

# ELSA Covid19 Survey – Wave 2

## 1.1 Introduction

{IF MODE = WEB}

Intro1

“Dear <b>{MailNameSal}</b> welcome to the {IF CovidW1 = 1: “second interview of the”; ELSE “”} ELSA Covid-19 study.

We would like to ask you some questions about your experience {IF CovidW1 = 1: “since we last spoke to you in {W1IntMonth} about”; ELSE “during”} the coronavirus (Covid-19) outbreak that began in the UK at the end of February this year.

The survey should take you {IF IntLengthExp = 1 “around 30 minutes”; IF IntLengthExp = 2: “up to 45 minutes”} to complete, but this may be a little longer or shorter depending on your circumstances. You don’t have to complete the whole survey in one go – any progress you make will be saved and you can start where you left off when you next log in.

To get started, simply click the ‘Next’ button below.”

DISPLAY

## 1.2 Checks

{ASK ALL}

CvChk

“This is the questionnaire for {MailNameSal}. Please confirm this is you.”

1. Yes
2. No
3. I am supporting them to complete the questionnaire

{If CvChk = 2, DK, RF}

CvExit

"This questionnaire is for {MailNameSal}. You have told us this is not you.

{Tel: "INTERVIEWER: If you are speaking to"; {Web: "If you are"} {MailNameSal} please go back and select yes at the previous question.

{Tel: "INTERVIEWER: If the person you are speaking to is"; {Web: "If you are"} supporting {MailNameSal} with the questionnaire please go back and select this.

{Tel: "INTERVIEWER: If the person you are speaking to is"; {Web: "If you are"} not {MailNameSal} or {Tel: "they"; {Web: "you"} are not supporting them to complete this questionnaire please select 'Exit the questionnaire'. If {Tel: "they"; {Web: "you"} are in contact with {MailNameSal} please can you ask them to complete the survey?"

1. Go back
2. Exit the questionnaire

{ASK ALL}

CvDob

"Please confirm {IF CvChk = 1: "your"; CvChk = 3: "MailNameSal's"} date of birth.

## 1.3 Demographics

{IF CovidW1 = 1}

CvChkLive

"First some questions about your current situation.

Are you still living in the same place that you were when you completed the last survey on <W1IntDate>?"

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CvChkLive = 2 OR CovidW1 = 0}

CvLiveCur

"{IF CovidW1 = 0: "First some questions about your current situation."}

Where are you living currently?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. At my usual home
2. In someone else's home
3. In a care home
4. In hospital
5. Somewhere else

{IF CvLiveCur = 1, 2 OR CvChkLive = 1}

CvNumP

"How many people (including you) are currently living in the residence you are staying in?"

RANGE: 1...16

LOOP [CvNumP-1]

{IF CvNumP > 1}

CvReIP

"{IF CvNumP > 2: "Thinking about each person in any order, what is the (first/second/third...)}"; {IF CvNumP = 2: "What is this"} person's relationship to you?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER, IF NECESSARY"

1. Husband/wife/partner
2. Son (natural/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
3. Daughter (natural/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
4. Grandchild
5. Sister (natural/half/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
6. Brother (natural/half/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
7. Mother (natural/adoptive/foster/step/in-law)
8. Father (natural/adoptive/foster/step/in-law)
9. Other relative
10. Other non-relative

{IF CvNumP > 1}

CvAgeP

"What was this person's age last birthday?"

RANGE: 0...120

Not Sure

{IF CvAgeP = Not sure, DK, RF}

CvAgeDK

"Please provide your best guess of their age."

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. Under 18
2. 18 to 29
3. 30 to 39
4. 40 to 49
5. 50 to 59
6. 60 to 69
7. 70 to 79
8. 80 or over

END LOOP

{IF CovidW1 = 0 OR CvChkLive = 2}

CvSameH

"Are you currently living at the following address?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

DISPLAY ADDRESS FROM SAMPLE

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CovidW1 = 0 OR CvChkLive = 2}

CvRoom

"How many rooms do you (or your household) occupy here, including bedrooms but not counting bathrooms, kitchens and any rooms you let or sublet?"

RANGE: 1...30

{IF CovidW1 = 0 OR CvChkLive = 2}

CvOut [MULTICODE]

"Does the property you are currently living in have any of the following?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. A garden
2. A roof terrace or large balcony
3. Other private outdoor space
4. Other shared outdoor space
5. \_WEB: "None of these"  
\_TEL "INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OUT None of these"  
EXCLUSIVE

## 1.4 Health

### 1.4.1 Mental health

{ASK ALL}

CvMhgd [GRID]

“Over <b>the last two weeks<b>, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?”

\_WEB: “Please select one answer on every row”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED.”

GRID ROWS:

1. Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge
2. Not being able to stop or control worrying
3. Worrying too much about different things
4. Trouble relaxing
5. Being so restless that it is hard to sit still
6. Becoming easily annoyed or irritable
7. Feeling afraid as if something awful might happen

GRID COLS:

1. Not at all
2. Several days
3. More than half the days
4. Nearly every day

{ASK ALL}

CvMhCed [GRID]

“Now think about the past week and the feelings you have experienced. Answer yes if the following was true for you <b>much of the time during the past week</b>.”

