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Rural Household Survey Questionnaire

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Surveyors please read the following to interviewees at the beginning of the interviews:
Dear respondent, this is a special purpose survey, aiming at investigating the current social issue of rural residents in order to propose feasible policies to the related government departments. The survey mainly covers some relevant aspects of your situation including: employment, production and life. Please answer the questions honestly and in accordance with the actual situation of your household and thoughts, assisting the surveyor earnestly to complete the questionnaire. We will strictly follow the Statistics Law and keep any personal information that you provide confidential. Thank you for your cooperation!

Questionnaire Number					Rural household survey code	
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	First Inspection	Second Inspection
Date		
Signature		

Household Address: _____ Province _____ County (City) _____ Township (Town) _____ Street _____
Name of household head: _____ Contact phone number: _____

Time interview commenced: 2008 Year _____ Month _____ Day _____ Hour _____ Minute _____
Time interview concluded: 2008 Year _____ Month _____ Day _____ Hour _____ Minute _____
Name of Interviewer: _____ Tel: _____ Signature: _____

I . Household roster and personal characteristics

(Note: ① Please keep household member code consistent. ② Survey coverage: All household members registered as permanent residents and other non-registered permanent residents.)

i). Every household member needs to answer the following questions

1. Name of household member	A01										
2. Household member code	A02	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
3. What is your relationship to the household head? ① Spouse ② Biological son/daughter ③ Step/Adopted son/daughter ④ Son/daughter-in-Law ⑤ Sibling ⑥ Parent ⑦ Father/mother-in-law ⑧ Grandparent ⑨ Grandchild (son's child) ⑩ Grandchild (daughter's child) (11) Grandchild's spouse (spouse of son's child) (12) Grandchild's spouse (spouse of daughter's child) (13) Uncle/aunt (14) Nephew/niece (15) Other relative	A03	House -hold head									
4. Gender ① Male ② Female	A04										
5. Date of Birth _____ Year	A05-1										
_____ Month	A05-2										
_____ Day	A05-3										
6. What is your age rank among your siblings?	A06										
7. Marital status: ①Married ②Remarried ③Cohabit ④Divorced ⑤Widowed ⑥Never Married(skip to A09)	A07										
8. How many children have you ever had?	A08										
9. Ethnicity : ①Han ②Zhuang ③Hui ④Weiuer ⑤Yi ⑥Miao ⑦Man ⑧Others	A09										
10. Current height (Cm)	A10										
11. Current weight (Kg)	A11										
12. Your current state of health (compared to people at the same age as you) ①Excellent ②Good ③Average ④Poor ⑤Very poor	A12										
13. Have you any physical disabilities? ①No ②Yes, but there is no impact on normal work, study and life. ③Yes, affecting the normal work, study and life.	A13										

Household member code	A02	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
14. Current status of <i>Hukou</i> ①Local (city/county) urban <i>Hukou</i> ② Non-local urban <i>Hukou</i> ③ Local (city/county) rural <i>Hukou</i> (Skip to A17) ④ Non-local, rural <i>Hukou</i> (Skip to A17)	A14										
15. (Ask if A14=1, 2) when did you arrive at the urban <i>Hukou</i> ?	A15										
16. (Ask if A14=1, 2) Why did you move to the urban <i>Hukou</i> ? ①Education ②Military service ③Becoming a cadre ④Land expropriation ⑤Purchasing urban housing ⑥Other (please specify)	A16										
17. Work status at the end of 2007: ①Employed (Wage earner, farmer or the self-employed) ②Reemployed retired worker ③Unemployed ④Retired ⑤Household worker ⑥Family worker ⑦Loss of working capabilities ⑧In school student/preschool child ⑨Awaiting job assignment /further education/dropout student ⑩Others	A17										
18. Do you have any medical insurance in 2007? (Can choose more than one) ①Rural cooperatives medical service ②Public medical services (paid for by the government) or overall plan medical services ③ Commercial medical insurance ④ Other ⑤None (skip to A20)	A18										
19. (Ask if A18≠⑤) How much did you pay for medical insurance in 2007? (including amounts deducted from your payroll) (Yuan)	A19										
20. Were you sick or injured in the last three months? (including chronic or acute disease) ①Yes ②No (Skip to A25)	A20										
21. What was the nature of your latest disease or injury? (Write down the code of the disease)	A21										
22. How much were your total medical expense in the last three months? (including reimbursements or the reduced amount of expenses) (Yuan)	A22										
23. Of these, how much were reimbursed or reduced? (A23≤A22) (Yuan)	A23										
24. How many days did illness affect your normal work, study and life in the last three months?	A24										
25. What was the total amount of your medical expenses in cash in 2007? (including reimbursements or reduced amounts)	A25										
26. How much did you pay, excluding reimbursements or reduced amounts? (A26≤A25) (Yuan)	A26										
27. How many months did you live away from the local countryside in 2007? (Month)	A27										

