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Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth is a program of annual surveys of young people jointly managed by ACER and the Commonwealth Department of Education, Training and Youth Affairs. The surveys focus on the education and labour market experiences of groups of young Australians, beginning from their middle years of secondary schooling. Data collected include basic demographic variables, as well as information about educational and labour force participation extending over a number of years.

#### The 1995 Year 9 Cohort (Y95)

In 1995, a nationally representative sample of approximately 13,000 Year 9 students was selected to form the first cohort of the new Longitudinal Surveys of Australian Youth program. The sample was constructed by randomly selecting two Year 9 classes from a national sample of 300 schools designed to represent state and sector. Reading and numeracy tests were administered to students in their schools to provide information on early school achievement for use in later analyses of educational and labour market participation. Students also completed a background questionnaire about their educational and vocational plans and attitudes to school. In 1996 these students provided information in response to a mailed questionnaire. Information was also obtained from their schools about curricula and organisation. In 1997 members of the sample were contacted in the first of the annual telephone interviews (conducted by AC Nielsen, then Reark Research). That questionnaire included questions on school; transitions from school; post school education and training; work; job history; job search history; non-labour force activities; health, living arrangements and finance; and general attitudes. Subsequent surveys have asked similar questions but with the emphasis changing over time from school, to post-school education and training, and work.

#### The 1999 Telephone Survey

In 1999 the 1995 Year 9 sample consisted primarily of young people in the first year following the completion of secondary school. Therefore, the emphasis was on the transition from school. The section on school included questions on the certification these young people would have received as a result of completing school. Other areas that received particular attention in 1999 were job training, life-long learning and volunteer work. These topics were included in addition to the areas on which information is sought annually (see above).

AC Nielsen conducted the 1999 telephone survey. They approached a total of 9,663 panel members and 8,783 were successfully interviewed, representing a response rate of 90.9%. There were 344 refusals, 223 were unable to be tracked, 178 were away and 133 were unable to be interviewed for other reasons. This technical report details the responses provided by cohort members in 1999.

#### Dimensions of data set

Number of respondents: 8,783 Number of variables: 280

#### Method of data collection:

Telephone interviews

#### Data gathering staff

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# V1302 A1. Still attending school

	Missing	1701	19.4
1	Still going to school	294	3.3
2	Left school	6788	77.3

#### V1303 A2. Still not at school

•	Missing					7082	80.6
1	Still at	sch	nool			1608	18.3
2	Returned	to	school	and	still there	43	0.5
3	Returned	tο	school	but	now left	50	0.6

#### V1304 A3. Reason went back

	Mis	ssing	8740	99.5	
1	To	obtain HSC/VCE/to complete Year 12	20	0.2	
2	To	get into uni/TAFE	5	0.1	
3	To	improve job prospects	6	0.1	
4	To	<pre>improve/further my education/to</pre>			
16	learn more 10				
8	8 Other 2				

#### V1305 A3. Reason went back

. Missing	8777	99.9
2 To get into uni/TAFE	2	0.0
3 To improve job prospects	2	0.0
4 To improve/further my education/to		
learn more	2	0.0

# V1306 A3. Reason went back

Missing	8783 100.0

#### V1307 A3. Reason went back

	2.6	0700 100 0
•	Missing	8783 100.0

#### V1308 A3. Reason went back

Missing	8783	100.0

#### V1309 A4. Year level

. Missing	8446	96.2
1 Year 11	22	0.3
2 Year 12	228	2.6
3 Year 13	87	1.0

#### V1310 A5. Receive Youth Allowance/Abstudy

. Missing	8446	96.2
1 Yes	142	1.6
2 No	193	2.2
3 Don't know	2	0.0

#### V1311 A6. Amount received from Youth Allowance

. Missing	8641	98.4
\$1-\$50 Per Fortnight	3	0.0
\$51-\$100 Per Fortnight	10	0.1
\$101-\$150 Per Fortnight	24	0.3
\$151-\$200 Per Fortnight	59	0.7
Over \$200 Per Fortnight	26	0.3
998	1	0.0
Don't know	19	0.2

# V1312 A7. Stayed if getting Youth Allowance

	Missing	8641	98.4
1	Yes	110	1.3
2	No	27	0.3
3	Not sure	5	0.1

#### V1313 A8. Plans after school

. Missing	8446	96.2
1 Go to university	185	2.1
2 Get an apprenticeship	16	0.2
3 Get a traineeship	17	0.2
4 Go to a TAFE college	44	0.5
5 Go to a Business College or private		
course	3	0.0
6 Look for work/get a job	50	0.6
7 Other	12	0.1
8 Don't know	10	0.1

#### V1314 A9. Month left school

. Missing	1945	22.1
1	2	0.0
2	10	0.1
3	16	0.2
4	12	0.1
5	8	0.1
6	18	0.2
7	14	0.2
8	17	0.2
9	42	0.5
10	283	3.2
11	5683	64.7
12	700	8.0
88 month/year not known	33	0.4

#### V1315 A9. Year left school

. Missing	1945	22.1
88 month/year not known	7	0.1
1998	6741	76.8
1999	90	1.0

#### V1316 A10. Year in when left

	Missing	1945	22.1
1	Year 11	92	1.0
2	Year 12	6724	76.6
3	Year 13	22	0.3

#### V1317 A11. Been awarded certificate

. Missing	2037	23.2
1 Yes - ACT Year 12	300	3.4
2 Yes - NSW HSC	1467	16.7
3 Yes - VCE	1514	17.2
4 Yes - Senior Certificate	1289	14.7
5 Yes - SACE	851	9.7
6 Yes - WACE	838	9.5
7 Yes - TCE	245	2.8
8 No - Not awarded appropriate		
certificate	171	1.9
9 Don't Know	27	0.3
10 Yes - NTCE	44	0.5

# V1318 A12. Receive any other certificate

	Missing	2037	23.2
1	Yes	1028	11.7
2.	No	5718	65.1

#### V1319 A13. Name of certificate

. Missing	7755	88.3
1 TAFE Certificate	408	4.6
2 Secondary College Record	7	0.1
3 Employment Course Certificate	5	0.1
4 School Certificate of Completion	198	2.3
5 Certificate in Industry Studies (NSW)	20	0.2
6 Certificate in Board Developed		
Vocational CEC (NSW)	12	0.1
7 Statement of Attainment of VET subjects		
completed	50	0.6
8 Other	328	3.7

# V1320 A14. Obtain university entrance score

. Missing	2037	23.2
1 Yes - Tertiary Entrance Rank	841	9.6
2 Yes - University Admission Index (UAI)		
formerly TER	1423	16.2
3 Yes - Equivalent Tertiary Entrance Rank		
(ENTER)	1044	11.9
4 Yes - Overall Position (OP)	997	11.4
5 Yes - Higher Education Entrance		
Information Statement	812	9.2
6 Yes - Tertiary Entrance Score	352	4.0
7 No - Not awarded score or position	1183	13.5
8 Don't know	94	1.1

#### V1321 A15. Result

. Missing	3314	37.7
Received a Score or position	4756	54.1
Don't Know	640	7.3
Refused	73	0.9

# V1322 B1. Study/work or looking for work

	Missing	2042	23.2
1	Studying full time	4205	47.9
2	Working	2214	25.2
3	Looking for work	205	2.3
4	Other	117	1.3

# V1323 B2. Still in full-time study

	Missing	4578	52.1
1	Yes	3880	44.2
2	No	325	3.7

# V1324 B3. Had job since study

	Missing	8458	96.3
1	Yes	143	1.6
2	. No	182	2.1

# V1325 B4. Had job since school

	Missing	6247	71.1
1	Yes	1785	20.3
2.	No	751	8.6

# V1326 B5. How long to find job

	Missing	6855	78.0
1	Already had one/less than one month	925	10.5
2	One month	199	2.3
3	Two months	247	2.8
4	Three months	191	2.2
5	Four months	100	1.1
6	Five months	65	0.7
7	Six months	103	1.2
8	Seven months to less than one year	93	1.1
9	One year or more	5	0.1

# V1327 B6. Still have that job

	Missing	6855	78.0
1	Yes	1468	16.7
2	No	460	5.2

#### V1328 B7. Kind of work

. Missing	8268	94.1
1-8999 ASCO 4 DIGIT CODE	512	5.8
Don't know	3	0.0

# V1329 B8. Employers main kind of business

. Missing	8323	94.8
1-9700 ANZSIC 4 Digit code	435	5.0
Don't know	25	0.3

#### V1330 B9. Reason left

. Missing	8323	94.8
1 Only a student vac. job	9	0.1
2 Only a temporary job	42	0.5
3 Got laid off	56	0.6
4 Not satisfied with job	109	1.2
5 Went to live elsewhere	35	0.4
6 Reasons to do with study	18	0.2
7 To get a better job	111	1.3
8 Other	80	0.9

# V1331 C1. Obtained any qualification since school

	Missing	1995	22.7
1	Yes	587	6.7
2	No	6201	70.6

# V1332 C2. Obtained any qualification since last interview

	Missing	7125	81.1
1	Yes	313	3.6
2.	No	1345	15.3

# V1333 C3. Month started qualification

. Missing	7883	89.8
1	139	1.6
2	308	3.5
3	95	1.1
4	35	0.4
5	33	0.4
6	38	0.4
7	60	0.7
8	45	0.5
9	36	0.4
10	20	0.2
11	27	0.3
12	26	0.3
88 month/year not known	38	0.4

# V1334 C3. Year started qualification

. Missing	7883	89.8
1999	3	0.0
1996	11	0.1
1997	57	0.6
1998	212	2.4
1999	611	7.0
88 month/year not known	6	0.1

# V1335 C4. Month completed qualification

. Missing	7883	89.8
1	17	0.2
2	31	0.4
3	38	0.4
4	53	0.6
5	50	0.6
6	151	1.7
7	157	1.8
8	80	0.9
9	96	1.1
10	70	0.8
11	61	0.7
12	59	0.7
88 month/year not known	37	0.4

# V1336 C4. Year completed qualification

. Mi	issing	7883	89.8
1996	ố	2	0.0
1997	7	17	0.2
1998	3	136	1.5
1999	9	735	8.4
88 n	month/year not known	10	0.1

# V1337 C5. Name of qualification

. Missing	7883	89.8
2 Diploma	30	0.3
3 Trade Certificate/Apprenticeship	72	0.8
4 Certificate (other than Trade)	579	6.6
5 Australian Traineeship System (current		
study only)	20	0.2
6 Other	142	1.6
8 Don't know	6	0.1
9 Pre-Apprenticeship	13	0.1
10 Pre Vocational	38	0.4

#### V1338 C6. Institution

. Missing				7883	89.8
Institution	4	Digit	code	900	10.2

# V1339 C7. Area of study

. Missing	7883	89.8
Area of study 3 Digit code	868	9.9
Don't Know	32	0.4

# V1340 C8. Studying when last interviewed

	Missing	7883	89.8
1	Yes	185	2.1
2	No	715	8.1

# V1341 C9. Full-time/part-time

	Missing	8068	91.9
1	Full-time	464	5.3
2	Part-time	243	2.8
3	Equally Full time and Part time	8	0.1

# V1342 C10. Still doing study/apprenticeship/traineeship

. Missing	8051	91.7
1 Yes, full time study	65	0.7
2 Yes, part time study	22	0.3
3 Yes, apprenticeship	182	2.1
4 Yes, traineeship	23	0.3
5 No	421	4.8
6 Not doing apprenticeship last year	19	0.2

#### V1343 C11. Reason for 'no' at C10

. Missing	8362	95.2
1 Finished it	101	1.1
2 Got a job	139	1.6
3 Deferred	14	0.2
4 Changed to full/part time	14	0.2
5 Other	136	1.5
6 Don't know	17	0.2

# V1344 C12. Study developed my problem solving skills

. Missing	8191	93.3
1 Strongly agree	83	0.9
2 Agree	428	4.9
3 Disagree	4 4	0.5
4 Strongly disagree	4	0.0
5 Unsure/Can't say	33	0.4

# V1345 C12. Study sharpened my analytic skills

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	77	0.9
2	2 Agree	423	4.8
3	B Disagree	48	0.5
4	Strongly disagree	4	0.0
5	Unsure/Can't say	40	0.5

# V1346 C12. Study taught teamwork skills

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	183	2.1
2	Agree	318	3.6
3	Disagree	59	0.7
4	Strongly disagree	4	0.0
5	Unsure/Can't sav	28	0.3

# V1347 C12. Study gave confidence with unfamiliar problems

. Missing	8191	93.3
1 Strongly agree	161	1.8
2 Agree	364	4.1
3 Disagree	32	0.4
4 Strongly disagree	2	0.0
5 Unsure/Can't say	33	0.4

# V1348 C12. Study improved communication skills

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	168	1.9
2	Agree	350	4.0
3	Disagree	4 4	0.5
4	Strongly disagree	2	0.0
5	Unsure/Can't say	28	0.3

#### V1349 C12. Study helped me to plan my own work

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	141	1.6
2	Agree	370	4.2
3	Disagree	51	0.6
4	Strongly disagree	2	0.0
5	Unsure/Can't sav	28	0.3

# V1350 C12. Overall satisfied with study

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	153	1.7
2	Agree	354	4.0
3	Disagree	4 4	0.5
4	Strongly disagree	9	0.1
5	Unsure/Can't say	32	0.4

# V1351 C12. Study improved my career prospects

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Strongly agree	197	2.2
2	Agree	278	3.2
3	Disagree	73	0.8
4	Strongly disagree	9	0.1
5	Unsure/Can't say	35	0.4

# V1352 C13. Now doing university/TAFE/apprenticeship/traineeship

. Missing	643	7.3
1 University Degree	2974	33.9
2 TAFE course	1066	12.1
3 Apprenticeship	423	4.8
4 Traineeship	411	4.7
5 Secondary School subjects at school or		
TAFE	16	0.2
6 Other full time study	176	2.0
7 Other part time study	114	1.3
8 Recreation/hobby course	11	0.1
9 None	2949	33.6

