130< Why weren't you interested in this type of training?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER RESPONSE.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

130a< IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

131< Another way the Job Service helps people find jobs is through a Computerized Job Listing. Were you given any information about a computer program that contains information on job openings?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d37]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d32< Did you use the Computerized Job Listing?

<1> YES [goto d34]

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

133< Why didn't you use the Computerized Job Listing?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER RESPONSE.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==> [goto d37]

134< Did you apply for any jobs listed on the computer?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d37]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

>d35< Did any of these employers offer you a job?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d37]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

136< Did you actually start work for (that/any of those) employers?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

137< The Job Search Assistance program provides a Job Resource Center, that is, a place where unemployed people can go to review job openings, use industrial directories, check newspaper want ads and use the telephone.

Did you know about the Job Resource Center?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d42]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d38< Did you use the Center after you lost your job?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto d41]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

139< Would you say that the Center was very useful, somewhat useful or not useful to you in finding suitable job openings?

<1> VERY USEFUL [goto d42]

<2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL [goto d42]

<3> NOT USEFUL

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

140< Why wasn't it useful?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the
[r]main[n] reason?

- <1> DID NOT HAVE [r]ANY[n] JOB OPENINGS
- <2> DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE JOB OPENINGS/DID NOT HAVE JOB OPENINGS IN
MY FIELD
- <3> DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE MATERIALS/ENOUGH MATERIALS
- <4> DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE SPACE/ENOUGH SPACE
- <5> DID NOT OFFER INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION/
NEEDED INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION
- <6> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

==> [goto d42]

141< Why didn't you use the Center?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE: What was the
[r]main[n] reason?

- <1> DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD HELP TO FIND JOB
- <2> GOT A JOB/REEMPLOYED
- <3> WAS AWAITING RECALL
- <4> WAS ENROLLED IN TRAINING OR ACADEMIC COURSES
- <5> DIDN'T WANT TO WORK/DIDN'T WANT TO LOOK FOR WORK
- <6> RETIRED/ABOUT TO RETIRE
- <7> TOO FAR/INCONVENIENT
- <8> THOUGHT CENTER DID NOT HAVE ANY JOB OPENINGS
- <9> THOUGHT CENTER DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE JOB OPENINGS
- <10> THOUGHT CENTER DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE MATERIALS/
ENOUGH MATERIALS
- <11> THOUGHT CENTER DID NOT HAVE SUITABLE SPACE/
ENOUGH SPACE
- <12> THOUGHT CENTER DID NOT OFFER INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION
- <13> CENTER WAS NOT YET IN OPERATION/CENTER WAS BEING
CONSTRUCTED
- <14> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]
- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

==>

142< Of the Job Search Assistance services that we have talked about
[fill] or any other services they offered--did you find any of
these services helpful to you in looking for or in finding work?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto e1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d43< Which services did you find helpful?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ALL THAT APPLY.

<1> JOB SEARCH WORKSHOP

<2> JOB ASSESSMENT/JOB COUNSELING INTERVIEW

<3> ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

<4> CLASSROOM TRAINING

<5> COMPUTERIZED JOB LISTING

<6> JOB RESOURCE CENTER

<7> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>d44< INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN ONE SERVICE CODED IN d43, ASK: And of
those services, that is [fill] SERVICES CODED IN d43],
which did you find the [r]most[n] helpful in looking
for or in finding work?

<1> JOB SEARCH WORKSHOP

<2> JOB ASSESSMENT/JOB COUNSELING INTERVIEW

<3> ON-THE-JOB TRAINING

<4> CLASSROOM TRAINING

<5> COMPUTERIZED JOB LISTING

<6> JOB RESOURCE CENTER

<7> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

I45< In your opinion, how helpful were the Job Search Assistance Program activities in finding a job. Would you say . . .

<1> very helpful,
<2> somewhat helpful,
<3> not very helpful, or
<4> not helpful at all?

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

==>

< EDUCATION AND TRAINING PROGRAMS

e1< INTERVIEWER: REFER TO d1.

<1> SAMPLE MEMBER IS A CONTROL OR NON-ELIGIBLE
FOR TREATMENT GROUP [goto e2]

<2> SAMPLE MEMBER IS IN A TREATMENT GROUP [goto e3]

===>

>e2< Since [fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM DATE], have you gone to any classes
that helped you look for work, job clubs, or any counseling or
testing service?

