

Has there EVER been any OTHER kind of agreement

or understanding that says that [CHILD]'s (mother/father) should help support (him/her)?

Would you call it an agreement or an

No

understanding? Agreement Understanding

# **Family Ties Across Households: Legal Arrangements**

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			Legal Ag	reement	Intitling (	Child Support Re	ceipt				
Did (you/[CHILD]'s (mother/father)) ever have any type of child support agreement or ever attempt to have any type of child support agreement with [CHILD]'s (mother/father)?  Yes  No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								
Has there EVER been ANY kind of LEGAL ARRANGEMENT that says that [CHILD]'s (mother/father) should provide ANY KIND of financial support for (him/her)? Yes No Legal arrangement pending			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								
There is an arrangement, but respondent does not know if it is legal:  Would you call it a court order, a court award, or a legal agreement?  Court order  Court award  Legal agreement			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								

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Did this (agreement/court award/court order/understanding) ever say that [CHILD]'s (mother/father) should make child support payments?  Yes  No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								
Thinking about child support, do you have a legal agreement, an informal agreement, or no arrangement at all with (the child's mother/[CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s father)?  Mark (X) one Legal Informal No arrangement				w1							
Have child support payments for [CHILD] ever been awarded by a court or a judge, agreed to in writing, agreed to informally, or do you not have an agreement of any kind?  Yes, awarded by a court Yes, agreed to in writing Yes, agreed to informally Yes, award pending No agreement Other (specify)					w5						
What kind of agreement do you have? SPECIFY AGREEMENT					w5						
Do you have a legal agreement or child support order that requires ([FATHER]/you) to provide financial support to [CHILD]?						w2-4					

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Yes No

Yes No

child support for [CHILD]?

Has a court required ([PARTNER]/you) to pay you

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Are you (or) [SPOUSE/PARTNER] currently legally entitled to receive child support payments through a court order or any other type of legal agreement?  Yes  No								08				
Is [SPOUSE/PARTNER] legally entitled to receive child support? Yes No								08				
Have child support payments ever been agreed to or awarded for any of (your children/ your spouse's/partner's children) living here? Yes No									P97, 97, '08			
During [PREV YEAR], were (you/your spouse/ partner) supposed to receive any child support payments? Yes No									P97, 97, '08			
THESE NEXT FEW QUESTIONS CONCERN CHILD SUPPORT. CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS CAN BE SPECIFIED IN WRITTEN OR VERBAL CHILD SUPPORT												

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AGREEMENTS.

Yes No

awarded for [CHILD]?

Have child support payments ever been agreed to or

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THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS REFER TO THE MOST RECENT CHILD SUPPORT AGREEMENT. THIS IS THE AGREEMENT COVERING [CHILD].  Was this agreement a court-ordered agreement, a voluntary written agreement approved by the court, some other type of written agreement, or a non-written verbal agreement?  *Court-ordered agreement  *Voluntary written-agreement approved by the court  *Other type of written agreement (specify)									08			
*Non-written (verbal) agreement  Child support payments can be specified in written or verbal child support agreements. Have child support payments ever been agreed to or awarded for **READ NAME(S)**?  Yes No											04, 08	
The following questions refer to the MOST RECENT [display CHILDROS3] CHILD SUPPORT AGREEMENT. This is the agreement covering **READ NAME(S) OF CHILD(REN)**. Was this a voluntary written agreement ratified by the court, a court-ordered agreement, some other type of written agreement, or a non-written verbal agreement?  Voluntary written agreement ratified by the court Court-ordered agreement Other type of written agreement A non-written verbal agreement											04, 08	
[If I_WAVE ge <2>] Since [fill MONTH1] 1st, have support payments been court ordered or informally agreed to for [CHILDFIL]? [else] Have support payments ever been court ordered or informally agreed to for [CHILDFIL]?  Yes No											04, 08	

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### Legal Agreement Requiring (Respondent/Household Member) to Pay Child Support

In 2009, (were/was) (name/you) required to pay child support?

Yes

No

Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her:

Does [FATHER] have a legal obligation to pay child support for (this child/any of these children)?

Yes No

For father who has primary (sole) custody of child:

For fathers who live with child all or most of the time:

Do you have a legal agreement for this support or an nformal agreement?

Legal

Informal

Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:

Do you have a legal obligation to pay child support for (any of those other ([NUMBER]/that other) child(ren)?

Yes

No

Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:

You mentioned before that you have (a child/some children) with someone other than [MOTHER]. Do you have a legal obligation to pay child support for (that child/any of those children)?

Yes

No

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Was any of (this/the) amount paid as the result of a child support order?  Yes  No										C6, 06- 08		
In the past 4 months- that is, since [fill MONTH1] 1st [fill WASWERE] [fill HESHE] required to pay child support [fill TEMP1]? INCLUDE ANY PAYMENTSMADE DIRECTLY TO THE OTHER PARENT/GUARDIAN;MADE THROUGH A COURT OR AGENCY; ORWITHHELD FROM THIS PERSON'S PAYCHECK Yes No											04, 08	
				Child	Support F	Recipient						
Regarding child support/alimony: Who received these payments? WRITE IN RESPONSE			00-10									
What parent do you have this agreement with? PROBE: Any other parent? CODE ALL THAT APPLY. [CHILD]'s biological father [CHILD]'s biological mother [CHILD]'s adoptive father [CHILD]'s adoptive mother					w5							
Are payments supposed to be received directly from [FATHER], from the court, from a welfare or child support agency, or from some other source?						w2-4						
Father Court Welfare or child support agency Other (not specified) Father's paycheck Not required to pay child support Still pending						w2-4 w2-4 w2-4 w2-4 w2 w2 w2						

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Who does the money go to? Child's mother Child's grandparent Court Welfare or child support agency Other (not specified)							w2						
Are payments supposed to be given directly to [MOTHER], to the court, to a welfare or child support agency, or somewhere else?  Mother  Court  Welfare or child support agency Other (not specified)							w3, 4						
Who is legally entitled to receive child support - you, [SPOUSE/PARTNER] or both of you?  Yourself only Your spouse/partner only Yourself and spouse/partner									08				
Under this agreement, are you supposed to pay child support or receive child support for (this child/these children)?  Pay child support  Receive child support										08			
Did you usually make these payments:  Through employment-related wage withholding Directly to the other parent Directly to the court Directly to a welfare or child-support agency Other (specify)										08			
			Amount	t of Child	Support 3	Supposed	to Rec	eive					
How much child support, in total, were you			00, 02,										

How much child support, in total, were you SUPPOSED to receive? WRITE IN AMOUNT

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In the past year, were you supposed to receive any child support payments for [CHILD]?  Yes  No					w5							
How much are the payments supposed to be per month?  ENTER DOLLAR AMOUNT per  Week  Every 2 weeks  Month  Other (not specified)  Per 3 weeks  No payment required  Whatever he can afford  Other  None/payments legally terminated						w2-4 w2-4 w2-4 w2-4 w2 w2 w2 w2 w2 w2 w2 w2 w2						

What was the dollar amount of that agreement? You may report this as a weekly, biweekly, monthly, or an annual amount.

WRITE IN \$ AMOUNT PER...

Week

Biweekly

Month Year

What is the total amount of child support payments [TEMPNAME] [WASWERE] supposed to receive during that period from the most recent agreement? WRITE IN AMOUNT

What is the total amount that [fill HESHE] ACTUALLY RECEIVED in child support payments under that agreement during that period?

Please include any child support passed through the welfare agency, excluding your regular A.F.D.C [if TEMP2 eq and TEMP3 eq] or [else],[endif][TEMP1] [TEMP2][TEMP3][endif]

WRITE IN AMOUNT





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How much per month (are you/is he) supposed to pay for (the child's/[CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s) support?  Your best estimate will be fine.  \$ PER MONTH				w1								
How much are you currently supposed to pay in child support under this agreement. Please don't give the total amount of back payments you might owe; just tell me the amount you are currently supposed to pay each week or month.  IF AGREEMENT COVERS MORE THAN ONE CHILD: Tell me the amount for all children together.  ENTER AMOUNT									08			
Is that Every week Every other week Every month Other (specify)									08			
Of the past 12 months, how many months were you supposed to pay under this agreement?  ENTER NUMBER									08			
			(	Child Supp	ort <i>Actu</i>	ally Received						
During the last 12 months, did you or any member of your (CU/household) receive any income from child support?  Yes  No		03, 10										
Did you receive a one time lump sum payment for child support? Yes No		03, 10										
Did you receive any child support payments in other than a lump sum amount? Yes No		03, 10										

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During 2009, did (you/ anyone in this household) receive: Any child support/alimony payments? Yes No			00-10									
READ FIRST TIME AND AS NECESSARY: Since [CHILD] (and [TWIN]) turned 5 years old, have you (or any member of your household) received any of the following other sources of household income or support?				w5								
Child support Yes No												
Mothers reporting on support they've received from someone other than FATHER:  Do you receive any child support for (this/these) child(ren)?						w2						

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Yes

Yes No

Yes No

Mothers reporting on support they've received from

You mentioned before that you have (a child/some

([FATHER]/[MOTHER]). Do you receive any child support for (that child/those children)?

During any part of [2000/ 2001], did you receive

someone other than FATHER:

children) with someone other than

income from the following sources?:

...child support or alimony?