#### V1353 C14. Full-time/part-time

•	Missing	8424	95.9
1	Full-time	113	1.3
2	Part-time	246	2.8

#### V1354 C15. Name of course

. Missing 1 Bachelor or higher Degree (including	4352	49.6
Post Graduate Diploma)	2842	32.4
2 Diploma	645	7.3
3 Trade Certificate/Apprenticeship	76	0.9
4 Certificate (other than Trade)	516	5.9
5 Australian Traineeship System (current		
study only)	8	0.1
6 Other	283	3.2
7 Not stated	1	0.0
9 Pre-Apprenticeship	9	0.1
10 Pre Vocational	51	0.6

#### V1355 C15. Name of course

. Missing	8773	99.9
1 Bachelor or higher Degree (including		
Post Graduate Diploma)	1	0.0
2 Diploma	8	0.1
4 Certificate (other than Trade)	1	0.0

#### V1356 C15. Name of course

	Missing	8783 100.0
•	Missing	8/83 100.0

#### V1357 C15. Name of course

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#### V1358 C15. Name of course

Missing	8783 100.0

#### V1359 C15. Name of course

Missing	8783	100.0

#### V1360 C15. Name of course

	Missing	8	7	8	3	3	1 (	(	٠.	0
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#### V1361 C15. Name of course

. Missing 8783 100.0

#### V1362 C15. Name of course

. Missing 8783 100.0

#### V1363 C16. Institution

. Missing				4352	49.6
Institution	4	Digit	code	4431	50.4

# V1364 C17. Area of study

. Missing	3747	42.7
Area of study 3 Digit code	5008	57.0
Don't Know	29	0.3

# V1365 C18. Month started study

. Missing	3313	37.7
1	318	3.6
2	1861	21.2
3	2243	25.5
4	79	0.9
5	68	0.8
6	129	1.5
7	308	3.5
8	123	1.4
9	91	1.0
10	85	1.0
11	75	0.9
12	67	0.8
88 month/year not known	23	0.3

# V1366 C18. Year started study

. Missing	3313	37.7
1995	5	0.1
1996	71	0.8
1997	150	1.7
1998	265	3.0
1999	4976	56.7
88 month/year not known	3	0.0

# V1367 C19. Receiving Youth Allowance/Abstudy

	Missing	4146	47.2
1	Yes	1254	14.3
2	No	3371	38.4
3	Don't know	12	0.1

#### V1368 C20. Amount

. Missing	7529	85.7
\$1-\$50 Per Fortnight	60	0.7
\$51-\$100 Per Fortnight	105	1.2
\$101-\$150 Per Fortnight	231	2.6
\$151-\$200 Per Fortnight	400	4.6
Over \$200 Per Fortnight	333	3.8
998	5	0.1
Don't know	120	1.4

# V1369 C21. Receiving Student Financial Supplement

	Missing	4146	47.2
1	Yes	120	1.4
2	No	4421	50.3
3	Don't know	96	1.1

#### V1370 C22. Amount

. Missing	8663	98.6
\$1-\$50 Per Fortnight	11	0.1
\$51-\$100 Per Fortnight	29	0.3
\$101-\$150 Per Fortnight	13	0.1
\$151-\$200 Per Fortnight	16	0.2
Over \$200 Per Fortnight	34	0.4
Don't know	17	0.2

# V1371 D1. Work, own business or farm

	Missing	1468	16.7
1	Yes	4880	55.6
2	No	2392	27.2
3	Waiting to start job	43	0.5

# V1372 D2. Away from job - holidays/illness

•	Missing	6391	/2.8
1	Yes	58	0.7
2	No	2334	26.6

# V1373 D3. School holiday job

	Missing	8603	98.0
1	Yes	14	0.2
2	No	166	1.9

# V1374 D4. Have more than one job

	Missing	2377	27.1
1	Yes	936	10.7
2	No	5470	62.3

# V1375 D5. Month finished job

. Missing	8189	93.2
1	91	1.0
2	107	1.2
3	39	0.4
4	19	0.2
5	15	0.2
6	28	0.3
7	24	0.3
8	16	0.2
9	52	0.6
10	53	0.6
11	46	0.5
12	74	0.8
88 month/year not known	28	0.3
No job at last interview	2	0.0

# V1376 D5. Year finished job

. Missing	8189	93.2
1998	205	2.3
1999	372	4.2
88 month/year not known	15	0.2
No job at last interview	2	0.0

# V1377 D6. Reason left job

	Missing	8191	93.3
1	Only a student vac. job	20	0.2
2	Only a temporary job	28	0.3
3	Got laid off	32	0.4
4	Not satisfied with job	80	0.9
5	Went to live elsewhere	130	1.5
6	Reasons to do with study	152	1.7
7	To get a better job	54	0.6
8	Other	96	1.1

# V1378 D7. Still working for [EMPLOYER]

	Missing	4814	54.8
1	Yes	2148	24.5
2	No	1808	20.6
3	Didn't have a job last year	13	0.1

# V1379 D8. Month finished job

. Missing 6975	79.4
1 238	2.7
2 219	2.5
3 138	1.6
4 84	1.0
5 63	0.7
6 84	1.0
7 73	0.8
8 86	1.0
9 143	1.6
10 143	1.6
11 225	2.6
12 271	3.1
88 month/year not known 41	0.5

# V1380 D8. Year finished job

. Missing	6975	79.4
1995	1	0.0
1996	1	0.0
1997	3	0.0
1998	727	8.3
1999	1063	12.1
88 month/year not known	13	0.1

# V1381 D9. Reason for leaving

	Missing	6975	79.4
1	Only a student vac. job	36	0.4
2	Only a temporary job	54	0.6
3	Got laid off	71	0.8
4	Not satisfied with job	312	3.6
5	Went to live elsewhere	199	2.3
6	Reasons to do with study	161	1.8
7	To get a better job	776	8.8
8	Other	199	2.3

#### V1382 D10. Hours work each week

. Missing	5034 57.3
1-10 Hours Per Week	641 7.3
11-20 Hours Per Week	768 8.7
21-30 Hours Per Week	397 4.5
31-40 Hours Per Week	1390 15.8
More than 40 hours/ week	553 6.3

# V1383 D11. Hours work per week

. Missing	8274 94	.2
1-10 Hours Per Week	96	1.1
11-20 Hours Per Week	166	1.9
21-30 Hours Per Week	88	1.0
31-40 Hours Per Week	122	1.4
More than 40 hours/ week	37	0.4

#### V1384 D12. Hours work each week

. Missing	6635 75	.5
1-10 Hours Per Week	647	7.4
11-20 Hours Per Week	561	6.4
21-30 Hours Per Week	219	2.5
31-40 Hours Per Week	508	5.8
More than 40 hours/ week	213	2.4

# V1385 D13. Earn more/less per hour

	Missing	6635	75.5
1	More	1674	19.1
2	Less	85	1.0
3	B About the same	389	4.4

#### V1386 D14. More/less skilled

	Missing	6635	75.5
1	More	960	10.9
2	Less	8	0.1
3	About the same	1180	13.4

#### V1387 D15. More/less responsibility

	. Missing	6635	75.5
1	l More	1502	17.1
2	2 Less	18	0.2
3	3 About the same	628	7.2

# V1388 D16. Had promotion

. Missing 6635	
1 Yes 523	6.0
2 No 1609	18.3
3 Don't know 16	0.2

#### V1389 D17. Wages/salary/self-employed

2377	27.1
6161	70.1
111	1.3
134	1.5
	6161

# V1390 D18. Frequency of pay

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Weekly	4431	50.4
2	Fortnightly	1484	16.9
3	Monthly	160	1.8
4	Other	86	1.0

# V1391 D19. Gross pay

. Missing	2622	29.9
\$1-\$100 Per Pay	1041	11.9
\$101-\$200 Per Pay	1209	13.8
\$201-\$300 Per Pay	1144	13.0
\$301-\$400 Per Pay	776	8.8
\$401-\$500 Per Pay	444	5.1
\$501-\$600 Per Pay	265	3.0
Over \$600 Per Pay	574	6.5
9998	61	0.7
Don't know	647	7.4

# V1392 D20. Take-home pay

. Missing	2622	29.9
\$1-\$100 Per Pay	1191	13.6
\$101-\$200 Per Pay	1467	16.7
\$201-\$300 Per Pay	1368	15.6
\$301-\$400 Per Pay	710	8.1
\$401-\$500 Per Pay	390	4.4
\$501-\$600 Per Pay	220	2.5
Over \$600 Per Pay	400	4.6
9998	85	1.0
Don't know	330	3.8

# V1393 D21. Entitled to paid sick/annual leave

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	2437	27.7
2	No	3555	40.5
3	Don't know	169	1.9

# V1394 D22. Like current job as career

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	1809	20.6
2	No	4008	45.6
3	Not sure	344	3.9

# V1395 D23. The kind of work you do

Missing	2622	29.9
Very satisfied	1996	22.7
Fairly satisfied	3613	41.1
Fairly dissatisfied	424	4.8
Very dissatisfied	122	1.4
Unsure/Can't say	6	0.1
	Very satisfied Fairly satisfied Fairly dissatisfied Very dissatisfied	Very satisfied 1996 Fairly satisfied 3613 Fairly dissatisfied 424 Very dissatisfied 122

# V1396 D23. The people you work with

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	3597	41.0
2	Fairly satisfied	2322	26.4
3	Fairly dissatisfied	160	1.8
4	Very dissatisfied	49	0.6
5	Unsure/Can't say	13	0.1
6	Not applicable	20	0.2

# V1397 D23. Your immediate boss or supervisor

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	3141	35.8
2	Fairly satisfied	2471	28.1
3	Fairly dissatisfied	350	4.0
4	Very dissatisfied	147	1.7
5	Unsure/Can't say	27	0.3
6	Not applicable	25	0.3

# V1398 D23. The pay you get

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	1691	19.3
2	Fairly satisfied	3488	39.7
3	Fairly dissatisfied	720	8.2
4	Very dissatisfied	231	2.6
5	Unsure/Can't say	30	0.3
6	Not applicable	1	0.0

# V1399 D23. Opportunities for training

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	1842	21.0
2	Fairly satisfied	2631	30.0
3	Fairly dissatisfied	897	10.2
4	Very dissatisfied	262	3.0
5	Unsure/Can't say	73	0.8
6	Not applicable	456	5.2

# V1400 D23. The tasks you are assigned

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	1754	20.0
2	Fairly satisfied	3858	43.9
3	Fairly dissatisfied	426	4.9
4	Very dissatisfied	97	1.1
5	Unsure/Can't say	12	0.1
6	Not applicable	14	0.2

# V1401 D23. Recognition for tasks well done

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	1985	22.6
2	Fairly satisfied	3043	34.6
3	Fairly dissatisfied	791	9.0
4	Very dissatisfied	276	3.1
5	Unsure/Can't say	38	0.4
6	Not applicable	28	0.3

# V1402 D23. Your opportunity for promotion

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Very satisfied	1137	12.9
2	Fairly satisfied	2572	29.3
3	Fairly dissatisfied	1057	12.0
4	Very dissatisfied	383	4.4
5	Unsure/Can't say	163	1.9
6	Not applicable	849	9.7

#### V1403 D24. Kind of work

. Missing	2374	27.0
1-8999 ASCO 4 DIGIT CODE	6367	72.5
Don't know	42	0.5

#### V1405 D26. Main kind of business

. Missing	4524	51.5
1-9700 ANZSIC 4 Digit code	4179	47.6
Don't know	80	0.9

# V1406 D27. Month began job with D25

. Missing	4525	51.5
1	382	4.3
2	456	5.2
3	368	4.2
4	300	3.4
5	220	2.5
6	317	3.6
7	376	4.3
8	389	4.4
9	419	4.8
10	374	4.3
11	320	3.6
12	291	3.3
88 month/year not known	46	0.5

# V1407 D27. Year began job with D25

. Missing	4525	51.5
1994	9	0.1
1995	15	0.2
1996	35	0.4
1997	78	0.9
1998	792	9.0
1999	3324	37.8
88 month/year not known	5	0.1

# V1408 D28. How got job

. Missing	2622	29.9
1 Referred to employer/job by CES	230	2.6
2 Job was advertised (inc.		
newspaper/radio/TV)	1036	11.8
3 Got a job through friend or relative	2146	24.4
4 Employer approached me	346	3.9
5 Phoned/approached employer for a job	1702	19.4
6 Through school/college/university	329	3.7
7 Other	372	4.2

# V1409 D29. Hours work per week (all jobs)

. Missing	7847 89	.3
1-10 Hours Per Week	80	0.9
11-20 Hours Per Week	192	2.2
21-30 Hours Per Week	182	2.1
31-40 Hours Per Week	131	1.5
More than 40 hours/ week	351	4.0

# V1410 D30. Prefer work full/part time

	Missing		5714	65.1
1	Prefer full	time	616	7.0
2	Prefer part	time	2453	27.9

# V1411 D31. Looking for full time work

	Missing	8167	93.0
1	Yes	312	3.6
2	2 No	304	3.5

# V1412 D32. Looking for any work

. Missing	2689	30.6
1 Yes	1446	16.5
2 No	4648	52.9

# V1413 D33. Looking for additional work or change jobs

. Missing	7337	83.5
1 Additional job	552	6.3
2 Change jobs	894	10.2

# V1414 D34. Number of other jobs

0	5244	59.7
1	2420	27.6
2	698	7.9
3	271	3.1
4	82	0.9
5	34	0.4
6	15	0.2
7	2	0.0
8	5	0.1
10	5	0.1
12	2	0.0
15	1	0.0
19	1	0.0
Don't know	3	0.0

