

HOW TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE

Completing the questionnaire is very simple. In most cases, we will ask you a question or ask your opinion on a statement and you will be asked to choose from a number of pre-coded answers. The answers are given next to, or under the question or statement. Please circle the most appropriate answer.

Example 1

If, for example, you disagree with the statement “I’m proud of my family”, circle number 4, as shown below.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
I’m proud of my family	1	2	3	④	5

Example 2

The answers to some questions need to be filled in by yourself. You can do this on the dotted line next to or under the question, as shown in the example below.

The next questions are about the amount of time you normally spend on household tasks. Please indicate for each task whether you spend time on it, and how much time you spend on it (minutes per week). Base your answer on a normal week.

	no time	time		hours	mins
A Preparing meals	1	2 →	<i>namely</i>	1	20
B Fetching groceries	1	2 →	<i>namely</i>		30

Example 3

Some questions require that you fill in your answer in a table, such as the question about your working hours. If, for example, you work Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 8:30 to 17:00, complete the table below as follows:

We are interested in knowing your working hours in the past week. Please first indicate, for each day, whether you worked on that day, and then indicate when you started and when you stopped working.

- If the past week was not a normal working week, e.g. because of illness or holidays, take the week before last!
- Lunch breaks count as work.
- Do **not** count time spent traveling.
- Please round off to the nearest half hour.
- Use the 24-hour clock, and record the time as ‘9:00’ and ‘17:30’

	did not work	worked		hours	mins		hours	mins
Monday	1	② →	<i>from</i>	8	30	<i>to</i>	17	00
Tuesday	1	② →	<i>from</i>	8	30	<i>to</i>	17	00
Wednesday	①	2 →	<i>from</i>			<i>to</i>		
Thursday	1	② →	<i>from</i>	8	30	<i>to</i>	17	00
Friday	1	② →	<i>from</i>	8	30	<i>to</i>	17	00
Saturday	①	2 →	<i>from</i>			<i>to</i>		
Sunday	①	2 →	<i>from</i>			<i>to</i>		

RELATIONSHIP WITH YOUR PARTNER

For this study, we interviewed your partner. If you are married, your 'partner' is your husband/wife. If you are not married, your 'partner' is the person you consider to be your partner. We would like to start by asking a few questions about your partner.

BSCP1 1. Which situation applies to you?

I have a partner, we live apart	1	→ question 2
I live with my partner, unmarried	2	→ question 15
I'm married	3	→ question 15

BSCP2 2. How often have you seen your partner in the past 12 months?

Not at all	1
Once	2
A few times	3
At least once a month	4
At least once a week	5
A few times a week	6
Daily	7

BSCP3 3. How often have you been in contact with your partner by phone, letter or e-mail in the past 12 months?

Not at all	1
Once	2
A few times	3
At least once a month	4
At least once a week	5
A few times a week	6
Daily	7

BSCP4 4. When you're in touch with your partner, do you usually get in touch at your initiative, at your partner's initiative, or is it more or less equal?

Usually at my initiative	1
More or less equal	2
Usually at the initiative of my partner	3

BSCP5 5. Were you present at your partner's most recent birthday?

Yes	1
No	2

BSCP6 6. Was your partner present at your most recent birthday?

Yes	1
No	2

7. Did your **partner** help you with the following in the past **3 months**?

	not at all	once or twice	several times	n.a.
BSCP7A A Received help with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3	
BSCP7B B Received help with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3	9
BSCP7C C Received help with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3	

8. Please indicate how often **you** helped your partner with the following tasks in the past **3 months**.

	not at all	once or twice	several times	n.a.
BSCP8A A Gave help with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3	
BSCP8B B Gave help with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3	9
BSCP8C C Gave help with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3	

BSCP9 9. Has **your partner** given you valuable objects or a substantial amount of money in the past **12 months**? Please include any monthly transfers.

Yes	1	→ question 10
No	2	→ question 12

BSCP10 10. Was that more or less than **3 months** ago?

More than three months ago	1
Less than three months ago	2

BSCP11 11. About how much money was involved?

Less than 500 euros	1
More than 500 euros	2

BSCP12 12. Have **you** given your partner valuable objects or a substantial amount of money in the past **12 months**? Please include any monthly transfers.

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 13

→ question 15

BSCP13 13. Was that more or less than **3 months ago**?

More than 3 months ago	1
Less than 3 months ago	2

BSCP14 14. About how much money was involved?

Less than 500 euros	1
More than 500 euros	2

15. Please indicate whether and how often each of the following has happened in the past **3 months**.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP15A A Obtained counsel or good advice from your partner	1	2	3
BSCP15B B Your partner showed an interest in your personal life	1	2	3

16. Please indicate whether and how often each of the following has happened in the past **3 months**.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP16A A You gave your partner counsel or good advice	1	2	3
BSCP16B B You showed an interest in your partner's life	1	2	3

BSCP17 17. How would you describe your relationship with your partner? Is your relationship:

Not great	1
Reasonable	2
Good	3
Very good	4

BSCP18 18. Relationships are a matter of give and take. How would you describe your relationship with your partner?