Household member code	A02	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
28. If you have lived outside the local countryside more than 3 months in 2007, where did you live? ①Rural area in local county ②Rural area in other county in the same province ③Rural area in other province ④In the local county seat ⑤In city/other county of local province ⑥In city/other county of other province ⑦Other(please specify)	A28										
29. What is the main reason you lived outside the local countryside more than 3 months in 2007? ①Education ②Military service ③Work/business ④Visiting friends and relatives ⑤Other (please specify)	A29										
30. (Ask everyone) Do you smoke at least one cigarette per day? ①Yes ②No	A30										
31. (Ask everyone) Were present during the survey? ①Yes ②No	A31										

ii). The following questions are only for the household members on the scene and whose ages are ≥ 16 (born before 1991).

1. Household member code (Please be consistent with A02)	A32					
Have you ever had any of the following feelings in the last few weeks?						
2. When you are doing something, do you find ①Can concentrate ②Attention occasionally diverted ③Attention sometimes diverted ④Attention frequently diverted, cannot concentrate	A33					
3. Do you often lose sleep over worry? ①Not at all ② Occasionally ③Fairly often ④Very often	A34					
4. Can you play useful part in things? ①Always can ②Can play some positive roles ③Can play positive roles poorly ④Cannot play a positive role	A35					
5. Are you capable of making decisions? ①Always have own opinions ② Sometimes have own opinions ③Do not have many own opinions ④Do not have any personal opinion at	A36					
6. Are you constantly under strain? ①Never ②Sometimes ③Fairly often ④Very often	A37					
7. Do you feel you couldn't overcome difficulties? ① Never ② Sometimes ③Fairly often ④Very often	A38					
8. Are you able to enjoy day-to-day activities? ①Very interesting ② Fairly interesting ③Not very interesting ④Not interesting at all	A39					
9. Are you able to face problems? ①Never ② Seldom③ Sometimes④ Always	A40					

Household member code (Please be consistent with A02)	A32					
10. Do you feel depressed ①Not at all ② A little bit ③Fairly seriously ④Very seriously	A41					
11. Do you always lack confidence ①Not at all ② A little bit ③Fairly seriously ④Very seriously	A42					
12. Do you often think that you have no value ①Not at all ② A little bit ③Fairly seriously ④Very seriously	A43					
13. Are you happy when you consider each aspect of your life? ①Very happy ②Fairly happy ③Not very happy ④Not happy at all	A44					

iii). Education and training backgrounds for adult household members. Only for household members who have completed education and aged 16 and over (born before 1991).

1. Household member code (Please be consistent with A02)	B01					
2. Highest level of education completed (Please skip to B10 if never been to school) (Please write Education level code)	B02					
3. (Ask if B02 ≠ 1) How many years of formal education have you had (Excluding skipping or failing a grade)? (Years)	B03					
4. (Ask if B02 ≠ 1) How were your scores in your class before you leaving school? ①Very good ②Good ③Average ④Poor ⑤Very poor	B04					
5. (Ask if B02 ≠ 1) Have you ever attempted national university entrance examination? ①Yes ②No (skip to B10) ③Recommended for admission (Skip to B10)	B05					
6. (Ask if B01 ≠ 1, B05=1) In which year did you last attempt the national university entrance examination? _____ Year	B06					
7. (Ask if B02 ≠ 1 B05=1) What was your score for that examination? (Score)	B07					
8. (Ask B02 ≠ 1 B05=1) Which category of examination did you take? ①Arts and PE (Physical Education) ②Social science and history ③ Science and engineering ④Uni-category ⑤3+2 new category ⑥Others	B08					
9. (Ask B02 ≠ 1 B05=1) Province where you attended the examination? (Code of the Province)	B09					
10. Besides formal education at school, have you received any training or ever been an apprentice (Maximum 3 options according to time order) ①Never(skip to next person or next form) ②Agricultural production training ③Non-agricultural training as an intern of business/enterprise ④Non-agricultural training in the community ⑤Other trainings (please specify)	B10					