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During 1978, did (you/anyone in your HH) receive any money from someone living outside of this household for alimony or child support?  Yes  No  How much?  ENTER AMOUNT								79				
Did you receive income in the past 12 months from any of the sources on the card? All may not apply to you, but it is easiest if I ask you about each one. Did you receive income from  OR  Did you or any members of your family living here receive income in the past 12 months from any of the sources on the card? All may not apply to you, but it is easiest if I ask you about each one. Did you or any member of your family living here receive												

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ncome from....

child support?

income from child support?

Yes No

Yes

No

Child support?
Yes
No

Child support is money paid by a former husband or partner to support his children as a result of a paternity order, a divorce agreement, or an informal agreement. Include payments even if they are irregular and/or less than the agreed upon amount. Include other moneys from outside the household designated as support for the children.

(In the year [LAST YEAR], did you or any members of your family living here receive...) Any income from

(In the year [LAST YEAR], did you receive...) Any

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(Since [fill MONTH1] 1st,) Did [fill TEMPNAME] receive any child support payments or other financial help from the [fill MOMDADFILL] of [CHILDFIL]? Yes No No, absent parent is deceased (volunteered)											04, 08	
PROBE IF NECESSARY: What form of Support from Others Outside the Household? ENTER ALL THAT APPLY Child Support Payments											04, 08	
It says here that [fill TEMPNAME] received [fill I_LASTCS:,] in child support last [fill MONTHXFIL].  Does that still sound about right [fill PERIODFIL]?  Yes  No											04, 08	
				Child Su	ipport <i>Ac</i>	tually Paid						
Since the first of the reference month, have you or any members of your household paid any of the following  Read each item on list Child support		03, 10										
Do you pay child support for any of these children? Yes No				w1								
Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:  Do you pay child support for (any of those other [NUMBER]/that other) child(ren)?  PROBE: Do not include the child(ren) you had with [MOTHER].  Yes No						w2						

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Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:

Do you pay child support for (that/any of these) child(ren)?

Yes

No

Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her:

Does he pay child support for (this/any of these) child(ren)?

Yes

No

(Mothers/Fathers) reporting on (FATHER/MOTHER) giving to someone other than (her/him):

Does (he/she) pay child support for (that/any of these) child(ren)?

Yes

No

During [PAST CALENDAR YEAR], did you (or) [SPOUSE/PARTNER] pay any money to anyone for child support for any child not living in (this/your) household (in [RESPONDENT'S CITY])?

Yes

No

NOW I HAVE A FEW QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF (THIS CHILD/THESE CHILDREN).

In the last 12 months, that is, since [DATE] did you contribute money or child support for (this child/either of the children/any of the children)'s upbringing?

Yes

No

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## Amount of Child Support Received

What was the total amount of lump sum payments	
for child support received by ALL (CU/household)	
members in the last 12 months?	
ENTER VALUE	
Do not know the exact amount	
Could you tell me which range on CARD C best	
reflects the total amount received in lump sum	
payments for child support by ALL (CU/household)	
members during the last 12 months?	
\$0-\$999	
\$1,000-\$1,999	03, 10
\$2,000-\$2,999	
\$3,000-\$3,999	
\$4,000-\$4,999	
\$5,000-\$9,999	
\$10,000-\$14,999	
\$15,000-\$19,999	
\$20,000-\$29,999	
\$30,000-\$39,999	
\$40,000-\$49,999	
\$50,000 and over	

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What was the total amount of non-lump sum payments received by ALL (CU/household) members in the last 12 months?  Enter value  Do not know the exact amount  Could you tell me which range on CARD C best reflects the total amount received in child support payments, other than lump sum amounts, by ALL (CU/household) members during the last 12 months?  \$0-\$999  \$1,000-\$1,999  \$2,000-\$2,999  \$3,000-\$3,999  \$10,000-\$14,999  \$50,000-\$19,999  \$20,000-\$29,999  \$30,000-\$39,999  \$40,000-\$49,999  \$50,000 and over		03, 10									
How much child support did you actually receive ALTOGETHER in 2007 for (CHILD/the children)? WRITE IN AMOUNT  According to my calculations (name/you) received (total) altogether from child support payments in 2009. Does that sound about right? What is your best estimate of the correct amount (name/you) received from child support payments			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								
during 2009? (If calculation is incorrect)  WRITE IN RESPONSE  How much per month do you usually get for [CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s support? PROBE: Your best estimate				w1							

will be fine.
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Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her: How much does he pay each month?						w2				
Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her:  How much does he pay for (that child/these children) each month?						w3				
ENTER AMOUNT Week Every 2 weeks Month Other (not specified) Percent of salary Other Nothing						w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w3				
About how much of this legally agreed upon child support has [FATHER] actually paid since [DATE]?  ENTER AMOUNT  (Father) paid total amount agreed upon  None						w2, 3				
Mothers reporting on support they've received from someone other than FATHER:  About how much child support did you receive from the father(s) in the past 12 months?  ENTER AMOUNT						w2				
Mothers reporting on support they've received from someone other than FATHER:  About how much child support did you receive from (the father/those fathers) in the past 12 months?  ENTER AMOUNT						w3, 4				

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For father who has primary (sole) custody of child:

For fathers who live with child all or most of the time:

About how much does she give you each month?

**ENTER AMOUNT** 

Week

Every 2 weeks

Month

No specific amount/whatever she can

Other (not specified)

No payment required

No specific amount/whatever she can

FIRST, I AM GOING TO ASK ABOUT YOUR CHILD SUPPORT AGREEMENT. SO FOR THE NEXT QUESTION, PLEASE THINK ONLY ABOUT YOUR CHILD SUPPORT AGREEMENT. I WILL ASK ABOUT [SPOUSE/PARTNER]'S CHILD SUPPORT IN A MOMENT.

In total, how much in child support did
(you/[SPOUSE/PARTNER]) actually receive during
[PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR]?

**ENTER AMOUNT** 

Can you give me an approximate range for that amount? (INTERVIEWER: IT IS ACCEPTABLE FOR RESPONDENT TO REPORT UPPER AND LOWER RANGES VERY CLOSE TOGETHER, OR THE SAME FIGURE FOR UPPER AND LOWER RANGE IF A SPECIFIC NUMBER.)

More than:

Less than:

Would it amount to [ENTRY POINT CHILD SUPPORT INCOME] or more?

Yes

No

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Would it amount to \$1,000 or more? Yes No								08				
Would it amount to \$6,000 or more?  Yes  No												
How much did (you/your spouse/partner) receive in child-support during [PREVIOUS YEAR]?  ENTER AMOUNT									P97, 97, 08			
Please look at this card. Can you tell me the letter of the category that corresponds to the range that includes the amount of income (you and your spouse/partner) received (last year/in 2007) in child support payments?												
A. \$1 - \$1,000 B. \$1,001 - \$2,500 C. \$2,501 - \$5,000 D. \$5,001 - \$10,000 E. \$10,001 - \$25,000 F. \$25,001 - \$50,000									P97, 97, 08			
G. More than \$50,000  Income Type: CHILD SUPPORT  What is the correct monthly amount?											04, 08	
ENTER AMOUNT  How much child support was collected by the agency on [PTEMPNAME] behalf in [MONTHXFIL]?  ENTER AMOUNT											04, 08	
				Amount	of Child S	Support <i>Paid</i>						
How much child support did (name/you) pay in 2009? WRITE IN RESPONSE			00-10									
How much did you pay for the child's support <u>last</u> month?  Your best estimate will be fine.  \$ PER MONTH				w1								

Questions & Responses  2000- 2003, 2000- 2010 2010 5 5 5 Wave 1, 5 Wave 1-4						Dat	ta Sets a	ınd Wa	ves/Cycle	s/Years/	Panels			
2000- 2010 2010 2010 5 5 5 Mother Father  Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER: About how much child support did you give (this child/these children) in the past 12 months? ENTER AMOUNT  Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER: How much do you pay for (that child/these children) each month? ENTER AMOUNT per Week Every 2 weeks Month	Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K		_		NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
other than MOTHER: About how much child support did you give (this child/these children) in the past 12 months? ENTER AMOUNT  Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER: How much do you pay for (that child/these children) each month? ENTER AMOUNT per ENTER AMOUNT per Week Every 2 weeks Month					,	•			Wave 1-4		P97, Y97,	'08		1990, 2000, 2010
other than MOTHER:  How much do you pay for (that child/these children) each month?  ENTER AMOUNT per  Week  Every 2 weeks  Month	other than MOTHER:  About how much child support did you give (this child/these children) in the past 12 months?							w2						
Other (not specified)	other than MOTHER: How much do you pay for (that child/these children) each month? ENTER AMOUNT per Week Every 2 weeks							w3						

w4

w2, 3

w4

About how much child support did you pay for (that

child/those children) in the past twelve months?

About how much of this legally agreed upon child support did you actually pay since [DATE]?

About how much of this legally agreed upon child support did you actually pay—since [DATE]. Would

(Father) paid total amount agreed upon

**ENTER AMOUNT** 

ENTER AMOUNT

you say you have paid...

