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The follow-up questionnaire for the main respondents

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Basic Information

A01 What is your biological sex?

- (1) Male (2) Female

First, we'd like to ask a few questions that were already asked last year, just to confirm the background information

A02 Which year were you born in? _____(Year)

A03 What is your highest level of education?

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| (01) None or not (yet) attending school | (02) Self-educated or literacy |
| (03) Elementary school | (04) Junior high school |
| (05) Junior vocational school | (06) Senior high school (general track) |
| (07) Senior high school (vocational track) | (08) Vocational high school |
| (09) Five-year junior college | (10) Two-year junior college |
| (11) Three-year junior college | (12) University of science and technology or Technical college |
| (13) University or College | (14) Master's degree |
| (15) Doctoral degree | (97) Other_____ |
| (00) Not applicable | |

A04 How would you rate your current health condition?

- (1) Very good (2) Good (3) Fair (4) Poor (5) Very poor (97) Other_____

Life Course

Taiwan's education system has been undergoing rapidly changes in recent years. We'd like to learn about your personal experiences with education to help inform the ongoing reforms.

B01 At what year did you first enter elementary school? _____(Year)

B02 b02a What language did you speak primarily at home before going to elementary school?

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|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Minnan (Taiwanese Hokkien) | (2) Hakka |
| (3) Mandarin Chinese | (4) Indigenous languages |
| (5) Other Chinese dialects | (97) Other_____ |

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent says they use two languages at home and cannot select a primary one, please select 'Other' and specify which two languages in detail.)

b02b At that time, how would you rate your proficiency in Mandarin Chinese before entering elementary school? (0 for No proficiency; 10 for Native speaker level.)
Mandarin _____

Next, we'd like to know about your personal educational journey

(Interviewer's Note: Please based on the respondent's answer to A03 in "Section A. Basic Information", inquire about their highest level of education accordingly.)

B03 What did you do right after elementary school?

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|------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| (1) Continue Schooling | (2) Grade Retention | (3) On Apprenticeship |
| (4) Worked | (5) Worked for Family | (6) Stay at home |
| (97) Other_____ | | |

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent's highest level of education is elementary school, skip to B8a. If the respondent's education level is higher than elementary school, proceed with the following questions.)

B04 b04a When did you first enter junior high school/vocational school? _____(Year)

b04b What kind of schools did you mainly attend when you were in junior high school?

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| (1) Junior High school (before 1968) | (2) Junior High School (after 1968) | |
| (3) Junior Vocational School (3 years) | (4) Junior College (5 years) | |
| (5) Junior College (6 years, before 1968) | (6) Normal school | (97) Other_____ |

b04c Was your junior high school a public school or a private school?

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|-------------------|--------------------|
| (1) Public school | (2) Private school |
|-------------------|--------------------|

b04d Did you obtain a diploma in junior high school?

- (1) Yes (2) No

b04e In which year did you complete or leave junior high school? _____(Year)

b04f What did you do right after this educational stage?

- (1) Continue Schooling (2) Grade Retention (3) On Apprenticeship
(4) Worked (5) Worked for Family (6) Stay at home
(97) Other_____

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent's highest level of education is junior high school or junior vocational school, skip to B08a. If the respondent's education level is higher than junior high or junior vocational school, proceed with the following questions.)

B05 b05a When did you first enter [senior high school/vocational high school/five-year junior college]? _____(Year)

b05b What kind of schools did you mainly attend during this educational stage?

- (1) Senior high school (general track) (2) Senior high school (vocational track)
(3) Vocational high school (general track) (4) Vocational high school (vocational Track)
(5) five-year junior college (6) Six-year junior college of nursing
(7) Normal school (8) Military school
(97) Other_____

b05c Was your [senior high school/vocational high school/five-year junior college] a public school or a private school?

- (1) Public school (2) Private school

b05d Did you obtain a diploma in [senior high school/vocational high school/five-year junior college]?

- (1) Yes (2) No

b05e In which year did you complete or leave [senior high school/vocational high school/five-year junior college]? _____(Year)

b05f What did you do right after this educational stage?

- (1) Continue Schooling (2) Grade Retention (3) On Apprenticeship
(4) Worked (5) Worked for Family (6) Stay at home
(97) Other_____

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent's highest level of education is senior high school, vocational high school, or a five-year junior college, skip to B08a. If the respondent's education level is higher than any of these, proceed with the following questions.)