Household member code (Please be consistent with A02)	B01						
11. (Ask B10≠1) What was training you received most recently? ①Work-related skill training ②Non-work-related general skill training ③General training, for example, protecting worker's benefit ④Other training (Please specify)	B11						
12. (Ask B10≠1) Total number of days of this training (If it was less than a day, please count it as one day) (Day)	B12						
13. (Ask B10≠1) How much did you spend for the training? (including costs paid by yourself or family members. If free, please write 0) (Yuan)	B13						
14. (Ask B10≠1, B13≠0) Who defrayed the cost of the training? ①Government ②Oneself ③Current employer ④Previous employer ⑤Both yourself and the employer ⑥Other	B14						

iv). Adults' employment situation. The following questions are only for household members who aged 16 and over.(born before 1991).

1. Household member code (Please be consistent with A01)	C01						
2. Have you ever migrated for work? ①Yes (Skip to C04) ②No	C02						
3. (Ask if C02=2) What's the main reason for not migrating to find work? (Skip to C06 after answered) ①Too old ②Sick/disabled ③Could not find a job after migration ④Looking after other family members aged/children ⑤Managing local business ⑥In school ⑦Other, please specify	C03						
4. (Ask if C02=1) When did you first migrate for work? _____ Year	C04						
5. (Ask if C02=1) What was the reason for the last time you spent more than 3 months in your home village? ①Illness ②To take care of sick household members ③To look after my children ④To look after a home business or agricultural production ⑤Didn't like the city or current job ⑥Wedding/marriage-matching/ building house ⑦Dismissed, cannot find new job ⑧Others	C05						
6. Do you plan to migrate out for work in the near future? ①In one month ②In half year ③In one year ④Maybe or may not ⑤No	C06						
7. Did you work more than one hour with pay in the latest one week? ①Yes (including the self-employed and wage earner, skip to C09) ②Family worker without pay (skip to C09) ③No	C07						
8. (Ask if C07=3) Why didn't you work for pay? ①Have work, but on leave (including service leave with or without pay) ② Full-time student (skip to next household member or next table) ③Have no job (including retired, skip to next household member or next table)	C08						

Household member code (Please be consistent with A01)	C01						
The questions 9-26 are only for those who chooses “①Yes ,②Family worker without pay” in C07 or “①Has work, but on leave” in C08							
9. When did you start your last/current (before returning to your hometown) job? _____	C09						
10. Where was this last/current (before returning to your hometown) job located? ①Rural area in local county ②Rural area in other county of local province ③Rural area in other province ④Local county seat ⑤City/other county of local province ⑥City/ county of other province ⑦Other (Please specify)	C10						
11. What was your last/current (before returning to your hometown) occupation ?	C11						
12. When did you start this occupation?(Including previous periods in the same occupation) _____ Year	C12-1						
_____ Month	C12-2						
13. In which industry was this last/current (before returning to your hometown) job ? (Code of the	C13						
14. How did you get this this last/current (before returning to your hometown) job? ①Assigned by the government ②Through privately-run commercial employment agent (including job fairs) ③Applied for advertised job ④Applied directly (including through examination) ⑤Introduced by family members/ relatives ⑥Introduced by friends/acquaintance ⑦Other (please specify)	C14						
15. How long did you spend to find this last/current (before returning to your hometown) job?	C15						
16. How many employees are there in the work unit (including yourself)?	C16						
17. How many hours on average do you work at your current primary job per week? (Hours/week)	C17						
18. What is your average monthly income from your current primary job? (It can be 0 or negative) (E.g. wages for wage earner, bonuses, allowances and commutations in-kind, net income for the self-employed.)	C18						
19. Do you have any other part-time job besides current prime job? (Including family workers) ①Yes ②No (Skip to C22)	C19						
20. (Ask if C19=1) How many hours on average do you work per week including all your jobs with pay (including self-employed business)? (C20 ≥ C17) (Hours/week)	C20						
21. (Ask if C19=1) What is your average total monthly income from all the jobs with pay (including self-employed business) (Wage worker’s wages, bonuses, allowances and commutations in-kind, self-operator’s net income.(C21 ≥ C18)	C21						
22. Are you still looking for another job currently (before returning to your hometown)? If so, what is the main reason? ①Want longer hours ②Wants higher income ③Does not like current employer ④Do not like current working conditions ⑤Other (Please specify)	C22						
23. Do you have unemployment insurance? ①Paid for by employer ②Paid for by yourself ③Paid for by both employer and yourself ④None ⑤Don’t know ⑥Not	C23						