All of the amount agreed upon,
Some of the amount agreed upon, or
None of the amount agree upon

None

					Dat	a Sets a	ınd Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	'Panels			
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Frag Fam	_	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG		SIPP
	2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1,	Wave 1, 5	Wave Mother	e 1-4 Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6, 2 '08 Women	006- Men	2004,
Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:							w2-4						
Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her:							w3						
Mothers reporting on support they've received from someone other than FATHER:						w2-4							
Mothers and Fathers reporting on the amount of arrears FATHER has:						w2-4							
Mothers (and Fathers) reporting on the amount of arrears FATHER has regarding someone other than her:						w2, 3	w3						
Mothers and Fathers reporting on support they have received from FATHER/given to MOTHER:						w2, 3							
I just need to have a range. Can you tell me if it was  Less than \$500 \$500 to \$1,000 \$1,001 to \$2,000 \$2,001 to \$3,000 \$3,001 to \$4,000 \$4,001 to \$5,000 \$5,001 to \$10,000 More than \$10,000						w2	2-4						
Mothers and Fathers reporting on support they have received from FATHER/given to MOTHER:  Can you tell me approximately how much (he/you) (has/have) paid? Was it  Less than \$500 \$500 to \$1,000 \$1,001 to \$2,000						W	4						

\$2,001 to \$3,000 \$3,001 to \$4,000 \$4,001 to \$5,000 \$5,001 to \$10,000 More than \$10,000 U.S.

Census

2000,

2010

					Dat	ta Sets a	ınd Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	'Panels		
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Frag Fam	_	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NS	FG
	2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1,	Wave 1,	Wave	e 1-4 Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6	
How much did you (or) [SPOUSE/PARTNER] pay in child support during [PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR]? ENTER AMOUNT												
Can you give me an approximate range for that amount? (INTERVIEWER: IT IS ACCEPTABLE FOR RESPONDENT TO REPORT UPPER AND LOWER RANGES VERY CLOSE TOGETHER, OR THE SAME FIGURE FOR UPPER AND LOWER RANGE IF A												
More than: Less than:												
Would it amount to [ENTRY POINT CHILD SUPPORT INCOME] or more?  Yes  No									08			
Would it amount to \$1,000 or more? Yes No												
Would it amount to \$6,000 or more? Yes No												
In the past 12 months, how much have you paid in												

total child support under this agreement or

IF MULTIPLE CHILDREN UNDER ONE AGREEMENT: Please include payments that you made for all

PROBE: Your best estimate will be fine.

children covered by this agreement.

ENTER NUMBER

another?

08

U.S.

Census

1990,

2000,

2010

**SIPP** 

2004,

'08

					Dat	a Sets and Wav	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels			
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
	2000-2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1-4  Mother Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6, 2006- '08 Women Men	2004,	1990, 2000, 2010
In the last 12 months, how much did you give?  R can report weekly, monthly, or yearly amount  If R says that the payments are not always the same, say: How much do you "usually" give? or How much did you give total?  ENTER AMOUNT  Weekly  Monthly  Yearly										C6, 06- 08		
How much did you pay in child support in:  ENTER (N) FOR NONE/NO MORE  ENTER (S) FOR SAME AS PREVIOUS AMOUNT  [fill MONTH4++]  ENTER AMOUNT  [fill MONTH3++]  ENTER AMOUNT  [fill MONTH2++]  ENTER AMOUNT  [fill MONTH1++]  ENTER AMOUNT											04, 08	
	Num	ber of In	dividual	s Specifie	d in the A	Agreement (Won	nen and C	hildren)				
Is your legal agreement just for [CHILD], or is it for (any of) your other child(ren) as well?  Just for child  For other children as well						w2-4						
Is your legal agreement just for [CHILD], or is it for (any) other child(ren) you have with [MOTHER]?  Just for child  For other children as well						w2, 3						
Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:  For how many of these other [NUMBER] children do you pay child support?  NUMBER OF CHILDREN						w2						

								<b>1</b> 24					
					Dat	a Sets and Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels				
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG		SIPP	U.S. Census
	2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1-4  Mother Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6, 20 '08 Women M	006- ∕len	2004,	1990, 2000, 2010
Are there other children covered by this child support agreement? Yes No									08				
Which children are covered by this agreement?									08				
For how many children is there a legal agreement about child support?  NUMBER OF CHILDREN											, 06- 08		
Were any of these children covered by different child support agreements? By that, we mean separate agreements involving different absent parents.  Yes No												04, 08	
Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her: How many women does [FATHER] pay child support to? NUMBER OF WOMEN						w3							
Fathers reporting on support they give to someone other than MOTHER:  (Not including mother) to how many women do you pay child support?  NUMBER OF WOMEN						w2							

w3

Fathers reporting on support they give to someone

How many women do you pay child support to?

other than MOTHER:

NUMBER OF WOMEN

					Dat	a Sets and Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels			
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
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### Timeliness of Payments & Arrears

And for the child support payments you received, how many of them were for the FULL amount you were supposed to receive? Would you say all of them, most of them, some of them, or none of them?

All

Most

Some

None

In 2007, did you receive EVERY SINGLE ONE of the child support payments you were supposed to receive for (CHILD/the children)?

Yes

No

Of the child support payments you received in 2007, how many were received ON TIME. Would you say all of them were on time, most of them, some of them, or none of them?

All

Most

Some None

During the last year, have you received this money regularly so that you could almost always count on getting the money?

Yes

No

How much of this legally agreed upon child support has [FATHER] actually paid—since [DATE]? Would you say he has paid....

All of the amount agreed upon, Some of the amount agreed upon, or None of the amount agree upon 00, 02, 04, 06, 08

00, 02, 04, 06, 08

00, 02, 04, 06, 08

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					Dat	a Sets and Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels			
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How often does ([FATHER]/you) pay on time? Is it All of the time More than half of the time About half of the time Less than half the time, or Never						w2-4						
Does [FATHER] have any arrears on the child support that he is supposed to pay to you, or does he owe anything to the welfare department for unpaid monthly support or for reimbursing birthing costs?  PROBE: Arrears is unpaid child support that the father owes to the mother or to the child support						w2-4						

w2, 3

w2-4

Yes No

Yes No

Yes No

other than her:

other children)?

Mothers reporting on FATHER giving to someone

**PROBE:** Arrears is unpaid child support that the

Do you have any arrears on the child support that you are supposed to pay, or do you owe anything to the welfare department for unpaid monthly support or for reimbursing birthing costs? **PROBE:** Arrears is

unpaid child support that the father owes to the

mother or to the child support agency.

father owes to the mother or to the child support agency.

Does [FATHER] have any arrears in the child support he is supposed to pay for (this other child/these

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				,	<b>'</b>	Mother Father	Wave 1-4				'08	108 '08

Do you have any arrears in the child support you are supposed to pay for (this other child/these other children)? **PROBE:** Arrears is unpaid child support that the father owes to the mother or to the child support agency.

Yes

No

Mothers and Fathers reporting on FATHER:

Mothers (and Fathers) reporting on FATHER giving to someone other than her:

What is the amount of the arrears?

ENTER AMOUNT

In the past 12 months, how many child support payments (has/have) ([PARTNER]/you) missed?

Does he regularly contribute to the support of those children?

Yes

No

**NOTE:** Regular child support is support provided at specified intervals, such as every week, every other week, or every month, rather than sporadically.

Does (CHPNAME) regularly contribute to the financial support of (this/these) child(ren) (aged 18 or under)?

**NOTE:** Regular child support is support provided at specified intervals, such as every week, every other week, or every month, rather than sporadically.

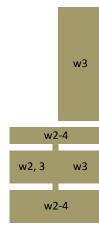
Yes

No

Did you do this on a regular basis, or once in a while?

Regular basis

Once in a while



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				Chile	d Support					Women Wen		
The last time we interviewed you, you told us that you have a legal agreement or child support order that requires ([FATHER]/you) to provide financial support (for/to) [CHILD]. Have there been any changes to the original agreement since it was reached?  Yes No						w3, 4						
Have there been any changes to the original agreement since it was reached?  Yes  No						w3, 4						
Previously, you told me that you had an agreement to pay [AMOUNT] dollars per [TIME PERIOD] in child support. Has that agreement changed since [DLI]?  Yes  No									08			
Regarding change in agreement amount: Has the dollar amount ever changed? Yes No											04, 08	
Regarding change in agreement amount:  Was that change made or agreed to by a government agency such as a court or child support agency?  Yes  No											04, 08	

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Why was the original agreement changed?  CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY						w3, 4						
To include another child						w3, 4						

Change in father's economic circumstances w3, 4 Change in mother's economic circumstances w3, 4 Other (not specified) w3, 4 Back together with (father/mother)/cohabiting w3 Moved in together w4 Fell behind, stopped payments, arrears w3, 4 Agreement terminated w3, 4 (Father/Mother) in jail w3 Father incarcerated w4 No visitation rights/custody, paternity issues w3 Agreement never went through w3, 4 w3 Father doesn't see child w4 Child moved in with father w4

What was the reason for the change in the child support agreement? Was it...

\*Court ordered

\*Due to a change in economic circumstances of the father

\*Due to a change in economic circumstances of the mother

\*Due to a change in custody

\*Something else (SPECIFY)

When was the original agreement changed?

MONTH

YEAR

When was that legal agreement first reached?

MONTH YEAR w3, 4

08

w2-4

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						Mother Father				women Men		

Was that a reason you did not have a legal arrangement about child support?

You did not have a legal ruling about who the father was, that is, you did not legally establish paternity.

Yes

No

What is the primary reason that you do not have a child support order? IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.

### **CIRCLE ONE**

\*Don't want the state/legal system involved/prefer to receive payments directly

- \*Mother doesn't want the father involved
- \*Father doesn't want to be involved
- \*Other (not specified)

Living together

Mutual understanding

Custody issues

Father not located

Mother not located

Father incarcerated

Incarcerated

Pending

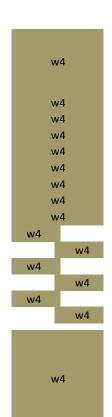
In process

Have you ever contacted a child support enforcement office, a department of social services, welfare office, or any government agency to find out about child support?