<1> YES [goto e4]

<0> NO [goto e8]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

TREATMENT GROUPS ONLY:

3< Since [fill CLAIM DATE], have you gone to any [r]other[n] classes
than those we already talked about, to help you look for work?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto e8]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

4< What was the name of the place that provided that service?

PROBE: What kind of program is this? Who operates this program?

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

5< Was this part of a special government program like the Job Training Partnership Act or JTPA?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<3> MAYBE

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>e6< Did you go there while you were collecting unemployment benefits?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7a< When you went to that service, which of the following did they do?
Did they . . .

...Teach you how to apply for jobs?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>e7b< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of
the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Help you fill out job applications and contact employers?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7c< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Give you information to help you decide on a career or occupation?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7d< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Test you to see what jobs you are qualified or suited for?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>e7e< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Give you information about job training programs?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7f< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Give you information about education programs?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7g< READ STEM IF NECESSARY: When you went to that service, which of the following did they do? Did they . . .

...Refer you to other agencies which might have helped you find a job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

8< Since you lost your job around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE), have you gone to school or participated in any training programs designed to prepare individuals for jobs?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto f1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

9< How many such training programs have you participated in since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

< > # PROGRAMS

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

NDA: REPEAT 3 TIMES FOR FIRST/SECOND/THIRD AFTER CLAIM DATE.

9m< When did you start participating in (that program/the
[first/second/third] program after ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/
CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR])?

INTERVIEWER: IF MORE THAN THREE PROGRAMS, ASK ABOUT FIRST
THREE AFTER CLAIM DATE.

ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY	<7> JULY
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<98> DON'T KNOW
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>e9d< ENTER DAY

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<98> DON'T KNOW
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9y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

10m< And when did you stop participating in (the/that) program?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
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<97> STILL IN PROGRAM

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

>e10d< ENTER DAY

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<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

>e10y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

ella< How long (was/is) that program supposed to last?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER NUMBER HERE AND WEEKS AND MONTHS ON NEXT
SCREEN.

<1-20>

<98> DON'T KNOW [goto ellc]
<99> REFUSED [goto ellc]

===>

e11b< ENTER PERIOD

- <1> WEEKS
- <2> MONTHS

====> [goto e12]

>e11c< (Was/Is) that program supposed to last for less than 6 months or
for 6 months or more?

- <1> LESS THAN SIX MONTHS
- <2> SIX MONTHS OR MORE

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

====>

>e12< How many hours per week (was/is) that program?

<1-40>

- <98> DON'T KNOW
- <99> REFUSED

====>

>e13< (Are/Were) you being trained in some skill or occupation, or
(are/were) you taking a general education program?

- <1> SKILL/OCCUPATION [goto e15]
- <2> GENERAL EDUCATION

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

====>

14< What kind of general education (are/were) you taking? (Is/Was)
it . . .

INTERVIEWER: READ CATEGORIES. CODE ONE ONLY.

<1> High school,
<2> GED classes,
<3> Non-credit adult education,
<4> A two-year program at a community college,
<5> A four-year program at a college or university,
<6> A graduate or professional program,
<7> Or something else? (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==> [goto e17]

>e15< What kind of job (are/were) you being trained for or what
(are/were) you learning to do (in that program)?

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

16< Where (do/did) you get that training?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONLY ONE.

<1> VOCATIONAL TRAINING CENTER
<2> COMMUNITY COLLEGE
<3> BUSINESS SCHOOL
<4> COMPANY
<5> ADULT ED/COMMUNITY SCHOOL/ADULT HIGH SCHOOL/
NIGHT SCHOOL
<0> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

e17< Were you (taking that course/participating in that program) mainly to prepare yourself for a new occupation or mainly to improve yourself in your current occupation?

- <1> PREPARE FOR NEW OCCUPATION
- <2> IMPROVE SELF IN CURRENT OCCUPATION
- <3> NEITHER

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

e18< Who paid for that (course/program)?

- <1> SELF
- <2> FAMILY
- <3> EMPLOYER
- <4> GOVERNMENT AGENCY (JTPA/EDWAA/PIC/VA)
- <5> GOVERNMENT LOANS OR SCHOLARSHIP (PELL GRANT)
- <6> PRIVATE ORGANIZATION OR SCHOLARSHIP FUND

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

e19< INTERVIEWER: CHECK e10. IS RESPONDENT STILL IN PROGRAM?

- <1> YES [goto e22]
- <0> NO

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

e20< Did you complete the program?

PROBE: Did you receive a certificate or degree?

- <1> YES [goto e22]
- <0> NO
- <2> NO SPECIFIED COMPLETION [goto e22]

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

21< What was the [r]main[n] reason that you stopped participating in (the/that) program?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONLY ONE.