You both give about as much	1
You give more	2
Your partner gives more	3

BSCP19 19. Have you had any conflicts, strains or disagreements with your partner in the past **3 months**?

Not at all	1	→ question 21
Once or twice	2	→ question 20
Several times	3	→ question 20

20. What were these conflicts usually about? Several answers possible.

	No	Yes
BSCP20a1 A About practical matters	1	2
BSCP20a2 B About your outlook on life or norms and values	1	2
BSCP20a3 C About politics	1	2
BSCP20a4 D About your relationship itself	1	2
BSCP20a5 E About the amount of attention you have for one another	1	2
BSCP20a6 F About how much you give each other	1	2
BSCP20a7 G About the amount of contact	1	2
BSCP20a8 H. About how you divide household tasks	1	2

YOUR PARENTS

The next questions are about your parents, that is to say, **your own parents**, not step-parents, if any.

BSCP21 21. Are your parents still alive?

Both still alive	1	→ question 22
Only father still alive	2	→ question 22
Only mother still alive	3	→ question 22
Neither alive	4	→ question 42

BSCP22 22. Do you live in with your parents?

No	1	→ question 23
Yes, with my father and mother	2	→ question 36
Yes, with my mother	3	→ question 23
Yes, with my father	4	→ question 23

The next questions are about your relationship with your parents.

23. How often have you seen your parents in the past **12 months**? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	BSCP23_F father	BSCP23_M mother
Never	1	1
Once	2	2
Several times	3	3
At least monthly	4	4
At least weekly	5	5
Several times a week	6	6
Daily	7	7
I live in with this parent	9	9

24. How often have you been in contact with your parents by phone, letter or e-mail in the past **12 months**? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent

	BSCP24_F father	BSCP24_M mother
Never	1	1
Once	2	2
Several times	3	3
At least monthly	4	4
At least weekly	5	5
Several times a week	6	6
Daily	7	7
I live in with this parent	9	9

25. When you're in touch with your parents, do you usually get in touch at your initiative, at your parent's/parents' initiative, or is it more or less equal? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	BSCP25_F father	BSCP25_M mother
Usually at my initiative	1	1
More or less equal	2	2
Usually at the initiative of my parent	3	3
I live in with this parent	9	9

26. Were you present at your parent's/parents' most recent birthday? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	BSCP26_F father	BSCP26_M mother
Yes	1	1
No	2	2
I live in with this parent	9	9

27. Was/were your parent's/parents' present at your most recent birthday? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	BSCP27_F father	BSCP27_M mother
Yes	1	1
No	2	2
I live in with this parent	9	9

28. Please indicate if and how often your parents helped you in the past **3 months**. If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP28A A Received help from your father with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3
BSCP28B B Received help from your mother with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3
BSCP28C C Received help from your father with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3
BSCP28D D Received help from your mother with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3
BSCP28E E Received help from your father with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3
BSCP28F F Received help from your mother with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3

29. Please indicate how often **you helped** your parents with the following tasks in the past **3 months**. If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP29A A Gave help to your father with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3
BSCP29B B Gave help to your mother with housework, such as preparing meals, cleaning, fetching groceries, doing the laundry	1	2	3
BSCP29C C Gave help to your father with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3
BSCP29D D Gave help to your mother with the children such as babysitting, care, bringing and fetching	1	2	3
BSCP29E E Gave help to your father with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3
BSCP29F F Gave help to your mother with practical matters such as chores in and around the house, lending things, transportation, moving things	1	2	3

BSCP30 30. Have your parent(s) given you valuable objects or a substantial amount of money in the past **12 months**? Please include any monthly transfers.

Yes	1	→ question 31
No	2	→ question 33

BSCP31 31. Was that more or less than **3 months ago**?

More than 3 months ago	1
Less than 3 months ago	2

BSCP32 32. About how much money was involved?

Less than 500 euros	1
More than 500 euros	2

BSCP33 33. Have you given your parent(s) valuable object or a substantial amount of money in the past **12 months**? Please include any monthly transfers.

Yes	1	→ question 34
No	2	→ question 36

BSCP34 34. Was that more or less than **3 months** ago?

More than 3 months ago	1
Less than 3 months ago	2

BSCP35 35. About how much money was involved?

