
ROUND 2 QUESTIONNAIRE

HOUSEHOLD INCOME UPDATE

This brief questionnaire collected basic income information from one of the respondent's parents. The parent answered these questions on a self-administered paper instrument, reproduced below. Interviewers then entered the data into a computer-assisted questionnaire on their laptops and attached the information to the records of all NLSY97 youths in the household. For more information, researchers should consult the *NLSY97 User's Guide*.

Each question actually produced two variables; the first "yes/no question" reports whether the parent or spouse/partner received a given form of income and the second provides the actual amount. The question names and reference numbers used for each question on the CD-ROM are listed to the right of the instrument.

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	1997 Household Income Update	
	In our interview last year, we asked an adult in your household to participate in a lengthy interview. This year, we ask you to give us a brief update on a single topic. To help us process your information accurately, please give us your best estimate for each question. Please do not omit any question. We appreciate your cooperation.	
yes/no question: HIU-1 (R23993.)	1. During 1997, did you receive any income from wages, salaries, commissions or tips?	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → About how much did you receive (pre-tax)? \$_____00.	
amount: HIU-2 (R23994.)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
	2. During 1997, did your spouse or partner receive any income from wages, salaries, commissions or tips?	
yes/no question: HIU-3 (R23995.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → About how much did your spouse/partner receive (pre-tax)? \$_____00.	
	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
amount: HIU-4 (R23996.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable because I have no spouse or partner	
	3. During 1997, did you and/or your spouse or partner receive any other income? Please include all sources, such as:	
	farm or business income, interest or dividends, gifts or inheritances, pension incomes,	alimony/child support payments, rental income, government programs (food stamps, Social Security, unemployment insurance).
yes/no question: HIU-5 (R23997.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes → About how much other income was received (pre-tax)? \$_____00.	
amount: HIU-6 (R23998.)	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
	Please place your completed form in the envelope provided and return the sealed envelope to the NLSY97 interviewer.	
	<i>Thank you very much!</i>	