\_WEB: “Please select one answer on every row”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED.”

GRID ROWS:

1. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} felt depressed
2. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} felt that everything you did was an effort
3. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, your”}; {Web: “Your”} sleep was restless
4. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} were happy
5. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} felt lonely
6. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} enjoyed life
7. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} felt sad
8. {Tel: “Much of the time during the past week, you”}; {Web: “You”} could not get going

GRID COLS:

1. Yes
2. No

{ASK ALL}

CvMhOnsA

"On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "not at all" and 10 is "very", how happy, overall, did you feel yesterday?"

RANGE: 0...10

{ASK ALL}

CvMhOnsB

"On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "not at all" and 10 is "very", how anxious, overall, did you feel yesterday?"

RANGE: 0...10

{ASK ALL}

CvMhOnsC

"On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "not at all" and 10 is "very", how satisfied are you with your life nowadays?"

RANGE: 0...10

{ASK ALL}

CvMhOnsD

"On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "not at all" and 10 is "very", to what extent do you feel the things you do in your life are worthwhile?"

RANGE: 0...10

{ASK ALL}

CvMhcasp [GRID]

"{Tel: "I will now read out"; {Web: "Here is"} a list of statements that people have used to describe their lives or how they feel. How often do you feel like this?"

**\_WEB: "Please select one answer on every row"**

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED."**

GRID ROWS:

1. My age prevents me from doing the things I would like to do
2. I feel that what happens to me is out of my control
3. I feel left out of things
4. I can do the things that I want to do
5. I feel that I can please myself what I do
6. Shortage of money stops me from doing things I want to do
7. I look forward to each day
8. I feel that my life has meaning
9. I enjoy the things that I do
10. I feel full of energy these days
11. I feel that life is full of opportunities
12. I feel that the future looks good for me

GRID COLS:

1. Often
2. Sometimes
3. Not often

4. Never

## 1.4.2 Food, job and financial security

{ASK ALL}

CvFinS [GRID]

“How worried, if at all, are you about the following?”

\_WEB: “Please select one answer on every row”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED.”

GRID ROWS:

1. Your future financial situation
2. Not having enough food during the coronavirus outbreak
3. Not having other essential items during the coronavirus outbreak

GRID COLS:

1. Not at all worried
2. Not very worried
3. Somewhat worried
4. Very worried
5. Extremely worried

{ASK ALL}

CvJobS [GRID]

“And how worried, if at all, are you about your job security?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Not at all worried
2. Not very worried
3. Somewhat worried
4. Very worried
5. Extremely worried
6. Not applicable

## 1.4.3 Health (Covid-19)

{ASK ALL}

CvCovintro

“The next few questions are about the coronavirus (Covid-19) outbreak that began in February.”

DISPLAY

{IF NOT FFCvVuln = 1}

CvVulnB

“Have you been contacted by the NHS or your GP and advised that you are vulnerable and at risk of severe illness if you catch coronavirus (Covid-19)?”

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvStayC

"<b>'Self-isolation'<b> refers to not leaving your home for any reason, not going out to buy food and not seeing people outside of your household.

<b>'Trying to stay at home'<b> refers to trying to only leave your home for very limited purposes, such as shopping for food, one form of exercise, or essential work.

In <b>April<b> would you say you were...?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. Self-isolating
2. Trying to stay at home
3. Neither of these

{ASK ALL}

CvStayD

{IF CovidW1 = 1: "<b>'Self-isolation'<b> refers to not leaving your home for any reason, not going out to buy food and not seeing people outside of your household.

<b>'Trying to stay at home'<b> refers to trying to only leave your home for very limited purposes, such as shopping for food, one form of exercise, or essential work.

<b>Last week<b>; ELSE: "And <b>last week<b>"} would you say you were...?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. Self-isolating
2. Trying to stay at home
3. Neither of these

{IF CvStayC = 2 OR CvStayD = 2}

CvStayWhyB [MULTICODE]

"Why were you trying to stay at home?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. I did not want to catch the coronavirus (Covid-19)
2. I did not want to spread the coronavirus (Covid-19)
3. I was following advice
4. Other (please specify) [EXCLUSIVE]

{IF CvStayC = 1 OR CvStayD = 1}

CvSelfWhyB [MULTICODE]

"Why were you self-isolating?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. I did not want to catch the coronavirus (Covid-19)
2. I did not want to spread the coronavirus (Covid-19)
3. I was following advice
4. Other (please specify) [EXCLUSIVE]

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvLeftFor [MULTICODE]**

“In the past two weeks, which of these have you left your home for?”

**\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”**

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”**

1. Exercise
2. Shopping (e.g. buying food or medication, other shopping)
3. Other errands (e.g. taking a child to school, volunteering)
4. Work
5. Visiting friends or family in their homes
6. Meeting up with friends or family outdoors
7. Day trip or other outing, such as going out for meals or entertainment
8. Other reason
9. I have not left my home

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvTestA**

“{IF CovidW1 = 1: “Since we last interviewed you on <W1IntDate> have”; ELSE: “Have”} you had any kind of coronavirus (Covid-19) test?”

This includes both the antigen test to see if you had the virus at the time of testing and the antibody test to see if you had the virus before.”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvTestA = 1}**

**CvTestWhy**

“Why did you have a test?”