Yes

No

00, 02, 04, 06, 08



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Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
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Does the child support (agreement/ understanding/ court order/court award) say who is supposed to provide health insurance for the child(ren)?  Yes No Who was SUPPOSED TO provide health insurance for the child(ren)?  Respondent for all children Other parent for all children Both parents for all children Parents each cover different children Not specified in the award Enforcement Office filed the paperwork Other (specify)			00, 02, 04, 06, 08									
What kinds of provisions for health care costs are included in the child support agreement?  READ ALL RESPONSES  ENTER ALL YES RESPONSES  ENTER (N) FOR NO MORE  Non-custodial parent to provide health insurance  Custodial parent to provide health insurance directly  medical support  in agreement  Other provisions											04, 08	
				A	limony Sp	pecific						
Since the first of the reference month, have you or any members of your (CU/household) paid any of the following		03, 10										

# the following . . . Read each item on list Alimony During the last 12 months, did you or any member of your (CU/household) receive any REGULAR income from - Alimony? Yes No

					Dat	ta Sets and Wa	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels		
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	
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Altogether, what was the total amount received by all (CU/household) members from alimony and other sources in the last 12 months?  Enter value  Do not know the exact amount		03, 10									
Could you tell me which range on CARD C best reflects the total amount received in alimony and other sources during the last 12 months?  \$0-\$999 \$1,000-\$1,999 \$2,000-\$2,999 \$3,000-\$3,999 \$4,000-\$4,999 \$5,000-\$9,999 \$10,000-\$14,999 \$15,000-\$19,999 \$20,000-\$29,999		03, 10									

During 1996, did (you/ your spouse/partner) receive income from any other sources, such as unemployment or workers' compensation benefits, rental income, other welfare benefits, Social Security payments, pension or retirement income, alimony, veterans or GI benefits, inheritances, payments from life insurance policies, or any other regular periodic source of income?

Yes

\$30,000-\$39,999 \$40,000-\$49,999 \$50,000 and over

No

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U.S.

Census

1990,

2000,

2010

**SIPP** 

2004,

'08

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Ouring 2007, did (you/you or your spouse/you or your partner) receive income from any other sources, such as Social Security payments, pension or retirement income including survivor's benefits, alimony, veterans or GI benefits, payments from life insurance policies or any other regular or periodic source of income?  Yes  No  What was the total amount (you/you and your spouse/you and your partner) received from all of these other sources during 2007?									08				
ENTER AMOUNT  Please look at this card. Can you tell me the letter of the category that is your best estimate of the total amount (you/you and your spouse/you and your partner) received from all other sources of income in 2007?  A. \$1-\$1,000 B. \$1,001-\$2,500 C. \$2,501-\$5,000 D. \$5,001-\$10,000 E. \$10,001-\$25,000 F. \$25,001-\$50,000 G. More than \$50,000									08				
Did you receive income in the past 12 months from any of the sources on the card? All may not apply to you, but it is easiest if I ask you about each one. Did										<b>C</b> 5			

you receive income from....

OR

					Dat	a Sets and Wav	es/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels			
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
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Did you or any members of your family living here receive income in the past 12 months from any of the sources on the card? All may not apply to you, but it is easiest if I ask you about each one. Did you or any member of our family living here receive income from....

Any other source such as alimony, contributions from family/others, Veteran's Administration payments, Worker's Compensation, disability or retirement programs other than Social Security, Railroad Retirement, or Supplemental Security income?

Yes No

Any other source could include alimony, VA payments, worker's compensation, foster care payments, and other retirement income. Also include cash awards, education stipends, trust funds from other relatives, and anything else adding to family income.

In the year [LAST YEAR], did you or any members of your family living here receive any income from any other source, such as alimony, contributions from family or others, Veteran's Administration (VA) payments, or Worker's Compensation?

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					Dat	ta Sets and Wa	ves/Cycle	s/Years/	Panels			
Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
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In the year [LAST YEAR], did you receive any income from any other source, such as alimony, contributions from family or others, Veteran's Administration (VA) payments, or Worker's Compensation?  Yes No TO BE DISPLAYED FOR ALL: Any other source could include alimony, VA payments, worker's compensation, foster care payments, and other retirement income. Also include cash awards, education stipends, trust funds from other relatives, and anything else adding to family income.										02, 06- 08		
PROBE IF NECESSARY: What form of Support from Others Outside the Household? ENTER ALL THAT APPLY Alimony Payments											04, 08	
				Legal Ar	rangeme	nts: Custody						
Did a court or judge EVER give you and (CHILD's) (father/mother) joint PHYSICAL/LEGAL custody? Yes No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08									
Do you have a legal agreement with [CHILD]'s (father/mother) regarding custody of [CHILD}? Yes No							w3					
Has legal responsibility for [YOUTH] ever been specified in a custody award or agreement? Yes No									P97			
Did YOU receive legal custody of [YOUTH] in this agreement? Yes No									P97			

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Who was awarded custody?  *Sole legal custody - Birth mother  *Sole legal custody - Birth father  *Sole legal custody - Adoptive mother (not a stepmother)												
*Sole legal custody - Adoptive father (not a stepfather) *Sole legal custody - Stepmother (includes adoptive stepmother)												
*Sole legal custody - Stepfather (includes adoptive stepfather) *Sole legal custody - OTHER (SPECIFY) *Joint legal custody - Birth mother and birth father									P97			
*Joint legal custody - Adoptive mother & adoptive father (not stepparents)  *Joint legal custody - Birth mother & stepfather (includes adoptive stepfathers)												
*Joint legal custody - Birth father & stepmother (includes adoptive stepmothers)  *Joint legal custody - OTHER (SPECIFY) all people  According to the legal custody document, who was												
[YOUTH] supposed to live with?  *DOCUMENT DID NOT SPECIFY  *Primarily with - Birth mother  *Primarily with - Birth father												
*Primarily with - Adoptive mother  *Primarily with - Adoptive father  *Primarily with - Stepmother  *Primarily with - Stepfather												
*Primarily with - OTHER (SPECIFY)  *Shared residence - Birth mother and birth father									P97			

\*Shared residence - Adoptive mother & adoptive

\*Shared residence - Birth mother & stepfather

\*Shared residence - Birth father & stepmother

\*Shared residence - OTHER (SPECIFY) all people

(includes adoptive stepfathers)

(includes adoptive stepmothers)

father

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Was this type of custody decided by the parents, the judge, or [YOUTH]? Parents Judge Youth Other (SPECIFY)									P97			
WE HAVE ASKED YOU ABOUT LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND WE ALSO WANT TO KNOW ABOUT LEGAL CUSTODY. IT IS SIMPLY WHERE THE Who currently has legal custody of [BIO CHILD]? Birth mother has sole custody Birth father has sole custody Birth parents share joint legal custody Child legally adopted by non birth parent(s) Child in foster care Other (SPECIFY)									97			
*Sole legal custody *Joint legal custody - birth mother and birth father *Joint legal custody - adoptive mother and adoptive father (not stepparents) *Joint legal custody - birth mother and stepfather (includes adoptive stepfather) *Joint legal custody - birth father and stepmother (includes adoptive stepmother) *Other (SPECIFY) all people									P97			
(Does he /Do you) currently have any type of legal custody of [BIO CHILD]? Yes									97			

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No

Is it sole or joint?
Sole custody

Joint custody

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Previously, you told me that you had an agreement about custody of [CHILD]. Has that agreement changed since [DLI]?  Yes  No									08		
Do you have a formal or legal agreement about custody, an informal agreement, or no agreement about custody for [CHILD]?  Yes, formal Yes, informal No									08		
What child custody arrangements does the most recent agreement specify? Is it Joint legal and physical custody Joint legal with mother physical custody Joint legal with father physical custody Mother legal and physical custody Father legal and physical custody Other (specify)									08		
What child custody arrangements does the understanding specify? Child lives with mother Child lives with father Child lives with mother and father None Other (specify)									08		
FOR THESE NEXT QUESTIONS, PLEASE THINK ABOUT YOUR MOST RECENT PERIOD OF INCARCERATION. THAT WAS THE PERIOD THAT ENDED WITH YOUR RELEASE IN [DATE].											

Did you lose custody of any children because of your

incarceration? Yes No U.S. Census 1990, 2000, 2010

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In what month and year was custody for [YOUTH] (first specified/first changed/next changed)? ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR						Mother Father			P97	Women Men		
Do you and [BABY]'s father have a legal agreement about [BABY] regarding child support, alimony, custody, visitation, or where the child lives?  Yes  No										C6, 06- 08		
Asked if child (18 or under) is living with biological father, living with other relatives, living on own, or living in some other place.  Are you still the legal mother of [BABY]? ENTER  "No" if R's parent rights have been terminated.  Yes  No										C6, 06- 08		
What child custody arrangements does the child [CHILDROS3] support agreement for **READ NAME(S) OF CHILD(REN)** specify? Joint legal and physical custody Joint legal with mother physical custody Joint legal with father physical custody Mother legal and physical custody Father legal and physical custody											04, 08	
Split custody Other custody arrangement												
				Legal Arr	angemen	ts: Visitation						
Does [CHILD] (father/mother) have visitation privileges? Yes No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08									

00, 02,

04, 06,

08

Did you ever go to court, before a judge, or through

proceedings) to make the visitation privileges legal?

a legal process (including divorce or separation

Yes

No

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						Mother Father			'08	Women Men		2010
Did [CHILD]'s (biological/adoptive) (father/mother) miss any scheduled visits with [CHILD] in the past 4 weeks? Yes No					w5							
Does the child support agreement specify anything about visits between [CHILD] and [FATHER]? Yes No						w2-4						
Does the child support agreeme+A1518nt specify												

Does the child support agreeme+A1518nt specify anything about visits between [CHILD] and you? Yes

No

How many days per month is [CHILD] supposed to spend with [FATHER])?

