2008 ALBERTA SURVEY

QUESTIONNAIRE-CODEBOOK

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NOTATIONS

1. This codebook contains the actual questions and categories from the CATI questionnaire. Interviewer instructions have been retained for completeness.

2. NA= not applicable

3. The SPSS system file contains a weight variable. The final sample sizes obtained for Edmonton, Calgary, and Other Alberta are not proportional to the Alberta population they represent. Therefore, weighting is necessary to combine the samples for a provincial dataset.

    If the sample is analyzed individually, then no weighting is necessary; for example, if the researcher is only interested in the Edmonton responses.

    In the SPSS system file the weighting variable is: WT. By default the weight variable is on.

    To turn weighting off: WEIGHT OFF

    To turn weighting on: WEIGHT BY WT

    The weighting factors used for the 2008 survey are as follows:

    Edmonton   0.953001

    Calgary   1.001361

    Other Alberta   1.045991

    For further details on the weighting calculation, please see the Sampling Report.

INTRODUCTION

Intro1

Hello, my name is _____. I'm calling (long distance) from the University of Alberta.

Have I dialed XXX-XXXX? Just to let you know, your phone number was randomly selected.

Hello, I am calling back from the Population Research Laboratory at the University of Alberta to continue an interview that we started previously.

> PRESS '1' TO CONTINUE

Intro2

The Population Research Laboratory at the University is conducting a public opinion survey of Albertans. The study is being done on behalf of a variety of researchers. We'd like you to know that your input is valuable to this project. It will assist researchers to develop public policies and understand issues that affect our lives.

(OPTIONAL READ): The topics range from physical and lifestyle activities, to voting behaviour, genetic testing, youth participation in the labour market, climate change issues, risk behaviour in teenagers, avian flu, and nanotechnology.

(OPTIONAL READ): The study sponsors are: the Alberta Centre for Active Living**,** a government agency, the Centre for Work and Community Studies at Athabasca University, the Health Law Institute, two departments from the University of Alberta (Sociology and Rural Economy) and the Population Research Laboratory.

> PRESS '1' TO CONTINUE

Intro3

The interview will take about 25 minutes. Is this a good time for me to continue?

1   YES [Press '1' to go to next screen]
       NO [Esc to first screen, control-end, and add appropriate disposition]

NUMWOM

Before we start the interview, we need to make sure that we speak to an equal number of men and women. Can you please tell me…

How many women aged 18 or over live at this number?

_____ Number of women
99   Refused   [DO NOT READ]

NUMMEN

And how many men aged 18 and over live at this number?

_____ Number of men
99   Refused   [DO NOT READ]

[IF NO ONE 18 YEARS OR OLDER LIVES IN THE HOUSEHOLD, TERMINATE THE INTERVIEW. SELECT A HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT ACCORDING TO THE STANDARDIZED RESPONDENT SELECTION GUIDELINES]

(OPTIONAL READ: "We don't always speak to the person who answers the phone. If possible, we would like to speak to an adult member of the household who is 18 years or older. May I speak to the male/female who is available? (Repeat intro if necessary)).

[Schedule callback if not available].

VERIFY18

And just to confirm, are you 18 years of age or older?

1   Yes, 18 years or older.
2   No, Underage.
(Ask to speak to ADULT member of household)

(OPTIONAL READ: We don't always speak to the person who answers the phone. For this interview, I would like to speak to an adult member of the household who is 18 years or older. May I speak to the male/female who is available?)

(Repeat intro if necessary.)

Intro4

May we start the interview now?

1   YES [Press '1' to go to next screen]
        NO [Esc to first screen, control-end, and add appropriate disposition]

[NOTE: CELL PHONES - If the person is on a cell phone, continue if he/she says it is okay. If they provide you with another number they would like you to call instead, record the new number in message line and schedule callback.]

FOIPP

I would like to assure you that your participation in this interview is completely voluntary. If there are any questions you don't wish to answer, please point these out to me and we'll go on to the next question. You, of course, have the right to end this phone call at any time.

The information you provide will be used only for the indicated purposes in conformity with the Alberta Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy (FOIPP) Act.