**\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”**

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”**

1. I have had one or more of the possible symptoms of coronavirus (Covid-19)
2. I have been in contact with a person who has coronavirus
3. I have been asked to get a test
4. Other (please specify)

**{IF CvTestA = 1}**

**CvTestB**

“What was the result of your coronavirus (Covid-19) test?”

{Web: “If you have had more than one test, please select 'positive' if any of your tests have been positive.”}

{Tel: INTERVIEWER: WHERE MORE THAN ONE TEST, CODE 'POSITIVE' IF ANY WERE POSITIVE.

**READ OUT IF NECESSARY}**

1. positive
2. negative
3. Inconclusive
4. Waiting for results

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvHosp**

“Since we last interviewed you have you had to stay in hospital for treatment due to coronavirus (Covid-19)?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF FFCvTestB = 1 OR CvTestB = 1 OR FFCvHosp = 1 OR CvHosp = 1 OR ((FFCvSymp01+FFCvSymp02+FFCvSymp05) >1)}**

**CvLongCovid**

“Have you been told by a doctor that you have any long-standing illness or disability caused by coronavirus (COVID-19)?”

{Help link: “More information on long-standing illnesses”}

Text when clicked: “Long-term health problems following coronavirus disease can include fatigue, cough, shortness of breath, chest tightness, loss of sense of smell, depression and anxiety, diarrhoea, headaches and joint pains.”}

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvLongCovid = 1}**

**CvLongLimit**

“Does this illness or disability limit your activities in any way?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvNumP > 1}**

**CvTestHo**

“Since we last interviewed you has as anyone in your household tested positive to any kind of coronavirus (Covid-19) test?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvNumP > 1}**

**CvHospHo**

“Since we last interviewed you has anyone in your household had to stay in hospital for treatment for coronavirus (Covid-19)?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvTestOth**

“Since we last interviewed you has anyone close to you outside your household tested positive to any kind of coronavirus (Covid-19) test, for example a relative or a friend?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvDied**

"Tragically, many people have already lost loved ones. {IF CovidW1 = 1: "Since we last interviewed you in <W1IntMonth> has"; ELSE "Has"} anyone close to you, such as a friend or family member, died with coronavirus?"

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvDied = 1}**

**CvDiedHo**

"{IF CovidW1 = 1: "Since we last interviewed you in <W1IntMonth>, has"; ELSE: "Has"} anyone in your household died with coronavirus (Covid-19)?"

1. Yes
2. No

## 1.5 Economics

### 1.5.1 Work

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvWorkIntro**

"{IF CvDied = 1: "Thank you for answering these questions at a difficult time."}

We'd now like to ask some questions about work"

DISPLAY

**{IF CovidW1 = 0}**

**CvPred**

"Which of {Web: "these"; {Tel: "the following"}} best describes what you were doing <b>just before<b> the coronavirus outbreak began at the end of February?"

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"**

1. Retired
2. Employed
3. Self-employed
4. Unemployed
5. Permanently sick or disabled
6. Looking after home or family

**{IF CvPred = 2, 3 AND have been interviewed as part of main study}**

**CvPres**

"Was this the same job as the last time we interviewed you in [IntMonth] [IntYear]?"

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvPred = 2, 3}**

**CvPreh**

“Just before the coronavirus outbreak, how many hours per week did you usually work, not including meal breaks but including overtime?”

RANGE: 0...168

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvPstd**

“Which of {Web: “these”}; {Tel: “the following”} would you say best describes your <b>current<b> situation?”

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”**

1. Retired
2. Employed
3. Paid/unpaid leave from employment (including furlough)
4. Self-employed and currently working
5. Self-employed but not currently working
6. Unemployed
7. Permanently sick or disabled
8. Looking after home or family

**{IF CvPstd = 2, 4 AND FFCvPstd = 2, 3, 4, 5}**

**CvPstNJ**

“Is this a new job since we last interviewed you in <W1IntDate>?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvPstd = 2, 4}**

**CvPsth**

“How many hours per week do you usually work at the moment, not including meal breaks but including overtime?”

RANGE: 0...168

**{IF CvPstNJ = 1}**

**CvPstw**

“How does your current work compare to what you were previously doing?”

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”**

1. Essentially the same job as I was doing previously
2. A different job but using similar skills to before
3. A different job that did not require formal re-training
4. A different job that required formal re-training
5. Was not working when last interviewed

**{IF CvPstNJ = 1}**

**CvPste**

“Thinking about your current pay, would you say that has increased, decreased or stayed the same relative to what you were earning in your previous job?”

Think about your pay on an hourly or pro rata basis if your hours of work are different to before, and include any bonuses or commission.

1. Increased by a quarter or more (i.e. by 25% or more)
2. Increased by up to one quarter (i.e. by less than 25%)
3. Stayed the same
4. Decreased by up to one quarter (i.e. by less than 25%)
5. Decreased by a quarter or more (i.e. by 25% or more)
6. Don't know

{IF CvPstd = 2, 4}

**CvWrsk**

"Does your work as currently conducted involve a high risk of infection by coronavirus (Covid-19)?"

