

SPECIFICATIONS

POORCK NUMHOU = 1 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4 or 5 set POOR=1 else if
 NUMHOU = 2 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 set POOR =1 else if
 NUMHOU = 3 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7 set POOR=1 else if
 NUMHOU = 4 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, or 8 set POOR=1 else if
 NUMHOU = 5 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9 set POOR=1 else
 NUMHOU = 6 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, or 10 set POOR=1
 else if
 NUMHOU = 7 or 8 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 or 11 set
 POOR=1 else if
 NUMHOU = 9 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, or 12 set
 POOR=1 else if
 NUMHOU= 10-16 and FAMINC = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 or 13
 set POOR=1 else
 Set POOR = 2.

I. FOOD EXPENDITURES

S1A These first questions are about all the places at which you bought food
 last week. By last week, I mean from Sunday through Saturday.

First, did (you/anyone in your household) shop for food at a
supermarket or grocery store last week?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

SCOMPL If onpath entry, D or R in S1A then set SCOMPL=1 otherwise set SCOMPL=0

S1B Think about other places where people buy food, such as meat
 markets, produce stands, bakeries, warehouse clubs, and
 convenience stores. Did (you/anyone in your household) buy food
 from any stores such as these last week?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S1C Last week, did (you/anyone in your household) buy food at a restaurant,
 fast food place, cafeteria, or vending machine? (Include any children
 who may have bought food at the school cafeteria/).

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S1D Did (you/anyone in your household) buy food from any other kind of

place last week?

<1> Yes

<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

SCKA If on path entry of <2>, <D> or <R> in S1A, S1B, S1C and S1D then skip to S8 else go to Slead.

Slead Now I'm going to ask you about the ACTUAL amount you spent on food last week in all the places where you bought food. Then, since last week may have been unusual for you, I will ask about the amount you USUALLY spend.

<P> Proceed

SCKB If onpath entry of <1> in S1A then ask S2 else skip to SCKC.

Items S2 through S2COR go into making the out variable S20. S20 is the amount spent at supermarkets and grocery stores (S1A=1) and it should be used as THE variable for supermarket amounts.

S2 How much did (you/your household) ACTUALLY spend at supermarkets and grocery stores last week (*/including any purchases made with food stamps?)

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

S2CK If entry of X in S2 goto S2CK1 else store entry in S20. If S20 is between \$1.00 and \$450.00 go to S3 else if S20 is equal to D or R go to SCKC otherwise go to S2RC.

S2CK1 *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ .00 to _ _ .00

S2RG Add the entries in S2CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S20. If S20 is between \$1.00 and \$450.00 go to S3 otherwise go to S2RC.

S2RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS: (entry in S20)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> YES (go to S3)

<2> NO (go to S2COR)

S2COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S20)
 CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S20)

Items S3 through S3COR go into making the out variable S30. S30 is the amount spent at supermarkets on NON-FOOD items. S30 is the variable you should use.

S3 How much of the (fill with S20) was for non-food items, such as pet food, paper products, detergents, or cleaning supplies?

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R>

S3CK If entry of X in S3 goto S3CK2 else store entry in S30. Do not allow entry in S30 to be greater than entry in S20. If S30 is between \$1.00 and \$100.00 or <D> or <R> go to SCKC otherwise go to S3RC.

S3CK2 *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ .00 to _ _ .00

S3RG Add the entries in S3CK2 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S30. Do not allow entry in S30 to be greater than entry in S20. If S30 is between \$1.00 and \$100.00 go to SCKC otherwise go to S3RC.

S3RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS: (entry in S30)
 IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> YES (go to SCKC)

<2> NO (go to S3COR)

S3COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S30)
 CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S30)

Do not allow entry in S30 to be greater than entry in S20.

SCKC If onpath entry of <1> in S1B then ask S4 else skip to SCKD.

Items S4 through S4COR go into making the out variable S40. S40 is the amount spent

at stores such as meat markets, produce stands, bakeries, etc. S40 is the variable you should use for amount spent at meat markets, etc.

S4 How much did (you/your household) spend at stores such as meat markets, produce stands, bakeries, warehouse clubs, and convenience stores last week (including any purchases made with food stamps?)