Household member code (Please be consistent with A01)	C01						
24. Do you have pension insurance? ①Paid for by employer ②Paid for by yourself ③Paid for by both employer and yourself ④None ⑤Don't know ⑥Not	C24						
25. Do you have on-job injury insurance? ①Paid for by employer ②Paid for by yourself ③Paid for by both employer and yourself ④None ⑤Don't know ⑥Not	C25						
26. Is this current (before returning to your hometown) job self-employed business or wage work? ①Self-employed(skip to C27) ②Wage work(skip to next person or next table) ③Family worker without pay (check if C02=2, skip to next person or next table)	C26						
Questions about current (before going back to hometown) self-employed workers. (C27-C37 are only for those who chooses "①Self-employed" in C26.)							
27. How many people do you hire (excluding family members)?(If none, write 0) (People)	C27						
28. The main reason why you were engaged in the self-employed business? ①Cannot be employed ②The self-employed can make more profits ③Want to be a boss ④Free and flexible ⑤Others, please specify	C28						
29. How much did you invest in the business when you started it? (Yuan)	C29						
30. How much did you borrow? (C30 ≤ C29) (Yuan)	C30						
31. Of this, how much did you borrow from a formal bank or credit cooperatives? (Yuan)	C31						
32. How much did you borrow from a civil loan organization or private lenders? (C31+C32 ≤ C30) (Yuan)	C32						
33. What was your primary work before operating this business? ①Other self-employed business ②Wage-work ③Attending training ④In school ⑤ Farming ⑥ Did not work ⑦Other, please specify	C33						
34. Have you ever been employed? ①Yes ②No	C34						
35. Do you want to look for employment? ①Yes ②No	C35						
36. (C35=1) Why do you want to be employed? ①Can earn more money ②Better conditions ③More stable ④Other, please specify	C36						
37. How much would your average monthly wage be if you were employed? (Yuan/month)	C37						

v) Children's education

Note: Please ask parents or guardians to answer the following questions of all the children no older than age 16 (born after 1991) and those family members who are over 16 (born before 1991) but still in school. [Includes children living in the household, and children left behind in the rural hometown or in relatives or friends' homes, as well as children who are in school in some other place.

Please code the children from elder to younger and fill the codes in D01]

1. Name of Child	D01					
2. Code (Need to be different from other family member)	D02					
3. His/ her weight at birth? (g)	D03					
4. Where is the child's primary residence? ①Local village ②Other village of local town/township ③Other town/township in local county ④Other rural area ⑤ City	D04					
5. Where will the child be located mainly in 2007? ①Local village ②other village of local town/township ③Other town/township in local county ④Other rural area ⑤City	D05					
6. If the child is the household member, please write down the household member code of the child (same as A01), and then skip to D14 , if the child is not the household member, please write the code either for his/her parents or for guardians) (same as A01), and answer D7.	D06					
7. Gender ①Male ②Female	D07					
8. Age (Lunar calendar)	D08					
9. Current height (Cm)	D09					
10. Current weight (Kg)	D10					
11. Health condition (compared to people of the same age) ①Very good ②Good ③Average ④not very good ⑤very bad	D11					
12. With whom does he/she live mainly? ①Father ②Mother ③Grandparents ④Other relatives ⑤Lives by himself/herself (Skip to D14)	D12					
13. What is the main reason your children don't live with you? ①High living cost in city ②Attending school/Kindergarten in the city is too expensive ③Cannot find school or kindergarten in the city ④Education in hometown is better than in the city ⑤No one can look after the child ⑥ Other, please specify	D13					
14. Is he/she a preschool age child? ①Yes (skip to next person or table after answering D34-D36) ②No	D14					
15. (Ask if D14=2) How old was he/she when he/she first attended school?(not including pre-school education)	D15					
16. (Ask if D14=2) Which grade is he/she in currently (or before dropping out)? (Grade code)	D16					