How many days per month is [CHILD] supposed to spend with you?

NUMBER OF DAYS

Other (not specified)

Every (other) weekend

Not specified in agreement

Every other week

Whenever (he/she) wants

Holiday vacation

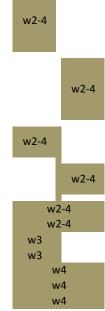
Do you have a formal or legal agreement covering visitation between you and your child, an informal understanding about visitation, or no agreement about visitation?

- \*A formal or legal agreement covering visitation between you and your child
- \*An informal understanding about visitation
- \*Or no agreement about visitation

Does the child support agreement specify the amount of time that the [fill TEMP1] will spend with the other parent?

Yes

No



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						Mother Father			'08	Women	Men	
		l	egal Re	sponsibilit	ty: Adopt	ion Specific Ques	stions					
Did (your/name of parent) (wife/husband) ever legally adopt [CHILD]? Yes No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08									
Has [YOUTH] ever been legally adopted? Yes No									P97			
In what year was the adoption made final? ENTER YEAR									P97			
Do you have an adoptive (mother/father) or a step(mother/father) who adopted you?  Yes  No									97			
Have you ever adopted any children? (who are not on my list)?  Yes  No									97			
Have you ever legally adopted any children? Yes No									97			
Are you still [ADOPTED CHILD]'s legal adoptive parent, or have your parental rights and responsibilities been terminated?  R still parent R's right terminated									97			
Does this child live primarily with you or somewhere else?  With the Respondent Somewhere else									97			

Have you ever adopted any other children?

Yes

No

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When you adopted [ADOPTED CHILD], were you married to or living with one of [ADOPTED CHILD]'s biological parents?  Yes  No									97	
Besides yourself, does [ADOPTED CHILD] have a second adoptive parent living here or elsewhere?  Yes  No									97	
Is this other adoptive parent Your current spouse or partner Your previous spouse or partner Other (SPECIFY)									97	
Who currently has legal custody of [adopted kid name]?  *The Respondent has sole legal custody  *The other adoptive parent has sole legal custody  *The Respondent and the other adoptive parent share joint legal custody  *Other (SPECIFY)									97	
What is your relationship to this child? Are you (his/her) biological or adopted parent?  Biological  Adopted									08	
*Child was my younger sibling  *Child was my niece or nephew  *My spouse or partner is the child's parent  *I adopted my foster child  *I adopted directly from a family I knew previously  *I adopted directly from a family I met through the adoption  *I adopted a U.S. child through an agency  *I adopted an internatl. child through an agency  *I adopted through another situation									08	

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Are there any other children you have had, adopted, or learned about since [DLI] that we haven't talked about yet?  FOR MALE RESPONDENTS ONLY: This could include children you only learned about after they were born.  Yes No									08			
Did you legally adopt [CHILD]? Yes No Note: 'Legal adoption' refers to a process mediated by state law in which R has become the official and legally responsible parent for the child.										<b>C</b> 5		
Did you legally adopt [CHILD] or become [CHILD]'s legal guardian?  ENTER "Yes, adopted" if R both adopted and became legal guardian to this child.  Yes, adopted Yes, became guardian No, neither										C6, 06- 08		
Did you legally adopt this (child/any of these children)?  OR										C6, 06- 08		
Did you legally adopt any of the children under your care and responsibility? Yes No										C6, 06- 08		
Are you in the process of trying to legally adopt [CHILD]? Yes No										C5, 6, 06- 08	-	

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Are you in the process of trying to legally adopt [CHILD] or to become (his/her/this child's) legal guardian? Yes, trying to adopt Yes, tying to become legal guardian No, neither										C6, 06- 08	
Not including the (baby/child) that you already told me about, have you ever placed another child born to you for adoption?  OR  Not including the (babies/[NUMBER] children) that you already told me about, have you ever placed another child born to you for adoption?  OR  Have you ever placed a child born to you for adoption? ENTER "Yes" even if R does not know if child was actually adopted.  Yes No										C5, 6	
Not including the baby that you already told me about, how many children have you placed for adoption?  OR										C5	
Not including the babies that you already told me about, how many children have you placed for adoption?  OR										<b>C</b> 5	
Not including the child(ren) that you already told me about, how many other children have you placed for adoption?  OR										C6	
How many children have you placed for adoption? ENTER NUMBER OF CHILDREN										C5, 6	

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				Leg	al Respor	nsibility							
Did [CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s father ever sign the application for [him/her/them] birth certificate or sign a statement that legally says he is [him/her/them] father?  Yes No				w1									
Will the father's name be on the birth certificate? Yes No						w1							
Will your name be on the birth certificate? Yes No							w1						
Signed (your/his) own name on the application for [YOUTH]'s birth certificate?										P97			
Did (he/you) sign (his/your) own signature on the application for [BIO CHILD]'s birth certificate?  Yes  No										97 P97, 97 P97, 97			
Did you have to go to court to establish that he was [CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s legal father?  Yes  No				w1									
Been legally identified as the child's father in a court ruling?										P97			
(Has [PARENT]/Have you) ever been legally identified as [BIO CHILD]'s father in a court ruling?  Yes  No										97 P97, 97 P97, 97			
Was [CHILD] (and [TWIN])'s father ever legally identified by a blood test or other genetic test?  Yes  No				w1									

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blood test or other genetic test?  (Has [PARENT]/Have you] ever been legally identified by a blood-test or other genetic test?  Yes  No  Has [FATHER]'s legal paternity been established? That is, did he sign any document that identifies him as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the/a court ruled that he is the father?  Yes, legal paternity  No  Has your legal paternity been established? That is, did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the court ruled that you are the father?  Yes, legal paternity  W2-4  W2-4  Y2-4  Y2-4  W2-4						-			Wave 1-4		P97, Y97,	'08			1990, 2000, 2010
identified by a blood-test or other genetic test? Yes No P97, 97 P97, 97 P97, 97  Has [FATHER]'s legal paternity been established? That is, did he sign any document that identifies him as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the/a court ruled that he is the father? Yes, legal paternity No  Has your legal paternity been established? That is, did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the court ruled that you are the father? Yes, legal paternity											P97, 97				
That is, did he sign any document that identifies him as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the/a court ruled that he is the father?  Yes, legal paternity No  Has your legal paternity been established? That is, did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the court ruled that you are the father?  Yes, legal paternity  w2-4  w2-4	identified by a blood-test or other genetic test? Yes										P97, 97				
did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the court ruled that you are the father?  Yes, legal paternity	That is, did he sign any document that identifies him as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the/a court ruled that he is the father?  Yes, legal paternity						w2-4								
	did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or, has the court ruled that you are the father?  Yes, legal paternity							w2-4							
Signed a statement that legally specifies that (you are/he is) the child's father?											P97				
Other than the application for [BIO CHILD]'s birth certificate, did (you/[PARENT]) ever sign a statement that legally specifies that (he is /you are) [BIO KID]'s father?  Yes  No  P97, 97	certificate, did (you/[PARENT]) ever sign a statement that legally specifies that (he is /you are) [BIO KID]'s father?  Yes										P97, 97				
Signed any other papers (for example, insurance forms, a personal letter or card) that would identify (you/him) as the child's father?  Did (he /you) ever sign any other papers, such as	forms, a personal letter or card) that would identify (you/him) as the child's father?										P97				

insurance forms, a personal letter, or a card that could identify (him/you) as [BIO CHILD]'s father?

Yes No 97

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THESE NEXT QUESTIONS ARE ABOUT THE LEGAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN YOU AND [CHILD]. Which of the following steps (have you/has father) taken to establish a legal relationship with your child. (Have you/Has he)  (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)  *Signed a voluntary paternity acknowledgment form in the hospital at the time of the birth?  *Been legally identified by a blood test or other genetic test?  *Signed a statement that legally specifies that (you are/he is) the child's father?  *Been legally identified as the child's father in court of ruling?  *Signed the application for the child's birth certificate?  *None of the above									08			
Has your legal paternity been established? That is, did you sign any document that identifies you as the legal father of [CHILD]? Or has a court ruled that you are the father?										C6, 06- 08		

Yes

No

Did you establish paternity at the hospital when [CHILD] was born?

Yes

No

ONE REASON A PARENT MIGHT NOT HAVE A WRITTEN AGREEMENT ABOUT CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS IS BECAUSE THE CHILD'S FATHER WAS NEVER LEGALLY IDENTIFIED.

Was [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father ever legally identified by a court ruling?

AND

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Was [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father ever legally identified by a blood test or other genetic test?  AND  Did [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father ever write his OWN signature on the application for [fill CHILDNAMET]'s birth certificate?  AND  Other than the application for a birth certificate, did[fill CHILDNAMET]'s father ever sign a statement or affidavit that legally specifies that he is [fill												

AND

Did [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father ever sign any other papers, such as insurance forms, a personal letter, or a card, that could identify him as [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father?

## AND

One way to legally identify the child's father is through marriage. [fill C\_WASWERE] [fill HESHE] ever married to [fill CHILDNAMET]'s father.