If you have any questions about this study, you can call Janet Ngo, the Research Coordinator, at the Population Research Lab (collect) at (780) 492-4659, extension 228.

        PRESS '1' TO CONTINUE

SEX1

RECORD GENDER OF RESPONDENT (IF NOT SURE, PLEASE ASK)

1   Male
2   Female

TIME

[Interviewer note: Start timing now]

        PRESS '1' TO CONTINUE

VOTING BEHAVIOUR

A1

We'll begin by asking some questions about your voting behaviour.

How many years have you lived in Alberta?

ENTER YEARS:___ (Round to nearest year; 5 months = 0 years)

-1   Don't know [DO NOT READ]
-2   No Response/Refused [DO NOT READ]

A2

Did you vote in the recent Alberta provincial election (March 3, 2008)?

1   Yes
2   No   [SKIP TO A4]

0   Not eligible   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO K16b]
-1   No Response/Refused [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO K16b]

A3

[IF YES] For which party did you vote?

[DO NOT READ; CHOOSE ONE RESPONSE ONLY]

1   Progressive Conservative   (PC/Tory)
2   Alberta Liberal Party   (Liberals)
3   Alberta NDP   (New Democratic Party)
4   Wildrose Alliance Party
5   Alberta Party
6   Alberta Greens/Green Party of Alberta
7   Separation Party of Alberta
8   Alberta Social Credit Party   (Socreds)
9   Communist Party
10   Other (Specify) **A3_OTH**
12   Independent Candidate

11   Don't Know
0   No Response/Refused
-5   NA-Did not vote

A4

What was your main reason for not voting?

[DO NOT READ. CHOOSE ONE RESPONSE ONLY]
[If respondent says: "inconvenient" as a reason, probe as to how it's inconvenient.
E.g.   Not enough time ->Option 5
         Don't know where to vote ->Option 7]

1   I usually don't vote/not interested in politics
2   "All politicians are the same"
3   Did not like any of the leaders
4   Did not like any of the parties
5   Did not have enough time
6   Did not understand the issues
7   Did not know where to vote
8   Did not think my vote would make a difference
9   Was not permitted to vote
10   Out of riding/away
11   Unaware of election
12   Democracy does not work
13   Illness/disability
14   Culture/religion
15   Weather
16   Other (SPECIFY) **A4_OTH**

 0   Don't know/don't remember
-1   No Response/refused
-4   NA-Voted in Election
-5   NA-Not eligible

K16b

If an election was held today, how would you vote provincially?

[DO NOT READ CATEGORIES. PROBE FOR THE NAME OF A POLITICAL PARTY]

1	Progressive Conservative	(PC/Tory)
2	Alberta Liberal Party	(Liberals)
3	Alberta NDP	(New Democratic Party)
4	Wildrose Alliance Party	
5	Alberta Party	
6	Alberta Greens/Green Party of Alberta	
7	Separation Party of Alberta	
8	Alberta Social Credit Party	(Socreds)
9	Communist Party	
10	Other (Specify) **K16b_OTH**	

11	Would not vote
12	Not Eligible
13	Don't Know
0	No Response/Refused

K16a

For this next question, please tell me: If an election was held today, how would you vote federally?

[DO NOT READ CATEGORIES. PROBE FOR THE NAME OF A POLITICAL PARTY]

1	Liberal Party of Canada	(Liberals)
2	Conservative Party of Canada	(PC or Tory /Alliance)
3	Canada's NDP	(New Democratic Party)
4	Green Party of Canada	
5	Other (specify) **K16a_OTH**	

6	Would not vote
7	Not Eligible
8	Don't Know
9	No Response/Refused

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY

B1a

Next, I'd like to ask you some questions about physical activity. Considering an average week, we'd like to know how many times a week, on average, you do the following kinds of activity for more than 15 minutes during your free time.

First, we'd like to ask about STRENUOUS ACTIVITY. Strenuous activity is exhausting, and typically makes you sweat and your heart beat faster. It includes activities like running, soccer, aerobics, vigorous swimming, cross-country skiing, and hockey.