Less than 500 euros	1
More than 500 euros	2

36. Please indicate whether and how often each of the following has happened in the past **3 months**. If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP36A A Obtained counsel or good advice from your father	1	2	3
BSCP36B B Obtained counsel or good advice from your mother	1	2	3
BSCP36C C Your father showed an interest in your personal life	1	2	3
BSCP36D D Your mother showed an interest in your personal life	1	2	3

37. Please indicate whether and how often each of the following has happened in the past **3 months**. If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	not at all	once or twice	several times
BSCP37A A Gave counsel or good advice to your father	1	2	3
BSCP37B B Gave counsel or good advice to your mother	1	2	3
BSCP37C C Showed an interest in your father's personal life	1	2	3
BSCP37D D Showed an interest in your mother's personal life	1	2	3

38. How would you describe your relationship with your parents? If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent.

	BSCP38_F father	BSCP_M mother
Not great	1	1
Reasonable	2	2
Good	3	3
Very good	4	4

39. Relationships are a matter of give and take. How would you describe your relationship with your parents?
If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent..

	BSCP39_F father	BSCP39_M mother
You both give about as much	1	1
You give more	2	2
Your parent gives more	3	3

40. Have you had any conflicts, strains or disagreements with your parent(s) in the past **3 months**?
If one of your parents is no longer alive, you do not need to circle a number in the column for this parent..

	BSCP40_F father	BSCP40_M mother
Not at all	1	1
Once or twice	2	2
Several times	3	3

If you have ever had any conflicts with one or both of your parents, please answer question 41. If not, go to question 42.

41. What were these conflicts usually about? Several answers possible.

	father		mother	
	no	yes	no	yes
A About practical matters	BSCP41a1		BSCP41b1	
	1	2	1	2
B About your outlook on life or norms and values	BSCP41a2		BSCP41b2	
	1	2	1	2
C About politics	BSCP41a3		BSCP41b3	
	1	2	1	2
D About your relationship itself	BSCP41a4		BSCP41b4	
	1	2	1	2
E About the amount of attention you give each other	BSCP41a5		BSCP41b5	
	1	2	1	2
F About how often you help each other	BSCP41a6		BSCP41b6	
	1	2	1	2
G About the amount of contact	BSCP41a7		BSCP41b7	
	1	2	1	2

BACKGROUND

BSCP42 42. What is your sex?

Male	1
Female	2

BSCP43 43. What is your date of birth?

Day
Month
Year

BSCP43A1 44. How many brothers and sisters do you have in total? Also count any brothers or sisters who have died as well as any half brothers and sisters.

Number of brothers and sisters	...
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45. Please indicate how old you were when you took the following steps in your life for the first time.

	age	n.a.
BSCP43B1 Left the parental home for the first time	9
BSCP43B2 Started living with a partner for the first time	9
BSCP43B3 Married for the first time	9

BSCP43C1 46. Have you previously lived with a partner with whom the relationship ended in divorce or widowhood?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 47

→ question 53

BSCP43D1 47. In which year did you start living with this partner (within or outside of marriage)? If you have lived with several partners with whom the relationship has ended, please answer the question for the most recent relationship.

Year	...
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BSCP43E1 48. In which year did the relationship end?

Year	...
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BSCP43F1 49. How did the relationship end?

We divorced, separated	1
Partner died	2

BSCP43G1 50. Were you living with this partner within or outside of marriage?

Married all the time	1
First outside of marriage, later married	2
Outside of marriage all the time	3

BSCP43H1 51. Did you have a relationship before then that ended?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 52

→ question 53

BSCP43I1 52. How did that relationship end?

We divorced, separated	1
Partner died	2

BSCP43J1 53. Do you have children with someone other than your current partner?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 54

→ question 56

BSCP43K1 54. How many children do you have with (an) ex-partner(s), if any?

Number	...
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55. Please indicate for each of these children when they were born, what sex they are, and whether they live with you or on their own. If a child is no longer alive, you can also indicate this. If you have more than one child, begin with the oldest.

	Year of birth	What is the child's sex?	Where does the child live?
Child 1	BSCP43L1	BSCP43L2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43L3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 2	BSCP43M1	BSCP43M2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43M3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 3	BSCP43N1	BSCP43N2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43N3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 4	BSCP43O1	BSCP43O2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43O3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 5	BSCP43P1	BSCP43P2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43P3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive

If you have more than five children, please continue on page 30.
56. With whom do you share a household?

	no	yes
BSCP44A A Your partner	1	2
BSCP44B B Own children under 12	1	2
BSCP44C C Own children 12 and older	1	2
BSCP44D D Step-children under 12	1	2
BSCP44E E Step-children 12 and older	1	2
BSCP44F F Parents	1	2
BSCP44G G Step-parents	1	2
BSCP44H H Brother or sister	1	2
BSCP44I I Grandfather or grandmother	1	2
BSCP44J J Other relatives	1	2
BSCP44K K Other	1	2

BSCP44A1 57. Do you own, or co-own the home you live in now?

Yes	1
No	2

BSCP46_S 58. Do you consider yourself to belong to a particular faith, religious denomination or church? If so, which one?