#### V1415 D35. Months worked A

. Missing	1403	16.0
August 98	423	4.8
September 98	487	5.5
October 98	130	1.5
November 98	367	4.2
December 98	501	5.7
January 99	407	4.6
February 99	286	3.3
March 99	223	2.5
April 99	157	1.8
May 99	106	1.2
June 99	148	1.7
July 99	150	1.7
August 99	117	1.3
September 99	110	1.3
October 99	77	0.9
November 99	10	0.1
Every month	3681	41.9

#### V1416 D35. Months worked B

. Missing 530	01 60.4
August 98	
September 98 41	L4 4.7
October 98	5.3
November 98	27 1.4
December 98 37	75 4.3
January 99 44	13 5.0
February 99 36	64 4.1
March 99 28	3.3
April 99 21	18 2.5
May 99 14	18 1.7
June 99 11	1.3
July 99 14	16 1.7
August 99	38 1.6
September 99	30 1.5
October 99	33 0.9
November 99	16 0.2
December 99	3 0.0

# V1417 D35. Months worked C

. Missing	5583	63.6
August 98	2	0.0
September 98	5	0.1
October 98	402	4.6
November 98	440	5.0
December 98	119	1.4
January 99	341	3.9
February 99	358	4.1
March 99	325	3.7
April 99	297	3.4
May 99	212	2.4
June 99	163	1.9
July 99	130	1.5
August 99	151	1.7
September 99	152	1.7
October 99	86	1.0
November 99	15	0.2
December 99	2	0.0

# V1418 D35. Months worked D

. Missing	5841	66.5
August 98	5	0.1
September 98	5	0.1
October 98	8	0.1
November 98	381	4.3
December 98	404	4.6
January 99	112	1.3
February 99	302	3.4
March 99	275	3.1
April 99	337	3.8
May 99	302	3.4
June 99	212	2.4
July 99	179	2.0
August 99	129	1.5
September 99	142	1.6
October 99	123	1.4
November 99	26	0.3

#### V1419 D35. Months worked E

. Missing	6084	69.3
August 98	5	0.1
September 98	6	0.1
October 98	3	0.0
November 98	9	0.1
December 98	339	3.9
January 99	359	4.1
February 99	136	1.5
March 99	273	3.1
April 99	277	3.2
May 99	304	3.5
June 99	305	3.5
July 99	241	2.7
August 99	167	1.9
September 99	135	1.5
October 99	114	1.3
November 99	23	0.3
December 99	3	0.0

#### V1420 D35. Months worked F

. Missing	6350	72.3
August 98	2	0.0
September 98	3	0.0
October 98	11	0.1
November 98	4	0.0
December 98	12	0.1
January 99	277	3.2
February 99	318	3.6
March 99	132	1.5
April 99	256	2.9
May 99	272	3.1
June 99	312	3.6
July 99	308	3.5
August 99	231	2.6
September 99	171	1.9
October 99	104	1.2
November 99	16	0.2
December 99	4	0.0

#### V1421 D35. Months worked G

6560	74.7
	0.0
2	0.0
10	0.1
6	0.1
9	0.1
231	2.6
267	3.0
149	1.7
270	3.1
273	3.1
311	3.5
306	3.5
228	2.6
144	1.6
15	0.2
	10 6 9 231 267 149 270 273 311 306 228 144

#### V1422 D35. Months worked H

. Missing	6801	77.4
August 98	5	0.1
October 98	2	0.0
November 98	3	0.0
December 98	7	0.1
January 99	4	0.0
February 99	13	0.1
March 99	188	2.1
April 99	248	2.8
May 99	142	1.6
June 99	269	3.1
July 99	277	3.2
August 99	307	3.5
September 99	315	3.6
October 99	180	2.0
November 99	20	0.2
December 99	2	0.0

# V1423 D35. Months worked I

. Missing	7090	80.7
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	3	0.0
November 98	4	0.0
December 98	3	0.0
January 99	8	0.1
February 99	6	0.1
March 99	5	0.1
April 99	165	1.9
May 99	233	2.7
June 99	148	1.7
July 99	268	3.1
August 99	272	3.1
September 99	312	3.6
October 99	237	2.7
November 99	24	0.3
December 99	4	0.0

#### V1424 D35. Months worked J

. Missing	7413	84.4
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	1	0.0
October 98	3	0.0
November 98	2	0.0
December 98	6	0.1
January 99	3	0.0
February 99	4	0.0
March 99	2	0.0
April 99	5	0.1
May 99	154	1.8
June 99	217	2.5
July 99	150	1.7
August 99	263	3.0
September 99	270	3.1
October 99	242	2.8
November 99	44	0.5
December 99	3	0.0

#### V1425 D35. Months worked K

. Missing	7735	88.1
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	1	0.0
October 98	2	0.0
November 98	3	0.0
December 98	3	0.0
January 99	3	0.0
February 99	2	0.0
March 99	1	0.0
April 99	2	0.0
May 99	5	0.1
June 99	145	1.7
July 99	197	2.2
August 99	150	1.7
September 99	268	3.1
October 99	203	2.3
November 99	55	0.6
December 99	7	0.1

#### V1426 D35. Months worked L

. Missing	8051	91.7
August 98	3	0.0
September 98	1	0.0
October 98	4	0.0
November 98	5	0.1
December 98	1	0.0
January 99	2	0.0
March 99	2	0.0
April 99	2	0.0
May 99	2	0.0
June 99	7	0.1
July 99	130	1.5
August 99	179	2.0
September 99	156	1.8
October 99	191	2.2
November 99	42	0.5
December 99	5	0.1

#### V1427 D36. Number of weeks worked

. Missing	1403	16.0
1-10 Weeks	675	7.7
11-20 Weeks	682	7.8
21-30 Weeks	622	7.1
31-40 Weeks	820	9.3
More than 40 Weeks	4581	52.2

#### V1429 E2a/b. Kind of work

. Missing				6060	69.0
1-8999 ASCO	4	DIGIT	CODE	2707	30.8
Don't know				16	0.2

#### V1430 E3. Kind of work

. Missing	7966	90.7
1-8999 ASCO 4 DIGIT CODE	809	9.2
Don't know	8	0.1

#### V1431 E4. Main kind of business

. Missing	5243	59.7
1-9700 ANZSIC 4 Digit code	3389	38.6
Don't know	151	1.7

#### V1432 E5. Hours work per week

. Missing	5244 59.7
1-10 Hours Per Week	1162 13.2
11-20 Hours Per Week	845 9.6
21-30 Hours Per Week	392 4.5
31-40 Hours Per Week	731 8.3
More than 40 hours/ week	409 4.7

# V1433 E6. Wage/salary earner- or own business

	Missing	5244	59.7
1	Wages/salary	3258	37.1
2	2 Own business	83	0.9
3	3 Other way	192	2.2
4	Don't know	6	0.1

# V1434 E7. Gross pay

. Missing	5525	62.9
\$1-\$100 Per Pay	887	10.1
\$101-\$200 Per Pay	747	8.5
\$201-\$300 Per Pay	526	6.0
\$301-\$400 Per Pay	299	3.4
\$401-\$500 Per Pay	156	1.8
\$501-\$600 Per Pay	77	0.9
Over \$600 Per Pay	100	1.1
Don't know	466	5.3

### V1435 E8. Kind of work

. Missing	7664	87.3
1-8999 ASCO 4 DIGIT CODE	1102	12.5
Don't know	17	0.2

#### V1436 E9. Main kind of business

. Missing	7664	87.3
1-9700 ANZSIC 4 Digit code	1056	12.0
Don't know	63	0.7

### V1437 E10. Hours work per week

. Missing 766	4 87.	3
1-10 Hours Per Week	336	3.8
11-20 Hours Per Week	279	3.2
21-30 Hours Per Week	136	1.5
31-40 Hours Per Week	228	2.6
More than 40 hours/ week	140	1.6

# V1438 E11. Wages/salary- or own business

. Missing	7664	87.3
1 Wages/salary	1030	11.7
2 Own business	23	0.3
3 Other way	59	0.7
4 Don't know	7	0.1

### **V1439 E12.** Gross pay

. Missing 7753	
\$1-\$100 Per Pay 268	3.1
\$101-\$200 Per Pay 253	2.9
\$201-\$300 Per Pay 149	1.7
\$301-\$400 Per Pay 103	1.2
\$401-\$500 Per Pay 48	0.5
\$501-\$600 Per Pay 28	0.3
Over \$600 Per Pay 34	0.4
Don't know 147	1.7

## V1440 E13. Attended classroom based training

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	1494	17.0
2	No	4667	53.1

# V1441 E14. Number of days

. Missing	7289	83.0
1-5 Days	1188	13.5
6-10 Days	135	1.5
11-20 Days	72	0.8
More than 20 Days	82	0.9
Don't know	17	0.2

# V1442 E15. Hours per day

. Missin	q	7289	83.0
1		153	1.7
2		253	2.9
3		209	2.4
4		210	2.4
5		103	1.2
6		113	1.3
7		92	1.0
8		305	3.5
9		27	0.3
10		9	0.1
12		6	0.1
13		1	0.0
14		1	0.0
15		3	0.0
16		3	0.0
19		1	0.0
99 Don't	know	5	0.1

# V1443 E16. Attended training elsewhere

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	495	5.6
2	No	5666	64.5

# V1444 E17. Number of days

. Missing	8288	94.4
1-5 Days	347	4.0
6-10 Days	58	0.7
11-20 Days	30	0.3
More than 20 Days	58	0.7
Don't know	2	0.0

# V1445 E18. Hours per day

. Missing	8288	94.4
1	10	0.1
2	37	0.4
3	66	0.8
4	43	0.5
5	33	0.4
6	44	0.5
7	38	0.4
8	196	2.2
9	12	0.1
10	9	0.1
12	3	0.0
19	1	0.0
24	1	0.0
99 Don't know	2	0.0

### V1446 E19. Receive on-the-job training

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	2273	25.9
2	No	3888	44.3

### V1447 E20. Person's job to provide training

	Missing	6510	74.1
1	Yes	674	7.7
2	No	1591	18.1
3	Don't know	8	0.1

### V1448 E21. Teach yourself skills

	Missing	2622	29.9
1	Yes	2742	31.2
2	No	3419	38.9

### V1449 E22. Learned totally new skills

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	2636	30.0
2	No	747	8.5

#### V1450 E23. Added to current skills

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	3171	36.1
2	No	212	2.4

### V1451 E24. Need training because of new equipment

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	814	9.3
2	No	2569	29.2

### V1452 E25. Need training because of change

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	988	11.2
2	2 No	2395	27.3

### V1453 E26. Training helped get promotion/pay rise

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	1246	14.2
2	No	2137	24 3

# V1454 E27. Could training help get promotion/pay rise later

. Missing	6646	75.7
1 Yes	1347	15.3
2 No	720	8.2
3 Don't know	70	0.8

## V1455 E28. Could training help get more responsibility

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Yes	2888	32.9
2	No	394	4.5
3	Don't know	101	1.1

# V1456 E29. Could training help get different type of job

. Missing	5400	61.5
1 Yes	2705	30.8
2 No	573	6.5
3 Don't know	105	1.2

# V1457 E30. Too much/little training

	Missing	5400	61.5
1	Too much	57	0.6
2	? Too little	532	6.1
3	B About right	2794	31.8

# V1458 E31. Attend classroom based training

	Missing	7909	90.0
1	Yes	93	1.1
2	No	781	8.9

#### V1459 E32. Number of days

. Missing	8690	98.9
1-5 Days	71	0.8
6-10 Days	9	0.1
11-20 Days	8	0.1
More than 20 Days	4	0.0
Don't know	1	0.0

### V1460 E33. Hours per day

	. Missing	8690	98.9
	1	11	0.1
	2	18	0.2
	3	7	0.1
4	4	16	0.2
	5	7	0.1
	6	2	0.0
•	7	2	0.0
1	8	27	0.3
	9	2	0.0
	12	1	0.0

# V1461 E34. Attend training classes elsewhere

	Missing	7909	90.0
1	Yes	24	0.3
2	? No	850	9.7

### V1462 E35. Number of days

. Missing	8759	99.7
1-5 Days	19	0.2
6-10 Days	4	0.0
Don't know	1	0.0

## V1463 E36. Hours per day

. Missing	8759	99.7
1	1	0.0
3	4	0.0
4	4	0.0
5	2	0.0
6	1	0.0
7	2	0.0
8	8	0.1
9	1	0.0
99 Don't know	1	0.0

### V1464 E37. Receive on-the-job training from others at work

•	Missing	7909	90.0
1	Yes	318	3.6
2	No	556	6.3

# V1465 E38. Provided by person whose main job is training

	Missing	8465	96.4
1	Yes	78	0.9
2	No	237	2.7
3	Don't know	3	0.0

# V1466 E39. Teach yourself new skills

	Missing	7909	90.0
1	Yes	301	3.4
2	No	573	6.5

### V1467 E40. Learned totally new skills

	Missing	8406	95.7
1	Yes	258	2.9
2	No	119	1.4

#### V1468 E41. Added skills

	Missing	8406	95.7
1	Yes	323	3.7
2	No	54	0.6

### V1469 E42. Need training because of changes

	Missing	8406	95.7
1	Yes	45	0.5
2	No	332	3.8

### V1470 E43. Need training because of change in job type

	Missing	8406	95.7
1	Yes	76	0.9
2	No	301	3.4

# V1471 E44. Training helped get promotion/pay rise

	Missing	8406	95.7
1	Yes	43	0.5
2	No	334	3.8

### V1472 E45. Could training help get more responsibility

	Missing	8449	96.2
1	Yes	230	2.6
2	No	87	1.0
3	Don't know	17	0.2

### V1473 E46. Could training help get different job

. Missing	8406	95.7
1 Yes	248	2.8
2 No	105	1.2
3 Don't know	24	0.3

### V1474 E47. Too much/little training

. Missing	8406	95.7
1 Too much	7	0.1
2 Too little	61	0.7
3 About right	309	3.5

# V1475 F1. Looking for work in last 4 weeks

	Missing	6406	72.9
1	Yes	1074	12.2
2	No	1303	14.8

#### V1476 F2. Looking for full time/part time work

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Full-time work	511	5.8
2	Only part-time	563	6.4