How many times do you participate in strenuous activity for more than 15 minutes during an average week?

Times per week _____   [IF 0, SKIP TO B2a]

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]   [IF 0, SKIP TO B2a]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]   [IF 0, SKIP TO B2a]

B1b

What is the average duration of your participation in strenuous activity in minutes?

Average Duration (in minutes) _____ (0-500)

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-No strenuous activity/"No response" or "Don't Know" to B1a

B2a

Now we'd like to ask about MODERATE ACTIVITY. Moderate activity is not exhausting, and includes activities like fast walking, easy bicycling, easy swimming, and dancing.

How many times do you participate in moderate activity for more than 15 minutes during an average week?

Times per week _____   [IF 0, SKIP TO B3a]

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B3a]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B3a]

B2b

What is the average duration of your participation in moderate activity in minutes?

Average Duration (in minutes) _____ (0-500)

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-No moderate activity/"No response" or "Don't Know" to B2a

B3a

We'd also like to know about MILD ACTIVITY. Mild activity requires only minimal effort and doesn't usually cause you to sweat; it includes activities like easy walking and yoga.

How many times do you participate in mild activity for more than 15 minutes during an average week?

Times per week _____   [IF 0, SKIP TO B4a]

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B4a]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B4a]

B3b

What is the average duration of your participation in mild activity in minutes?

Average Duration (in minutes) _____ (0-500)

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-No mild activity/"No response" or "Don't Know" to B3a

B4a

Now, please think about the time you spent walking in the last 7 days for at least 10 minutes at a time. This includes at work, at home, walking to travel from place to place, and any other walking that you might do for recreation, sport, exercise, or leisure.

During the last 7 days, how many days did you walk for at least 10 minutes at a time?

Days per week_____   [IF 0, SKIP TO B6]

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B6]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO B6]

B4b

How many minutes did you usually spend walking per day?

(This includes all the time spent walking, including at home. We are looking for an average amount of minutes per day over the last 7 days)

Minutes per day:_____

-1   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-2   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Did not walk/"No response" or "Don't Know" to B4a

B6

The next questions ask how confident you are about participating in regular physical activity, where "regular physical activity" is defined as activity that is done at least 4 times per week, for at least 30 minutes at a time or a total of 30 minutes accumulated throughout the day, and at a moderate effort.

Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'not confident at all' and 5 means 'completely confident', please tell me how confident you feel in your ability to participate in regular physical activity.

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B7

How confident are you that you could participate in regular physical activity…

When you have many other demands on your time?

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B8

How confident are you that you could participate in regular physical activity...

When you are tired?

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B9

How confident are you that you could participate in regular physical activity...

When you are in a bad mood?

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B10

How confident are you that you could participate in regular physical activity...

When there is bad weather?

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B11

How confident are you that you could arrange your schedule to participate...

In regular physical activity?

1   Not at all
2   Slightly
3   Somewhat
4   Quite
5   Completely

0   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B12

Next, I will read a number of statements. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with each of the statements using a 5 point scale, where 1 means "Strongly Disagree" and 5 means "Strongly Agree." You can choose any number from 1 to 5.

For me, regular physical activity will keep me healthy. (Please rate your agreement with this statement).

Do you… [READ]

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree or disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B13

For me, regular physical activity will reduce my chances of getting serious health problems.

[READ IF NECESSARY]

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree or disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

B14

If I wanted to, I could easily participate in regular physical activity.

[READ IF NECESSARY]

1	Strongly disagree	
2	Disagree	
3	Neither agree or disagree	
4	Agree	
5	Strongly agree	

| 0 | Don't know | [DO NOT READ] |
| -1 | No response/Refused | [DO NOT READ] |

B15

I have easy access to places where I can get physical activity.

[READ IF NECESSARY]

1	Strongly disagree	
2	Disagree	
3	Neither agree or disagree	
4	Agree	
5	Strongly agree	

| 0 | Don't know | [DO NOT READ] |
| -1 | No response/Refused | [DO NOT READ] |

B16

It is my goal for the near future to participate in regular physical activity.