No religion	1
Roman Catholic	2
Protestant Church in the Netherlands (formerly the Dutch Reformed Church)	3
Protestant Church in the Netherlands (formerly Dutch Calvinist Church, synodal)	4
Other Calvinist denominations (e.g. Christian Reformed, Dutch Calvinists, Reformed Community)	5
Evangelical church denominations (e.g. Full Evangelical church, Pentecostal church, Baptists, Community of the Moravian Brethren)	6
Other Christian church denominations	7
Islam	8
Judaism	9
Hinduism	10
Other	11

BSCP47 59. About how often do you currently attend services of a church or religious denomination?

(Hardly) ever	1
Once or a few times a year	2
Once or a few times a month	3

Once or a few times a week	4
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BSCP53 60. What is the highest level of education that you completed with a diploma?

Did not complete elementary school	1
Elementary school only (incl. VGLO)	2
Lower vocational education (LBO, huishoudschool, lhno, vmbo praktisch, gemengd en kader)	3
Lower general intermediate school (MAVO, ULO< MULO, VMBO theoretisch)	4
Upper general intermediate education (HAVO, MMS)	5
Pre-university education (VWO, HBS, atheneum, gymnasium)	6
Short intermediate vocational education (KMBO)	7
Intermediate vocational education (MBO, 4 years)	8
Higher vocational education (HBO), Bachelor's (University)	9
University	10
Post-graduate (e.g. notary practice, medical finals, PhD)	11

61. Are you a member of any of the following clubs or voluntary associations?

	no	Yes
BSCP54A A Sports association	1	2
BSCP54B B Trade union, employers' organization or professional association	1	2
BSCP54C C An association with a societal objective	1	2
BSCP54D D Political party	1	2
BSCP54E E Religious or church association	1	2
BSCP54G F A choir, drama association or music society	1	2
BSCP54H G A hobby or leisure-time association, youth association	1	2

62. Did you participate in any of the following activities in your free time in the past **12 months**? If so, about how often?

	not at all	1-2 times	3-11 times	12 times or more
BSCP55A A Participate in school association, parent-teacher association or other activity for school	1	2	3	4
BSCP55B B Provide unpaid help to sick or handicapped acquaintances or neighbors (not family)	1	2	3	4
BSCP55C C Volunteer work for association, church or other organization (not for school)	1	2	3	4

BSCP55D D Visit neighbors, have neighbors visit you	1	2	3	4
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BSCP56 63. How is your health in general? Is it

Excellent	1
Good	2
Neither good nor poor	3
Poor	4
Very poor	5

BSCP57 64. Do you have one or more prolonged illnesses, health disorders or handicaps?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 65

→ question 66

BSCP58 65. To what extent are you restricted in your daily activities by these prolonged illnesses, health disorders or handicaps?

Severe limitations	1
Light limitations	2
No limitations	3

66. The questions below are about how you felt during the past **4 weeks**.

	all the time	very often	often	rarely	very rarely	never
BSCP59A A How often have you felt particularly tense in the past 4 weeks?	1	2	3	4	5	6
BSCP59B B How often have you felt so down in the dumps in the past 4 weeks that nothing could cheer you up?	1	2	3	4	5	6
BSCP59C C How often have you felt calm and peaceful in the past 4 weeks?	1	2	3	4	5	6
BSCP59D D How often have you felt downhearted and miserable in the past 4 weeks?	1	2	3	4	5	6
BSCP59E E How often have you felt happy in the past 4 weeks?	1	2	3	4	5	6

YOUR OPINIONS

67. The questions below are about your family and friends. When we refer to **family**, we include the following people:

- *your partner*
- *your children (also those still living at home)*
- *your parents*
- *your brothers and sisters*
- *your grandparents and grandchildren*
- *your uncles, aunts, cousins, nephews and nieces*

Please do **not** include any other relatives. In this questionnaire, your in-laws are **not** considered family.

Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with each statement.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP60A A I'm proud of my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60B B At times, I find it hard to respect my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60C C At times, I've thought: I wish I'd been born in another family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60D D I come from a special and precious family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60E E I give my family more than they give me	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60F F I feel my family should give me more support than I receive now	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60G G I receive enough help and advice from My family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60H H If someone in our family misbehaves, we make a point of letting them know	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60I I In our family we gossip a lot about one another	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60J J We often quarrel in our family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60K K When the whole family comes together, everyone has to tread carefully	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60L L When we're together, the atmosphere is almost always tense	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60M M There's a great deal of misery in our family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60N N When I am troubled, I can always discuss my worries with my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60O O I place confidence in my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60P P Should I need help, I can always turn to My family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60Q Q I can always count on my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60R R When I am troubled, I can always discuss my worries with my friends	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60S S I place confidence in my friends	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60T T Should I need help, I can always turn to my friends	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60U U I can always count on my friends	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60V V When I am troubled, it's easier to discuss my worries with family than with friends	1	2	3	4	5