- <1> NOT INTERESTED/DIDN'T LIKE PROGRAM
- <2> DIDN'T THINK IT WOULD HELP TO FIND JOB
- <3> FOUND JOB/REEMPLOYED
- <4> STARTED (OTHER) SCHOOL/TRAINING
- <5> DECIDED DIDN'T WANT JOB
- <6> ILLNESS/PREGNANCY
- <7> CHILD CARE/FAMILY/TRANSPORTATION/LOGISTICAL PROBLEMS
- <8> POOR GRADES
- <9> COULDN'T AFFORD TO CONTINUE
- <10> COURSES OR PROGRAM POORLY TAUGHT
- <11> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

==>

22< When you began that (course/program), did you expect that it would help you get a job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

23< Did you actually get a job as a direct result of your (taking that course/participating in that program)?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

24< In general, how useful was that program to you in obtaining a job,
was it very useful, somewhat useful, or not useful?

<1> VERY USEFUL

<2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL

<3> NOT USEFUL

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>e25< How useful is that program to you on your current job? Is it very
useful, somewhat useful, or not useful?

<1> VERY USEFUL

<2> SOMEWHAT USEFUL

<3> NOT USEFUL

<7> NO CURRENT JOB

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

26< INTERVIEWER: CHECK e9. IS THERE ANOTHER PROGRAM?

<1> YES [goto e9m]

<0> NO [goto f1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

< POST-CLAIM EMPLOYMENT

f1< INTERVIEWER: CODE WITHOUT ASKING, IF KNOWN.

Have you done any work for pay since you lost your job around
([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto g1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>f2< How many different jobs lasting [r]two weeks[n] or more have you
had since then?

< > # OF JOBS LASTING 2 WEEKS OR LONGER SINCE CLAIM DATE

<0> [r]NO[n] JOBS LASTING TWO WEEKS OR LONGER SINCE
CLAIM DATE [goto g1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

LINDA: MACRO NEEDED HERE.

>f3< Who have you worked for since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND
YEAR)? Please tell me the names of all the companies,
organizations, and people you've worked for for two weeks or more
since that time, including any part-time or self-employed jobs you
may have had, beginning with the first.

PROBE: What's the next job you had since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/
CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

IF MORE THAN FIVE JOBS, LIST THE FIRST FOUR AND THE MOST RECENT
JOB.

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

F3m< FOR EACH EMPLOYER, ASK: When did you start working for [fill NAME
OF EMPLOYER]?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
SCREENS.

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<5> MAY <11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE <12> DECEMBER

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

====>

>f3d< ENTER DAY

PROBE FOR BEGINNING, MIDDLE, OR END OF MONTH IF SAMPLE MEMBER
CANNOT GIVE EXACT DATES.

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

====>

>f3y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

====>

4m< INTERVIEWER, IF UNKNOWN, ASK: When did that job end?

IF STILL WORKING, CODE FOR "STILL AT JOB". RECORD DATE OF INTERVIEW IN END DATE [r]ONLY[n] IF JOB TERMINATED ON DATE OF INTERVIEW.

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY <7> JULY
<2> FEBRUARY <8> AUGUST
<3> MARCH <9> SEPTEMBER
<4> APRIL <10> OCTOBER
<5> MAY <11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE <12> DECEMBER
<97> STILL AT JOB

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

4d< ENTER DAY

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

4y< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

5< Did you work on that job continuously from [fill START DATE] to [fill END DATE]?

IF NO, SAY: I need to find out the dates of [r]each[n] time you worked for [fill EMPLOYER]. When was the first time you [r]stopped[n] working there after [fill START DATE]? And when were the other times you worked for [fill EMPLOYER] between ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR) and now?

TREAT A JOB INTERRUPTED BY TWO OR MORE UNPAID WEEKS AS SEPARATE JOBS. IF SEPARATION IS LESS THAN TWO WEEKS, TREAT AS ONE JOB.

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

NDA: CHECK TO CONFIRM THAT ALL JOBS LASTED 10 OR MORE WORKING DAYS. DISREGARD JOBS LASTING LESS THAN TWO WEEKS.

NUMBER JOBS ACCORDING TO START DATE FROM FIRST JOB AFTER ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE) TO MOST RECENT, AND ASK ABOUT JOBS IN THIS ORDER:

JOB #1 = FIRST JOB AFTER ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE).