1. Yes
2. No
3. Not sure

{IF CvPstd = 2, 4}

**CvJbhw**

"And which of these would you say best describes your current situation?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. All of my working hours are from home
2. Some of my working hours are from home
3. None of my working hours are from home

{IF CvPstd = 2, 4}

**CvKey**

"Are you a keyworker or has your work been classified as critical to the coronavirus response?"

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CvPstd = 4, 5}

**CvSeaf**

"On a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "you have been able to work as you did before the pandemic" and 10 is "you cannot currently work at all" how is your self-employment currently affected by the coronavirus outbreak?"

RANGE: 0...10

{IF CovidW1 = 0 AND CvPred = 3}

**CvSeiss**

"Have you, or will you, apply for the government financial support for self-employed people (the Self-Employed Income Support Scheme)?"

1. Yes
2. No
3. Not eligible

**{IF (CvPstd = 3)}**

**CvPaid**

“Is this paid or unpaid leave from employment?”

1. Paid
2. Unpaid

**{IF CVPstd = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6}**

**CvSearch**

“Are you currently looking for a {IF CvPstd = 2, 4: “new”} job?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvSearch = 1}**

**CvSearchW**

“What sort of work are you looking for?”

**\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”**

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”**

1. Essentially the same job as I {IF CvPstd = 2, 4: “am currently doing”; ELSE: “was doing previously”}
2. A different job but using the same skills
3. A different job that does not require formal re-training
4. A different job that requires re-training

**{IF CvSearch = 1}**

**CvSearchH**

“What sort of hours of work are you looking for?”

**\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”**

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”**

1. Fixed full-time hours
2. Fixed part-time hours
3. Flexible hours

**{IF CvSearch = 1}**

**CvSearchA**

“In the last four weeks did you...”

**CODE ALL THAT APPLY**

1. Visit or contact a Job Centre
2. Have your name on the books of a private employment agency
3. Study advertisements in newspapers, journals or on the internet
4. Ask friends, relatives, colleagues or trade unions about jobs
5. Apply for a job
6. Wait for the results of an application for a job
7. Do anything else to try to find work

**{IF CvSearch = 1}**

**CvSearchT**

“What do you think is the percent chance that you will have a [IF CvPstd = 2, 4: new] job in three months’ time?”

Range: 0 ... 100.

## 1.5.2 Overall financial situation

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvPreFn

“In the 3 months before the coronavirus outbreak began in February, how well were you managing financially?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Living comfortably
2. Doing all right
3. Just about getting by
4. Finding it quite difficult
5. Finding it very difficult

{ASK ALL}

CvPostFn

“How do you feel your current financial situation compares to before the coronavirus outbreak began in February?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. I'm much worse off
2. I'm a little worse off
3. I'm about the same
4. I'm a little better off
5. I'm much better off

## 1.6 Volunteering and caring

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvLook

“Just before the coronavirus outbreak began in February, did you look after anyone once a week or more? This could be your partner or other people in your household or someone in another household.”

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CvLook = 1}

CvLookB [MULTICODE]

“Did the person (or people) you cared for before the coronavirus outbreak live with you or in another household?”

\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”

1. My household
2. Another household

{IF CvLookB = 1}

CvLookC2

“Did the amount of care you provide for this person/people <b>in your household</b> change during the lockdown period (March to June)?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It increased
2. It decreased
3. It stopped
4. It stayed the same

{IF CvLookB = 2}

CvLookD2

“Did the amount of care you provide for people <b>outside your household</b> changed during the lockdown period (March to June)?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It increased
2. It decreased
3. It stopped
4. It stayed the same

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvLookE

“Have you provided help for someone outside of your household who you hadn't previously, due to the coronavirus outbreak?”

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CvLookE = 1}

CvLookF2

“How often did you look after this person/people during the lockdown period (March to June) due to the coronavirus outbreak?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Every day
2. 4 to 5 days a week
3. 2 to 3 days a week
4. 1 day a week
5. Less often (I did it only once, it was not regular)

{IF FFCvLookB1 = 1}

CvLookBNow

“The last time you did this survey you told us that you were providing care for someone who lives with you. Has the amount of care you provide for this person/people <b>in your household<b> changed since then?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It has increased
2. It has decreased
3. It has stopped
4. It has stayed the same

{IF FFCvLookB2 = 1 OR FFCvLookE = 1}

CvLookG

“The last time you did this survey you told us that you were providing care for someone who lives outside of your household. Has the amount of care you provide for this person/people <b>outside your household</b> changed since then?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It has increased
2. It has decreased
3. It has stopped
4. It has stayed the same

{IF CovidW1 = 1}

CvLookH

“Since you last completed the survey in <W1IntMonth>, have you started providing help for someone outside of your household who you didn’t previously?”

1. Yes
2. No

{IF CvLookH = 1}

CvLookJ

“How often have you looked after this person/people in the past week”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Every day
2. 4 to 5 days a week
3. 2 to 3 days a week
4. 1 day a week
5. Less often (I did it only once, it was not regular)

{ASK ALL}

## CvVolun

"Have you changed the frequency you take part in voluntary work since {IF CovidW1=1: "you last completed the survey in <W1IntMon>"; ELSE: "the coronavirus outbreak"}?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. Yes, stopped completely
2. Yes, less than before
3. Yes, more than before
4. No, about the same
5. I did not volunteer previously

## 1.7 Health

### 1.7.1 Health behaviours

{ASK ALL}

CvEwtch

"Next, we need to ask you a few questions about your general health at the moment. How much do you currently weigh?"