BSCP60W W I place greater confidence in my family than in my friends	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60X X Should I need help, I would sooner turn to my friends than to my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60Y Y I can count on my friends more than on my family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP60A1 Z I prefer having friends over to having family visit	1	2	3	4	5

68. The statements below describe how you feel family members should treat each other. Please indicate the extent to which you agree with each statement.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP61A A One should always be able to count on family	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61B B Family members should be ready to support one another, even if they don't like each other	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61C C If one is troubled, family should be there to provide support	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61D D Family members must help each other, in good times and bad	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61E E Children should look after their sick parents	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61F F In old age, parents must be able to live in with their children	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61G G Children who live close to their parents should visit them at least once a week	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61H H Children should take unpaid leave to look after their sick parents	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61I I Parents should support their adult children if they need it	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61J J Parents should help their adult children financially if they need it	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61K K Parents should provide lodging to their adult children if they need it	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61L L Grandparents should be prepared to look after their grandchildren regularly	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61M M One's life is not complete if one has not had children	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61N N It's one's duty towards society to have children	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61O O I believe that in this world one can only feel totally at ease in one's own family with children	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP61P P If one never has children, one can never be really happy	1	2	3	4	5

69. The three things listed below could be important in a child's upbringing. Which of the three do you find most important for children **aged 17**? And which ranks second? And which third?

	circle your first choice	circle your second choice	circle your third choice
BSCP64A A Obeying parents	1	2	3
BSCP64B B Consideration for others	1	2	3
BSCP64C C Acting and thinking independently	1	2	3

70. In politics, it not always possible to achieve everything you want. Here are some goals one can attain. If you had to choose, which goal you think is the most desirable? And what would be the second most desirable goal? And the third?

	circle your first choice	circle your second choice	circle your third choice
BSCP65A A Maintaining order in our country	1	2	3
BSCP65B B Increasing political influence of citizens	1	2	3
BSCP65C C Fighting inflation	1	2	3
BSCP65D D Protecting freedom of speech	1	2	3

71. The statements below describe other things that are important in life. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with each statement.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP66A A Men and women are allowed to live together outside of marriage	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66B B Children are allowed to choose their own marriage partners	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66C C Two men or two women are allowed to live together	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66D D A woman must quit her job when she becomes a mother	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66E E The parents' opinion must play an important role in the choice of a partner for their child	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66F F Married couples with young children are not allowed to divorce	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66G G Single mothers are very capable of raising their children	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66H H It's unnatural if men in a business are supervised or managed by women	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66I I It's more important for boys than it is for girls to be able to earn a living later in life	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66J J Working mothers put themselves first rather than their families.	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66K K It's best to divide tasks and responsibilities in a relationship according to the customs, traditions and rules that have always been force	1	2	3	4	5

BSCP66L L One should not do what one likes until after one has done one's duty	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66M M If people want to enjoy life, they should also be prepared to work hard for it	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66N N I feel happiest after I've worked hard	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66O O Work should always take first place, even if that means less leisure time	1	2	3	4	5

72. What are your views about your children's choice of partner? The questions below are NOT about your actual situation. We are interested in your opinion. Please answer the questions even if you have no children of your own.

	bother me a lot	bother me a little	neutral	not bother me	not bother me at all
BSCP66A1 A Would it bother you if one of your children decided to marry someone of Turkish descent?	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66A2 B Would it bother you if one of your children decided to marry someone of Moroccan descent?	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66A3 C Would it bother you if one of your children decided to marry someone of Surinamese or Antillean descent?	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP66A4 D Would it bother you if one of your children decided to marry someone of Dutch descent?	1	2	3	4	5

73. The following statements relate to yourself as a person. Please indicate to what extent these are appropriate to you.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP67A A In most respects, my life is ideal.	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP67B B My life circumstances are excellent	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP67C C On the whole, I am satisfied with my life	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP67D D If I could live my life again, I would change very little	1	2	3	4	5

YOUR JOB

BSCP67A1 73a. Are you still in full-time education?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 78

→ question 74

BSCP67B1 74. We would like to chart your employment history. We would like to know whether there were any periods during which you **did not work**, that is to say, that you were not in paid employment. This includes unemployment, illness, pension, education, or homemaking.

In which year did you leave school? By this we mean the year in which you ended a period of full-time education (high school or higher education)

Year finish education	...
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BSCP67C1 75. From the moment you finished your education, have you known periods in which you did not work? Only count periods that lasted **at least three months**.

Yes, I have known one or more periods in which I did not have a paid job	1
No, I have never known a period in which I did not have a paid job	2
I've never had a paid job	3

→ question 76

→ question 77

→ question 75a

75a. We would like to ask some questions regarding the period after the end of your full-time education. Could you please indicate what your main activity and main source of income were?