### V1477 F3. Prefer full time job

•	Missing	8220	93.6
1	Yes	97	1.1
2	No	466	5.3

### V1478 F4. Contacted an employer about a job

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	878	10.0
2.	No	196	2.2

### V1479 F4. Looked in newspapers for a job

. Missing	7709	87.8
1 Yes	916	10.4
2 No	158	1.8

### V1480 F4. Answered a newspaper ad for a job

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	585	6.7
2	No	489	5.6

### V1481 F4. Used touchscreens at Centrelink

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	477	5.4
2	No	597	6.8

#### V1482 F4. Registered at Centrelink as a jobseeker

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	423	4.8
2	No	651	7.4

#### V1483 F4. Used other employment agency

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	369	4.2
2	No	705	8.0

#### V1484 F4. Contacted friends/relatives about a job

•	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	619	7.0
2	No	455	5.2

### V1485 F4. Asked school or other organisation for advice

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	248	2.8
2	No	826	9.4

### V1486 F5. Because of a health problem/disability

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	47	0.5
2	2 No	1027	11.7

#### V1487 F5. Problems finding work because employers think you too young

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	160	1.8
2	No	914	10.4

### V1488 F5. Problems finding work because of problems with childcare

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	9	0.1
2	No	1065	12.1

### V1489 F5. Problems finding work because no suitable transport

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	271	3.1
2	No	803	9.1

### V1490 F5. Problems finding work because of lack in education or training

. Missing	7709	87.8
1 Yes	468	5.3
2 No	606	6.9

## V1491 F5. Problems finding work because not enough work experience

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	623	7.1
2	No	451	5.1

### V1492 F5. Problems finding work because not enough jobs available

	. Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	512	5.8
2	2 No	562	6.4

# V1493 F5. Problems finding work because of being (male/female)

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	46	0.5
2	No	1028	11.7

### V1494 F5. Problems finding work because of your ethnic background

•	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	16	0.2
2	No	1058	12.0

#### V1495 F6. Could have started work last week

	Missing	7709	87.8
1	Yes	901	10.3
2	No	173	2.0

#### V1496 F7. Reasons not with Centrelink

. Missing	8132	92.6
1 Not eligible for Youth Allowance	33	0.4
2 Centrelink no use/no need to register	91	1.0
3 Didn't know I could	48	0.5
4 Don't know what Centrelink does	25	0.3
5 Haven't got around to it, but intend to	136	1.5
6 No particular reason/don't know	175	2.0
7 Other	26	0.3
8 Full time student/waiting for school to		
finish	64	0.7
9 Don't have time	7	0.1
10 Only looking for part		
time/casual/holiday work	16	0.2
11 Not looking for work until now/have		
only just started looking	13	0.1
12 Do job seeking myself	17	0.2

# V1497 F8. Registered with job network member

	Missing	8132	92.6
1	Yes	74	0.8
2	No	555	6.3
3	Don't know	22	0.3

## V1498 F9. Looking for work since last interview

	Missing	1074	12.2
1	Yes	2005	22.8
2	No	5704	64.9

# V1499 F10. Months which looking for work A

. Missing	5704	64.9
August 98	167	1.9
September 98	147	1.7
October 98	81	0.9
November 98	207	2.4
December 98	292	3.3
January 99	331	3.8
February 99	214	2.4
March 99	190	2.2
April 99	132	1.5
May 99	97	1.1
June 99	168	1.9
July 99	174	2.0
August 99	191	2.2
September 99	221	2.5
October 99	210	2.4
November 99	38	0.4
December 99	4	0.0
Every month	215	2.4

## V1500 F10. Months which looking for work B

. Missing	6718	76.5
August 98	4	0.0
September 98	157	1.8
October 98	134	1.5
November 98	72	0.8
December 98	156	1.8
January 99	217	2.5
February 99	251	2.9
March 99	169	1.9
April 99	142	1.6
May 99	108	1.2
June 99	91	1.0
July 99	121	1.4
August 99	114	1.3
September 99	158	1.8
October 99	134	1.5
November 99	30	0.3
December 99	7	0.1

# V1501 F10. Months which looking for work C

. Missing August 98 September 98 October 98 November 98 December 98 January 99 February 99 March 99 April 99 May 99 June 99 July 99 August 99 September 99	7402 2 3 154 116 51 110 147 168 129 119 71 60 96 78	84.3 0.0 0.0 1.8 1.3 0.6 1.3 1.7 1.9 1.5 1.4 0.8 0.7 1.1 0.9
August 99	96	1.1

# V1502 F10. Months which looking for work D

. Missing	7783	88.6
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	1	0.0
October 98	3	0.0
November 98	143	1.6
December 98	106	1.2
January 99	40	0.5
February 99	77	0.9
March 99	94	1.1
April 99	125	1.4
May 99	96	1.1
June 99	88	1.0
July 99	55	0.6
August 99	56	0.6
September 99	66	0.8
October 99	39	0.4
November 99	8	0.1
December 99	2	0.0

# V1503 F10. Months which looking for work E

. Missing	8023	91.3
August 98	1	0.0
October 98	1	0.0
November 98	3	0.0
December 98	114	1.3
January 99	87	1.0
February 99	39	0.4
March 99	61	0.7
April 99	71	0.8
May 99	104	1.2
June 99	87	1.0
July 99	69	0.8
August 99	33	0.4
September 99	45	0.5
October 99	41	0.5
November 99	4	0.0

# V1504 F10. Months which looking for work F

Minaina	0010	02 E
. Missing	8216	93.5
August 98	2	0.0
November 98	1	0.0
December 98	2	0.0
January 99	97	1.1
February 99	69	0.8
March 99	35	0.4
April 99	43	0.5
May 99	56	0.6
June 99	83	0.9
July 99	63	0.7
August 99	59	0.7
September 99	23	0.3
October 99	28	0.3
November 99	5	0.1
December 99	1	0.0

# V1505 F10. Months which looking for work G

. Missing	8337	94.9
August 98	1	0.0
December 98	1	0.0
January 99	5	0.1
February 99	83	0.9
March 99	50	0.6
April 99	37	0.4
May 99	43	0.5
June 99	51	0.6
July 99	60	0.7
August 99	51	0.6
September 99	46	0.5
October 99	16	0.2
November 99	2	0.0

# V1506 F10. Months which looking for work H

. Missing	8440	96.1
August 98	1	0.0
October 98	1	0.0
December 98	4	0.0
February 99	1	0.0
March 99	67	0.8
April 99	40	0.5
May 99	35	0.4
June 99	36	0.4
July 99	41	0.5
August 99	52	0.6
September 99	36	0.4
October 99	27	0.3
November 99	2	0.0

# V1507 F10. Months which looking for work I

. Missing	8526	97.1
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	1	0.0
November 98	2	0.0
March 99	2	0.0
April 99	50	0.6
May 99	34	0.4
June 99	29	0.3
July 99	24	0.3
August 99	31	0.4
September 99	48	0.5
October 99	26	0.3
November 99	9	0.1

# V1508 F10. Months which looking for work J

. Missing	8601	97.9
September 98	1	0.0
October 98	2	0.0
February 99	1	0.0
April 99	1	0.0
May 99	44	0.5
June 99	28	0.3
July 99	28	0.3
August 99	20	0.2
September 99	26	0.3
October 99	29	0.3
November 99	2	0.0

# V1509 F10. Months which looking for work K

. Missing	8664	98.6
August 98	1	0.0
September 98	2	0.0
October 98	1	0.0
November 98	1	0.0
May 99	1	0.0
June 99	31	0.4
July 99	19	0.2
August 99	23	0.3
September 99	18	0.2
October 99	14	0.2
November 99	8	0.1

# V1510 F10. Months which looking for work L

. Missing 8710	99.2
August 98 2	0.0
October 98	0.0
November 98	0.0
January 99	0.0
July 99 20	0.2
August 99	0.2
September 99 18	0.2
October 99 14	0.2
December 99 2	0.0

# V1511 F11. Number of weeks looking for work

. Missing	5704	64.9
1-10 Weeks	1643	18.7
11-20 Weeks	619	7.0
21-30 Weeks	263	3.0
31-40 Weeks	182	2.1
More than 40 Weeks	372	4.2

# V1512 G1. Main activity

	Missing	8574	97.6
1	Study/training	17	0.2
2	P Home duties/looking after children	73	0.8
3	B Travel or holidays	29	0.3
4	l Ill/unable to work	21	0.2
Ę	Volunteer/Unpaid work/Caring for others	3	0.0
6	5 Other	66	0.8

# V1513 G2. Likely f/t study in next 12 months

. Missing	8574	97.6
1 Very likely	79	0.9
2 Somewhat likely	51	0.6
3 Not very likely	22	0.3
4 Not at all likely	57	0.6

## V1514 G3. Likely look for work in next year

. Missing	8574	97.6
1 Very likely	111	1.3
2 Somewhat likely	36	0.4
3 Not very likely	24	0.3
4 Not at all likely	38	0.4

### V1515 H1. Marital status

8555	97.4
203	2.3
24	0.3
1	0.0
	203 24

#### V1516 H2. Month married

. Missing	8759	99.7
1	3	0.0
2	1	0.0
3	1	0.0
4	4	0.0
5	2	0.0
7	1	0.0
8	5	0.1
9	2	0.0
10	5	0.1

#### V1517 H2. Year married

. Missing	8759	99.7
97	1	0.0
98	5	0.1
99	18	0.2

# V1518 H3. Live with parents

1	In your parents home	6719	76.5
2	Somewhere else	2064	23.5

# V1519 H4. Living situation

	Missing	6719	76.5
1	Renting or buying	816	9.3
2	Shared house/flat	472	5.4
3	Boarding in private house	233	2.7
4	Uni or TAFE residence	366	4.2
5	Hostel or boarding house	31	0.4
6	Somewhere else	146	1.7

# V1520 H5. Number of other people in household

. Missing	543	6.2
0	142	1.6
1	915	10.4
2	1811	20.6
3	2673	30.4
4	1699	19.3
5	657	7.5
6	206	2.3
7	77	0.9
8	26	0.3
9	14	0.2
10	11	0.1
11	5	0.1
12	2	0.0
14	2	0.0

# V1521 H6. Relationship with other people in house

	Missing	685	7.8
1	Father/Step-father	5128	58.4
2	Mother/Step-mother	1209	13.8
3	Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)	296	3.4
4	Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	227	2.6
5	Husband/Wife/Defacto	81	0.9
6	Boyfriend/Girlfriend/Partner	222	2.5
7	Own children (including step-children)	32	0.4
8	Other relatives	167	1.9
9	Non-relatives	736	8.4

# V1522 H6. Relationship with other people in house

	Missing	2175	24.8
1	Father/Step-father	470	5.4
2	Mother/Step-mother	4986	56.8
3	Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)	484	5.5
4	Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	348	4.0
5	Husband/Wife/Defacto	11	0.1
6	Boyfriend/Girlfriend/Partner	25	0.3
7	Own children (including step-children)	40	0.5
8	Other relatives	65	0.7
9	Non-relatives	179	2.0

# V1523 H6. Relationship with other people in house

	Missing	3878	44.2
1	Father/Step-father	135	1.5
2	Mother/Step-mother	156	1.8
3	Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)	2890	32.9
4	Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	1575	17.9
5	Husband/Wife/Defacto	2	0.0
6	Boyfriend/Girlfriend/Partner	17	0.2
7	Own children (including step-children)	7	0.1
8	Other relatives	70	0.8
9	Non-relatives	53	0.6

# V1524 H6. Relationship with other people in house

	Missing	7201	82.0
1	Father/Step-father	34	0.4
2	Mother/Step-mother	52	0.6
3	Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)	75	0.9
4	Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	1198	13.6
5	Husband/Wife/Defacto	4	0.0
6	Boyfriend/Girlfriend/Partner	29	0.3
7	Own children (including step-children)	3	0.0
8	Other relatives	128	1.5
9	Non-relatives	59	0.7

### V1525 H6. Relationship with other people in house

	Missing	8694	99.0
2	Mother/Step-mother	3	0.0
3	Brother(s)/Step-brother(s)	1	0.0
4	Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	4	0.0
5	Husband/Wife/Defacto	1	0.0
6	Boyfriend/Girlfriend/Partner	8	0.1
7	Own children (including step-children)	5	0.1
8	Other relatives	44	0.5
9	Non-relatives	23	0.3

#### V1526 H7. Children

. Mis	sing	8696	99.0
1		79	0.9
2		7	0.1
4		1	0.0

# V1527 H8. Age of child 1

	Missing	8698	99.0
0		33	0.4
1		34	0.4
2		14	0.2
3		1	0.0
4		2	0.0
1	0	1	0.0

# V1528 H8. Age of child 2

. Missing	8775	99.9
0	2	0.0
1	2	0.0
3	1	0.0
5	1	0.0
10	2	0.0

# V1529 H9. Partner/spouse work

	Missing	8684	98.9
1	Yes	75	0.9
2	No	24	0.3

## V1530 H10. Partner/spouse other activity

	Missing	8759	99.7
1	Looking for work	9	0.1
2	Studying	10	0.1
3	Home duties	3	0.0
5	Other	2	0.0

### V1531 H11. Kind of work

. Missing	8708	99.1
1-8999 ASCO 4 DIGIT CODE	73	0.8
Don't know	2	0.0

# V1532 H12. Mother/step mother work

	Missing	2385	27.2
1	Yes	4680	53.3
2	No	1718	19.6

# V1533 H13. Mother/step mother other activity

	Missing	7065	80.4
1	Looking for work	75	0.9
2	Studying	86	1.0
3	Home duties	1441	16.4
4	Retired	51	0.6
5	Other	65	0.7