JOB #2 = SECOND JOB AFTER ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE),
OR LONGEST

JOB IF LONGEST JOB IS NOT FIRST OR MOST RECENT JOB.

JOB #3 = THIRD JOB AFTER ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE),
OR CURRENT OR MOST RECENT JOB IF MORE THAN THREE JOBS
LISTED.

NDA: FOR THREE JOBS: JOB #1 (FIRST JOB AFTER ([BENEFIT BEGIN/
CLAIM] DATE); JOB #2 (SECOND OR LONGEST JOB AFTER ([BENEFIT
BEGIN/CLAIM] DATE); JOB #3 (MOST RECENT JOB IF MORE THAN 3)

>f6< Now I'd like to ask some questions about (this job/[some of] these
jobs).

Let's talk about the job you (have/had) at [fill EMPLOYER], (where
you worked between [fill DATES OF PERIOD]/where you are working
now).

CODE WITHOUT ASKING IF KNOWN: Is this the same employer as the one
you had on the job which ended before ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM]
MONTH AND YEAR)?

<1> YES [goto f10]

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

>f7< FOR JOBS 02 AND 03, IF THE SAME EMPLOYER AS JOB 01, CODE <01>
WITHOUT ASKING.

How did you find (this/that) job?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

<1> RECALL BY FORMER EMPLOYER [goto f9]

<2> STATE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY/STATE JOB SERVICE

<3> PRIVATE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY

<4> FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

<5> WANT ADS

<6> DIRECTLY WITH EMPLOYER

<7> UNION

<8> SELF-EMPLOYED [goto f9]

<9> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

==>

8< Did you get (this/that) job through a special government program which provides on-the-job training?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>f9< What kind of company is [fill EMPLOYER]? What (do/did) they make or do?

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

10< What (do/did) you do there? What (is/was) your job?

<1> TO SPECIFY AND END WITH /// [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

11< How many hours [r]per week[n] (do/did) you usually work on (this/that) job (between [fill DATES OF PERIOD])? Please include [r]regular[n] overtime hours.

< > # HOURS PER WEEK

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

F12d< How much (do/did) you usually make per week (on this/when you left that) job, before taxes and other deductions? Please include tips, commissions, and regular overtime.

INTERVIEWER: ACCEPT MOST CONVENIENT PAY PERIOD. IF NECESSARY,
CONFIRM PAY PERIOD.

SET UP SEPARATE ITEM FOR DOLLARS AND CENTS.

< > PER HOUR

<9997> NOT PAID BY THE HOUR

<9998> DON'T KNOW

<9999> REFUSED

===>

F12a< ENTER AMOUNT, THEN CODE TIME PERIOD

< > AMOUNT

<999998> DON'T KNOW

<999999> REFUSED

===>

F12p< ENTER TIME PERIOD

<1> PER WEEK

<2> ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS

<3> TWICE A MONTH

<4> PER MONTH

<5> PER YEAR

<96> IN-KIND ONLY

<97> NOT YET PAID

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

===>

NDA: SAME AS EARLIER GRID. JOB 1, 2 AND 3.

f13< IF THIS IS A CURRENT JOB, CODE <7> WITHOUT ASKING.

Which of the following best describes the way that job ended: You were laid off, you quit, you retired, you were fired, or was there some other reason?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

PROBE [r]ANY[n] "OTHER" REASON FOR TYPE OF SEPARATION.

<1> LAID OFF

<2> QUIT

<3> RETIRED

<4> FIRED

<5> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<7> CURRENT JOB [goto f15]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

>f14< Did you look for work at all after that job ended?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====> [goto f15]

NDA: JOB #03 SKIPS TO f16.

f15< INTERVIEWER: FOR JOBS 02 AND 03, CHECK f2. ARE THERE MORE JOBS TO BE ASKED ABOUT?

<1> YES [goto f5, JOB #02]

<2> NO [goto f16]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

16< INTERVIEWER: IS R CURRENTLY EMPLOYED?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto g1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>f17< Which of the following fringe benefits do you receive at your
current job? Do you receive . . .

. . . Paid vacation?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

f18< READ IF NECESSARY: Do you receive . . .

. . . Paid holidays?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>f19< READ IF NECESSARY: Do you receive . . .

. . . Paid sick leave?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

20< READ IF NECESSARY: Do you receive . . .

. . .Health insurance?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

>r21< READ IF NECESSARY: Do you receive . . .