[READ IF NECESSARY]

1	Strongly disagree	
2	Disagree	
3	Neither agree or disagree	
4	Agree	
5	Strongly agree	

| 0 | Don't know | [DO NOT READ] |
| -1 | No response/Refused | [DO NOT READ] |

B17

Do you ever look for information about physical activity?

1	Yes		
2	No		[SKIP TO B19]
0	Don't Know	[DO NOT READ]	[SKIP TO B19]
-1	No response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]	[SKIP TO B19]

B18

What is your preferred source for physical activity information?

[OPEN-ENDED]

B19

Have you heard of the following health promotion materials and campaigns?

[READ; SELECT ALL THAT APPLY]

B19_1 Canada's Physical Activity Guide for Healthy Active Living
B19_2 Eating Well With Canada's Food Guide
B19_3 Healthy-U
B19_4 ParticipAction
B19_5 Active Edmonton
B19_6 GO 2 Calgary
B19_7 None of the above

1 Yes
0 No

NANOTECHNOLOGY

NANOX

Now, I'd like to ask you about nanotechnology.

The Province of Alberta is investing in a new area of science known as nanotechnology. Nanotechnology involves manipulating atoms and molecules to create new materials that have novel chemical, optical, electrical and physical properties.

At the moment, several hundred products incorporating nanotechnology are in the marketplace. Examples of such products include sunscreens, anti-bacterial bandages, scratch resistant paints, tennis rackets and other sporting gear and medical devices.

Press "1" to continue

C1

On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.

The Province of Alberta should continue to invest in nanotechnology research and development.

1	Strongly disagree
2	Disagree
3	Neither agree nor disagree
4	Agree
5	Strongly agree

0	Don't know	[DO NOT READ]
-1	No response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]

C2

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

I am confident that products made with nanotechnology are safe for humans.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

C3

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

I am confident that products made with nanotechnology are safe for
the environment.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

C4

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

I believe that government must regulate products made with nanotechnology.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

C5

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

I trust industry to develop safe applications of nanotechnology.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

C6

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

I believe that all products made with nanotechnology should be labeled.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

THE ALBERTA ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE COMMISSION

D1

The next questions are about AADAC (the Alberta Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission).

Prior to me phoning you today, were you aware of the Alberta Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission, or AADAC?

1   Yes
2   No   [SKIP TO D3]

8   Don't Know   [SKIP TO D3]
9   Not Stated   [SKIP TO D3]

D2 (AADAC)

To the best of your knowledge, what does AADAC do?

[PROBE: What services does AADAC provide? Anything else?]

(Interviewer note: Probe fully, allow for multiple responses.)

D2code1	First Response
D2code2	Second Response
D2code3	Third Response
D2code4	Fourth Response
D2code5	Fifth Response
D2code6	Sixth Response
D2code7	Seventh Response

D3

Is the following statement true or false?

Alcohol use during pregnancy can lead to life-long disabilities in a child.

1	True
2	False

0	Don't Know
-1	Not Stated

GENETIC TESTING

GENX

Now I'll ask you some questions about genetic testing.

(Genetic testing: A process in which a person's DNA, or genetic material, is examined to see if he or she carries an increased risk or predisposition to a particular health condition or disease.)

Genetic research is moving forward rapidly. This has allowed the development of a variety of new diagnostic tests. These tests help identify genetic disorders or conditions that you and/or your children may be predisposed to or at risk of developing. Genetic tests are usually done through a health care provider, but increasingly they are available privately.

Press "1" to continue

FC1a

If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes:

…Increased your risk of developing a disease that might be managed?

[READ:]
1   Nothing
2       $1-$499
3       $500-$1999
4       $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC1b

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes)

…Increased your risk of developing a serious disease, even if you can do little to prevent it (e.g., Huntington's disease, certain cancers)?

[READ:]
1   Nothing
2       $1-$499
3       $500-$1999
4       $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC1c [ASK MALES ONLY]

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes)

…Increased your risk of going bald?

[READ IF NECESSARY:]
1   Nothing
2     $1-$499
3     $500-$1999
4     $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   Respondent was female   [DO NOT READ]

FC1d

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes)

…Increased your chances of gaining weight?