B06 b06a When did you first enter [two-year junior college/three-year junior college/technical college/university/college]? _____(Year)

b06b What kind of schools [did/do] you mainly attend during this educational stage?

- (1) Two-year junior college (2) Three-year junior college
- (3) Technical college (university of science and technology)
- (4) University or college (5) Military academics
- (6) Four-year technical college (7) Two-year technical college
- (97) Other_____

b06c [Was/Is] your [two-year junior college/three-year junior college/technical college (university of science and technology)/university/college] a public school or a private school?

- (1) Public school (2) Private school

b06d Did you obtain a diploma in [two-year junior college/ three-year junior college/

- (1) Yes (2) No

b06e In which year did you complete or leave [two-year junior college/ three-year junior college/technical college (university of science and technology)/university/college]? _____(Year)

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent's highest level of education is a two-year or three-year junior college, technical college, university or college, skip to B08a. If the respondent's education level is higher than any of these, proceed with the following questions.)

B07 b07a When did you first enter graduate school (master's degree/doctoral degree)? _____(Year)

b07b Did you obtain a diploma in graduate school?

- (1) Yes (2) No

b07c In which year did you complete or leave graduate school? _____(Year)

Next, we'd like to ask you about some of your other life experiences.

B08 b08a Have you ever served in the military?

- (1) Yes (ask b08b) (2) No (skip to B9)

When did you serve in the military service?

b08b01 From _____(Year)

b08b02 to _____(Year)

B09 When did you start your first full-time job? _____(Year)

B10 When was your first marriage? _____(Year)

B11 When did you have your first child? _____(Year)

B12 b12a When did you buy your first house? _____(Year)

Where did the money for buying the house primarily come from at that time? (You may select multiple options, up to two choices.)

b12b01 Primary source of funding

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|--|---------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Savings | (2) Family support | (3) Loan from government |
| (4) Loan from companies | (5) Loan from banks | |
| (6) Loan from other private sources (including ROSCAs) | (97) Other_____ | |

b12b02 Secondary source of funding

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|--|---------------------|--------------------------|
| (1) Savings | (2) Family support | (3) Loan from government |
| (4) Loan from companies | (5) Loan from banks | |
| (6) Loan from other private sources (including ROSCAs) | (97) Other_____ | |

B13 b13a Have you participated in any training or courses to improve your language, computer, or other skills for your career development?

- (1) Yes (2) No

B13b Do you have qualification certificate from the Senior (or Junior) Examination?

- (1) Yes (2) No

B13c Have you obtained any professional or technical licenses through an examination or formal certification process?

- (1) Yes (2) No

B14 b14a Have you ever start your own business?

- (1) Yes (ask b14b) (2) No (skip to Section C. Working Status)

b14b If yes, when did you start it? _____(Year)

b14c What industry are you in? (Industry code)

b14d Where did the startup capital primarily come from at that time?

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|--------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) Savings | (2) Family support | (3) Joint investment with friends |
| (4) Loan from government | (5) Loan from banks | |

(6) Borrowing money from friends or participating in ROSCAs (97) Other_____

b14e How many employees were there at that time?

b14f Is this business still ongoing?

(1) Yes (ask b14g) (2) No (skip to b14h)

b14g How many employees are there currently? (skip to Section C. Working Status)

b14h If the business has ended, when did that happen? _____(Year)

Working Status

Next, we'd like to ask about your work experience, starting with your current employment situation.

Definition of Work (Considered as employed if either of the following applies):

- 1. Engaged in any paid activity (whether regular or temporary).**
- 2. Unpaid family worker with more than 15 hours per week or at least 3 hours per day.**

C01 c01a Since our last interview in January last year, has your work situations changed?

- (1) Nothing changed (ask c01b)
- (2) Changed to a different job (skip to C02)
- (3) Was not working before, but has a job now (skip to c03a01)
- (4) Had a job before, but is not working now (skip to C16)
- (5) Neither worked at the last interview nor now, but was working at some point last year (skip to C16)
- (6) Nothing changed, still not working and did not work at any time last year (skip to C16)
- (0) Not applicable (skip to C20)

c01b If you are still working the same job, have any of your position or responsibilities changed?