Code (Needs to be different from other family member)	D02					
17. (Ask if D14=2) How do you rate the quality of his/her current school (or before dropping out) ①The best in the city/county ②Better than average in the city/county ③Average ④Worse than average in the city/county	D17					
18. (Ask if D14=2) How is his/her performance in school currently (or before dropping out)? ①Very good ②good ③Average ④Not very good ⑤Very bad	D18					
19. (Ask if D14=2) Do you worry about the child's future? If so, which option below do you worry about the most? ①Do not worry at all ②Poor school results ③Skips classes/Does not complete homework ④Spends too much time in internet cafés or / watching TV or playing computer games ⑤Bullied by others ⑥Makes/keeps bad friends ⑦ Having girlfriend/boyfriend too early ⑧Other, please specify	D19					
20. (Ask if D14=2) Is he/she still in school now? ①Yes (Answer question D24-D33) ②No, dropped out (Answer Question D21-D23)	D20					
Questions for School Dropouts (If D20=2, please answer D21 to D23)						
21. In which year did the child stop going to school _____ Year	D21					
22. The main reason why he/she stopped going to school (Choose only one item) ① Didn't want to go to school ②To take up a job ③Did not pass the entrance examination ④Financial problems ⑤No school nearby ⑥Other (Please specify)	D22					
23. What is he/she mainly doing now? ①Farming ②Self-employed at home (Non-agriculture) ③Wage work at home ④Work outside of the hometown (Include apprenticeship) ⑤Doing business outside of the hometown ⑥Lives outside of the hometown, but no information on his/her job ⑦Stay at home doing nothing ⑧Other (please specify)	D23					
Questions for In-School Students (If D20=1, please answer D24 to D33)						
24. How far is it between the child's home and his/her school (in km)? (If the child lives in school, please still write down the distance between his/her home and the school. If the school and the home are not in the same city, please write down the distance between the two cities) (km)	D24					
25. Does he/she live in school accommodation? ①Yes(Skip to D27) ②No	D25					
26. (Ask if C25=2) How many hours does he/she spend on studying each week? (not including the time he/she spends at school) (Hours/week)	D26					
27. How much did he/she pay for all regular fees for school in 2007? (not including sponsorship fees, fees to temporarily study at the school and school selecting fees) (Yuan)	D27					

Code (Need to be different from other family member)	D02					
28. Of these, how much were tuition and other related fees (Yuan)	D28					
29. Food and accommodation fees (including food and accommodation fees outside of school) (Yuan)	D29					
30. Cost of any remedial classes at school	D30					
31. Other fees (e.g. school uniform and so on) (Yuan)	D31					
32. How much did he/she spend on remedial classes outside of school in 2007? (Yuan)	D32					
33. How much are the total sponsorship fees/ temporarily study fees /selecting school fees in 2007? (Fill in '0' if no pay. If pre-paid, please fill in the average by year) (Yuan)	D33					
The following questions are only for pre-school children (If D14=1, please answer D34 to D36)						
34. Who takes care of the child the most? ①Mother ②Father ③Grandparents ④Elder brothers and sisters ⑤Other relatives ⑥Maid ⑦Kindergarten ⑧Other, please specify	D34					
35. Compared with children of the same age, how do you assess the development of this child? (including physical and mental health, as well as study and communication skills) ①Very good ②Good ③Average ④Below average	D35					
36. How much are the child's kindergarten fees each month? (For those not attending kindergarten write 0) (Yuan/Month)	D36					

II. Family relationship, social relationship and life events

i). Basic information for the adult children who are over 16 years old and don't live with the household head or his/her spouse. (In birth sequence)

(All the following questions should be answered by the household head or his/her spouse; includes all biological/adopt/step children who do not live in this household, and excludes those who have been included in table D.)