[READ IF NECESSARY]
1   Nothing
2     $1-$499
3     $500-$1999
4     $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC1e

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes)

…Impacted the kinds of food you should eat to stay healthy?

[READ IF NECESSARY]
1   Nothing
2    $1-$499
3    $500-$1999
4    $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC1f

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, how much would you be willing to pay a company to find out if your genes)

…Increased your risk of developing a psychiatric condition such as schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, or an anxiety disorder?

[READ IF NECESSARY:]
1   Nothing
2    $1-$499
3    $500-$1999
4    $2000+

5   Don't want to know, wouldn't take a genetic test   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC2a

On a scale from 1 to 5 where "1" means "no effect" and "5" means "a strong effect", please tell me how much the following circumstances would affect your decision on whether or not to get a genetic test...

...Knowing that there is a potential treatment for a genetic disease.

1   No effect
2
3
4
5   A strong effect

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC2b

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale from 1 to 5 where "1" means "no effect" and "5" means "a strong effect", please tell me how much the following circumstances would affect your decision on whether or not to get a genetic test)..."

...Curiosity about my genetic traits.

1   No effect
2
3
4
5   A strong effect

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC2c

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale from 1 to 5 where "1" means "no effect" and "5" means "a strong effect", please tell me how much the following circumstances would affect your decision on whether or not to get a genetic test)...

...Reproductive decision making.

1   No effect
2
3
4
5   A strong effect
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC2d

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale from 1 to 5 where "1" means "no effect" and "5" means "a strong effect", please tell me how much the following circumstances would affect your decision on whether or not to get a genetic test)...

...Fear that insurance companies or employers may use the information.

1   No effect
2
3
4
5   A strong effect

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC2e

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale from 1 to 5 where "1" means "no effect" and "5" means "a strong effect", please tell me how much the following circumstances would affect your decision on whether or not to get a genetic test)...

...A desire to make healthy lifestyle choices, informed by my genetic predispositions.

(Genetic predisposition refers to one's susceptibility to a disease or trait, which may or may not result in the actual development of the disease or trait.)

1   No effect
2
3
4
5   A strong effect

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC3

Are you aware that genetic testing services are available from non-traditional providers, for example, from the Internet or from magazines?

1   Yes
2   No

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC4

Have you ever discussed or considered discussing genetic testing with your family physician?

1   Yes
2   No

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC5a

On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.

The first statement is: If the tests were available, the Alberta Health Care system should pay for you to find out if your genes…

...Increased your risk of developing a disease that might be managed.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree or disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC5b

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, the Alberta Health Care system should pay for you to find out if your genes)
...Increased your risk of developing a serious disease, even if you can do little to prevent it (e.g., Huntington's disease, certain cancers).

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree or disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

FC5c

(OPTIONAL READ: On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements.)

(OPTIONAL READ: If the tests were available, the Alberta Health Care system should pay for you to find out if your genes)

...Impacted the kinds of food you should eat to stay healthy.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree or disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

TEENAGE RISK

G1a

Now I'd like to ask your opinion on risks faced by teenagers.

In recent years, researchers, police officers, teachers and others have spent a considerable amount of time studying the everyday risks faced by teenagers in Canada.

In your view what are the top three risks faced by teenagers today? [UNPROMPTED RESPONSE]

[IF "NO RISK" STATED, TYPE "NONE"]

Risk 1   → **G1a**

Risk 2   → **G1b**

Risk 3   → **G1c**

G2

On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements:

...The risks to teenagers today are no different than what teenagers faced 30 years ago.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

G3

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

...I believe that risk-taking by teenagers is very similar to risk-taking engaged in by adults.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

G4

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

...I believe that male teenagers engage in riskier activities than female teenagers.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

G4a

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements...)

...I believe that female teenagers engage in riskier activities
than male teenagers.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

G5

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning
"strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements...)

...I believe that the mass media (e.g., television) is responsible for triggering risk-taking behaviours
in teenagers.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

G6a

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please
tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers)?