What was your main activity?	What was your main source of income?
BSCP67D1	BSCP67D2
1 unemployed or seeking work	1 partner's income
2 homemaking	2 benefit
3 ill or disabled	3 pension
4 at school or university	4 own funds
5 retired/early retirement	5 parents
6 other	6 grant, etc

You may now continue with question 91.

76. Please indicate for each of these periods **without a paid job**: when the period began, when it ended, what you did during this period and what your main source of income was.

	In which year did this period begin?	In which year did this period end? If the period has not yet ended, please don't fill in anything.	What was your main activity?	What was your main source of income?
Period 1	BSCP67E1	BSCP67E2	BSCP67E3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67E4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5 parents 6 grant, etc
Period 2	BSCP67F1	BSCP67F2	BSCP67F3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67F4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 3	BSCP67G1	BSCP67G2	BSCP67G3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67G4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 4	BSCP67H1	BSCP67H2	BSCP67H3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67H4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 5	BSCP67I1	BSCP67I2	BSCP67I3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67I4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 6	BSCP67J1	BSCP67J2	BSCP67J3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67J4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 7	BSCP67K1	BSCP67K2	BSCP67K3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67K4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc

If there were more than 7 periods, please continue on page 30.

77. Please indicate for all your former jobs and positions, in which year you started the job, in which year you quit the job, and what kind of work you did. We would also like you to indicate the average number of working hours a week. If your working hours have changed within one and the same job, please give the most common number of hours a week.

For our purposes, a change of job refers both to moving to another employer and moving to a different position with the same employer, for example as a result of a promotion. If you had two jobs at the same time, please provide the information requested for both jobs.

If you are in your first job, go to question 80.

	In which year did you start this job?	In which year did you quit this job?	What was your position or profession? Please describe as accurately as possible.	Number of hours a week
Job 1	BSCP67O1	BSCP67O2	BSCP67O3	BSCP67O4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 2	BSCP67O5	BSCP67O6	BSCP67O7	BSCP67O8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 3	BSCP67P1	BSCP67P2	BSCP67P3	BSCP67P4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 4	BSCP67P5	BSCP67P6	BSCP67P7	BSCP67P8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 5	BSCP67Q1	BSCP67Q2	BSCP67Q3	BSCP67Q4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 6	BSCP67Q5	BSCP67Q6	BSCP67Q7	BSCP67Q8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 7	BSCP67R1	BSCP67R2	BSCP67R3	BSCP67R4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 8	BSCP67R5	BSCP67R6	BSCP67R7	BSCP67R8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 9	BSCP67S1	BSCP67S2	BSCP67S3	BSCP67S4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 10	BSCP67S5	BSCP67S6	BSCP67S7	BSCP67S8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more

If you have had more than ten jobs, please continue on page 31.

BSCP70 78. Do you have a paid job at the moment?

Yes	1
No	2

→ question 80

→ question 79

BSCP70a1 79. What is your most important daily activity?

Unemployed or job seeking	3
Prolonged sick leave or occupationally disabled	4
Retired (early)	5
Studying, at school	6
Homemaking	7
On care leave	8
On other leave, e.g. sabbatical year	9
Working unpaid	10
Other	11

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BSCP70b1 80. What is your current job? Please describe the job or profession as accurately as possible.

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BSCP70c1 81. How many hours do you work a week? Base your answer on a normal week and count the actual hours worked.

Number of hours a week	...
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BSCP73 82. Do you usually work more or fewer hours than your official working week?

Considerably fewer	1
Fewer	2
About the number of official hours	3
More	4
Many more	5

BSCP74 83. Does your job require that you work outside regular office hours (7:00-18:00)?

Yes	1
No	2

84. Please indicate whether you ever work during the following times, and how often this is the case.

	never	occasionally	every so many weeks	almost every week
BSCP75A A In the evening, i.e. between 18:00 and 24:00	1	2	3	4
BSCP75B B At night, i.e. after midnight	1	2	3	4
BSCP75C C A weekend afternoon, evening or night	1	2	3	4

BSCP76 85. Do you ever work at home?

No, hardly ever	1
Yes, about once a week	2
Yes, several days a week	3

BSCP77 86. Are you ever away from home in the evening or during the weekend to attend work-related dinners, training programs or conferences?

No, never	1
Yes, once or twice a year	2
Yes, three or four times a year	3
Yes, more than four times a year	4

BSCP78 87. How free are you to choose the hours and days that you work?

No freedom, barely any freedom	1
Some freedom	2
A considerable deal of freedom	3
I choose the hours and days myself	4

88. What is the postal code and address of the place where you work? We would like to know the postal code of the street address, not of the post box. If you do not know the postal code, please give the name of the town or city.