. . .A pension plan?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

< SPOUSE EMPLOYMENT

1< Are you currently married, living as married, separated, divorced, widowed, or have you never been married?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

<1> MARRIED/COMMON LAW
<2> LIVING TOGETHER UNMARRIED
<3> SEPARATED [goto g7]
<4> DIVORCED [goto g7]
<5> WIDOWED [goto g7]
<6> NEVER MARRIED [goto h1]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

2< Is your [fill husband/wife/companion] currently working for pay, either part-time or full-time?

<1> YES
<0> NO [goto g6]

<8> DON'T KNOW
<9> REFUSED

===>

>q3< How much does [fill he] usually make per week, before taxes and other deductions? Please include tips, commissions, and regular overtime.

INTERVIEWER: ACCEPT MOST CONVENIENT PAY PERIOD. IF NECESSARY, CONFIRM PAY PERIOD.

SET UP SEPARATE ITEM FOR DOLLARS AND CENTS.

< > PER HOUR

<9997> NOT PAID BY THE HOUR
<9998> DON'T KNOW
<9999> REFUSED

===>

3a< ENTER AMOUNT, THEN CODE TIME PERIOD

< > AMOUNT

<999998> DON'T KNOW

<999999> REFUSED

===>

3p< ENTER TIME PERIOD

<1> PER WEEK

<2> ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS

<3> TWICE A MONTH

<4> PER MONTH

<5> PER YEAR

<7> IN-KIND ONLY

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

4< Is [fill he] eligible to receive health insurance benefits at this job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

5< Is [fill he] in a pension plan at this job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

6< Were you [fill married to/living with] your present
(spouse/companion) on ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

<1> YES [goto g9]

<0> NO [goto g8]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

7< Has your marital status changed since you lost your job around
([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto h1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

8< In ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR), were you married,
living as married, separated, divorced, widowed, or had you never
been married?

<1> MARRIED/COMMON LAW

<2> LIVING TOGETHER UNMARRIED

<3> SEPARATED [goto h1]

<4> DIVORCED [goto h1]

<5> WIDOWED [goto h1]

<6> NEVER MARRIED [goto h1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>g9< In ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR), was your (former)
(husband/wife/companion) working for pay, either part-time or
full-time?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto h1]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

10< How much did [fill he] usually make per week at that time, before taxes and other deductions? Please include tips, commissions, and regular overtime.

INTERVIEWER: ACCEPT MOST CONVENIENT PAY PERIOD. IF NECESSARY, CONFIRM PAY PERIOD.

SET UP SEPARATE ITEM FOR DOLLARS AND CENTS.

< > PER HOUR

<9997> NOT PAID BY THE HOUR

<9998> DON'T KNOW

<9999> REFUSED

====>

10a< ENTER AMOUNT, THEN CODE TIME PERIOD

< > AMOUNT

<999998> DON'T KNOW

<999999> REFUSED

====>

10p< ENTER TIME PERIOD

<1> PER WEEK

<2> ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS

<3> TWICE A MONTH

<4> PER MONTH

<5> PER YEAR

<7> IN-KIND ONLY

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

====>

11< At that time was [fill he] eligible to receive health insurance
benefits at that job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

12< Was [fill he] in a pension plan at that job?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

< OTHER POST-CLAIM INCOME

>h1< As I said before, [fill STATE] Unemployment Insurance records show that you collected unemployment benefits after you lost your job around ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR). The next questions are about some [r]other[n] types of payments that you (and your [husband/wife/companion]) may have received since that time.

Since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR), have (you/either of you) received any payments from Social Security or Railroad Retirement?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>h2< Have (you/either of you) received pension benefits from a private or a government employer since that time?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto h5]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>n3< Did you receive a pension payout after you lost your job around [fill CLAIM MONTH AND YEAR]?

<1> YES

<0> NO [goto h5]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

h4< Did that pension come in the form of a single lump sum payout, or was it received in multiple payments over a period of time?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

- <1> SINGLE PAYOUT
- <2> MULTIPLE OR ONGOING PAYOUT
- <3> ANNUITY
- <4> BOTH PAYOUT AND ANNUITY (MORE THAN ONE PENSION)

- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

>h5< Since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR), have (you/either of you) received any payments from supplemental security income, known as SSI, or from aid to families with dependent children, known as AFDC, or from general assistance or welfare?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

h6< Have (you/either of you) received any government food stamps since ([fill BENEFIT BEGIN/CLAIM] MONTH AND YEAR)?

- <1> YES
- <0> NO
- <8> DON'T KNOW
- <9> REFUSED

===>

7< Thinking about last year, that is 1995, about what was the total income for you and all the members of your household, before taxes and other deductions? Please include all the sources of income we've talked about, plus others such as unemployment insurance benefits, rent from roomers or tenants, interest, and dividends.