- (1) No, nothing changed (skip to c07a01)
- (2) Yes, something changed (skip to c03a01)

C02 What was the main reason for leaving your previous job?

- (01) Got headhunted
- (02) To start a new business
- (03) Not satisfied with the job
- (04) Moved away
- (05) Got laid off
- (06) Factory or company closed down
- (97) Other_____

C03 c03a01 What industry are you in? (Industry code)

c03a02 What is your occupation? (Occupation code)

c03b Who do you work for?

- (1) Self-employed without employees (skip to C05)
- (2) Self-employed with employees (ask C04)
- (3) Private employer or organization (ask C04)
- (4) Public enterprise (ask C04)
- (5) Family business with a regular salary (ask C04)
- (6) Government agency (including public schools, public hospitals, etc) (skip to C05)
- (7) Non-profit organization (including private schools, non-profit hospitals, etc) (skip to C05)

(8) Family business without salary (skip to C05)

(97) Other_____ (skip to C05)

C04 How many people work there (including yourself)?

- (1) 1-3 (2) 4-9
- (3) 10-29 (4) 30-49
- (5) 50-99 (6) 100-499
- (7) 500 or more

C05 How did you find your current job?

- (1) Through family members (2) Through relatives or a relative's company
- (3) Through hometown connections (4) Through friends
- (5) Through teachers (6) Through self-initiated applications
- (7) Through headhunting (8) Through entrepreneurship
- (97) Other_____

C06 c06z01 Where is your current job located?

- (1) Taiwan (2) Hong Kong/Macau/Mainland China
- (3) Other countries or regions (please specify) (4) No fixed place of work (please specify)

c06z02 Where is your current job located? (In Taiwan)

How are you paid for this job? How much do you earn per month from this payment method?

C07 c07a01 Hourly, monthly, or other regular rates

- (0) No (1) Yes

c07a02 Hourly, monthly, or other regular rates - Monthly average of NT\$_____

c07a03 Bonus, dividend, or other variable income

- (0) No (1) Yes

c07a04 Bonus, dividend, or other variable income - Monthly average of NT\$_____

c07a05 Other

- (0) No (1) Yes

c07a06 Other - Monthly average of NT\$_____

c07b What is your average monthly income for this job (not including side income)? Average monthly pre-

tax income: NT\$_____

C08 How many hours do you work per week on average? _____hours

C09z01 How long have you been working at this job?

- (1) Not started yet (skip to C16)
- (2) Less than a year
- (3) More than a year

C09z02 How long have you been working at this job? _____years

C09z03 How long have you been working at this job? _____months

C10 Do you feel secure about your current job for the next year?

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

C11 How long is your daily commute?

Approximately _____minutes based on your main transportation method

C12 Do you use a computer for your job?

- (1) Yes
- (2) No

**Does your current employer or company offer the following fringe benefits to employees in your position?
(Regardless of whether you receive them or not)**

C13 c13z01 Medical, accident, or life insurance (not including NHI, National Health Insurance)

- (0) No
- (1) Yes

c13z02 Loans at low or subsidized interest rates

- (0) No
- (1) Yes

c13z03 Dormitory or housing allowance

- (0) No
- (1) Yes

c13z04 Private pension

- (0) No
- (1) Yes

c13z05 Education subsidies for children

- (0) No
- (1) Yes

c13z06 On-the-job training or further education courses

(0) No (1) Yes

At your workplace, do the following situations occur? (Please read each item aloud to the respondent.)

C14 c14z01 Compared to male employees in the same position, female employees have lower salaries

(1) Yes (2) No

c14z02 Female employees have more difficulty in getting promoted

(1) Yes (2) No

c14z03 Female employees may be fired, transferred, or affected in promotion because of pregnancy or marriage

(1) Yes (2) No

Does your current job have any of the following characteristics?

C15 c15z01 Vulnerable to chronic illnesses (e g , hearing impairment, lung diseases)

(0) No (1) Yes

c15z02 Dangerous or easy to get injured

(0) No (1) Yes

c15z03 High work pressure

(0) No (1) Yes

C16 c16z01 Have you been looking for a job or planning to start your own business in the past month (not including side jobs)?

(1) Yes (2) No (skip to C19)

c16z02 and ____ weeks

C17 What kind of job are you looking for? (Occupation code)

How do you look for a job?