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R> go to SCKD

S4CK If entry of X in S4 go to S4CK1 else store entry in S40. If S40 is between \$1.00 and \$150.00 go to S5 else if S40 is D or R go to SCKD otherwise go to S4RC.

S4CK1 *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ _ .00 to _ _ _ .00

S4RG Add the entries in S4CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S40. If S40 is between \$1.00 and \$150.00 go to S5 otherwise go to S4RC.

S4RC *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS: (entry in S40)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> Yes (go to S5)
<2> No (go to S4COR)

S4COR *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S40)
CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S40)

Items S5 through S5COR go into making the out variable S50. Use S50 for the amount of NON-FOOD items from meat markets, produce stands, bakeries, etc.

S5 How much of the \$(fill with S40) was for nonfood items, such as pet food, paper products, detergents, or cleaning supplies?

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

Blind D or R

S5CK If entry of X in S5 goto S5CK1 else store entry in S50. Do not allow

entry in S50 to be greater than entry in S40. If S50 is between \$1.00 and \$100.00 or D or R go to SCKD else go to S5RC

S5CK1 *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ _ .00 to _ _ _ .00

S5RG Add the entries in S5CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S50. Do not allow entry in S50 to be greater than entry in S40. If S50 is between \$1.00 and \$100.00 go to SCKD else go to S5RC.

S5RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS : (entry in S50)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> Yes (go to SCKD)
<2> No (go to S5COR)

S5COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S50)
CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$_ _ _ .00 (store entry in S50)

Do not allow entry in S50 to be greater than entry in S40.

SCKD If entry of <1> in S1C then ask S6 else skip to SCKE

Items S6 through S6COR go into making the out variable S60. Use S60 for the amount spent at fast food places, restaurants, etc.

S6 How much did (you/your household) spend for food at restaurants, fast food places, cafeterias, and vending machines last week?

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$_ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R>

S6CK If entry of X in S6 goto S6CK1 else store entry in S60. If S60 is between \$1.00 and \$200.00 or D or R go to SCKE else go to S6RC.

S6CK1 *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ _ .00 to _ _ _ .00

S6RG Add the entries in S6CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S60. If

S60 is between \$1.00 and \$200.00 go to SCKE else go to S6RC.

S6RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS : (entry in S60)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> Yes (go to SCKE)
<2> No (go to S6COR)

S6COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S60)
CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S60)

SCKE If entry of <1> in S1D then ask S7 else skip to SCKF.

Items S7 through S7COR go into making the out variable S70. Use S70 as the amount spent for food at places not previously mentioned.

S7 How much did (you/your household) spend for food at any other kind of place last week?

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R>

S7CK If entry of X in S7 goto S7CK1 else store entry in S70. If S70 is between \$1.00 and \$150.00 or equal to D or R goto SCKF otherwise go to S7RC.

S7CK1 *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

_ _ .00 to _ _ .00

S7RG Add the entries in S7CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S70. If S70 is between \$1.00 and \$150.00 go to SCKF otherwise go to S7RC.

S7RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS: (entry in S70)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> YES (go to SCKF)
<2> NO (go to S7COR)

S7COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S70)
 CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S70)

SCKF If any amounts 0 or over in S20, S40, S60 or S70 then add together and store in SFDAMT. If any amounts 0 or over in S30 or S50, then add these together and store in SNFAMT. Subtract SNFAMT from SFDAMT and store the result in S80.

Items S8 through S8COR go into making the out variable S80U. Use S80U as the amount USUALLY spent for food in a week.

S8 (Let's see, it seems that (you/your household) did not buy any food last week./Let's see, (you/your household) spent about(fill with S80) on food last week.) Now think about how much (you/your household) USUALLY (spend/spends). How much (do you/does your household) USUALLY spend on food at all the different places we've been talking about in a week? (/Please include any purchases made with food stamps.)

ENTER X IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE A RANGE

\$ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R>

S8CK If entry of X in S8 goto S8CK1 else store entry in S80U. If S80U is between \$1.00 and \$450.00 or equal to D or R goto SCK9 otherwise go to S8RC.

S8CK1 *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

Enter range reported by respondent

\$ _ _ _ .00 to \$ _ _ _ .00

S8RG Add the entries in S8CK1 and divide by 2. Store the answer in S80U. If S80U is between \$1.00 and \$450.00 go to SCK9 otherwise go to S8RC.