Yes

CHILDNAMET]'s father?

No

Did you or anyone else want (him/you) to establish legal paternity?

Yes

No

w2

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						Mother Father			00	Women Men		2010
Why wasn't paternity established?						w2						
*(He) didn't want legal responsibility						w2						
*(He) didn't want financial responsibility						w2						
*Mother didn't want father legally bound to her or						w2						
baby						W2						
*Other (not specified)						w2						
*No need						w2						
*Father wasn't around						w2						
*Waiting for DNA test						w2						
*Technical problem						w2						
*Lack of time						w2						

What is the primary reason that legal paternity has not been established? IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.

## CIRCLE ONE

\*In the process

\*Father refused

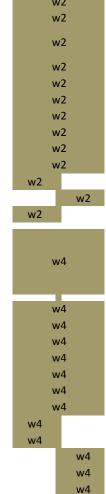
Lives with child

Didn't get to it

\*Mother married to other

\*Mother married to someone else

Don't want the state/legal system involved/(mother) prefer(s) to receive payments Mother doesn't want the father involved Father doesn't want to be involved Other (not specified) In process Father incarcerated Father deceased Paternity test No need



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Why don't you want the father involved?  *Financial reasons/father not able to provide support  *Mother doesn't get along with father  *Father not a good parent/father a bad influence  *Can't locate father						w4							

Why doesn't (MOTHER) want you involved?

\*Financial reasons/father not able to provide support

- \*Mother doesn't get along with father
- \*Father not a good parent/father a bad influence
- \*Can't locate father
- \*Other (not specified)

\*Other (not specified)

\*In process

\*Father deceased

\*Paternity test

\*Father incarcerated

Did you establish paternity at the hospital or through some other means?

Hospital

Other (not specified)

Through court

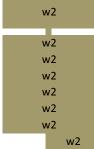
Child support/welfare agency

Not established

Clinic/Health department

Paternity test





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Who initiated the action to make (him/you) [CHILD]'s legal father? Was it you, [FATHER/MOTHER], both of you, or was it required by some government agency?						w2, 3					
Mother Father Both mother and father Required by government agency Other (not specified) Hospital Not established Other family member						w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2, 3 w2 w2					
Have there been any other documents specifying legal responsibility for [YOUTH], for example, appointing a legal guardian, making [YOUTH] a ward of the court, or reinstating parental rights?  Yes  No									P97		
What year was the (first/next) document? ENTER YEAR									P97		
What type of document was it? Appointing a legal guardian Child made ward of the court Reinstatement of parental rights Other (SPECIFY)									P97		
Did this document make YOU legally responsible for [YOUTH]? Yes No									P97		

Were there any other documents specifying legal responsibility for [YOUTH] that you have not told me

about?

Yes No U.S. Census 1990, 2000, 2010

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Are you legally responsible for [BIO CHILD] or have your parental rights and responsibilities been terminated?									97			
Are you still legally responsible for [BIO/ADOPTED CHILD], or have your parental rights and responsibilities been terminated?									08			
R legally responsible R's rights terminated R still parent R's rights terminated R never had rights									97 97 08 08			
Is [OTHER BIO PARENT] legally responsible for [name of biological kid], or have her parental rights been terminated?  Birth mother is legally responsible  Birth mother's rights have been terminated  Birth mother is deceased									97			
How did this happen?  *Child was adopted  *Mother deemed unfit, rights terminated involuntarily  *Other (SPECIFY)									97			
				Livii	ng Arrang	ements						

Does anyone in this household have any children who lived elsewhere with their other parent or guardian at anytime during 2009?

Yes

No

Who had children who lived elsewhere? Anyone else?

WRITE IN RESPONSE

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I have listed that (Name of children on the roster born before 1/1/08) (is/are all) under the age of 21 (and born before this year). (Does (CHILD)/Do ANY of these children) have a (father/mother/father or mother) who lives outside this house?  Yes  No			00-10								
Does (CHILD) have a (father/mother) who lives outside this house? Yes No			00, 02, 04, 06, 08								
There are many reasons why children may not live with both of their biological or adoptive parents. Why doesn't (CHILD) have a biological or adoptive (mother/father) living outside the house?  *Other parent has died  *Both parents live in the household  *Parents are Separated/Divorced  *Don't want contact with (CHILD)'s (mother/father)			00, 02, 04, 06,								

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\*Don't know where (CHILD)'s (mother/father) is

\*Other parent legally terminated their parental

\*Other parent is no longer recognized as a parent

\*Child was adopted by a single parent

\*She/He lives elsewhere

by this household

\*Other (specify)

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The verbatim response was (fill with verbatim						model (dute)				wenter men		

response from S103b2). Should this response have been entered in one of these categories listed below?

- \*Parents are Separated/Divorced
- \*Don't want contact with (CHILD)'s (mother/father)
- \*Don't know where (CHILD)'s (mother/father) is
- \*She/He lives elsewhere
- \*Other parent is no longer recognized as a parent by this household
- \*In jail
- \*Lives in another country
- \*Trying to establish paternity

What was the <u>main</u> reason (he/she) doesn't live with you all of the time? **IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.** 

- \*Legally custody arrangement
- \*Child protective services/other agency/court ordered living arrangement
- \*Informal agreement with other custodian
- \*Other (not specified)

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Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fragile Families	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
	2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1-4  Mother Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6, 2006- '08 Women Men	2004,	1990, 2000, 2010
What was the main reason (he/she) stopped living with you (most of the time)? IF MORE THAN ONE REASON, PROBE FOR MAIN REASON.						w4						
Legally lost custody Child protective services, etc. removed child Financial problems						w4 w4 w4						
Own health problems Child's health problems Neighborhood safety Other parent took child/kidnapped						w4 w4 w4 w4						
Child deceased Other (not specified) (Mother/Father) incarcerated						w4 w4 w4						
Away at school  Mother/child preference						w4 w4						

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Lives with other family

Father disabled

Lives with mother

Parents broke-up

Father moved

Never lived with child

Mother/child moved

Parents don't get along

All or most of the time, About half of the time, Some of the time, or

VOLUNTEERED-CHILD DECEASED VOLUNTEERED-CHILD ADOPTED

None of the time?

ONLY ON WEEKENDS

NUMBER OF DAYS

stayed overnight in your home.

past 30 days?

How much of the time does [CHILD] live with you? Is

How many days did [CHILD] live with you out of the

PROBE: By live, we mean that (he/she) slept or

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Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	Fra <sub>{</sub> Fam	_	Add Health	NLSY79	NLSY97
	2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1,	Wave 1,	Wave		Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08
Have you ever lived with (CHILD)? Yes No						Mother	Father w2			
How many months ago did (he/she) stop living with you (most of the time)? PROBE: How many months ago?  NUMBER OF MONTHS AGO  Not applicable: Never lived with [CHILD] all or most of the time						w2	2-4			
CODE WITHOUT ASKING IF KNOWN. Who does [CHILD] (usually) live with?						w2	2-4			
IF MORE THAN ONE ARRANGEMENT, PROBE FOR PERSON CHILD SPENDS THE MOST TIME WITH.						w	<b>1</b> 4			
Biological (father/mother)  Maternal grandparent(s)  Paternal grandparent(s)  Other relative(s)						w2 w2 w2	2-4 2-4			
Friend Foster care Adoptive parent						w2 w2 w2	2-4 2-4			
Child deceased Other (not specified) Split between birth mother and birth father						w2 w2				
Who does [CHILD] live with when (he/she) is not living with you?						w3	3, 4			
IF MORE THAN ONE ARRANGEMENT, PROBE FOR PERSON CHILD SPENDS THE MOST TIME WITH.						w	14			
Biological (mother/father)  Maternal grandparent(s)  Paternal grandparent(s)  Other relative(s)						w3	3, 4			

Friend

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Regarding PERSON CHILD USUALLY LIVES WITH: About how long has [CHILD] been living there? PROBE: How many months?						w2			
About how many months has [CHILD] been living there?						w3, 4			
NUMBER OF MONTHS Less than one month						w2-4			
Did you ever live with (her/him)?  No Yes							w1		
Have you lived with (her/him) since [DLI]?  No Yes							w2		
How old were you when you last lived with (her/him)? If less than a year, enter "0."  Less than a year  One year old  Two years old							w1		
In what month and year did you last live with (her/hin ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR	n)?						w2		
For how many years had you been living with (her/him) at that point?  Less than a year  One year old  Two years old   Nineteen years old							w1		

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I have [NON_RESPONDING PARENT], [YOUTH]'s biological (mother/father) as living outside the household. Is this correct?  Yes No									P97	
My information shows that [YOUTH] has no (biological/step/adopted/biological, step, or adopted children). Is that correct?  Yes  No									P97	
Does [YOUTH] have (biological/step/adopted/biological, step, or adopted children) living in the household? Yes No									P97	
Does [YOUTH] have (biological/step/adopted/biological, step, or adopted children) living outside of the household? Yes No									P97	
My information shows that [YOUTH] has ((a) biological/step/adopted/biological, step, or adopted child(ren)) living in the household and no biological/step/adopted/biological, step, or adopted children) living elsewhere. Is that correct?  Yes No									P97	
Has [YOUTH] always lived with you since (his/her) birth? Yes No									P97	
Did [YOUTH] live with you immediately after (his/her) birth? Yes No									P97	