{Web: "First, please select the units..."; {Tel: "INTERVIEWER: PLEASE ASK RESPONDENT WHETHER THE ANSWER WILL BE IN KILOGRAMS OR STONES AND POUNDS"}}

1. Kilograms
2. Stones and pounds

{IF CvExtch = 1}

WTMETRIC

"How much do you currently weigh, in kilograms?"

Kilograms:

{IF CvExtch = 2}

WTIMPERIAL

"How much do you currently weigh, in stones & pounds?"

Stones:

Pounds:

{ASK ALL}

CvHeight

"How tall are you without shoes? {Web: "First, please select the units..."; {Tel: "INTERVIEWER: PLEASE ASK RESPONDENT WHETHER THE ANSWER WILL BE IN CENTIMETRES OR FEET AND INCHES"}}

1. Centimetres
2. Feet and inches

{IF CvHeight = 1}

HTMETRIC

“How tall are you without shoes, in centimetres?”

Centimetres:

{IF CvHeight = 2}

HTIMPERIAL

“How tall are you without shoes, in feet and inches?”

Feet:

Inches:

{ASK ALL}

HEACTA

“We would like to know the type and amount of physical activity involved in your daily life.

How often, if ever, do you take part in sports or activities that are <b>vigorous<b>?

Examples of vigorous activities include running or jogging, swimming, cycling, aerobics or gym workout, tennis, digging with a spade or shovel...”

”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

- 1 ...more than once a week,
- 2 once a week,
- 3 one to three times a month,
- 4 hardly ever, or never?

{ASK ALL}

HEACTB

“How often, if ever, do you take part in sports or activities that are <b>moderately energetic<b>?

Examples of moderately energetic activities include gardening, cleaning the car, walking at a moderate pace, dancing, floor or stretching exercises...”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

- 1 ...more than once a week,
- 2 once a week,
- 3 one to three times a month,
- 4 hardly ever, or never?

{ASK ALL}

HEACTC

“How often, if ever, do you take part in sports or activities that are <b>mildly energetic<b>?

Mildly energetic activities include vacuuming, laundry, home repairs...”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

- 1 ...more than once a week,

2 once a week,  
3 one to three times a month,  
4 hardly ever, or never?

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvHesmoke**

“Do you currently smoke?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvHesmoke = 1}**

**HESKB**

“About how many cigarettes (including roll ups) a day do you usually smoke on weekdays?”

{IF WEB: “Please do not include e-cigarettes (electronic cigarettes)”}

{IF TEL: “INTERVIEWER: EXCLUDE e-cigarettes (electronic cigarettes)”}

Range: 0...997

**{IF CvHesmoke = 1}**

**HESKC**

“About how many cigarettes (including roll ups) a day do you usually smoke at weekends?”

{IF WEB: “Please do not include e-cigarettes (electronic cigarettes)”}

{IF TEL: “INTERVIEWER: EXCLUDE e-cigarettes (electronic cigarettes)”}

Range: 0...997

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvSprt**

“During the last seven days, how many measures of spirits did you have?”

{IF WEB: “Drinks poured at home may be larger than a pub single measure – please estimate number of singles. If none, please enter ‘0.’.”; IF TEL: “INTERVIEWER READ OUT: Drinks poured at home may be larger than a pub single measure – please estimate number of singles.

INTERVIEWER: If none, please enter ‘0.’.”}

RANGE: 0...50

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvWine**

“During the last seven days, how many glasses of wine did you have? {IF WEB:

“Include sherry, port, vermouth. If none, please enter ‘0.’.”; IF TEL: “INTERVIEWER READ OUT: Include sherry, port, vermouth. INTERVIEWER: If none, please enter ‘0.’.”}

RANGE: 0...50

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvBeer**

“During the last seven days, how many pints of beer, lager or cider did you have? {IF WEB: “If none, please enter ‘0.’.”; IF TEL: INTERVIEWER: If none, please enter ‘0.’.”}

RANGE: 0...50

{ASK ALL}

CvFood

"Which of the following statements best describes the food eaten in your household since the coronavirus outbreak?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. You and other household members always had enough of the kinds of foods you wanted to eat.
2. You and other household members had enough to eat, but not always the kinds of food you wanted.
3. Sometimes you and other household members did not have enough to eat.
4. Often you and other household members did not have enough to eat.

## 1.7.2 Care

{ASK ALL}

CvCaho [MULTICODE]

"Over the past month have you received care at home?"

\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"

1. Yes, formal (paid, provided from an agency)
2. Yes, informal (friend or relative)
3. No

{IF CvCaho = 1, 2}

CvCahob

"Since the coronavirus outbreak started is the amount of care you receive..."

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. Less than it was
2. About the same
3. More than it was
4. {Tel: "Or do you"}; {Web: "I"} no longer receive help

{ASK ALL}

CvCare

"Since the coronavirus outbreak started have your care needs been met..."