1. Name of the child	E01					
2. Is he/she the biological child of the household head or spouse? ①Yes, is the biological child of the household head with his/her spouse ②Yes, is the biological child of the household head with someone else ③Yes, is the biological child of the spouse of household head with someone else ④Is neither the biological child of the household head nor his/her spouse	E02					

Name of the child	E01					
3. His/her date of birth	_____ Month	E03-1				
	_____ Year	E03-2				
4. Gender	①Male ②Female	E04				
5. His/her marital status	①Never married ②Married ③Remarried ④Cohabit ⑤Divorced ⑥Widowed ⑦Other	E05				
6. Number of children he/she has (include both living and dead biological children/children from divorce/adopted/step children)		E06				
7. Education level	(Education level code)	E07				
8. His/her main place of residence ①local village ②Other village in local town/township ③Other town/township in local county ④Local county seat ⑤Rural area in other county ⑥Town/township in other county ⑦Other(please specify)		E08				
9. His/her work status at the end of 2007 ① Employed (Wage earner, farmer or self-employed) ② Re-employed retiree ③Unemployed ④Retired ⑤Household worker ⑥ Lost capacity to work ⑦ In school/pre-school child ⑧Awaiting job/ further education ⑨School dropout ⑩Other		E09				
10. His/her current primary occupation?	(Occupation code)	E10				
11. How often do you and your child contact each other? ①At least once a week ②At least once a month ③At least once a year ④Hardly contact each other		E11				
12. What kind of help did he/she provide to you in the last 12 months? (May choose more than one option) ①Financial help (e.g. loaned money or property/helped you look for a job, etc.) ②Psychological(e.g. talking/provide advice and so on) ③Daily affairs (e.g. looking after children/taking care of sick family members) ④No help at all		E12				
13. How many months have you and the child been separated and not lived together in the last 12 months? (Month)		E13				
14. How much/many money/gifts/ banquet did you give to him/her in 2007? (Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.)		E14				
15. How much/many money/gifts/banquet did he/she give to you in 2007? ((Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.)		E15				

ii). Basic information for the parents of household head and his/her spouse

(Please ask the household head or spouse answer the following questions; include the parents for biological/adopt/step child, if there are a number of parents, choose the closest one)

		Father	Mother	Father in law	Mother in law
1. Is this parent a household member? If so, please fill in household member code (keep consistent with A01) and skip to next person or next form , if not, please write 0.	E16				
2. Is he/she alive? ①Yes (skip to E19) ②No	E17				
3. When did he/she pass away? _____ Year	E18				
4. Which year was he/she born in? _____ Year	E19				
5. Education level (Education level code)	E20				
6. His/her current(or past) occupation (if still working, fill in the current occupation, if not, fill in the most recent occupation) (Occupation code)	E21				
The following questions are only for living parents (E17=1)					
7. His/her work status by the end of 2007? ① Employed (Wage earner, farmer or the self-employed) ②Re-employed retiree ③Unemployed ④Retired ⑤Household worker ⑥ Lost capacity to work ⑦In school/pre-school ⑧Awaiting job /further education ⑨Dropped out of school ⑩ Others	E22				
8. Current health status ①Very good ②Good ③Average ④Poor ⑤Very Poor	E23				
9. Living arrangement ①Alone ② Only with spouse ③With adult children/grandchildren/children-in-law/grandchildren-in-law ④With spouse and adult children/grandchildren/children-in-law/grandchildren-in-law ⑤With other people ⑥In a nursing home ⑦Other (please specify)	E24				
10. His/her main residential place ①local village ②Other village in local town/township ③Other town/township in local county ④Local county seat ⑤Rural area in other county ⑥Town/township in other county ⑦Other(please specify)	E25				
11. Number of children he/she has in total (including both living and dead children/children from divorce or adoption or step-children and the interviewee) (person)	E26				
12. How often do you contact him/her? ①At least once a week ②At least once a month ③At least once a year ④Hardly contact each other	E27				
13. What kind of help did he/she did you give to you in the last 12 months? (Can choose more than one option) ①Financial help (e.g. loaned money or property/helped you look for a job, etc.) ②Psychological e.g. talking/provide advice and so on) ③Daily affairs (e.g. looking after children/taking care of sick family members) ④No help at all	E28				
14. How many months have you lived apart in the past 12 months? (month)	E29				
		Father	Mother	Father in law	Mother in law