### V1534 H14. Father/step father work

	Missing	3026	34.5
1	Yes	5203	59.2
2	No	554	6.3

### V1535 H15. Father/step father other activity

	Missing	8229	93.7
1	Looking for work	122	1.4
2	Studying	23	0.3
3	Home duties	81	0.9
4	Retired	229	2.6
5	Other	99	1.1

### V1536 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

1 Youth Allowance	933	10.6
2 Sole Parent Pension	38	0.4
3 Sickness Allowance	7	0.1
4 Disability Support Pension	33	0.4
5 Family payment	75	0.9
6 Any other allowance	238	2.7
7 None of these	7459	84.9

#### V1537 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

	Missing	8712	99.2
1	Youth Allowance	4	0.0
2	Sole Parent Pension	9	0.1
3	Sickness Allowance	1	0.0
4	Disability Support Pension	2	0.0
5	Family payment	11	0.1
6	Any other allowance	43	0.5
	None of these	1	0.0

### V1538 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

	Missing	8780	100.0
5	Family payment	1	0.0
6	Any other allowance	2	0.0

# V1539 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

. Missing 8783 100.0

### V1540 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

. Missing 8783 100.0

### V1541 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

. Missing 8783 100.0

### V1542 H16. Government payments you or partner receive

. Missing 8783 100.0

#### V1543 H17. Amount of government payment

. Missing	7460	84.9
\$1-\$50 Per Fortnight	94	1.1
\$51-\$100 Per Fortnight	105	1.2
\$101-\$150 Per Fortnight	206	2.3
\$151-\$200 Per Fortnight	343	3.9
Over \$200 Per Fortnight	378	4.3
Don't know	197	2.2

### V1544 J1. Satisfaction with the work you do

1	Very happy	2963	33.7
2	Fairly happy	5146	58.6
3	Fairly unhappy	514	5.9
4	Unhappy	106	1.2
5	Unsure/can't say	54	0.6

# V1545 J1. Satisfaction with what you do in your spare time

1	Very happy	4567	52.0
2	Fairly happy	3835	43.7
3	Fairly unhappy	316	3.6
4	Unhappy	50	0.6
5	Unsure/can't say	15	0.2

### V1546 J1. Satisfaction with how you get on with people

1	Very happy	5376	61.2
2	Fairly happy	3316	37.8
3	Fairly unhappy	71	0.8
4	Unhappy	15	0.2
5	Unsure/can't say	5	0.1

# V1547 J1. Satisfaction with the money you get each week

1	Very happy	2022	23.0
2	Fairly happy	4893	55.7
3	Fairly unhappy	1350	15.4
4	Unhappy	476	5.4
5	Unsure/can't say	42	0.5

### V1548 J1. Satisfaction with your social life

1	Very happy	5202	59.2
2	Fairly happy	3244	36.9
3	Fairly unhappy	253	2.9
4	Unhappy	71	0.8
5	Unsure/can't say	13	0.1

### V1549 J1. Satisfaction with your independence

1	Very happy	5767	65.7
2	Fairly happy	2714	30.9
3	Fairly unhappy	243	2.8
4	Unhappy	46	0.5
5	Unsure/can't say	13	0.1

# V1550 J1. Satisfaction with your career prospects

1	Very happy	3600	41.0
2	Fairly happy	4343	49.4
3	Fairly unhappy	611	7.0
4	Unhappy	102	1.2
5	Unsure/can't say	127	1.4

# V1551 J1. Satisfaction with your future

1 Very happy	3632	41.4
2 Fairly happy	4615	52.5
3 Fairly unhappy	282	3.2
4 Unhappy	35	0.4
5 Unsure/can't say	219	2.5

# V1552 J1. Satisfaction with your life as a whole

1	Very happy	4575	52.1
2	Fairly happy	4016	45.7
3	Fairly unhappy	147	1.7
4	Unhappy	35	0.4
5	Unsure/can't say	10	0.1

# V1553 J1. Satisfaction with your standard of living

1	Very happy	5606	63.8
2	Fairly happy	3016	34.3
3	Fairly unhappy	137	1.6
4	Unhappy	12	0.1
5	Unsure/can't say	12	0.1

## V1554 J1. Satisfaction with the way the country is run

1	Very happy	510	5.8
2	Fairly happy	5730	65.2
3	Fairly unhappy	1584	18.0
4	Unhappy	406	4.6
5	Unsure/can't say	553	6.3

# V1555 J1. Satisfaction with the state of the economy

1 Very happy	491	5.6
2 Fairly happy	5696	64.9
3 Fairly unhappy	1361	15.5
4 Unhappy	251	2.9
5 Unsure/can't say	984	11.2

# V1556 J1. Satisfaction with where you live

1	Very happy	5006	57.0
2	Fairly happy	3292	37.5
3	Fairly unhappy	376	4.3
4	Unhappy	95	1.1
5	Unsure/can't say	14	0.2

# V1557 J1. Satisfaction with your life at home

1	Very happy	4913	55.9
2	Fairly happy	3540	40.3
3	Fairly unhappy	255	2.9
4	Fairly unhappy	53	0.6
5	Unsure/can't say	22	0.3

# V1558 J2. FREQ - Go to the library

1 At least once a week	1282	14.6
2 At least once a month but less than	1 5 0 1	100
once a week	1581	18.0
3 At least once every 3 months but less	0.00	100
often than once a month	882	10.0
4 At least once a year but less often	022	10 0
than once every 3 months		10.6
5 Less often than once a year		4.3
6 Never	3123	42.4

# V1559 J2. FREQ - Read books

1 At least once a week	3358	38.2
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	1730	19.7
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	981	11.2
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	694	7.9
5 Less often than once a year	209	2.4
6	1811	20.6

# V1560 J2. FREQ - Read newspapers or magazines

1 At least once a week	7951	90.5
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	546	6.2
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	87	1.0
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	19	0.2
5 Less often than once a year	12	0.1
6 Never	168	1.9

# V1561 J2. FREQ - Use the Internet

1 At least once a week	4337	49.4
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	1214	13.8
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	457	5.2
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	193	2.2
5 Less often than once a year	84	1.0
6 Never	2498	28.4

# V1562 J2. FREQ - Play sport or do exercise

1 At least once a week	7070	80.5
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	698	7.9
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	174	2.0
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	55	0.6
5 Less often than once a year	30	0.3
6 Never	756	8.6

## V1563 J2. FREQ - Do any community activities

1 At least once a week	849	9.7
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	558	6.4
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	248	2.8
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	470	5.4
5 Less often than once a year	259	2.9
6 Never	6399	72.9

## V1564 J3. Have you ever done Meals on Wheels?

1	Yes	520	5.9
2	No	8263	94.1

#### V1565 J3. Have you ever done St Johns Ambulance?

1	Yes	496	5.6
2	No	8287	94.4

#### V1566 J3. Have you ever done Lifeline or Youthline?

1	Yes	185	2.1
2	No	8598	97.9

### V1567 J3. Have you ever done reading for the blind?

1	Yes	111	1.3
2	No	8672	98.7

### V1568 J3. Have you ever done Church or Youth Group work?

1	Yes	1537	17.5
2	No	7246	82.5

#### V1569 J3. Have you ever done home help for elderly or others?

1	Yes	721	8.2
2	No	8062	91.8

#### V1570 J3. Have you ever done coaching or other sport work?

1	Yes	2633	30.0
2	No	6150	70.0

#### V1571 J3. Have you ever done volunteer child care?

1	Yes	1787	20.3
2	No	6996	79.7

#### V1572 J3. Have you ever done other Volunteer work?

1	Yes	1396	15.9
2	No	7387	84.1

### V1573 J4. Frequency of community work

. Missing	3555	40.5
1 Once a week	983	11.2
2 At least once a month but less than		
once a week	877	10.0
3 At least once every 3 months but less		
often than once a month	707	8.0
4 At least once a year but less often		
than once every 3 months	1002	11.4
5 Less often than once a year	317	3.6
6 No longer do community volunteer work	1342	15.3

### V1574 J5. How much interest do you have in learning new things?

1 None	41	0.5
2 A little	350	4.0
3 Some	1311	14.9
4 A lot	4099	46.7
5 A great deal	2982	34.0

#### V1575 J5. How much interest do you have in asking why the world's in the state it is?

1 None	438	5.0
2 A little	1825	20.8
3 Some	2812	32.0
4 A lot	2465	28.1
5 A great deal	1243	14.2

### V1576 J5. How much interest do you have in asking why things happen the way they do?

1 None	182	2.1
2 A little	1021	11.6
3 Some	2299	26.2
4 A lot	3563	40.6
5 A great deal	1718	19.6

# V1577 J5. How much interest do you have in finding out about things that you don't understand?

1	None	68	0.8
2	A little	549	6.3
3	Some	1670	19.0
4	A lot	4245	48.3
5	A great deal	2251	25.6

#### V1578 J5. How much interest do you have in finding out about new ideas?

1 None	86	1.0
2 A little	852	9.7
3 Some	2582	29.4
4 A lot	3643	41.5
5 A great deal	1620	18.4

### V1579 J5. How much interest do you have in finding out how something works?

1	None	85	1.0
2	A little	894	10.2
3	Some	2311	26.3
4	A lot	3588	40.9
5	A great deal	1905	21.7

# V1580 J5. How much interest do you have in improving skills after you have started work?

1 None	39	0.4
2 A little	314	3.6
3 Some	1194	13.6
4 A lot	4412	50.2
5 A great deal	2824	32.2

## V1581 J5. How much interest do you have in learning new skills after you have started work?

1	None	37	0.4
2	A little	296	3.4
3	Some	1144	13.0
4	A lot	4405	50.2
5	A great deal	2901	33.0

# WT99 Weight for 99 data for attrition+sample

. Missing	48	0.5
From 0 to 0.49	1495	17.0
From 0.5 to 0.99	3186	36.3
From 1 to 1.49	2777	31.6
From 1.5 to 1.99	890	10.1
From 2 to 2.99	354	4.0
Greater than 3	33	0.4

#### **Appendix 1: The LSAY Y95 1999 Questionnaire**

#### LONGITUDINAL SURVEY OF AUSTRALIAN YOUTH

#### 1999 QUESTIONNAIRE

V1	20	11	ID
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SECTION	<b>A</b> :	SCHO	OL
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PRE A1: IF SAMPLE SAYS AT SCHOOL IN 1998 GO TO A1
IF SAMPLE SAYS NOT AT SCHOOL IN 1998 GO TO A2.

- **V1302** Al Are you still going to secondary school or have you left school?
  - 1 Still going to school **Go to A4**
  - 2 Left school **Go to A9**
- **V1303** A2 When you were interviewed in 1998, you said that you had left school. Are you still not at school, or have you gone back?
  - 1 Still not at school **Go to PREB1**
  - 2 Returned to school and still there
  - 3 Returned to school but now left **Go to A9**
- **V1304** A3 What was the **main** reason you went back to school?

V1308

- **V1309** A4 What year-level are you now in at school?
  - 1 Year 11
  - 2 Year 12
  - 3 Year 13
- **V1310** A5 Do you or your parents receive **Youth Allowance**, or **Abstudy** for **your** study at school?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No **Go to A8**
  - 3 Don't know **Go to A8**
- **V1311** A6 How much per fortnight do you receive?

RECORD AMOUNT \$\_\_\_\_

Don't know 999

- **V1312** A7 Would you have stayed on at school if you weren't getting **Youth Allowance** or **Abstudy**?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Not sure

- **V1313** A8 What do you plan to do after you finish school, for example, get an apprenticeship or traineeship, go to TAFE or university, get a job, or what?
  - 1 Go to university
  - 2 Get an apprenticeship
  - 3 Get a traineeship
  - 4 Go to a TAFE college
  - 5 Go to a Business College or a private Secretarial or

Computing

course

- 6 Look for work/get a job
- 7 Other (SPECIFY)
- 8 Don't Know

#### IF STILL AT SCHOOL (A1=1 OR A2=2) GO TO D1

- A9 In which month and year did you leave school?
- **V1314** Month \_\_\_\_

**V1315** Year 98 or 99

Don't Know 88 (Month/Year)

- **V1316** All What year level were you in when you left school?
  - 1 Year 11

Go to PREB1

- 2 Year 12
- 3 Year 13

# PRE A11 IF A1=2 or A2=3 - CHECK STATE/TERRITORY OF SCHOOL FROM LAST YEAR'S DATA

V1317 All Our records show you went to school in STATE/TERRITORY OF SCHOOL FROM LAST YEAR'S DATA?

IF ACT - A11a

IF NSW - A11b

IF VIC - A11c

IF QLD - A11d

IF SA - A11e

IF WA - A11f

IF TAS - A11g

IF NT - A11h

Alla Have you been awarded the ACT Year 12 Certificate or the NSW Higher School Certificate (HSC)?

A11b Have you been awarded a Higher School Certificate?

Allc Did you successfully complete the Victorian Certificate of Education (VCE)?

A11d Did you receive a Senior Certificate?

Alle Have you been awarded the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE)?

A11f Have you been awarded the Western Australian Certificate of Education (WACE)?

Allg Have you been awarded the Tasmanian Certificate of Education (TCE)?

A11h Have you been awarded Northern Territory Certificate of Education?