C18 c18z01 Through family members

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z02 Through relatives

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z03 Through hometown connections

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z04 Through friends

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z05 Through teachers

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z06 Through a public or private employment agency

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z07 Through recruitment ads

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z08 Through self-initiated job applications

(0) No (1) Yes

c18z09 Other

(0) No (1) Yes

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent is not currently employed, proceed to C19; otherwise, skip to C20.)

C19 Which of the following best describes your situation about not working at the moment?

- (01) Stop working temporarily due to sickness, other personal reasons, or seasonal fluctuations, but will resume soon
- (02) Got an offer and waiting to start the job
- (03) Looking for work or waiting for responses to job applications
- (04) Studying, preparing for further education or other examinations
- (05) Keeping house
- (06) Not able to work because of health issues
- (07) Retired
- (08) Participating in specialty conversions, enhancement training or further education
- (09) Dissatisfied with the previous job and left
- (10) Company closed down due to economic downturn
- (11) Being laid off due to economic downturn
- (12) Not needing to work due to sufficient financial support from family
- (13) Taking care of young children at home
- (97) Other _____

C20 Since our last interview in January last year, has your marital status changed?

- (1) No (ask c21a) (2) Yes (skip to c21b)

C21 c21a What is your current marital status, if it has not changed?

- (1) Married (Including cohabitation) (skip to C25)
(2) Single (Including: Never married, Separated, Divorced and Widowed) (skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)

c21b What is your current marital status, if it has changed?

- (1) Married within the past year (ask C22)
(2) Separated within the past year (skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)
(3) Divorced within the past year (skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)
(4) Widowed within the past year (skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)

C22 When was your spouse born? _____(Year)

C23 Where do they come from?

- (1) Indigenous (2) Min Nan (Hokkien)
(3) Hakka (4) Mainlander
(97) Other_____

C24 c24a What is your spouse's highest level of education?

- (01) None or not (yet) attending school (02) Self-educated or literacy
(03) Elementary school (04) Junior high school
(05) Junior vocational school (06) Senior high school (general track)
(07) Senior high school (vocational track) (08) Vocational high school
(09) Five-year junior college (10) Two-year junior college
(11) Three-year junior college
(12) University of science and technology or Technical college
(13) University or College
(14) Master's degree
(15) Doctoral degree
(97) Other_____

c24b What is your father-in-law's highest level of education?

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|--|---|
| (01) None | (02) Self-educated |
| (03) Elementary School | (04) Junior High School |
| (05) Junior Vocational School | (06) Senior High School (General track) |
| (07) Senior High School (Vocational Track) | (08) Vocational High School |
| (09) Junior College (5 years) | (10) Junior College (2 years) |
| (11) Junior College (3 years) | (12) Technical College |
| (13) University or College | (14) Master Degree |
| (15) Doctoral Degree | (97) Other_____ |

C25 How is your spouse's current health condition?

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|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| (1) Very well | (2) Well | (3) Fair |
| (4) Poor | (5) Very poor | (97) Other_____ |

Next, we'd like to ask about changes in your spouse's work experience over the past year.

C26 c26a Since our last interview in January last year, has your spouse's work situation changed?

- (1) Nothing changed, still working for the same job (ask c26b)
- (2) Changed to a different job (skip to C27)
- (3) Was not working before, but has a job now (skip to c28a01)
- (4) Had a job before, but is not working now (skip to C32)
- (5) Neither worked at the last interview nor now, but was working at some point last year (skip to C32)
- (6) Nothing changed, still not working and did not work at any time last year (skip to C32)
- (0) Not applicable (skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)

c26b If your spouse is still working the same job, have any of their position or responsibilities changed?

- (1) No, nothing changed (skip to C30)
- (2) Yes, something changed (skip to c28a01)

C27 What was the main reason for your spouse to leave their previous job?

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| (1) Headhunted by another company | (2) To start a new business |
| (3) Not satisfied with the job | (4) Moved to another place |
| (5) Got laid off | (6) Company went out of business |

C28 c28a01 What industry is your spouse job in? (Industry code)

c28a02 What is your spouse's current job? (Occupation code)

c28b Who do they work for?