15. How much/many money/gifts/ banquet did you give to him/her in 2007? (Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.)	E30				
16. How much/many money/gifts/banquet did he/she give to you in 2007? ((Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.)	E31				

iii) Social network (Choose either household head or his/her spouse to answer the following questions)

Please complete E00 _____ with household member code. (Please keep consistent with the code in A01)

E3_1. During the past Chinese New Year, how many people in total did you send your greetings to in various ways (including visiting/phone call/mail/e-mail, etc..)(E32) _____person(s)?

Of these, approximately _____person(s) is (are) relative(s) (E33)_____person(s) is (are) friend(s) and acquaintance(s) (E34);

Of these, _____person(s) is (are) currently living in the city (E35)? _____person(s) have city Hukou (E36)

E3_2. Please recall approximately how many people have helped you in the past 12 months, including lending money to you, introducing a job, taking care of your child(ren), or talking with you/giving advice regarding difficulties you encountered.. (E37)_____ (Persons)?

Please specify the basic information of 3-5 people who have helped (or with the closet relationship) your family in the past 12 months, please rank them according to their importance. Not includes the family members of this household, parents or children of the household head or his/her spouse, etc.)

		1	2	3	4	5
1. Name	E38					
2. What kind of help does he/she provide to you in the past 12 months? Financial, psychological or in terms of daily life? (Choose one or more) ①Financial help (e.g. loaned money or property/helped you look for a job, etc.) ②Mental (e.g. talking/provide advice and so on) ③Daily affairs (e.g. looking after children/taking care of sick family members) ④No help at all	E39					
3. Relationship with you? ①None direct relatives(Skip to E42) ②From the same hometown/neighbors(Skip to E42) ③Friends ④Schoolmates ⑤ Colleagues/employer ⑥Teacher-student/Master-apprentice ⑦ Acquaintance ⑧Other	E40					
4. How long have you known him/her? (enter '1' if less than one year) (Year)	E41					
5. His/her education level (Education code)	E42					
6. His/her marital status: ①Never married ②Married ③Re-marriage ④Cohabit ⑤Divorced ⑥Widowed ⑦Other	E43					

		1	2	3	4	5
Name	E38					
7. Work status by the end of 2007: ①Employed (Wage earner, farmer or the self-employed) ②Reemployed retiree ③Unemployed ④Retiree ⑤Household	E44					
8. Current main occupation (Occupation code)	E45					
9. Where does he/she live? ①In the same village ②Other rural area in local county ③Rural area in other county of local province ④Rural area in other province ⑤In the same city ⑥Other city/county in local province ⑦ City/county in other province ⑧Other(please specify)	E46					
10. How often do you contact each other? ①At least once a week ②At least once a month ③At least once a year ④Hardly contact each other	E47					
11. How much/many money/gifts/ banquet did you give to him/her in 2007? (Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.) (Yuan)	E48					
12. How much/many money/gifts/ banquet did he/she give to you in 2007? (Convert into monetary value. If provided to more than one person, please divide the total sum by the number of recipients.) (Yuan)	E49					

iv).Life events (Either the household head or his/her spouse need to answer)

The household member code for the respondent F00: _____

3. Was the event in your expectation? ①Yes ②No ③Don't know									
The incidents occurred in 2007, (If the same incident occurs more than once, please describe the latest one)	1Married	2 Started relationship with boyfriend	3Became pregnant	4Gave birth	5Found a good job	6Divorced /Separated	7 Had serious sickness/accident/ injury	8.Family member passed	9.Built a house/ purchased a
1. Did the event occur? ①Yes ②No(Skip to next incident)									

2. Who was involved in the event? (may select more than one option) ①Self ②Spouse ③Children ④ Brothers/sisters ⑤Parents ⑥Other household members									
3. Did you expect the event? ①Yes ②No ③Don't know									

End of interview, thank you for your cooperation!