- 1 Yes- ACT Year 12
- 2 Yes- NSW HSC
- 3 Yes- VCE
- 4 Yes-Senior Certificate
- 5 Yes-SACE
- 6 Yes- WACE
- 7 Yes-TCE
- 8 No- Not awarded appropriate certificate
- 9 Don't Know
- 10 Yes-NTCE
- **V1318** A12 As a result of your Year 12 studies did you receive any other certificate?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No **Go to A14**
- **V1319** A13 What was this certificate called?
  - 1 TAFE Certificate eg. Certificate 1 or 2
  - 2 Secondary College Record
  - 3 Employment Course Certificate
  - 4 A certificate of completion awarded by the school
  - 5 Certificate in Industry Studies (NSW)
  - 6 Certificate in Board Developed Vocational CEC (NSW)
  - 7 Statement of Attainment of VET subjects completed
  - 8 Other (Please Specify)
- V1320 A14 Did you obtain a STATE/TERRITORY IN PREA11

IF ACT - A14a

IF NSW - A14b

IF VIC - A14c

IF QLD - A14d

IF SA - A14e

IF WA - A14f IF TAS - A14g

IF NT - A14h

A14a Tertiary Entrance Rank (TER) or University Admission Index (UAI)

A14b University Admission Index (UAI) formerly TER

A14c Equivalent Tertiary Entrance Rank (ENTER)

A14d Overall Position (OP)

A14e Higher Education Entrance Information Statement

A14f Tertiary Entrance Rank (TER)

A14g Tertiary Entrance Score (TE)

A14h Higher Education Entrance Information Statement

- 1 Yes- Tertiary Entrance Rank (TER)
- 2 Yes- University Admission Index (UAI) formerly TER
- 3 Yes- Equivalent Tertiary Entrance Rank (ENTER)
- 4 Yes-Overall Position (OP)
- 5 Yes- Higher Education Entrance Information Statement

Go to PreB1

- 6 Yes- Tertiary Entrance Score (TE)
- 7 No- Not awarded score or position **Go to PreB1**
- 8 Don't Know

**V1321** A15 What was your result? (Qld 1-25) (Elsewhere 1-99.99)

Don't know DK Refused R

**GO TO PREB1** 

#### SECTION B: TRANSITION FROM SCHOOL

# PREB1: IF A9 YEAR=98 OR IF 1998 B1=98 ASK SECTION B OTHERWISE GO TO PREC1.

**V1322** B1 Since leaving school have you been mainly studying full time, working, looking for work or doing something else?

1 Studying full time Go to B2 2 Working Go to B4

3 Looking for work **Go to B4** 

4 Other (SPECIFY) Go to B4

**V1323** B2 Are you still doing full time study?

1 Yes **Go to PREC1** 

2 No

V1324 B3 Since you stopped full time study, have you had a full time job?

1 Yes **Go to B5**2 No **Go to PREC1** 

**V1325** B4 Since leaving school have you had a full-time job?

1 Yes

2 No **Go to PREC1** 

**V1326** B5 After you (left school/stopped full time study) how long did it take you to find a full time job?

#### (TAKE CARE WITH CODING RESPONSE)

- 1 Straight away/already had one/less than one month
- 2 One month
- 3 Two months
- 4 Three months
- 5 Four months
- 6 Five months
- 7 Six months
- 8 Seven months to less than one year
- 9 One year or more

**V1327** B6 Do you still have that job?

1 Yes **Go to PREC1** 

2 No

**V1328** B7 What kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

V1329 B8 What was your employer's main kind of business?

(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES eg Manufactures men's shirts, Sells electrical appliances, Fast food retailer)

#### **V1330** B9 What was the **main** reason you left that job?

- 1 Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job
- 2 Was (other) temporary or seasonal job
- 3 Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
- 4 Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working conditions/boss or other workers
- 5 Went to live somewhere else
- 6 Reasons to do with study
- 7 To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/better ing conditions)

## working

8 Other (SPECIFY)

#### **SECTION C: POST-SCHOOL STUDY**

PREC1:	Tf A	1=2	THEN	GO	TO	C1	FLSE	GO	TO	C2
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V1331	C1 Since you left school, have you obtained any certificate or diploma or other post-school qualifications?  1 Yes Go to C3 2 No Go to C13
V1332	C2 Since you were last interviewed, have you obtained any certificate or diploma or other post-school qualification?  1 Yes 2 No Go to PREC10
V1333 V1334	C3 When did you start studying for this qualification?  (PROBE FOR MONTH AND YEAR)  Month Year Don't Know  88 (Month/Year)
V1335 V1336	C4 And when did you complete this qualification?  (PROBE FOR MONTH AND YEAR)  Month Year Don't Know 88 (Month/Year)
V1337	C5 What is the full name of this qualification? (RECORD FULL NAME eg Certificate IV in Journalism, Certificate of Nursing)
V1338	C6 What is the name of the place where you got this qualification? (RECORD FULL NAME)
V1339	C7 What was your main area of study or training in this course?  (PROBE FOR SPECIFIC DETAILS)
V1340	C8 Were you studying for this qualification when you were last interviewed?  1 Yes Co to C12 No
V1341	C9 Was the study for this qualification mainly full time or mainly part time?  1 Full time 2 Part time 3 Equally full time and part time

PREC10 IF STUDYING LAST YEAR (FROM SAMPLE) ASK C10, OTHERWISE GO TO C13

**V1342** C10 At your last interview you said you were doing (full time study/part time study/an apprenticeship/traineeship).

Are you still doing (full time study/part time study/that apprenticeship/traineeship)?

1	Yes, full time study	Go to C15
2	Yes, part time study	Go to C15
3	Yes apprenticeship	Go to C17
4	Yes, traineeship	Go to C18

5 No

- 6 Not doing apprenticeship last year **Go to C13**
- **V1343** C11 What is the **main** reason that you aren't doing that (full time study/part time study/an apprenticeship/traineeship) now?
  - 1 Finished it/completed it
  - 2 Got a job/working now
  - 3 Deferred
  - 4 Now doing it full time/part time **Go to C15**
  - 5 OTHER (SPECIFY)
  - 6 Don't know
  - C12 I'm going to read out some statements about your post-school study or training. Please tell me whether you *strongly agree*, *agree*, *disagree* or *strongly disagree* with each one.
- **V1344** The study or training developed my problem solving skills.
- **V1345** The study or training sharpened my analytic skills.
- **V1346** It helped me develop my ability to work as a team member.
- **V1347** As a result of the study or training, I feel confident about tackling unfamiliar problems.
- **V1348** It improved my skills in communication.
- **V1349** It helped me to develop the ability to plan my own work.
- **V1350** Overall I was satisfied with the quality of the study or training.
- **V1351** It has improved my career prospects
  - 1 Strongly agree
  - 2 Agree
  - 3 Disagree
  - 4 Strongly disagree
  - 5 (Unsure/can't say) (DO NOT READ OUT)
- **V1352** C13 Are you now doing a University Degree, TAFE course, apprenticeship, traineeship, or any other full time or part time study?

1	University Degree	Go to C14
2	TAFE course	Go to C14
3	Apprenticeship	Go to C17
4	Traineeship	Go to C18
5	Secondary school subjects at school or TAFE	Go to PRED1
6	Other Full time study	Go to C15
7	Other Part time study	Go to C15
8	Recreation/hobby course	Go to PRED1
9	No, None	Go to PRED1

# PREC14 IF STUDYING FULL TIME, B2=1, GO TO C15, OTHERWISE GO TO C14

V1353	C14	Are 1 2	e you study Full time Part time		e or part t	ime?	
V1354						of study you are	
V1362	•						
V1363			nat is the na		lace wher	re you're doing th	nis study?
V1364				main area o CIFIC DETA		training in this	course?
	stud	y/pa	art time stu	•		eship/traineeship	o/full time
V1365 V1366		Yea		88 (Mor	nth/Year)		
V1367		nent	ts? This do		de any Fi	Allowance, or Alnancial Supplem  Go to C21	
		3	Don't Kno	ow	•	Go to C21	
V1368		nent Red	t, not includ cord Nume	er fortnight d ding the sup ric Response	plement?	\$1 to 500 999	r that
V1369				presently re ent scheme?	)	ayments under t	he Student
		3		ow		Go to PreD1	
V1370	C22	Red		er fortnight d ric Response		eive from the suj \$1 to 500 999	pplement?

#### SECTION D: WORK

#### EVERYONE ANSWERS THIS SECTION.

#### PRED1: IF B6=1, GO TO PRED4

- **V1371** D1 Do you currently work in a job, your own business or on a farm?
  - 1 Yes

Go to PRED3

2 No

3 Waiting to start job Go to PRED5

- Do you have a job, business or farm that you are away from because of holidays, sickness or any other reason?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to PRED5

#### IF NOT AT SCHOOL, A1=2 OR A2=1 OR 3, GO TO D4, PRED3 **OTHERWISE GO TO D3**

- **V1373** D3 Is it solely a school holiday job?
  - Yes 1

Go to D4

2. No Go to D4

# PRED4: IF B6=1 INCLUDE PREAMBLE ...

'You said earlier that you currently have a job.'

**V1374** D4 Do you currently have more than one job?

> 1 Yes

Go to PreD7

2 No Go to PreD7

#### PRED5 IF SAMPLE SAYS "JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO D5 IF SAMPLE SAYS "NO JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO PRED34

At your last interview, you told us you were working for **(EMPLOYER)**. When did you finish that job?

V1375 V1376 Month \_ Year

Don't Know

88 (Month/Year)

Didn't have a job at the last interview

87

Go to

#### PRED34

- **V1377** D6 What was the **main** reason you left that job?
  - Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job 1
  - Was (other) temporary or seasonal job 2
  - 3 Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
  - Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working 4 conditions/boss or other workers
  - 5 Went to live somewhere else
  - 6 Reasons to do with study
  - To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/better 7

working conditions)

Other (SPECIFY)

# PRED7 IF SAMPLE SAYS "JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO D7 IF SAMPLE SAYS "NO JOB LAST YEAR" GO TO PRED10

At your last interview, you told us you were working for **(EMPLOYER).** Do you still have that job?

> Yes 1

Go to D12

- 2 No
- 3 Didn't have a job at the last interview **Go to PRED10**

When did you finish that job? D8

V1379

Month

Year V1380

88 (Month/Year) Don't Know

- **V1381** D9 What was the **main** reason you left that job?
  - Was only a school holiday job/student vacation job 1
  - 2 Was (other) temporary or seasonal job
  - 3 Got laid off/sacked/retrenched
  - Not satisfied with job (eg. hours of work/pay/other working 4 conditions/boss or other workers
  - 5 Went to live somewhere else
  - Reasons to do with study 6
  - 7 To get another job/better job (e.g. more money/better

conditions) working

Other (SPECIFY)

# PreD10 If D4 = 1 GO TO D11 If D4 = 2 GO TO D10

**V1382** D10 Altogether, how many hours do you usually work each week in your present job?

> IF HOURS VARY ASK: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record Numeric Response 1 to 100 Don't know 999

### NOW GO TO D17

D11 I'd like to ask you about your **main** job, that is, the job in which you usually work the most hours. How many hours do you usually work each week in your main job?

> **IF HOURS VARY, ASK**: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record Numeric Response 1 to 100 999 Don't know

### NOW GO TO D17

D12 In your job with **(EMPLOYER)**, how many hours do you usually V1384 work each week?

> **IF HOURS VARY ASK**: In your last four weeks of work, how many hours per week, on average, have you worked, including paid holidays?

Record Numeric Response 1 to 100 999 Don't know

- **V1385** D13 I have a few questions about how your job might have changed since your last interview. Firstly, your pay do you now earn more, less, or about the same **per hour** as you did at the time of your last interview?
  - 1 More per hour
  - 2 Less per hour
  - 3 About the Same
- **V1386** D14 Compared to last year in this job, is the type of work you do more-skilled, less-skilled or is it about the same?
  - 1 More skilled
  - 2 Less skilled
  - 3 About the same
- **V1387** D15 Would you say you have more or less responsibility, or is it about the same?
  - 1 More responsibility
  - 2 Less responsibility
  - 3 About the same
- **V1388** D16 In your job with **(EMPLOYER)** have you had a promotion since your last interview?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Don't Know
- **V1389** D17 Do you work for wages or salary with an employer, are you self-employed in your own business, or do you work in some other way?
  - 1 Wages/salary
  - 2 Self-employed

Go to D24

3 Other way

Go to D24

- **V1390** D18 How often do you get paid?
  - 1 Weekly
  - 2 Fortnightly
  - 3 Monthly
  - 4 Other (SPECIFY)

#### IF D18=4 - ASK FOR WEEKLY INCOME IN D19 AND D20

**V1391** D19 How much is your usual **gross** (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) pay from that job - that is, before tax or anything else is taken out?

Record Numeric Response \$1 to 5000 Don't Know 9999

**V1392** D20 And how much is your usual (Weekly/Fortnightly/Monthly) **take home** pay from that job?

Record Numeric Response \$1 to 5000 Don't Know 9999

- **V1393** D21 Does your job entitle you to any form of paid annual leave or sick leave, apart from public holidays?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Don't know

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V1394	D22 Is the job you have now the type of job you would like as a career?  1 Yes 2 No 3 (Unsure/can't say)
	D23 I'd now like to ask how satisfied you are with this job. For each statement I read out, please tell me whether you are <i>Very satisfied</i> , <i>Fairly satisfied</i> , <i>Fairly dissatisfied</i> or <i>Very dissatisfied</i> with this aspect of your job. Firstly, how satisfied are you with
V1395 V1396 V1397 V1398 V1399 V1400 V1401 V1402	The kind of work you do The people you work with Your immediate boss or supervisor The pay you get Opportunities for training The tasks you are assigned Recognition you get for tasks well done Your opportunities for promotion
	<ul> <li>Very satisfied</li> <li>Fairly satisfied</li> <li>Fairly dissatisfied</li> <li>Very dissatisfied</li> <li>(Unsure/can't say)</li> <li>(Not applicable)</li> </ul>
V1403	D24 In your (main) job what kind of work do you do? (PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)
	IF D7 = 1 GO TO PRED29
V1404 A-C	D25 Who do you work for? (RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, IF ANY, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)
V1405	D26 What is (EMPLOYER FROM D25) main kind of business? (PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES eg Manufactures men's shirts, Sells electrical appliances, Fast food retailer)
	D27 When did you begin working for (EMPLOYER FROM D25)?