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. All of the time
2. Most of the time
3. Some of the time
4. Hardly ever
5. {Tel: "Or do you"}; {Web: "I do"} not have any care needs

## 1.7.3 Self-reported health/sleep

{ASK ALL}

CvHeSelf

"In the past month would you say your health was..."

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"**

1. Excellent
2. Very good
3. Good
4. Fair
5. Poor

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvHesleep**

"In the past month would you say the quality of your sleep was..."

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"**

1. Excellent
2. Very good
3. Good
4. Fair
5. Poor

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvHehosp**

"Since the coronavirus outbreak, have you had a hospital operation or treatment cancelled?"

1. Yes
2. No
3. I did not have a hospital operation or treatment booked

**{IF CvHehosp = 1}**

**CvHospCncl [MULTICODE]**

"Was the cancelled operation or treatment for..."

**\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"**

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"**

1. Testing for possible bowel cancer
2. Testing for possible prostate cancer
3. Testing for possible cervical cancer
4. Testing for possible breast cancer (such as a mammogram or x-ray)
5. Cancer treatment including surgery
6. Heart disease or heart attack
7. Stroke
8. Aneurysm
9. Joint replacement including hip or knee
10. Mental health including depression
11. Dementia
12. Eye surgery including cataract or glaucoma
13. Other (please specify)

**{IF CvHehosp = 1}**

**CvHospCnclB**

"Was the cancelled operation or treatment..."

1. Rescheduled but not yet carried out
2. Rescheduled and carried out
3. Waiting to be rescheduled

4. No longer needed

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvComm**

"{IF CovidW1 = 1: "Since we last interviewed you in <W1IntMonth>,"; ELSE: "Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February"}, have you been able to access the community health and social care services and support you need, for instance your GP, a dentist, podiatrist, nurse, personal care counselling for depression or anxiety or other mental health services?"

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"**

1. Yes
2. No
3. {Tel: "Did you"}; {Web: "I did"} not attempt to contact them
4. {Tel: "Or did you"}; {Web: "I did"} not need to contact them

**{IF CvComm = 2, 3}**

**CvCommB**

"What service or support did you need to access?"

1. GP
2. Dentist
3. Routine healthcare checks
4. Podiatrist
5. Community nurse
6. Counselling for depression or anxiety or other mental health services
7. Personal care
8. Other [please specify]

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvHecond [MULTICODE]**

"Thinking about what has happened since we last interviewed you, has a doctor ever told you that you developed a new health condition?"

**\_WEB: "Please select all that apply"**

**\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY"**

1. High blood pressure or hypertension
2. Angina, a heart attack (including myocardial infarction or coronary thrombosis)
3. Congestive heart failure
4. Diabetes or high blood sugar
5. A stroke (cerebral vascular disease)
6. Chronic lung disease such as chronic bronchitis or emphysema
7. Asthma
8. Arthritis (including osteoarthritis, or rheumatism)
9. Cancer or a malignant tumour (excluding minor skin cancers)
10. Dementia, senility or another serious memory impairment, Alzheimer's disease
11. Malignant blood disorder, e.g. leukaemia
12. Other condition (please specify)
13. **\_WEB: "None of these"**

**\_TEL "INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OUT None of these"  
EXCLUSIVE**

## 1.8 Social isolation

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvPlaces [GRID]

“Since the coronavirus outbreak began in February, how easy or difficult has it been for you to get to each of the following places?”

\_WEB: “Please select one answer on every row”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED.”

GRID ROWS:

1. Bank or cash point
2. Supermarket
3. Hospital
4. Pharmacy

GRID COLS:

1. Easy
2. Difficult
3. Unable to go
4. Do not wish to go

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvIntA

“We would now like to ask you some questions about your use of the internet and email. Since the coronavirus outbreak, on average, how often did you use the internet or email?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. More than once a day
2. Every day, or almost every day
3. At least once a week (but not every day)
4. At least once a month (but not every week)
5. Less than monthly
6. Never

{ASK ALL}

CvFeel [GRID]

“The next questions are about how you feel about different aspects of your life. For each one, please say how often you feel that way.”

\_WEB: “Please select one answer on every row”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED.”

GRID ROWS:

1. How often do you feel you lack companionship?
2. How often do you feel left out?
3. How often do you feel isolated from others?
4. How often do you feel lonely?

GRID COLS:

1. Hardly ever or never
2. Some of the time
3. Often

## 1.8.1 Social connections

{IF ANY CvReIP = 1}

CvPartA [GRID]

"We would now like to ask you some questions about your spouse or partner. Please select the answer which best shows how you feel about each."

\_WEB: "Please select one answer on every row"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED."

GRID ROWS:

1. How much your partner understands the way you feel about things
2. How much can you rely on your partner if you have a serious problem
3. How much can you open up to your partner if you need to talk about your worries
4. How much your partner criticises you
5. How much your partner lets you down
6. How much your partner gets on your nerves
7. How often your partner makes too many demands on you

GRID COLS:

1. A lot
2. Some
3. A little
4. Not at all

{IF ANY CvReIP = 1}

CvPartB

"How close is your relationship with your spouse or partner?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. Very close
2. Quite close
3. Not very close
4. Not at all close

{ASK ALL}

CvFamcon [GRID]

"In the past month, how often have you done the following with any of your immediate family (parents, children, grandchildren and brothers and sisters), not counting any who live with you?"