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		2000- 2011	2003, 2010	2000- 2010	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1, 5	Wave 1-4  Mother Father	Wave 1-4	H1979, Y1979	H97, P97, Y97, '08	Cycle 5, 6, 2006- '08 Women Men	2004,	
	In what month and year did [YOUTH] first come to live with you?  ENTER MONTH  ENTER YEAR									P97			
	Now I'd like to know with whom [YOUTH] was living before (he/she) first lived with you.									P97			
	Whom did [YOUTH] live with (at birth/next)? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)												
	Respondent												
	Birth mother												
	Birth father												
	Grandparent(s)												
	Other relative(s) Friends/informal arrangements												
	Court-appointed foster/temporary parents									P97			
	Orphanage/children's home												
	Hospital for physical illness												
	Mental health treatment facility												
	Boarding school												
	Correctional facility/juvenile detention center												
	Abandoned/on the streets												

Other (SPECIFY)

change)?
ENTER YEAR

To the best of your knowledge, in what year did [YOUTH]'s living arrangement (change/next

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Questions & Responses  ACS  CE  CPS  ECLS-B  ECLS-R  Families  Health  NLSY/9  NLSY9/ NSFG  SIPP  Cen  Wave 1-4  Wav						Dat	a Sets and Wav	ves/Cycle	es/Years/	Panels			
Whom did [YOUTH] live with just before (he/she) came to live with you?  Birth mother Birth father Grandparent(s) Other relative(s) Friends/informal arrangements Court-appointed foster/temporary parents Orphanage/children's home Hospital for physical illness Mental health treatment facility  Wave 1, 5  Wave 1, 5  Wave 1, 5  Wave 1, 5  Wave 1-4  P97, Y97, '08  Women Men  P97, Y97, '08  P97, Y97, '08  Women Men  P97, Y97, '08  P97, Y97, '08  P97,	Questions & Responses	ACS	CE	CPS	ECLS-B	ECLS-K	_		NLSY79	NLSY97	NSFG	SIPP	U.S. Census
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Birth mother  Birth father  Grandparent(s)  Other relative(s)  Friends/informal arrangements  Court-appointed foster/temporary parents  Orphanage/children's home  Hospital for physical illness  Mental health treatment facility	Whom did [YOUTH] live with just before (he/she)												
Birth father  Grandparent(s) Other relative(s) Friends/informal arrangements Court-appointed foster/temporary parents Orphanage/children's home Hospital for physical illness Mental health treatment facility													
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Mental health treatment facility													

Sometimes parents and children live apart from each other. Children might live with another parent or relative, at boarding school, in a hospital, or in foster care. Parents might be away on military duty, in a hospital, or in jail. Since (youth's birth/first lived with R), has there ever been a time when (he/she) lived APART FROM YOU for THREE MONTHS OR MORE?

Correctional facility/juvenile detention center

Abandoned/on the streets

Other (SPECIFY)

Yes

No

In what year did [YOUTH] first live apart from you for three months or more?

ENTER YEAR

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Whom did [YOUTH] live with?  INTERVIEWER: SELECT ONE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE, SELECT CATEGORY WHICH APPEARS FARTHEST DOWN ON THE LIST.  With R  Both birth parents Birth mother Birth father Grandparent(s) Other relative(s) Friends Spouse/partner in own residence Spouse/partner at partner's residence Foster/temporary parents Host family (foreign exchange student)									P97			
Did [YOUTH] actually alternate living with (legal custodians) on a regular basis?  Yes  No									P97			
In what month and year did [YOUTH] start alternate living with (legal custodians) on a regular basis? ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR									P97			
Does [YOUTH] still alternate living with (legal custodians) on a regular basis?  Yes  No									P97			
In what month and year did [YOUTH] stop alternate living with (legal custodians) on a regular basis?  ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR									P97			
Has the legal custody status of [YOUTH] changed since then?  Yes  No									P97			

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Have you lived apart from (her/him) for more than 12 months? Yes No									97			
Have you ever lived with (her/him)? Yes No									97			
In what year did you last live with (her/him)? ENTER YEAR									97			
In what month was that? ENTER MONTH									97			
Does this child live primarily with you or somewhere else?									97			
Does [CHILD] live primarily with you or somewhere else? (INTERVIEWER: IF [CHILD] is living with both biological parents, select the first category.)									08			
*With the Respondent  *Somewhere else  *Resides with respondent all the time  *Resides with other bio-parent all the time  *Given up for adoption  *Child lives with non-relative  *Institutionalized (e.g., hospital)  *Child lives part-time with R and part-time with other bio parent  *Child lives part-time with R and part-time with									97 97 08 08 08 08 08 08			
someone else									08			

\*Child is away at school

\*Child lives with other relative

\*Child is deceased

\*Other (specify)

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Since [DLI], has there been a continuous period of one month or more when you and [BIO/ADOPTED CHILD] lived in different places?  Yes  No									08			
Since [DLI], what months have you lived with your child at least some of the time? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)									08			
Since [DLI], have you lived with [BIO/ADOPTED CHILD] for a period of one month or more?  Yes  No									08			
Since [DLI], what months have you lived with your child? (SELECT ALL THAT APPLY)									08			
Have you lived apart from (her/himadoptive parent ) for 12 months or more?  Yes  No									97			
Have you ever lived with (her/himadoptive parent)? Yes No									97			
In what year did you last live with (her/him adoptive parent )? ENTER YEAR									97			
In what month was that?									97			

ENTER MONTH

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IF AGE >= 18, ASK: Have you ever lived away from parents or guardians for four months or longer? Include times you were away at school after high school, in the armed forces, or in any other situation without a parent or guardian.  IF AGE < 18, ASK: Have you ever lived away from parents or guardians for four months or longer? This does not include being away at a boarding school for elementary, middle, or high school, or living in an institution like a jail or a group home.  Yes No										<b>C</b> 5		
IF AGE_R <18, ASK: Have you ever lived away from your parents or guardians? IF AGE_R >=18, ASK: Before you turned 18, did you ever live away from your parents or guardians? Please include times you were away at college or in												

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the Armed Forces. But, do not include times you were away at boarding school for elementary, middle, or high school, or living in an institution or jail or group home. Also, please do not include temporary supervised arrangements such as summer camp.

If R lived away, and has difficulty recalling when, REFER her to the life history calendar.

Yes

No

In what month and year did you first begin living away from parents or guardians for a period that lasted four months or longer? This includes times you were away at school after high school, in the armed forces, or any other situation without a parent or guardian.

OR

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						Mother Father			08	Women	Men		2010
In what month and year did you first begin living away from parents or guardians for a period that lasted four months or longer?													
DO NOT COUNT AS LIVING AWAY FROM PARENTS/GUARDIANS: 1) BEING AWAY AT BOARDING SCHOOL FOR ELEMENTARY, MIDDLE, OR HIGH SCHOOL OR 2) OR BEING IN AN INSTITUTION AT ANY TIME BEFORE R WAS 18 YEARS OLD.										<b>C</b> 5			
ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR													
First, I would like you to start at the very beginning of your life and tell me who you were living with right after you were born.													

**NOTE:** IF R REPORTS A SITUATION WITH NO PARENTS OR PARENT-FIGURES, SUCH AS "IN A GROUP HOME," RECORD NO FEMALE PARENT/GUARDIAN PRESENT AND NO MALE PARENT/GUARDIAN PRESENT.

- \*No (fe)male parent/guardian present
- \*Natural (mother/father)
- \*Switched between natural mother's home and natural father's home (once a month or more often)
- \*Stepmother
- \*Adoptive mother
- \*Father's girlfriend
- \*Foster mother
- \*Grandmother
- \*Other female (specify)

Between your birth and the present time, have you always lived with both your biological parents?

OR

Between your birth and the present time, have you always lived with both your adoptive parents?

OR

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						Mother Father			08	Women	Men		2010
Between your adoption and the present time, have you always lived with both your adoptive parents?  OR										06-08	06-08		
Between your birth and the present time, have you always lived with both your biological or adoptive parents?										C6	C6		
OR  Between your birth and the time you first started living on your own, did you always live with both your biological or adoptive parents?  OR										C6	C6		
Between your birth or adoption and the present time, have you always lived with both your biological or adoptive parents?										06-08	06-08		
OR													
Between your birth or adoption and the time you first started living on your own, did you always live with both your biological or adoptive parents?										06-08	06-08		
If R volunteers that (she/he) never lived on (her/his) own, ask (her/his) whether (she/he) has always lived with both parents between (her/his) birth (or adoptionin 06-08) and the present time.  Between your birth (or adoptionin 06-08) and your 18th birthday, did you always live with both your biological or adoptive parents?										C6, 06- 08	C6, 06- 08		

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OR
Between your birth (or adoption--in 06-08) and the time you first started living on your own, did you

always live with both your biological or adoptive

parents? Yes

No

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Now, think about when you were 14 years old. Looking at Card 10, what female and male parents or parent-figures were you living with at age 14?  ENTER female adult first  No female parent or parent-figure present Biological mother Stepmother Adoptive mother Father's girlfriend Foster mother Grandmother Aunt Other female										C6, 06- 08	C6, 06- 08		
Ask if necessary:  Now tell me the male parent or parent-figure you were living with when you were 14 years old.  ENTER male adult  No male parent or parent-figure present Biological father Stepfather Adoptive father Mother's boyfriend Foster father Grandfather Uncle Other male										C6, 06- 08	C6, 06- 08		
Were you living together with [MOM] at the time of the birth? Yes No  Regarding each of R's biological children: Did you ever live with [CHILD]? Yes No											C6, 06- 08 C6, 06- 08		