PRED28 IF D17=2 OR 3 - GO TO PRED29

88 (Month/Year)

(PROBE FOR MONTH AND YEAR)

Month \_

Don't Know

Year

V1406

V1407

- **V1408** D28 How did you get this job, for example were you referred by Centrelink or an employment service, did you see an ad in the newspaper, or what?
  - 1 Through Centrelink Referred to employer or found job on notice board or touchscreens.
  - 2 Job was advertised (inc. newspaper/radio/TV)
  - 3 Got a job through friend or relative
  - 4 Employer approached me
  - 5 Phoned/approached employer to ask if any jobs available
  - 6 Through school/college/university
  - 7 Other (SPECIFY)

# PRED29 IF MORE THAN ONE JOB (D4=1) THEN GO TO D29 IF D10, D11 OR D12=LESS THAN 30 HOURS THEN GO TO D30 OTHERWISE GO TO D32

**V1409** D29 You said earlier that you have more than one job. Altogether, how many hours each week do you usually work in **ALL** your jobs?

Record number of hours 1 TO 100 Don't know 999

#### IF D29=30 HOURS OR MORE - GO TO D32

- **V1410** D30 Would you rather be working full time that is, 30 hours a week or more, or part time?
  - 1 Prefer full time
  - 2 Prefer part time **Go to D32**
- **V1411** D31 Are you looking for full time work?
  - 1 Yes

Go to PreD34

- 2 No
- **V1412** D32 Are you looking for work at all at the moment either an additional job or a new job?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to PreD34

- **V1413** D33 Are you looking for an additional job, or do you want to change jobs?
  - 1 Additional job
  - 2 Change jobs

# PRED34 IF SAMPLE WRONG (D5=87) -

D34d

IF JOB LAST YEAR BUT NO JOB NOW (D1=3 OR D2=2) -

IF JOB NOW BUT NOT JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=2) -

IF NO JOB LAST YEAR (D7=3) AND JOB NOW (D4=1/2) -

IF JOB NOW (D4=1/2) AND NO JOB LAST YEAR - D34c

IF NOT CURRENTLY WORKING OR WAITING TO START

(D2=2 OR D1=3) AND NO JOB LAST YEAR - D34d

IF STILL WORKING IN JOB FROM LAST YEAR (D7=1) - D34e

**V1414** D34a Apart from the job you had at (EMPLOYER) **(FROM SAMPLE)**, how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.

RECORD NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ weeks

	D34b Apart from the job at (EMPLOYER) <b>(FROM SAMPLE)</b> , and the job you have now at (EMPLOYER FROM D25), how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).  RECORD NUMBER
	D34c Apart from your job with (EMPLOYER FROM D25), how many other jobs, if any, have you had since the last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).  RECORD NUMBER
	D34dSince we last interviewed you, how many jobs, if any, have you had? Include both part-time and full-time jobs.  RECORD NUMBER
	D34e Apart from your job with (EMPLOYER) <b>(FROM SAMPLE),</b> how many other jobs, if any, have you had since your last interview? Include both part-time and full-time jobs (and any second job you have at the moment).  RECORD NUMBER
	PRED35 IF D34=0 AND EITHER CURRENTLY NOT WORKING (D2=2) OR WAITING TO START (D1=3) - GO TO PREF1
V1415 - V1426	D35 Since your last interview, during which months have you worked?  [CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WORKED]  1 August 1998 2 September 1998 3 October 1998 4 November 1998 5 December 1998 6 January 1999 7 February 1999 8 March 1999 9 April 1999 10 May 1999 11 June 1999 12 July 1999 13 August 1999 14 September 1999 15 October 1999 16 November 1999 17 December 1999 18 During every month up to the present month
V1427	D36 There have been (DISPLAY NUMBER OF WEEKS) weeks since your last interview. In how many of those (SAY NUMBER OF WEEKS) weeks would you say you have done any paid work in a job or your own business?

#### **SECTION E: JOB HISTORY AND JOB TRAINING**

PREE1 IF D34=0 - SKIP TO PREE13 IF D4=1 GO TO E3, IF D4=2 GO TO E2a OTHERWISE GO TO E1.

**V1428** E1 Now I have a few questions about your most recent other job.

**A-C** In your most recent other job, who did you work for?

(RECORD BUSINESS NAME OF EMPLOYER IF SELF EMPLOYED, RECORD BUSINESS NAME, IF ANY, OR NAME OF RESPONDENT)

NOW GO TO E2b

**V1429** E2a Now I have a few questions about your most recent other job What kind of work did you do in that job?

E2b What kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

NOW GO TO E4

**V1430** E3 I would now like to ask about other jobs you've had since your last interview. Thinking about the second job you have now, what kind of work do you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND DESCRIPTION OF MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN JOB)

V1431 E4 What was/is your employer's main kind of business?

(PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES,

e.g. Manufactures men's shirts, Sells electrical appliances, Fast food retailer)

V1432 E5 How many hours per week did/do you usually work in that job? (IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)

Record Numeric Response 1 TO 100 Don't Know 999

- **V1433** E6 Did/do you work for wages or salary with an employer, were/are you self employed in your own business, or did/do you work in some other way?
  - 1 Wages/salary

2 Own business

Go to PREE8

3 Other way

Go to

PREE8

4 Don't know

Go to PREE8

**V1434** E7 How much was/is your usual **gross weekly pay** from that job - that is, before tax or anything else was/is taken out?

Record Dollar Amount

Don't Know 9999

# PREE8 IF D34=2 OR MORE - GO TO E8 OTHERWISE GO TO PREE13

**V1435** E8 Now thinking of your NEXT MOST RECENT other job, what kind of work did you do in that job?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN THAT JOB)

\$1 to 5000

V1436 E9 What was your employer's main kind of business?
 (PROBE FOR DESCRIPTION OF MAIN BUSINESS ACTIVITIES, e.g. Manufactures men's shirts, sells electrical appliances, Fast Food

retailer)

V1437 E10 How many hours per week did you usually work in that job? (IF HOURS VARY ASK AND RECORD HOW MANY HOURS PER WEEK ON AVERAGE)

Record Numeric Response 1 TO 100 Don't Know 999

- **V1438** E11 Did you work for wages or salary with an employer, were you self employed in your own business, or did you work in some other way?
  - 1 Wages/salary

2 Own business

Go to PREE13

3 Other way

Go to

PREE 13

4 Don't know

Go to PREE13

**V1439** E12 How much was your usual **gross weekly pay** from that job - that is, before tax or anything else was taken out?

Record Dollar Amount \$1 to 5000

Don't Know 9999

PREE13 IF D7=1 AND D17=1, GO TO E13
IF D17=1 AND D25 ANSWERED, GO TO E13
IF E1 ANSWERED AND E6=1, GO TO E31

OTHERWISE GO TO PREF1

- V1440 E13 Now I'd like to ask you about any job training you may have done since the your last interview. Job training is training designed to improve your job skills. It does not include formal study for educational qualifications such as apprenticeships or traineeships. As part of your job with (EMPLOYER) have you attended any classroom based training or lectures at your workplace, since your last interview?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to E16

V1441	E14 On how many days did you attend training classes at your workplace? days				
V1442	E15 On average, how many hours per day did you attend these training classes?  hours				
V1443	E16 As part of your training with (EMPLOYER) have you attended any training classes anywhere else, since your last interview?  1 Yes				
V1444	2 No <b>Go to E19</b> E17 On how many days did you attend training classes away from your workplace? days				
V1445	E18 On average, how many hours per day did you spend at these training classes?  hours				
V1446	E19 Apart from classes, have you received any kind of job training at all from other people at work, since your last interview?  1 Yes 2 No <b>Go to E21</b>				
V1447	E20 Was any of this training provided by someone whose main job is providing training to other workers?  1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't know				
V1448	E21 In your job with (EMPLOYER) were there any skills you had to teach yourself?  1 Yes 2 No				
	IF TRAINING RECEIVED - E13=1 OR E16=1 OR E19=1, GO TO E22 OTHERWISE GO TO PREF1				
V1449	E22 I would like to find out what you learned from this job training. Would you say you've learned any <b>new skills</b> , that is things which were <b>totally</b> new to you?  1 Yes 2 No				
V1450	E23 Would you say you added to skills you already had?  1 Yes 2 No				
V1451	E24 Sometimes people need job training because of changes to the business.  Did <b>you</b> need job training because your employer changed the kind of machinery or equipment being used?  1 Yes 2 No				

V1452	E25 Did <b>you</b> need job training because of a change in the kind of work being done?  1 Yes 2 No
V1453	E26 Sometimes job training can help with promotion or finding another job.  Has your job training helped you to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with (EMPLOYER)?  1 Yes Go to E28 2 No
V1454	E27 Do you think it <b>could</b> help you later on to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with (EMPLOYER)?  1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't know
V1455	E28 Could it help you get a more responsible kind of job, doing the same kind of work, with another employer?  1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't know
V1456	E29 Could it help you get a different kind of job somewhere else?  1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't know
V1457	E30 In your job with (EMPLOYER), do you think you've had <b>too much</b> job training, <b>too little</b> , or about the <b>right amount</b> for the work you do?  1 Too much 2 Too little 3 About right
	NOW GO TO PREF1
V1458	E31 Now I would like to ask you about any <b>job training</b> you may have done with (EMPLOYER). Job training is training designed to <b>improve your job skills</b> . It does <b>not</b> include formal study for educational qualifications such as apprenticeships or traineeships.  As part of your job with (EMPLOYER), did you attend any classroom based training or lectures at your workplace?  1 Yes 2 No Go to E34
V1459	E32 On how many days did you attend training classes at your workplace? days
V1460	E33 On average, how many hours per day did you attend these training classes?  hours

V1461	E34 As part of your job with (EMPLOYER), did you attended any training classes anywhere else?  1 Yes			
	2 No <b>Go to E37</b>			
V1462	E35 On how many days did you attend training classes away from your workplace? days			
V1463	E36 On average, how many hours per day did you spend at these training classes?  hours			
V1464	E37 Apart from the classes, did you receive any kind of job training at all from other people at work?  1 Yes 2 No Go to E39			
V1465	E38 Was any of this training provided by someone whose main job was providing training to other workers?  1 Yes 2 No 3 Don't know			
V1466	E39 In your job with (EMPLOYER), were there any skills you had to teach yourself?  1 Yes 2 No  IF TRAINING RECEIVED - E31=1 OR E34=1 OR E37=1, GO TO E40			
	OTHERWISE GO TO PREF1			
V1467	E40 I would like to find out what you learned from this job training. Would you say you learned any <b>new skills</b> , that is things which were <b>totally</b> new to you?  1 Yes 2 No			
V1468	E41 Would you say you added to skills you already had?  1 Yes 2 No			
V1469	E42 Sometimes people need job training because of changes to the business.  Did <b>you</b> need job training because your employer changed the kind of machinery or equipment being used?  1 Yes 2 No			
V1470	E43 Did <b>you</b> need job training because of a change in the kind of work being done?  1 Yes 2 No			

**V1471** E44 Sometimes job training can help with promotion or finding another job.

Did your job training help you to get a promotion, a pay rise or a more responsible job with (EMPLOYER)?

- 1 Yes
- Go to E46
- 2 No
- **V1472** E45 Do you think it could help you get a more responsible kind of job, doing the same kind of work, with another employer?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Don't know
- V1473 E46 Do you think it could help you get a different kind of job?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Don't know
- **V1474** E47 In your job with (EMPLOYER), do you think you had **too much** job training, **too little**, or about the **right amount** for the work you did?
  - 1 Too much
  - 2 Too little
  - 3 About right

### **SECTION F: JOB SEARCH ACTIVITY**

# PREF1 IF D4=1 OR 2, GO TO F9 OTHERWISE, GO TO F1

- **V1475** F1 At any time in the last four weeks, have you been looking for work?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No **Go to F9**
- **V1476** F2 Have you been looking for full time work, or **ONLY** part time work?

# (IF LOOKING FOR BOTH FULL AND PART TIME JOB, CODE AS FULL TIME)

- 1 Full time **Go to F4**
- 2 Only part time
- **V1477** F3 If you could, would you prefer to have a full time job?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - F4 I am going to read a list of things that people do when looking for a job. As I read each of them please tell me which, if any, you have done in the last four weeks.

In the last four weeks, have you...

V1478	Written, phoned or contacted an employer about a job		
V1479	Looked in newspapers for a job	Yes/No	
V1480	Answered a newspaper advertisement for a job	Yes/No	
V1481	Checked factory notice boards, or used the touchscreens		
	at Centrelink offices	Yes/No	
V1482	Been registered with Centrelink as a jobseeker	Yes/No	
V1483	Checked or registered with any other employment agency	Yes/No	
V1484	Contacted friends or relatives about a job	Yes/No	
V1485	Asked school or another organisation for advice	Yes/No	

F5 I am going to read out some problems that people can have when looking for work. As I read each of them please tell me whether you have or have not had that problem

Have you personally had trouble finding a job...