S8RC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT SPENT RECORDED AS: (entry in S80U)
 IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

<1> Yes (go to SCK9)
 <2> No (go to S8COR)

S8COR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S80U)
 CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00

SCK9 If POOR = 2 skip to S11CK. Otherwise ask 9.

S9 During the past 30 days, did (you/anyone in this household) get food stamps?

- <1> Yes (Ask S9A)
- <2> No (SKIP TO S9BCK)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S9BCK

S9A On what date did (you/your household) last receive your monthly food stamps?

Use S9AM and S9AD not S9A.

S9AM Month

- <1> August
- <2> September

Blind <D> or <R> (skip to S9A1)

S9AD Day

<1-31>

Blind <D> or <R>

Items S9A1 through S9ACOR go into making up the out variable S9A10. Use S9A10 as the variable for amount of food stamps received.

S9A1 How much did (you/your household) receive?

\$ _ _ .00

Blind <D> or <R>

S9A1CK Store entry in S9A10. If S9A10 is between \$1.00 and \$700.00 go to S9BCK otherwise go to S9ARC

S9ARC *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

AMOUNT RECEIVED RECORDED AS: (entry in S9A10)
IS THIS ENTRY CORRECT?

- <1> YES (go to S9BCK)
- <2> NO (go to S9ACOR)

S9ACOR *****DO NOT ASK THE RESPONDENT*****

INCORRECT ENTRY WAS RECORDED AS: (entry in S9A10)

CORRECT ENTRY IS:

\$ _ _ .00 (store entry in S9A10)

S9BCK IF HHMEM=1 and AGE IS 60 YEARS OLD OR OLDER of anyone in the household, ASK S9B else skip to S9CCK.

S9B During the past 30 days, did (you/anyone in the household) receive free or reduced-cost meals for the elderly?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S9CCK If HHMEM=1 and AGE is 5 THROUGH 18 for anyone in the household ask S9C else skip to S9ECK.

S9C During the past 30 days, did (NAME/any children in the household between 5 and 18 years old) receive free or reduced-cost lunches at school?

<1> Yes
<2> No (skip to S9ECK)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S9ECK

S9D During the past 30 days, did (NAME/any children in the household between 5 and 18 years old) receive free or reduced-cost breakfasts at school?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S9ECK If [(SEX=2 and AGE is 15 to 45) OR (AGE is less than 5)] and HHMEM=1 then ask S9E else skip to S9FCK

S9E During the past 30 days, did any (women/women or children/children) in this household get food through the WIC program?

<1> Yes
<2> No (skip to S9FCK)

Blind <D> or <R> (skip to S9FCK)

S9E1 How many (women/women or children/children) in the household got WIC foods?

Number

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Blind <D> or <R>

S9FCK If HHMEM=1 and AGE is less than 13 for anyone in the household ask S9F else skip to S9G.

S9F During the past 30 days, did (NAME/any children in the household) receive free or reduced-cost food at a day-care or Head Start program?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S9G During the past 30 days, did (you/anyone in the household) get food, or vouchers to buy food, from any other kind of program?

- <1> Yes (go to S9GYS)
- <2> No (go to S11CK)

Blind <D> or <R> go to S11CK

S9GYS *****DO NOT READ TO RESPONDENT*****

RESPONDENT VOLUNTEERED TYPE OF PROGRAM

- <1> No place/organization mentioned (go to S11CK)
- <2> Commodities (go to S11CK)
- <3> Church Related Food Assistance (Skip to S11CK)
- <4> Food Banks or Food Pantries (skip to S11CK)
- <5> Other--Specify (go to S9GSP)

S9GSP ENTER VERBATIM RESPONSE

II. FOOD SUFFICIENCY

S11CK If HRMIS=1,2,4,5,6, or 7 then ask S11A else ask S11.

S11A These next questions are about the food eaten in your household.

Which of these statements best describes the food eaten in your household--enough of the kinds of food we want to eat, enough but not always the kinds of food we want to eat, sometimes not enough to eat, or often not enough to eat?

- <1> Enough of the kinds of food we want to eat (skip to S15)
- <2> Enough but not always the kinds of food we want to eat (skip to S15)

- <3> Sometimes not enough to eat (Skip to S13)
 <4> Often not enough to eat (Skip to S13)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S15

S11 These next questions are about the food eaten in your household.