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Earlier I don't think you mentioned [BABY] when you told me who lives with you. Does [BABY] still live with you?  ENTER "Yes" if child usually lives with R.  Yes No										C5, C6, 06-08	
When did [BABY] stop living with you?  **REFER R to calendar to determine month and year  ENTER MONTH  ENTER YEAR										C5, C6, 06-08	
In what month and year did (s)he stop living with you?  ENTER MONTH ENTER YEAR										<b>C</b> 5	
Regarding husband/partner's children: Where do they live? READ LIST. CODE ALL THAT APPLY. In this household With their mother With grandparents Somewhere else NOTE: If child lives part of the time in this household and part of the time in another, code both households.										<b>C</b> 5	
Where does [BABY] now live? With biological father With other relatives With adoptive family Away at school/college Living on own Other										C6, 06- 08	

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Where does [CHILD] usually live now?  ENTER all that apply. If child lives with R part-time,  PROBE: Where else does this child live?  In this household full-time In this household part-time With his/her mother Away at school or college Living on own Living with other relatives Deceased Placed for adoption or adopted Placed in foster care Someplace else											C6, 06- 08 06-08 C6, 06- 08
Where does this child usually live now? In this household full-time In this household part-time Away at school or college Living on own Living with other relatives Deceased Someplace else											C6, 06- 08
Not counting the child(ren) born to you, have any children lived with you under your care and responsibility?  OR  Have any children lived with you under your care and responsibility?  Yes  No										C5, C6, 06-08	
NOTE: "Under your care and responsibility" means that the R served as a formal or informal guardian to the child or that she was one of the people chiefly responsible for the child's care. Do not count care of a grandchild, for example, if the child's parent(s) are primarily responsible for the child's care. Do count care of a grandchild if the parent has relinquished day-to-day responsibilities of the child, even if the parent lives in R's household.										<b>C</b> 5	

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Besides any children that we may have talked about already, have you and your (former)(wife/partner) ever had any other children live with you under your care and responsibility? Please do not include any of your biological children, your (wife/partner)'s biological children, or children from previous relationships. If necessary, SAY: (By this, I mean that peither you nor your (wife/partner) are the child's										C6, 06- 08		

Yes No

The next question is about (other) children who may have lived with you under your care and responsibility. By this I mean that you served as a formal or informal guardian to the child or that you were chiefly responsible for the child's care. Besides any children that we may have talked about already, have you ever had any (other) children like this under your care and responsibility?

biological parents, but you served as a formal or informal guardian to the child or that you were chiefly responsible for the child's care.)

Yes

No

The next question is about other children who may have lived with you under your care and responsibility, but you were not their biological father. By this, I mean that you served as a formal or informal guardian to the child or that you were chiefly responsible for the child's care.

Besides any children that we may have talked about already, have you ever had any other children like this under your care and responsibility?

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## **Data Sets and Waves/Cycles/Years/Panels** Fragile Add U.S. **ACS** CE **CPS** ECLS-B ECLS-K **NSFG SIPP** NLSY79 NLSY97 **Questions & Responses Families** Health Census H97, Cycle 5, 6, 2006-1990, Wave 1-4 2000-2003, 2000-Wave 1, Wave 1, H1979, 2004, '08 Wave 1-4 P97, Y97, 2000, 2011 2010 2010 5 Y1979 '08 2010 '08 Mother Father Women Men

The next question is about children who may have lived with you under your care and responsibility, but you were not their biological father. By this, I mean that you served as a formal or informal guardian to the child or that you were chiefly responsible for the child's care.

Have you ever had any children like this under your care and responsibility?

Yes

No

Regarding children under R's care and responsibility: When [CHILD] began living with you, how was (he/she/this child) related to you?

Your stepchild (by birth or adoption)
Your husband's child (stepchild)

The child of a relative

The child of a relative by blood

The child of a blood relative

The child of a relative by marriage

The child of a friend

Your boyfriend's child Your boyfriend or partner's child

Related to you in some other way

Did (s)he have no prior relationship to you? Unrelated to you previously in any way

Stepchild refers to any child (by birth or adoption) of a current or former husband.

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						Mother Father			08	Women	Men		2010
<u>Child of a relative</u> includes any child (other than stepchildren) related to you in any way, either by blood (e.g., sister's child, cousin) or by marriage (e.g., husband's brother's child).													
<u>Child of a friend</u> : "friend" does not include a boyfriend or cohabiting partner.													
Your boyfriend's child can refer to the child of a current or former boyfriend or cohabiting partner.										C5			
Related in some other way: record the description verbatim. If the child was a foster child but had no other relationship with you, code as 6. We ask													

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separately about foster child status.

care:

marriage? Yes No

marriage?

Yes No

NUMBER OF CHILDREN

Is [CHILD] still living with you?

Regarding child(ren) under R's responsibility and

When (this child/the children) began living with you,

was he or she the child of a relative by blood or by

Regarding child(ren) under R's responsibility and

ENTER "No" if child lives away from home more

than half the year (e.g., at school, in military).

How many were children of a relative by blood or by

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Was [CHILD] a foster child who was placed in your												

Was [CHILD] a foster child who was placed in you home by a social service agency?

Yes

No

**Note:** Foster child refers to any child for whom R was designated or certified as 'foster parent' by social service agencies. Such arrangements are often temporary and provide care for children until their original parents care resume care or adoptive parents can be found.

Regarding children under R's care and responsibility: Was [CHILD] a foster or related child who was placed in your home by a court, child welfare department, or social service agency?

ENTER "Yes" for any child for whom R was designated or formally certified as a caregiver (e.g., foster parent, relative foster parent, or custodian) by a court, child welfare department, social service agencies.

Yes

No

Regarding child(ren) under R's responsibility and

(Was this child/Were any of the children) a foster or related child who was placed in your home by a court, child welfare department, or social service agency?

Yes

No

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Asked about all children: Where does [CHILD] usually live now? ENTER all that apply. If child lives with R part-time, PROBE: Where else does this child live? In this household full-time In this household part-time Away at school or college Living on own Living with other relatives Deceased Placed for adoption or adopted Placed in foster care Someplace else						Mother Father				Women	Men C6, 06- 08		
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Are all of the children [fill TEMPNAME] ever had living with [fill HIMHER] in this household?  Yes  No  [fill C_DODOES] [fill HESHE] have any children[if												04, 08	

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TEMP1 ne <> [fill TEMP1] [endif] who lived elsewhere with their other parent or guardian at

anytime during the past 4 months?

Yes No

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Has [fill CDNAME] ever lived apart from [fill TEMPNAME], for any reason, for a MONTH OR MORE?  Yes No											04, 08	
Does [fill CHILDNAMET] have a parent living elsewhere? Yes No											04, 08	
Why doesn't [fill CHILDNAMET] have a biological or adoptive parent living outside the household?  *Other parent has died  *Both parents live in the household  *Parents are separated/divorced  *Don't want contact with child's other parent  *Don't know where child's other parent is  *Other parent lives elsewhere  *Other parent legally terminated their parental rights  *Other parent is no longer recognized as a parent  *Child was adopted by a single parent  *Other											04, 08	
With whom does the child live now? (first child and last child)  *Here (In this household)  *Elsewhere (In his/her own household)  *With relatives (With his/her own father OR with his/her own grandparent(s) OR with an adoptive parent(s) OR with other relatives)  *With nonrelatives (In foster care/foster family OR in an institution/hospital OR in a school dormitory OR in a correctional facility)  *Deceased  *Other (specify)											04, 08	

## **Data Sets**

ACS: American Community Survey. Data collected from 2000-2002 and 2003-2004 are available for areas with 250,000 people or more. Data collected in 2005-2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, and 2010 are available for areas with 65,000 people or more.

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CE: Consumer Expenditure Survey. This project focuses on 2003 and 2010 panels.

**CPS**: **Current Population Survey**. This project focuses on 2000 and later.

ECLS-B: The birth cohort of the Early Childhood Longitudinal Study. Children were approximately 9 months old at Wave 1 (2001-02), 2 years old at Wave 2 (2003-04), and 4 years old/preschool age at Wave 3 (2005-06). In 2006, data were collected from sample children who were in kindergarten or higher (Wave 4), and data were collected from the remaining participating sample in 2007 (Wave 5).

ECLS-K: The Early Childhood Longitudinal Study, Kindergarten Class of 1998-99. Children were in kindergarten at Wave 1 (1998-99), 1st grade at Wave 2 (1999-2000), 3rd grade at Wave 3 (2002), 5th grade at Wave 4 (2004), and 8th grade at Wave 5 (2007).

Fragile Families: The Fragile Families and Child Wellbeing Study. Information on children was collected at birth in 1998-2000(Wave 1), ages one (Wave 2), three (Wave 3), and five (Wave 4).

Add Health: National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health. Waves 1, 2, 3, and 4 were collected in 1994-1995, 1996, 2001-2002, and 2008-2009, respectively.

NLSY79: National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 79. This project focuses on household informants', parents', and youths' self reports in Round 1 (1979) and youths' self report in round 23 (2008).

NLSY97: National Longitudinal Survey of Youth 97. This project focuses on youths' self report in Round 1 (1997) and 12 (2008).

NSFG: National Survey of Family Growth. Cycles 5 and 6 were collected in 1995 and 2002, respectively.

SIPP: Survey of Income and Program Participation. This project focuses on 2004 and 2008 panels.

U.S. Census: United States Census Bureau. This project focuses on 1990 and later.

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