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR ESTIMATE, IF NECESSARY.

\$ < > [goto h11]

<9999998> DON'T KNOW

<9999999> REFUSED

===>

>h8< Would you say your household income in 1995 was more than \$30,000 or \$30,000 or less?

<1> MORE THAN \$30,000

<0> LESS THAN \$30,000 [goto h10]

<8> DON'T KNOW [goto h11]

<9> REFUSED [goto h11]

===>

>h9< Would you say it was . . .

<1> less than \$40,000,

<2> between \$40,000 and \$50,000,

<3> between \$50,000 and \$60,000,

<4> between \$60,000 and \$75,000, or

<5> more than \$75,000?

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===> [goto h11]

10< Would you say it was . . .

- <1> more than \$20,000,
- <2> between \$10,000 and \$20,000,
- <3> between \$5,000 and \$10,000, or
- <4> less than \$5,000?

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>n11< And how about the year before that, 1994? About what was the total income for you and all the members of your household, before taxes and other deductions, that year?

INTERVIEWER: PROBE FOR ESTIMATE, IF NECESSARY.

\$ < > [goto i1]

<9999998> DON'T KNOW

<9999999> REFUSED

===>

12< Would you say your household income in 1994 was more than \$30,000 or \$30,000 or less?

- <1> MORE THAN \$30,000
- <0> LESS THAN \$30,000 [goto h14]

<8> DON'T KNOW [goto i1]

<9> REFUSED [goto i1]

===>

13< Would you say it was . . .

- <1> less than \$40,000,
- <2> between \$40,000 and \$50,000,
- <3> between \$50,000 and \$60,000,
- <4> between \$60,000 and \$75,000, or
- <5> more than \$75,000?

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===> [goto i1]

14< Would you say it was . . .

- <1> more than \$20,000,
- <2> between \$10,000 and \$20,000,
- <3> between \$5,000 and \$10,000, or
- <4> less than \$5,000?

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

==>

[< DEMOGRAPHICS

ilm< Before we finish, I would like to ask you a little about your
background and household.

What is your birthdate, when were you born?

INTERVIEWER: ENTER MONTH HERE AND DAY AND YEAR ON THE FOLLOWING
SCREENS.

<1> JANUARY	<7> JULY
<2> FEBRUARY	<8> AUGUST
<3> MARCH	<9> SEPTEMBER
<4> APRIL	<10> OCTOBER
<5> MAY	<11> NOVEMBER
<6> JUNE	<12> DECEMBER

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

ild< ENTER DAY

< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

===>

ily< ENTER YEAR

19< >

<98> DON'T KNOW
<99> REFUSED

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2< And what is the highest diploma or degree you have received?

INTERVIEWER: CODE ONE ONLY.

- <0> NONE
- <1> LESS THAN HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE
- <2> HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA
- <3> HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY/GED
- <4> VOCATIONAL/TECHNICAL/BUSINESS
- <5> ASSOCIATE'S (2 YEARS)
- <6> BACHELOR'S (4 YEARS)
- <7> MASTER'S
- <8> DOCTORATE/PH.D.
- <9> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

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3< [r]Not[n] counting yourself, how many people currently live or stay with you? Please include children and infants and people not related to you.

< > # OTHER PEOPLE IN HOUSEHOLD

<0> NONE

<98> DON'T KNOW

<99> REFUSED

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>i4< How many children do you have who are under 18 that are dependent on you?

< > # CHILDREN UNDER 18 YEARS

<0> NONE [goto i6]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

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5< How many children or other dependents do you support who are 18 or older?

< > # OVER 18 SUPPORTED

<0> NONE

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

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6< Are you of Spanish or Hispanic origin or descent?

<1> YES

<0> NO

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

===>

>i7< What is your racial background?

INTERVIEWER: READ CATEGORIES IF NECESSARY.

<1> WHITE

<2> BLACK

<3> AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN INDIAN

<4> ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER

<5> OTHER (SPECIFY) [specify]

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

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>18< INTERVIEWER, CODE SEX. (ASK IF NOT OBVIOUS)

<1> MALE

<2> FEMALE

<8> DON'T KNOW

<9> REFUSED

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nd< This is the end of the interview. Thank you very much for your
time and cooperation.

RESPONDENT NAME: _____

INTERVIEWER: _____

DATE: _____

TIME ENDED: |__|__|:|__|__| 1 AM
2 PM

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