\_WEB: "Please select one answer on every row"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED."

GRID ROWS:

1. Speak on the phone
2. Video-calling (e.g. Skype, FaceTime, etc)
3. Write or email
4. Send or receive text messages

GRID COLS:

1. Daily
2. 3 to 6 times a week
3. Once or twice a week

4. Less than once a week or never

{ASK ALL}

CvFrdcon [GRID]

"In the past month, how often have you done the following with other relatives and/or friends?"

\_WEB: "Please select one answer on every row"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH STATEMENT AND THE ANSWER CODES. REPEAT ANSWER CODES AS REQUIRED."

GRID ROWS:

1. Speak on the phone
2. Video-calling (e.g. Skype, FaceTime, etc)
3. Write or email
4. Send or receive text messages

GRID COLS:

1. Daily
2. 3 to 6 times a week
3. Once or twice a week
4. Less than once a week or never

## 1.8.2 Grandparenting

{ASK ALL}

GParent1

"Do you have any grandchildren? {IF WEB: "Please include all children that you consider yourself to be a grandparent to, including step-grandchildren and adopted grandchildren."; IF TEL: INTERVIEWER READ OUT: "Please include all children that you consider yourself to be a grandparent to, including step-grandchildren and adopted grandchildren."}"

1. Yes
2. No

{IF GParent1 = 1}

GParent2

"How old is your youngest grandchild?"

RANGE: 0...60

**(If GParent2 > 15 skip this section)**

{IF GParent1 = 1}

GParent3

"Did you look after any of your grandchildren without their parents present before lockdown started (in February)?"

1. Yes
2. No

{IF GParent3 = 1}

GParent4

“Did the amount of care you provide for grandchildren change during the lockdown period (March to June)?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It increased
2. It decreased
3. It stopped
4. It stayed the same

{IF (GPparent3 = 1 AND GPparent4 = 4) OR GPparent4 = 1}

GPparent5

“What were your main reason(s) for doing this?”

Select up to 2 answers max

1. To help them develop as people
2. It keeps me young and active
3. To help his/her/their parents while working
4. Their usual childcare (school, nanny, childminder, nursery, ...) was no longer available
5. To help out financially
6. Our family prefers family care
7. It is difficult for me to refuse
8. Other please specify

{IF (GPparent3 = 2) OR (GPparent4 = 2, 3)}

GPparent6

“Why did you not look after them, or look after them less?”

Select up to 2 answers max

1. It is not practical
2. I don't feel confident/healthy to do it
3. I don't have a good relationship with my children/grandchildren
4. They have childcare in place/they don't need childcare

{IF GPparent1 = 1}

GPparent7

“During the summer months of June, July and August did the amount of time you looked after grandchildren without their parents being present change compared with this time last year?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It increased
2. It decreased
3. It stopped
4. It stayed the same
5. I did not look after them last year but I did in the summer

{IF GPparent7 = 1, 4, 5}

GPparent8

“What were your main reason(s) for doing this?”

Select up to 2 answers max

1. To help them develop as people
2. It keeps me young and active

3. To help his/her/their parents while working
4. Their usual childcare (school, nanny, childminder, nursery, ...) was no longer available
5. To help out financially
6. Our family prefers family care
7. It is difficult for me to refuse
8. Other (please specify)

{IF GParent1 = 1, 4}

GParent9

“Over the months since schools re-opened, from early September until now, did the amount of time you looked after grandchildren without their parents being present change compared with this time last year?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. It increased
2. It decreased
3. It stopped
4. It stayed the same
5. I did not look after them last year but I do now

## 1.9 Income

### 1.9.1 Income and spending

{ASK ALL}

CvInc

“Is {IF no partner: “your income”; ELSE “the income of you and your partner”} higher than, about the same as or lower than before the coronavirus outbreak that began in February?”

1. Higher
2. About the same
3. Lower

{IF CvInc = 3}

CvAdj [MULTICODE]

“In the last four months have you done any of the following to adjust to having lower income?”

\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”

1. Spending reduced anyway due to lifestyle restrictions
2. Intentionally reduced spending
3. Saved less
4. Drew on savings
5. Drew on pension savings
6. Borrowed from bank
7. Received financial assistance from family or friends
8. \_WEB: “None of these”  
\_TEL “INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OUT None of these”  
EXCLUSIVE

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvBen [MULTICODE]**

“Have you made a new claim for any of the following benefits since the start of the coronavirus outbreak (whether or not you have started receiving payments yet)?”

**\_WEB: “Please select all that apply”**

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT EACH OPTION AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY”**

1. Universal Credit
2. Job Seeker’s Allowance
3. Employment and Support Allowance
4. Pension Credit
5. Housing benefit
6. Council tax support or reduction
7. Statutory Sick Pay
8. **\_WEB: "None of these"**  
**\_TEL “INTERVIEWER: DO NOT READ OUT None of these”**  
**EXCLUSIVE**

**{ASK ALL}**

**CvFtg**

“Have {IF no partner: “you”; ELSE “you or your partner”} **<b>given<b>** any financial assistance to family or friends as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?”