- (1) Self-employed without employees
- (2) Self-employed with employees
- (3) Private employer or organization
- (4) Public enterprise
- (5) Family business with a regular salary
- (6) Government agency (including public schools, public hospitals, etc)
- (7) Non-profit organization (including private schools, non-profit hospitals, etc)
- (8) Family business without salary
- (97) Other_____

C29 How did they find their current job?

- (1) Through family members
- (2) Through relatives or a relative's company
- (3) Through hometown connections
- (4) Through friends
- (5) Through teachers
- (6) Through self-initiated applications
- (7) Through headhunting
- (8) Through entrepreneurship
- (97) Other_____

C30 What is the average monthly income for their current job(not including side income)?

C31 How many hours does your spouse work per week on average?

(skip to Section D. Dwelling Arrangement)

C32 Why is your spouse not working at the moment?

- (01) Stop working temporarily due to sickness, other personal reasons, or seasonal fluctuations, but will resume soon

- (02) Got an offer and waiting to start the job
- (03) Looking for work or waiting for responses to job applications
- (04) Studying, preparing for further education or other examinations
- (05) Keeping house
- (06) Not able to work because of health issues
- (07) Retired
- (08) Participating in specialty conversions, enhancement training or further education
- (09) Dissatisfied with the previous job and left
- (10) Company closed down due to economic downturn
- (11) Being laid off due to economic downturn
- (12) Not needing to work due to sufficient financial support from family
- (13) Taking care of young children at home
- (97) Other_____

Dwelling Arrangement and Family members

D01 Do you plan to move to a country or region outside of Taiwan in the future?

- (1) Yes (ask D02) (2) No (skip to D03)

D02 What is the main reason for your plan to move to another country or region outside of Taiwan?

(Please read the answer choices aloud for the respondent to select.)

- (1) Changed jobs or job location (2) Spouse changed jobs or job location
(3) For children's education (4) Dissatisfaction with the domestic living environment
(5) For lower living expenses (6) Worry about Taiwan's political stability
(97) Other_____

Do you have any of the following relatives living in a country or region outside of Taiwan?

D03 d03z01 Parents or spouse's parents

- (0) No (1) Yes

d03z02 Children

- (0) No (1) Yes

d03z03 Siblings or spouse's siblings

- (0) No (1) Yes

d03z04 Other relatives

- (0) No (1) Yes

These people you live with include:

D04 d04z01 Spouse or cohabiting partner

d04z02 Married son

d04z03 Married daughter

d04z04 Unmarried son

d04z05 Unmarried daughter

d04z06 Paternal grandchild

d04z07 Child's spouse

d04z08 Parents

d04z09 Spouse's parents

d04z10 Other relatives

d04z11 Non-relatives

D05 Have you moved (changed your residence) since the last interview?

- (1) Yes (2) No (skip to D09)

D06 What was the main reason for your most recent move?

(If the respondent is unable to provide a specific answer, please read the answer choices aloud for them to select.)

- (1) Got married
- (2) Changed financial situation
- (3) Changed jobs or job location
- (4) Spouse changed jobs or job location
- (5) Convenience for children's education or care
- (6) Caring for parents or spouse's parents
- (7) Friction with parents, parents-in-law, or relatives living together
- (8) Needed more space for growing family
- (9) To live together with children or near their residence
- (97) Other_____

D07 d07a House ownership: Owned by...

- (1) You or your spouse/partner (skip to d07c01)
- (2) Rented (including student dormitories) (ask d07b)
- (3) Borrowed (ask d07b)
- (4) Government or company dormitory (including military camp) (ask d07b)
- (5) Military dependents' village (skip to d07c01)
- (6) Parents (skip to d07c01)
- (7) Spouse's parents (skip to d07c01)
- (8) Children (skip to d07c01)
- (9) Children's spouses (skip to d07c01)
- (97) Other (skip to d07c01)

d07b Rent: Monthly average: NT\$_____

d07c01 Flour area in pings - House: ____ pings

d07c02 Flour area in pings - Yard: ____ pings

Number of rooms:

d07d01 ____ bedrooms

d07d02 ____ living rooms

d07d03 ____ bathrooms

d07e Housing loan for this residence:

(1) Yes (2) No

d07f Duration of residence: Resides for ____ years

d07g Residence type: (The interviewer may fill in the response based on personal observation.)