Postal code	BSCP79A
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Town/city	BSCP79B
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89. The following statements relate to your job attitude. Please give your opinion.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP82A A I'm prepared to put in an extra effort if that helps the business I work for	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP82B B I find it very important to do my job well	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP82C C I'd rather work overtime than fail to get something done on time	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP82D D My job is very important to me	1	2	3	4	5

90. We are interested to know your working hours **in the past week**. Please first indicate, for each day, whether you worked that day, and then indicate when you started and when you stopped working.

- *If the past week was not a normal working week, e.g. because of illness or holidays, take the week before last!*
- *Lunch breaks count as work.*
- *Do **not** count time spent traveling.*
- *Please round off to the nearest half hour.*
- *Use the 24-hour clock, and record the time as '9:00' and '17:30'*

	did not work	Worked		hours	mins		hours	mins
BSCP83MO Monday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83MS	tot	BSCP83MF		
BSCP83TU Tuesday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83TS	tot	BSCP83TF		
BSCP83WE Wednesday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83WS	tot	BSCP83WF		
BSCP83TH Thursday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83HS	tot	BSCP83HF		
BSCP83FR Friday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83FS	tot	BSCP83FF		
BSCP83SA Saturday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83SS	tot	BSCP83SF		
BSCP83SU Sunday	1	2 →	van	BSCP83US	tot	BSCP83UF		

91. The next questions are about the amount of time you normally spend on household tasks. Please indicate for each task whether you spend time on it, and how much time you spend on it (minutes per week). Base your answer on a normal week.

	no time	time		hours	mins
BSCP83A1 A Preparing meals	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83A2	
BSCP83B1 B Fetching groceries	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83B2	
BSCP83C1 C Tidying up and cleaning	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83C2	
BSCP83D1 D Paper work, accounts, finances	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83D2	
BSCP83E1 E Odd jobs in and around the house	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83E2	
BSCP83F1 F Laundry and ironing	1	2 →	namely	BSCP83F2	

YOUR PARTNER AND YOUR FAMILY

The following questions are about your partner and your children.

92. To what extent does your partner support you:

	no support	a little support	a fair amount of support	a lot of support
BSCP84A A In decisions about your work or education	1	2	3	4
BSCP84B B When you have worries or health problems	1	2	3	4
BSCP84C C In your leisure time activities and social contacts	1	2	3	4
BSCP84D D With all kinds of practical things you need to do	1	2	3	4
BSCP84E E In personal matters that are on your mind	1	2	3	4

93. Please indicate whether the following situations have occurred between you and your partner in the past **12 months**.

	not at all	occasionally	several times	n.a. (we don't live together)
BSCP85A A Heated discussions between you and your partner	1	2	3	
BSCP85B B One of you putting down and blaming the other	1	2	3	
BSCP85C C You didn't want to talk to each other for a while	1	2	3	
BSCP85D D Arguments got out of hand	1	2	3	
BSCP85E E You lived apart for a while	1	2	3	9

94. The following questions deal with the extent to which you are satisfied with your partner relationship **at this moment**.

	strongly agree	agree	neither agree nor disagree	disagree	strongly disagree
BSCP86A A We have a good relationship	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP86B B The relationship with my partner makes me happy	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP86C C Our relationship is strong	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP86D D The relationship with my partner is very stable	1	2	3	4	5

95. How would you describe the division of household tasks between you and your partner? Please indicate, for each of the tasks, who usually does them.

	always you	usually you	both equally	usually your partner	always your partner
BSCP87A A Preparing meals	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP87B B Fetching groceries	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP87C C Tidying up and cleaning	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP87D D Paper work, accounts, finances	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP87E E Odd jobs in and around the house	1	2	3	4	5
BSCP87A1 F Laundry and ironing	1	2	3	4	5

BSCP88 96. Do you have children living at home?

Yes	1	→ question 97
No	2	→ question 99

97. Did you do any of the following activities with your children **in the past week**?

	not at all	a few times	often
BSCP89A A Read to them	1	2	3
BSCP89B B Play board games, spend time at the computer, draw	1	2	3
BSCP89C C Help them with their homework	1	2	3
BSCP89D D Take them to sports activities or clubs	1	2	3

98. How do you and your partner divide child rearing tasks? Please indicate, for each of the tasks, who usually does them. Answer this question only if you have a partner.

	always you	usually you	both equally	usually your partner	always your partner	n.a.
BSCP90A A Bath your children, help them get dressed (only for children under 6)	1	2	3	4	5	9
BSCP90B B Stay at home if child is ill, get out of bed at night	1	2	3	4	5	9
BSCP90C C Talk about the child's problems or about rules of politeness	1	2	3	4	5	9
BSCP90D D Take the children to school, day care or babysitter	1	2	3	4	5	9

BSCP91 99 When you visit family, do you usually do that together with your partner or without your partner?