Which of the following statements best describes the amount of food eaten in your household--enough food to eat, sometimes not enough to eat, or often not enough to eat?

- <1> Enough food to eat
 <2> Sometimes not enough to eat (SKIP TO S13)
 <3> Often not enough to eat (SKIP TO S13)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S15

S12 Do you have enough of the KINDS of food you want to eat, or do you have enough but NOT ALWAYS the KINDS of food you want to eat?

- <1> enough of the kinds you want (SKIP TO S15)
 <2> enough but not always the kind you want (SKIP TO S15)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S15

S13 Here are some reasons why people don't always have enough to eat. For each one, please tell me if that is a reason why YOU don't always have enough to eat.

READ LIST. MARK ALL THAT APPLY.

		YES	NO
Not enough money for food	[]	[]	
Too hard to get to the store	[]		[]
No working stove	[]		[]
No working refrigerator	[]		[]
Not able to cook or eat because of health problems	[]		[]

Blind <D> or <R> for each category

S15 People do different things when they are running out of money for food in order to make their food or their food money go further.

In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did you ever run short of money and try to make your food or your food money go further?

- <1> Yes
 <2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S16 In the last 12 months, did you ever run out of the foods that you needed to make a meal and didn't have money to get more?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> and <R>

CKALT If entry, D or R in S11A go to CKSCR else if entry, D or R in S11 go to CKSCR1.

CKSCR If POOR=2 and HRMIS=1,2,5,6, or 7 then goto CK17A else goto CK17A1.

CK17A If (onpath entry of 3, 4, D or R in S11A) or (onpath entry of 1, D, or R in S16) or (onpath entry of 2 in S11A and onpath entry of 1, D or R in S15) then go to S17C else end questions.

CK17A1 If (onpath entry of 2, 3, 4, D or R in S11A) or (onpath entry of 1, D or R in S16) go to S17C else
if onpath entry of 1 in S11A and onpath entry of 2 in S15 and onpath entry of 2 in S16 end questions else
all others go to S17C.

CKSCR1 If POOR=2 and HRMIS=3 then go to CK17 else goto CK171.

CK17 If (onpath entry of 2, 3, D or R in S11) or (onpath entry of 1, D or R in S16) or (if onpath entry on 1 in S11 and onpath entry of 2 in S12 and onpath entry of 1, D or R in S15) then go to S17C else
if (onpath entry of 1 in S11 and onpath entry of 1 in S12) or (onpath entry of 1 in S11 and onpath entry of 2 in S12 and onpath entry of 2 in S15) or all others then end questions.

CK171 If (onpath entry of 2 ,3, D or R in S11) or (onpath entry of 1, D or R in S16) then go to S17C else
if onpath entry of 1 in S11 and onpath entry of 1, D or R in S12 and onpath entry of 2 in S15 and onpath entry of 2 in S16 then end questions else
all others go to S17C.

S17C If onpath entry of 2, D or R in S16 skip to S18 else ask S17

S17 Did this ever happen in the last 30 days?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S18 In the last 12 months, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever get food or borrow money for food from friends or relatives?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S19CK IF HHMEM=1 and anyone in the household is AGE=17 or less ask S19 else

skip to S20

S19 In the last 12 months, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever send or take (CHILD'S NAME/the children) to the homes of friends or relatives for a meal because you were running out of food?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S20 In the last 12 months did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever eat only a FEW KINDS of low-cost foods--like rice, beans, macaroni products, bread or potatoes--for SEVERAL DAYS in a row because you couldn't afford anything else?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S21 In the last 12 months, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever put off paying a bill so that you would have money to buy food?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S22 In the last 12 months, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever get emergency food from a church, a food pantry, or food bank?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S23 In the last 12 months, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever eat any meals at a soup kitchen?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S24 In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever cut the size of your meals or skip meals because there wasn't enough money for food?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S28)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S28

S25 How often did this happen--almost every month, some months but not every month, or in only 1 or 2 months?

- <1> Almost every month
- <2> Some months but not every month
- <3> Only 1 or 2 months

Blind <D> or <R>

S26 Now think about the last 30 days. Did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever cut the size of your meals or skip meals in the last 30 days because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S28)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S28

S27 In the last 30 days, how many days did this happen?