(1) Detached house or semi-detached villa (skip to D08)

(2) Terraced house (skip to D08)

(3) Apartment with floors or less (ask d07h)

(4) Apartment with floors or more (ask d07h)

(5) Traditional farmhouse or three-section compound (sanheyuan) (skip to D08)

(97) Other (skip to D08)

d07h Residence floor: in ____ floor

D08 Does your current residence serve any purposes other than living? (Please read the answer choices)

(1) Store (2) Factory (3) Office

(4) Restaurant (5) Entertainment venue (6) None of the above

(97) Other_____

D09 Do you plan to move within two years?

(1) Yes (2) No

D10 d10a How is your father's current health condition?

(1) Very good (2) Good (3) Fair

(4) Bad (5) Very bad (6) Has passed away

(97) Other_____

d10b How is your mother's current health condition?

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|-----------------|--------------|---------------------|
| (1) Very good | (2) Good | (3) Fair |
| (4) Bad | (5) Very bad | (6) Has passed away |
| (97) Other_____ | | |

d10c How is your father-in-law's current health condition?

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|-----------------|--------------|---------------------|
| (1) Very good | (2) Good | (3) Fair |
| (4) Bad | (5) Very bad | (6) Has passed away |
| (97) Other_____ | | |

d10d How is your mother-in-law's current health condition?

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|-----------------|--------------|---------------------|
| (1) Very good | (2) Good | (3) Fair |
| (4) Bad | (5) Very bad | (6) Has passed away |
| (97) Other_____ | | |

Children: the first child

Next, we'd like to ask about the relocations and contact with important relatives over the past year.

D11c1 d11ac1 Birth order

d11bc1 Did they move in the last year

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cc1 Their Distance to you

- (1) Right next door or same building
(2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
(3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
(4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
(5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
(6) More than 2-hours drive
(7) In a foreign country
(8) Live together

d11d01c1 How often were you in contact with each other on phone (including online instant messaging) per month last year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) Once or twice per week
(3) Once to three times per month (4) Less than once per month
(5) Seldom contact on the phone

d11d02c1 How often did you meet in person per year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) One to three times per week
(3) One to three times per month (4) Every 2~3 months
(5) Once or twice per year (6) Seldom meet in person

Children: the second child

D11c2 d11ac2 Birth order

d11bc2 Did they move in the last year

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cc2 Their Distance to you

- (1) Right next door or same building
(2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
(3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
(4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
(5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
(6) More than 2-hours drive
(7) In a foreign country
(8) Live together

d11d01c2 How often were you in contact with each other on phone (including online instant messaging) per month last year?

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) Almost every day | (2) Once or twice per week |
| (3) Once to three times per month | (4) Less than once per month |
| (5) Seldom contact on the phone | |

d11d02c2 How often did you meet in person per year?

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) Almost every day | (2) One to three times per week |
| (3) One to three times per month | (4) Every 2~3 months |
| (5) Once or twice per year | (6) Seldom meet in person |

Children: the third child

D11c3 d11ac3 Birth order

d11bc3 Did they move in the last year

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cc3 Their Distance to you

- (1) Right next door or same building
(2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
(3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
(4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
(5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
(6) More than 2-hours drive
(7) In a foreign country
(8) Live together

d11d01c3 How often were you in contact with each other on phone (including online instant messaging) per month last year?

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|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| (1) Almost every day | (2) Once or twice per week |
| (3) Once to three times per month | (4) Less than once per month |
| (5) Seldom contact on the phone | |

d11d02c3 How often did you meet in person per year?

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| (1) Almost every day | (2) One to three times per week |
| (3) One to three times per month | (4) Every 2~3 months |
| (5) Once or twice per year | (6) Seldom meet in person |

Children: the fourth child

D11c4 d11ac4 Birth order

d11bc4 Did they move in the last year

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cc4 Their Distance to you

- (1) Right next door or same building
(2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
(3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
(4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
(5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
(6) More than 2-hours drive
(7) In a foreign country
(8) Live together

d11d01c4 How often were you in contact with each other on phone (including online instant messaging) per month last year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) Once or twice per week
(3) Once to three times per month (4) Less than once per month
(5) Seldom contact on the phone

d11d02c4 How often did you meet in person per year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) One to three times per week
(3) One to three times per month (4) Every 2~3 months
(5) Once or twice per year (6) Seldom meet in person

Parents

D11p1 d11bp1 Have your parents moved to a new residence from last year until now?