Usually together with my partner	1
More often together than alone	2
More often alone than together	3
Usually alone, without my partner	4

BSCP92 100 When you do things in your leisure time, such as going out at night, on a day trip, recreation outside the home, do you usually do this with your partner or without your partner?

Usually together with my partner	1
More often together than alone	2
More often alone than together	3
Usually alone, without my partner	4

BSCP93 101 Are your friends mostly your own friends or friends shared with your partner?

Mostly my own friends	1
More my own than shared friends	2
More shared friends than my own friends	3
Mostly shared friends	4

WHERE YOU HAVE LIVED

102 In which towns/cities or countries have you lived from your birth until now? Only count places where you have lived for at least three months. Start with the place you lived in when you were born. If the name of your place of residence exists in more than one province, please also state the name of the province.

	A Place of residence	B Province (if necessary)	C If you lived abroad, state the country	D In which year did you go and live there?
1	BSCP93A1	BSCP93A2	BSCP93A3	BSCP93A4
2	BSCP93B1	BSCP93B2	BSCP93B3	BSCP93B4
3	BSCP93C1	BSCP93C2	BSCP93C3	BSCP93C4
4	BSCP93D1	BSCP93D2	BSCP93D3	BSCP93D4
5	BSCP93E1	BSCP93E2	BSCP93E3	BSCP93E4
6	BSCP93F1	BSCP93F2	BSCP93F3	BSCP93F4
7	BSCP93G1	BSCP93G2	BSCP93G3	BSCP93G4
8	BSCP93H1	BSCP93H2	BSCP93H3	BSCP93H4

If you have lived in more than 8 places, please continue on page 31.

BSCP94 103. One final point. We would like to repeat this survey in the future to see what changes in people's lives. May we get in touch with you again in the future? You will, of course, be free to decide whether you want to take part again once we have contacted you.

Yes	1
No	2

BSCP94A1 104 Date questionnaire was completed:

day month year

Thank you for filling in this questionnaire!

BSCP COM

If you have any questions or comments, please use the reverse side of this form.

Question 55 continued

If you have more than five children, please continue here

	Year of birth	What is the child's sex?	Where does the child live?
Child 6	BSCP43Q1	BSCP43Q2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43Q3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 7	BSCP43R1	BSCP43R2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43R3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 8	BSCP43S1	BSCP43S2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43S3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 9	BSCP43T1	BSCP43T2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43T3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive
Child 10	BSCP43U1	BSCP43U2 1 female 2 male	BSCP43U3 1 on its own 2 with you 3 with ex-partner 4 elsewhere 5 no longer alive

Question 76 continued

If there were more than 7 periods without a job, please continue here.

	In which year did this period begin?	In which year did this period end?	What was your main activity?	What was your main source of income?
Period 8	BSCP67L1	BSCP67L2	BSCP67L3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67L4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 9	BSCP67M1	BSCP67M2	BSCP67M3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67M4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc
Period 10	BSCP67N1	BSCP67N2	BSCP67N3 1 unemployed or seeking work 2 homemaking 3 ill or disabled 4 at school or university 5 retired/early retirement 6 other	BSCP67N4 1 partner's income 2 benefit 3 pension 4 own funds 5. parents 6 grant, etc

Question 77 continued

If you have had more than 10 jobs, please continue here.

	In which year did you start this job?	In which year did you quit this job?	What was your position or profession? Please describe as accurately as possible.	Number of hours a week
Job 11	BSCP67T1	BSCP67T2	BSCP67T3	BSCP67T4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 12	BSCP67T5	BSCP67T6	BSCP67T7	BSCP67T8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 13	BSCP67U1	BSCP67U2	BSCP67U3	BSCP67U4 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more
Job 14	BSCP67U5	BSCP67U6	BSCP67U7	BSCP67U8 1 less than 12 hours 2 12-23 hours 3 24-35 hours 4 36 hours or more

Question 102 continued

If you have lived in more than 8 places, please continue here.

	A Place of residence	B Province (if necessary)	C If you lived abroad, state the country	D In which year did you go and live there?
9	BSCP93I1	BSCP93I2	BSCP93I3	BSCP93I4
10	BSCP93J1	BSCP93J2	BSCP93J3	BSCP93J4
11	BSCP93K1	BSCP93K2	BSCP93K3	BSCP93K4
12	BSCP93L1	BSCP93L2	BSCP93L3	BSCP93L4
13	BSCP93M1	BSCP93M2	BSCP93M3	BSCP93M4
14	BSCP93N1	BSCP93N2	BSCP93N3	BSCP93N4
15	BSCP93O1	BSCP93O2	BSCP93O3	BSCP93O4
16	BSCP93P1	BSCP93P2	BSCP93P3	BSCP93P4