V1486	Because of a health problem or some disability			
V1487	Because employers think you are too young	Yes/No		
V1488	Because of problems with childcare	Yes/No		
V1489	Because you don't have suitable transport	Yes/No		
V1490	Because you don't have enough or the right kind of			
	education or training	Yes/No		
V1491	Because you don't have enough work experience	Yes/No		
V1492	Because there aren't enough jobs available	Yes/No		
V1493	Because of being (male/female)	Yes/No		
V1494	Because of your racial or ethnic background	Yes/No		

- **V1495** F6 If you'd found a job, could you have started work last week?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

# PREF7 IF REGISTERED WITH CENTRELINK (F4e =yes) GO TO F10 OTHERWISE GO TO F7

**V1496** F7 What are the reasons you are not registered with Centrelink as a jobseeker?

# (PROBE FOR DETAILS AND RECORD VERBATIM, THEN CODE BELOW)

- 1 Not eligible for Youth Allowance
- 2 Centrelink no use / Don't need or want to register
- 3 Didn't know I could
- 4 Don't know what Centrelink does
- 5 Haven't got around to it, but intend to
- 6 No particular reason/ Don't know
- 7 Other (SPECIFY)
- 8 Full-time student/waiting for school to finish
- 9 Don't have time
- 10 Only looking for part-time/casual/holiday work
- 11 Not looking for work until now/have only just started looking
- 12 Do job seeking myself
- **V1497** F8 Are you presently registered as unemployed with a Job Network member or provider?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 3 Don't know

### **NOW GO TO F10**

- **V1498** F9 Since your last interview, has there been any time when you were NOT working BUT looking for work?
  - 1 Yes

Go to F10

2 No

# PREF10 IF F1=2 GO TO G1, OTHERWISE GO TO H1

- V1499 F10 During which months since your last interview have you beenNOT working BUT looking for work?
- V1510 [CODE ALL MONTHS DURING WHICH RESPONDENT WAS UNEMPLOYED]
  - 1 August 1998
  - 2 September 1998
  - 3 October 1998
  - 4 November 1998
  - 5 December 1998
  - 6 January 1999
  - 7 February 1999
  - 8 March 1999
  - 9 April 1999
  - 10 May 1999
  - 11 June 1999
  - 12 July 1999
  - 13 August 1999
  - 14 September 1999
  - 15 October 1999
  - 16 November 1999
  - 17 December 1999
  - 18 During every month up to the present month
- V1511 F11 There have been (NUMBER OF WEEKS) weeks since your last interview. In how many of those (NUMBER OF WEEKS) would you say you have been NOT working BUT looking for work?
  \_\_\_\_\_\_ weeks

IF F1=2 GO TO G1 OTHERWISE GO TO H1

### SECTION G: NOT IN THE LABOUR FORCE

- PREG1 IF IN FULL TIME STUDY (C10=1, OR G3=6, OR C14=1), OR IF AT SCHOOL (A1=1, OR A2=2), OR HAS A JOB (D4=1/2)
  GO TO H1
- **V1512** G1 What would you say is your present **main** activity?
  - 1 Study/training
  - 2 Home duties/looking after children
  - 3 Travel or holiday
  - 4 Ill/unable to work
  - 5 Volunteer/Unpaid work/Caring for others
  - 6 Other (SPECIFY)
- **V1513** G2 How likely is it that you will begin full time study in the next twelve months? Is it *very likely*, *somewhat likely*, *not very likely or not at all likely*?
  - 1 Very likely
  - 2 Somewhat likely
  - 3 Not very likely
  - 4 Not at all likely
- **V1514** G3 How likely is it that you will start to look for work in the next twelve months? Is it *very likely, somewhat likely, not very likely or not at all likely?* 
  - 1 Very likely
  - 2 Somewhat likely
  - 3 Not very likely
  - 4 Not at all likely

# SECTION H: LIVING ARRANGEMENTS AND FINANCE

	PRE	CH9 IF H6=5 THEN GO TO	Hy. ELSE	O TO PKEH12.
V1527 V1528		Child 1 Child 2	,	10 #0 PPPU10
V1526	H7 H8	How many children do you  How old (is/are) your child(		
71.50		CH7 IF NO OWN CHILDRED		HOLD - GO TO PREH9
		9 Non-relatives		
		<ul><li>7 Own children (includir</li><li>8 Other relatives</li></ul>	ig step-childi	enj
		6 Boyfriend/Girlfriend/I		-on)
		5 Husband/Wife/De Fac	eto	
		4 Sister(s)/Step-sister(s)	` '	
V1525		<ul><li>2 Mother/Step-mother</li><li>3 Brother(s)/Step-brothe</li></ul>	er(s)	
V1521	Н6	What relationship is (that I 1 Father/Step-father	person/each	of them) <b>to you</b> ?
	<b>_</b> =			6.4
		RECORD NUMBER	0 1 or more	GO TO H16
V1520		Apart from yourself, how sehold?	_	
		6 Somewhere else? (SPE	CIFY)	GO TO H16
		5 a hostel or boarding he	ouse?	GO TO H16
		4 a university or TAFE r		GO TO H16
		<ul><li>2 a shared house or flat</li><li>3 a private house as a be</li></ul>		
		1 a place you are renting 2 a shared house or flat		
V1519	H4	Are you living in: (REAL	,	
		2 Somewhere else		
		<ul><li>1 In your parents home</li><li>2 Somewhere else</li></ul>	Go to H5	
1010		ally live in your parent's hon	ne or somewh	
V1518	ПЗ	Now some questions about	vour living o	rrangements? Do vou
A 1017		Don't Know 88 (Mont	h/Year)	
V1516 V1517		Month Year 97, 98, 99		
	H2		lid you get m	arried?
		6 Divorced	GO TO H3	
		5 Separated		Ю НЗ
		4 Widowed	GO ТО НЗ	
		3 Married	GO 10 H3	
		<ol> <li>Single/Never married</li> <li>De Facto</li> </ol>	GO TO H3 GO TO H3	
V1515	пі	what is your present marit		(DO NOT READ OUT)

- **V1529** H9 Does your (husband/wife/partner) presently work in a job or business?
  - 1 Yes

Go to H11

- 2 No
- **V1530** H10 Is your (husband/wife/partner) **mainly** looking for work, studying or doing something else such as home duties?
  - 1 Looking for work
  - 2 Studying
  - 3 Home duties
  - 4 Retired
  - 5 Other (SPECIFY)

#### **NOW GO TO H16**

**V1531** H11 What kind of work does he/she do?

(PROBE FOR JOB TITLE AND MAIN DUTIES PERFORMED IN THAT JOB)

#### NOW GO TO H16

PREH12 IF MOTHER/STEP-MOTHER PRESENT IN HOUSEHOLD (H6=2) - ASK H12 OTHERWISE GO TO PREH14

**V1532** H12 Does your [mother/step mother) presently work in a job or business?

(INTERVIEWER NOTE: MOTHER/STEP MOTHER REFERRED TO IS CURRENTLY PART OF HOUSEHOLD)

1 Yes

Go to PREH14

- 2 No
- **V1533** H13 Is your [mother/step mother) **mainly** looking for work, studying or doing something else such as home duties?
  - 1 Looking for work
  - 2 Studying
  - 3 Home duties
  - 4 Retired
  - 5 Other (SPECIFY)

# PREH14 IF FATHER/STEP-FATHER PRESENT IN HOUSEHOLD (H6=1) - ASK H14 OTHERWISE GO TO H16

**V1534** H14 Does your [father/step father) presently work in a job or business?

(INTERVIEWER NOTE: FATHER/STEP FATHER REFERRED TO IS CURRENTLY PART OF HOUSEHOLD)

1 Yes

Go to H16

2 No

- **V1535** H15 Is your [father/step father) **mainly** looking for work, studying or doing something else such as home duties?
  - 1 Looking for work
  - 2 Studying
  - 3 Home duties
  - 4 Retired
  - 5 Other (SPECIFY)
- V1536 H16 Apart from Youth allowance or other study assistance, what
  government payments, if any, are you (or your husband/wife/partner)
  presently receiving?
- V1542 (DO NOT READ OUT MULTIPLES ACCEPTED)
  (INTERVIEWER NOTE: ENSURE YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED HERE IS
  NOT YOUTH ALLOWANCE REPORTED IN SECTION A or C)
  - 1 Youth Allowance (that is unemployment assistance)
  - 2 Sole Parent Pension
  - 3 Sickness Allowance
  - 4 Disability Support Pension
  - 5 Family Payment
  - 6 Any other allowance (SPECIFY)
  - 7 (None of these)

Go to J1

V1543 H17 How much per fortnight are you (or your husband/wife/partner) currently receiving in total from (SAY ANSWER(S) FROM H16)? (PROBE FOR BEST ESTIMATE)

RECORD AMOUNT \$\_\_\_\_\_ Don't know 999

### **SECTION J: GENERAL ATTITUDES**

J1 I am now going to read out a list of different aspects of your life. As I read them tell me whether you are very happy, fairly unhappy or very unhappy with each one. Firstly, how happy are you with ...

# (STATEMENTS APPEAR IN RANDOM ORDER)

- **V1544** The work you do, at school, at home or in a job.
- **V1545** What you do in your spare time
- **V1546** How you get on with people in general
- **V1547** The money you get each week
- V1548 Your social life
- V1549 Your independence being able to do what you want
- **V1550** Your career prospects
- **V1551** Your future
- V1552 Your life as a whole
- V1553 Your standard of living
- **V1554** The way the country is run
- **V1555** The state of the economy
- **V1556** Where you live
- V1557 Your life at home
  - 1 Very happy
  - 2 Fairly happy
  - 3 Fairly unhappy
  - 4 Very unhappy
  - 5 (Unsure/can't say)
  - J2 In your spare time, outside study or work, how often do you
- **V1558** Go to the library
- V1559 Read books
- **V1560** Read newspapers or magazines
- **V1561** Use the Internet
- **V1562** Play sport or do regular exercise
- **V1563** Take part in any community based activity, such as a political group scouts, choir group etc.?
  - 1 At least once a week (including once a week)
  - 2 At least once a month but less than once a week
  - 3 At least once every 3 months but less often than once a month
  - 4 At least once a year but less often than once every 3 months
  - 5 Less often than once a year
  - 6 Never

# J3 Have you ever done any of the following kinds of community volunteer work?

V1564	Meals on Wheels?	Yes/No
V1565	St Johns Ambulance?	Yes/No
V1566	Lifeline or Youthline?	Yes/No
V1567	Reading for the blind?	Yes/No
V1568	Voluntary Church or Youth Group work?	Yes/No
V1569	Home help for elderly or incapacitated people?	Yes/No
V1570	Coaching or other volunteer work in sporting activities?	Yes/No
V1571	Volunteer child care after school or on weekends?	Yes/No
V1572	Anything else I haven't mentioned?	Yes/No

# PREJ4 IF ANY 'YES' IN J3, ASK J4 OTHERWISE ASK J5

- **V1573** J4 How often would you take part in any kind of community volunteer work?
  - 1 Once a week or more often
  - 2 At least once a month but less than once a week
  - 3 At least once every 3 months but less often than once a month
    - 4 At least once a year but less often than once every 3 months
    - 5 Less often than once a year
    - 6 No longer do community volunteer work
  - J5 The next question is about learning.

For each statement I read out, please tell me whether you have **no interest**, **only a little interest**, **some**, **a lot**, **or a great deal of interest**.

- **V1574** How much interest do you have in the prospect of learning new things? Is it....
- **V1575** How much interest do you have in thinking about why the world's in the state it is?
- **V1576** In finding out why something happened the way it did?
- **V1577** In finding out more about things that you don't understand?
- **V1578** How much interest do you have in finding out more about a new idea? Is it ....
- **V1579** In finding out how something works?
- **V1580** In improving your skills after you have started work?
- V1581 Learning new skills after you have started work?
  - 1 None
  - 2 A little
  - 3 Some
  - 4 A lot
  - 5 A great deal

# **SECTION K: TRACKING QUESTIONS**

K1 This survey is part of a project in which young people are interviewed each year. Just in case you move, it helps for us to record the names and addresses of some friends or relatives who will know how we could contact you.

- V1582 K2a (CHECK CONTACT SHEET ARE CONTACT 1 DETAILS PROVIDED)
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K2d

- **V1583** K2b You told us that (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 1) is likely to know where you'll be over the next year. Is (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 1) the person **most** likely to know where you will be in 12 months time?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K2d

**V1584** K2c I'll just confirm that we have correctly recorded the information you told us about (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 1).

# (SPELL OUT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND RELATIONSHIP DETAILS FROM CONTACT SHEET)

1 Details correct as recorded

Go to K3a

2 Changes required - record on Contact Sheet

Go to K3a

- **V1585** K2d Can you tell me who is the person **most** likely to know where you'll be living over the next year?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K3a

- K2e RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 1 ON CONTACT SHEET
- V1586 K3a (CHECK CONTACT SHEET ARE CONTACT 2 DETAILS PROVIDED)
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K3d

- **V1587** K3b You told us that (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 2) is also likely to know where you'll be over the next year. Is (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 2) still likely to know where you will be in 12 months time?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K3d

**V1588** K3c I'll just confirm that we have correctly recorded the information you told us about (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 2).

# (SPELL OUT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND RELATIONSHIP DETAILS FROM CONTACT SHEET)

1 Details correct as recorded

Go to K4a

- 2 Changes required record on Contact Sheet
- Go to K4a
- **V1589** K3d Can you tell me another person who is likely to know where you'll be living over the next year?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to K4a

K3e RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 2 ON CONTACT SHEET

### V1590 K4a (CHECK CONTACT SHEET - ARE CONTACT 3 DETAILS PROVIDED)

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Go to K4d

**V1591** K4b You also told us that (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 3) is likely to know where you'll be over the next year. Is (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 3) still likely to know where you will be in 12 months time?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No

Go to K4d

**V1592** K4c I'll just confirm that we have correctly recorded the information you told us about (SAY NAME OF CONTACT 3).

# (SPELL OUT NAME, ADDRESS, TELEPHONE NUMBER AND RELATIONSHIP DETAILS FROM CONTACT SHEET)

1 Details correct as recorded

Go to Finish

2 Changes required - record on Contact Sheet

Go to Finish

- **V1593** K4d Can you tell me another person who is likely to know where you'll be living over the next year?
  - 1 Yes
  - 2 No

Go to Finish

# K4e RECORD FULL DETAILS OF CONTACT 3 ON CONTACT SHEET

**FINISH** Thank you very much for your help with this interview. As part of the survey program, we will be writing to you around Christmas time and look forward to talking to you again next year.

#### V1594 K9 RECORD RESPONDENT LOCATION

- 1 NSW
- 2 VIC
- 3 QLD
- 4 SA
- 5 WA
- 6 TAS
- 7 NT
- 8 ACT

# V1595 DATE OF INTERVIEW