_____ days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S28 In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever not eat for a whole day because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S32)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S32

S29 How often did this happen--almost every month, some months but not every month, or in only 1 or 2 months?

- <1> Almost every month
- <2> Some months but not every month
- <3> Only 1 or 2 months

Blind <D> or <R>

S30 Now think about the last 30 days. Did (you/you or other adults in your household) ever not eat for a whole day in the last 30 days because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S32)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S32

S31 In the last 30 days, how many times did this happen?

_____ times
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S32 In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money to buy food?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S35)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S35

S33 Did this happen in the last 30 days?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S35)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S35

S34 In the last 30 days, how many days did you eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money to buy food?

___ number of days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S35 In the last 12 months, since October of last year, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because you couldn't afford enough food?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S38)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S38

S36 Did this happen in the last 30 days?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S38)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S38

S37 In the last 30 days, how many days were you hungry but didn't eat because you couldn't afford enough food?

____ number of days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S38 In the last 12 months, did you lose weight because you didn't have enough money for food?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S40CK)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S40CK

S39 Did this happen in the last 30 days?

<1> Yes
<2> No

Blind <D> or <R>

S40CK If HHMEM=1 and AGE<=17 of anyone in the household ask S40 else skip to S53.

S40 The next questions are about (CHILD'S NAME/children living in the household who are under 18 years old).
In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did you ever cut the size of (CHILD's NAME/any of the children)'s meals because there wasn't enough money for food?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S43)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S43

S41 Did this ever happen in the last 30 days?

<1> Yes
<2> No (SKIP TO S43)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S43

S42 In the last 30 days, how many days did you cut the size of (Child's name/the children)'s meals because there wasn't enough money for food?

_____ days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S43 In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did (Child's

name/any of the children) ever skip a meal because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S47)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S47

S44 How often did this happen--almost every month, some months but not every month, or in only 1 or 2 months?

- <1> Almost every month
- <2> Some months but not every month
- <3> Only 1 or 2 months

Blind <D> or <R>

S45 Now think about the last 30 days. Did (Child's name/the children) ever skip a meal in the last 30 days because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S47)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S47

S46 In the last 30 days, how many days did this happen?

_____ days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S47 In the last 12 months, (was CHILD'S NAME/were the children) ever hungry but you just couldn't afford more food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S50)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S50

S48 Did this ever happen in the last 30 days?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S50)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S50

S49 In the last 30 days, how many days (was CHILD'S NAME/were the children) hungry but you just couldn't afford more food?

___ number of days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S50 In the last 12 months, since October of last year, did (Child's name/any of the children) ever not eat for a whole day because there wasn't enough money for food?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S53)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S53

S51 Did this ever happen in the last 30 days?

- <1> Yes
- <2> No (SKIP TO S53)

Blind <D> or <R> skip to S53

S52 In the last 30 days, how many days did (Child's name/the children) not eat for a whole day because there wasn't enough money for food?

_____ days
<1-30>

Blind <D> or <R>

S53 Now I'm going to read you several statements that people have made about their food situation. For these statements, please tell me whether the statement was often, sometimes, or never true for (you/you or the other members of your household) in the last 12 months.

The first statement is "(I/We) worried whether (my/our) food would run out before (I/we) got money to buy more." Was that often, sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

S54 "The food that (I/we) bought just didn't last, and (I/we) didn't have money to get more." Was that often, sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

S55 "(I/we) couldn't afford to eat balanced meals." Was that often,

sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

S56CK If any HHMEM=1 and AGE<=17 in household ask S56 else end the supplement interview.

S56 "(I/we) couldn't feed (CHILD'S name/the children) a balanced meal, because (I/we) couldn't afford that." Was that often, sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

S57 "(CHILD's name was/The children were) not eating enough because (I/we) just couldn't afford enough food." Was that often, sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

S58 "(I/we) relied on only a few kinds of low-cost food to feed (CHILD's name/the children) because (I was/we were) running out of money to buy food." Was that often, sometimes or never true for you in the last 12 months?

- <1> Often true
- <2> Sometimes true
- <3> Never true

Blind <D> or <R>

END