…alcohol, (Do you think it's…READ)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

G6b

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please
tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers)?

…illegal drugs, (Do you think it's…READ IF NECESSARY)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

G6c

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers) ?

…tobacco products, (Do you think it's…READ IF NECESSARY)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

G6d

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers)?

…poor diet, (Do you think it's…READ IF NECESSARY)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

G6e

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers)?

…crime, (Do you think it's…READ IF NECESSARY)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

G6f

Using a 3-point scale with "1" meaning "not at all risky" and "3" meaning "extremely risky" please tell me how much of a risk the following pose to teenagers (in terms of overall risks to teenagers)?

…a sedentary lifestyle, (Do you think it's…READ IF NECESSARY)

(DEFINITION OF "SEDENTARY": not physically active)

1   Not at all risky
2   Moderately risky
3   Extremely risky

0   Don't know
-1   No response/Refused

PANDEMIC: AVIAN FLU

Pandex

Next, I'd like to ask you about avian flu.

In recent years concerns about avian influenza have arisen. This flu results from exposure to the Influenza "A" virus (H5N1 virus) that is found chiefly in birds.

The concern is that this virus might cause a pandemic in humans (a global disease outbreak). Historically, such flus have killed millions of people.

Press "1" to continue

H1

On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements:

 ...I believe that there will be cases of this flu in Canada during the next year.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H2

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

...I believe that the health care system in Alberta is capable of handling a major outbreak of this flu.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H3

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

 ...I have enough knowledge to protect my family and myself from this flu.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H4

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

...I believe that current protective measures (e.g., hand washing, vaccines) are adequate to protect humans from contracting this flu.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H5

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statement...)

...I believe that concerns about this flu are generally overblown.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H6
(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements...)

...I believe that this flu poses no threat to me personally

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H7

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements...)

...If an avian influenza outbreak occurred in Alberta the impacts on the economy would be significant.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

H8

(On a scale of 1 to 5, with "1" meaning "strongly disagree" and "5" meaning "strongly agree", please rate your agreement with the following statements...)

...I believe that some people (e.g., health care workers, the elderly, children) should be given priority to receive vaccinations to protect them from this flu.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

CLIMATE CHANGE

I1

These next set of questions are about climate change.

Do you believe that human activity is a major cause of recent climate change?

1   Yes
2   No

3   I don't believe that the climate is changing   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO I8]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

I2

Studies have shown that climate change is linked to greenhouse gases. In your opinion, what has been the largest human factor contributing to increasing greenhouse gas emissions?

[READ RESPONSE CATEGORIES; SELECT ONE]

1   Increased multi-national corporate influence
2   Consumption patterns in developed countries
3   Population growth in developing countries
4   Political leadership

5   None of the above   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.   [DO NOT READ]

I3

The next few questions relate to the capacity of different governing bodies.
(Capacity meaning the means to be effective)

(DEFINITION OF "CAPACITY": the means to be effective. NOT whether or not the government will/would do anything about climate change)

Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please indicate how much you agree with the following statements:

...I am confident that the FEDERAL government has the capacity to address climate change.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

6   I do not believe that is the responsibility of the federal government [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.

I4

(Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please tell me how much you agree with the statement)

...I believe that the PROVINCIAL government has the capacity to address climate change.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

6   I do not believe that is the responsibility of the provincial government [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.

I5

(Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please tell me how much you agree with the statement)

...I feel that the MUNICIPAL government has the capacity to address climate change

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

6   I do not believe that is the responsibility of the municipal government [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.

I6

(Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please tell me how much you agree with the statement)

...I have the capacity to address climate change

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

6   I do not believe that is my responsibility to address climate change [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.

I7

Would you be willing to pay a tax if it were used to address the negative effects of climate change?

1   Yes
2   No

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-5   NA-Don't believe that the climate is changing.

I8

Research has shown that climate change is likely to cause more frequent and intensive weather-related events. The following two questions relate to your community's capacity to cope with weather related disasters or crises.

Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please tell me how much you agree with the statements...