1. Yes
2. No

**{If CvFtg = 1}**

**CvFtgN**

“How many individuals have {IF no partner: “you”; ELSE “you or your partner”} given financial assistance to?”

**RANGE 0...16**

**{If CvFtg = 1}**

**LOOP [CvFtgn]**

**CvFtgW**

{IF CvFgtn > 1: “Thinking about each person in any order, what is the (first/second/third...)”}; {IF CvFgtn = 1: “What is this”} person’s relationship to you?”

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER, IF NECESSARY”**

1. Son (natural/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
2. Daughter (natural/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
3. Grandchild
4. Sister or brother (natural/half/adopted/foster/step/in-law)
5. Mother or father (natural/adoptive/foster/step/in-law)
6. Other relative
7. Other non-relative

**CvFtgA**

“Around how much in total have you lent or given this person as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?”

## END LOOP

{ASK ALL}

CvFtr

“Have you <b>received<b> any financial assistance from family or friends as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?”

1. Yes
2. No

{ASK ALL}

CvCons

“Thinking about your household spending (e.g. on food and household goods, products and services, on commuting, bills, etc.) but excluding housing costs (e.g. mortgage payments, rent), over the last 4 weeks, has your household spending increased, decreased or stayed the same relative to the same four week period last year?”

1. Increased by a quarter or more (i.e. by 25% or more)
2. Increased by up to a quarter (i.e. by less than 25%)
3. Stayed the same
4. Decreased by up to a quarter (i.e. by less than 25%)
5. Decreased by a quarter or more (i.e. by 25% or more)
6. Don't know

{ASK ALL}

CvWithN

“Thinking about the amount your household holds in any savings and investments (not including pensions), less any debts you might have. How does the current level of your financial wealth compare to the level it would have been without the pandemic?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Higher than it would have been
2. Around the same as it would have been
3. Lower than it would have been

{ASK ALL}

CvWith6

“Thinking ahead 6 months from now. How do you think the level of your financial wealth then will compare to the level it would have been without the pandemic?”

\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”

1. Higher than it would have been
2. Around the same as it would have been
3. Lower than it would have been

## 1.9.2 Pensions and retirement

{IF CovidW1 = 0}

CvPen

“Do you have any private pensions that you have not yet started receiving or drawing an income from?”

HELP: What is a private pension? “Private pensions are occupational, or personal pensions, or pensions provided by your employer, but not your state pension. You or your employer may currently be making contributions to such a pension or may have ceased making contributions after having contributed in the past.”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvPen = 1}**

**CvPenv**

“How much, if at all, do you think the value of this pension (or these pensions if you have more than one) has been affected by the coronavirus outbreak?”

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”**

1. Value improved
2. Value not affected
3. Value now slightly lower
4. Value now much lower

**{IF CovidW1 = 0}**

**CvAdd**

“Do you have any pension drawdown arrangements or a pension from which you are withdrawing an adjustable income?”

HELP: Press here for more info “Since the introduction of a government policy that has become known as ‘pension freedom’ anyone with an accumulated ‘defined contribution’ or ‘money purchase’ pension fund has been able to access their fund in a number of ways.

You should answer “yes” to this question if either (i) you have such a fund and are regularly taking small sums from your pot, or (ii) you have moved such a fund into a pension drawdown arrangement from which you are receiving a regular income.”

1. Yes
2. No

**{IF CvAdd = 1}**

**CvAddv**

“How much, if at all, do you think the value of your pension drawdown fund (or funds that you are withdrawing an adjustable income from) has been affected by the coronavirus outbreak?”

**\_TEL: “INTERVIEWER: READ OUT”**

1. Value improved
2. Value not affected
3. Value now slightly lower
4. Value now much lower

**{IF CvAdd = 1}**

**CvAddr**

“Have you changed the amount of income you are withdrawing from your pension fund as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?”

{Tel: INTERVIEWER: IF 'YES', PROBE AS NECESSARY}

1. No
2. Yes, stopped withdrawing funds
3. Yes, reduced the income being withdrawn
4. Yes, increased the income being withdrawn

{ASK ALL}

**CvPenI**

"Thinking about the level of your total retirement income in future, how do you think this will have been affected by the coronavirus pandemic?"

\_TEL: "INTERVIEWER: READ OUT"

1. Income will be much higher
2. Income will be slightly higher
3. Income will be about the same
4. Income will be slightly lower
5. Income will be much lower

{IF (CvPstd = 2, 3, 4, 5, 6)}

**CvRet**

"Has the age at which you expect to retire from paid work changed as a result of the coronavirus outbreak?"

{Tel: INTERVIEWER: IF 'YES', PROBE AS NECESSARY}

1. Yes – I now plan to retire earlier
2. Yes – I now plan to retire later
3. No

{ASK ALL}

**CvMovha**

"On a scale of 0 to 100, where 0 means there is absolutely no chance it will happen and 100 means it is certain to happen, what are the chances that you will move out of your current home at some time in the future?"

RANGE: 0...100

{ASK ALL}

**CvRslf**

"On a scale of 0 to 100, where 0 means there is absolutely no chance it will happen and 100 means it is certain to happen, what are the chances that at some point in the future you will not have enough financial resources to meet your needs?"

RANGE: 0...100