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cp1 Where is the residence of your parents in relation to yours?

- (1) Right next door or same building
- (2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
- (3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
- (4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
- (5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
- (6) More than 2-hours drive
- (7) In a foreign country
- (8) Live together

d11d01p1 How often did your parents contact you by phone per month last year?

- (1) Almost every day
- (2) Once or twice per week
- (3) Once to three times per month
- (4) Less than once per month
- (5) Seldom contact on the phone

d11d02p1 How often did you meet your parents in person per year?

- (1) Almost every day
- (2) One to three times per week
- (3) One to three times per month
- (4) Every to months
- (5) Once or twice per year
- (6) Seldom meet each other in person

Parents-in-law

D11p2 d11bp2 Have your parents-in-law moved to a new residence from last year until now?

- (1) Yes (2) No

d11cp2 Where is the residence of your parents-in-law in relation to yours?

- (1) Right next door or same building
(2) Not in the same building but within 10-minutes walk
(3) Less than 30-minute drive (including 30 minutes)
(4) 31 to 60-minute drive (including 60 minutes)
(5) to 2-hours drive (including hours)
(6) More than 2-hours drive
(7) In a foreign country
(8) Live together

d11d01p2 How often did your parents-in-law contact you by phone per month last year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) Once or twice per week
(3) Once to three times per month (4) Less than once per month
(5) Seldom contact on the phone

d11d02p2 How often did you meet your parents-in-law in person per year?

- (1) Almost every day (2) One to three times per week
(3) One to three times per month (4) Every to months
(5) Once or twice per year (6) Seldom meet each other in person

Skip D12a if both of the parents are passed away.

D12 d12a01 Have you received any financial assistance from your parents for living expenses in the past year?

- (1) Yes (2) No

d12a02 If yes, how much per month on average?

d12b01 Have you given your parents any allowance, living expenses, or holiday red packets in the past year?

- (1) Yes (2) No

d12b02 If yes, how much per month on average?

Skip D13a if both of the spouse's parents are passed away.

D13 d13a01 Have you received any financial assistance from your parents-in-law for living expenses in the past year?

(1) Yes (2) No

d13a02 If yes, how much per month on average?

d13b01 Have you given your parents-in-law any allowance, living expenses, or holiday red packets in the past year?

(1) Yes (2) No

d13b02 If yes, how much per month on average?

Household Decision-Making and Expenses

E01 e01a On average, how much time per week did you spend on housework last year? ____hours

e01b On average, how much time per week did your spouse (or partner) spend on housework last year? (If the respondent without a spouse, recorded as “Not applicable”) ____hours

Considering last year, please indicate the amount you and your spouse (or partner) contributed for the following expenses:

E02 e02a Mortgage payments - Monthly average: NT\$____

e02b Contribution to rotating savings and credit associations (ROSCAs) - Monthly average: NT\$ ____

e02c Caregiving, childcare, or domestic helper services (including household management) - Monthly average: NT\$ ____

e02d Food (food at home and food away from home) - Monthly average: NT\$____

e02e Recreation (including travel, recreational publications, board games, sporting equipment, tickets, etc)
Monthly average: NT\$____

e02f Savings (excluding ROSCAs) - Monthly average: NT\$____

Considering last year, please indicate the amount you and your spouse (or partner) contributed for the following expenses per month:

E03 e03a Life and commercial insurance (including life, medical, savings, and investment insurance) – Monthly average: NT\$____

e03b Household durables (furniture or appliances): NT\$____

e03c Clothing: NT\$____

e03d Education: NT\$____

e03e Healthcare: NT\$____

Children

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent is married or has children, proceed with the following questions. For all other respondents, the interview ends here. Please record the end time in H05.)

F01 How many children do you have? ____ in total

(If the respondent has children, proceed to F02; otherwise, skip to F04.)

F02 Have you had any newborn children in your family last year?

- (1) Yes (ask F03) (2) No (skip to F04)

F03 Is it a boy or a girl?

- (1) Boy (2) Girl

(If the respondent without a spouse, skip to Section G. Family Relationships.)

F04 Do you or your spouse plan to have another child in the future?

- (1) Yes (ask F05) (2) No (skip to F06)

- (3) Not sure (skip to F06)

F05 Do you or your spouse prefer the child to be a boy or a girl?

- (1) Boy (2) Girl (3) Either is fine

F06 Do you feel that your parents (or your spouse's parents) have put any pressure on you (or your spouse) for having a boy?

- (1) Yes (2) No

Family Relationships

(If the respondent without children, skip to G03c).

G01 On average, how long do you spend time together with your children?

- (1) Less than an hour (2) 2-3 hours (including hours) (3) more than hours

G02 What do you do with your children most often?

- (1) Doing homework (2) Chatting
(3) Watching TV (4) Visiting relatives or friends
(5) Watching movies, eating out, hiking, exercising, etc
(97) Other_____

Please provide your opinion for each of the following family members

G03 g03a How is your relationship with your daughter?

Not good at all Excellent
1 2 3 4 5

g03b How is your relationship with your son?

Not good at all Excellent
1 2 3 4 5

g03c How is your relationship with your spouse?

Not good at all Excellent
1 2 3 4 5

(Interviewer's Note: If the respondent without a spouse, end the interview and record the end time in H05.)

How often do you and your spouse disagree on the following issues?

G04 g04a Division of chores

Never/Rarely Sometimes Often
1 2 3

g04b Parenting

Never/Rarely Sometimes Often
1 2 3

g04c Financial issues

Never/Rarely Sometimes Often
1 2 3

g04d Family affairs

Never/Rarely	Sometimes	Often
1	2	3

g04e Relationship issues

Never/Rarely	Sometimes	Often
1	2	3

When you and your spouse have arguments, how do you typically respond?

G05 g05a01 Remain silent

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05a02 Criticize the other party

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05a03 Get angry

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05a04 Get physical

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05a05 Other

(0) No	(1) Yes
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When you and your spouse have arguments, how do they typically respond?

g05b01 Remain silent

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05b02 Criticize the other party

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05b03 Get angry

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05b04 Get physical

(0) No	(1) Yes
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g05b05 Other

(0) No	(1) Yes
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How do you and your spouse usually resolve disagreements?

G06 g06z01 Reconcile on the spot

(0) No (1) Yes

g06z02 Remain silent

(0) No (1) Yes

g06z03 Fine after relief of anger

(0) No (1) Yes

g06z04 Discuss it later

(0) No (1) Yes

g06z05 Third party mediation (such as elders, relatives, or friends)

(0) No (1) Yes

g06z06 Other

(0) No (1) Yes

G07 How often are your children present when you and your spouse argue?

(1) Never/Rarely (2) Sometimes
(3) Often

G08 How much impact do you think parental arguing has on children?

(1) No impact at all (2) Some impact
(3) Moderate impact (4) Significant impact

G09 Apart from watching TV, what are the activities you and your spouse often enjoy together?

(1) Chatting
(2) Visiting friends and relatives
(3) Watching movies, eating out, hiking, exercising, etc
(4) Limited leisure time
(97) Other_____

Household Financial Management

H01 h01a Do you have a regular income? (Including salaries, business income, commissions, rental income, government allowance or insurance coverage, etc)

- (1) No (skip to h02a) (2) Yes (ask h01b)

h01b How do you allocate your regular income typically?

- (1) All for personal use, no contribution to household expenses
(2) Mostly for personal use, a small portion for household expenses
(3) Mostly for household expenses, a small portion for personal use
(4) All for household expenses, no allocation for personal use

H02 h02a Does your spouse have a regular income? (Including salaries, business income, commissions, rental income, government allowance or insurance coverage, etc)

- (1) No (2) Yes

h02b How does your spouse allocate their regular income typically?

- (1) All for personal use, no contribution to household expenses
(2) Mostly for personal use, a small portion for household expenses
(3) Mostly for household expenses, a small portion for personal use
(4) All for household expenses, no allocation for personal use

H03 Who is primarily responsible for making decisions about the necessary expenses in your household?

- (1) Wife (2) Husband
(3) No specific person

H04 Who is primarily responsible for making decisions about the non-necessary expenses in your household?

- (1) Wife (2) Husband
(3) Both spouses (4) Each manages their own money

It's been a pleasure talking with you. Thank you for participating in our interview. Take care, and thank you again!

H05 h05z01 Interview ended time: month

h05z02 Interview ended time: day

h05z03 Interview ended time: hour

h05z04 Interview ended time: minute