 ...In the event of a major disaster, I believe there are strong leaders in my community who would act in the best interest of citizens.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

I9

 (Using a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 means 'strongly disagree' and 5 means 'strongly agree', please tell me how much you agree with the statement...)

 ...A natural disaster or crisis affecting the community in which I live would bring community members together.

1   Strongly disagree
2   Disagree
3   Neither agree nor disagree
4   Agree
5   Strongly agree

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

I10

Are you aware of any organizations that address environmental issues in your community?

1   Yes
2   No

0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

I11

Which of the following sources of information about climate change do you believe to be the MOST reliable? [READ; SELECT ONE]

1   National media (e.g., television, newspapers)
2   Local media (e.g., television, newspapers)
3   My personal experience and/or the experiences of people I know
4   Scientists/University researchers
5   Federal or provincial government agencies
6   Environmental Organizations
7   International bodies like the United Nations
8   Industry/Industries

9   None of the above   [DO NOT READ]
0   Don't know   [DO NOT READ]
-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]

DEMOGRAPHICS

K1a

The next questions will give us a better picture of the Albertans who took part in this study. The first questions are about employment.

Do you presently have a paid job or are you self employed?

1   Yes, paid job   (SKIP TO K1d)
2   Yes, self employed   (SKIP TO K1d)
3   Yes, paid job & self employed   (SKIP TO K1d)
4   No, neither   (CONTINUE TO K1b)

0   No Response   [DO NOT READ]   (SKIP TO K2a)

K1b

Are you currently unemployed, that is, out of work and LOOKING for work?

1	Yes		(SKIP TO K2a)
2	No		(SKIP TO K1c)
0	No Response	[DO NOT READ]	(SKIP TO K2a)
-5	NA-Have paid work		

K1c

Are you retired?

1	Yes		(SKIP TO K2a)
2	No		(SKIP TO K2a)
0	No Response	[DO NOT READ]	(SKIP TO K2a)
-4	NA-Looking for work		
-5	NA-Have paid work		

K1d

Are you employed full-time?

1	Yes	
2	No	
0	No Response	[DO NOT READ]
-5	NA-Not working for pay	
-6	NA-No response to K1a	

K1e

Are you (also) employed part-time?

1	Yes	
2	No	
0	No Response	[DO NOT READ]
-5	NA- Not working for pay	
-6	NA-No response to K1a	

K2a

(The responses of K2a to K2c were coded into **WORK** and **KINDUSTRY**. See Appendix A, B for categories)

What kind of work do/did you normally do? That is, what is/was your job title?

[PUT SPECIFIC OCCUPATION, e.g. (noun) elementary school teacher, not just teaching or teacher]

Interviewer notes:

1. DO NOT LEAVE BLANK! Probe if needed.

2. If the respondent has NEVER worked in a paid job in his/her lifetime, type in response, e.g. Student never worked or Homemaker never worked.

3. If respondent has more than one job, ask about the job that they work the most hours in.

K2b

What does/did that job involve?
[Describe using VERB, e.g., teaching grade 3 and 4 students, not just teach]
[OPEN ENDED]

Interviewer note: DO NOT LEAVE BLANK!

K2c

What kind of business or organization do/did you work for? What does/did your employer do or make?

[NOTE e.g. elementary school (noun) or educates elementary school children (verb)]

[NOTE: If "self-employed", we still need to know the specific type of business, sector or industry].

Interviewer note: DO NOT LEAVE BLANK!

K3a

Including yourself, how many ADULTS live at this number (related to you or not)?

_____ # Adults (18+)

99   No Response   [SKIP TO AGE]

K3b

...and how many CHILDREN under the age of 18 (live at this number)?

_____ # Children (Under 18)   [SKIP TO AGE]

99   No Response
-5   No Response to K3a

K3c

That is a total of ___ people in the household, right?

[Interviewer note: enter the total number of people.]

-5 No Response to K3a, K3b

YOUTH IN THE WORKFORCE

E1

I'd like to ask just a few questions about the youth in your household who might have worked.

Can you please tell me the number of children who live in your household who are under 15 years of age?

_____ (ENTER NUMBER)

0   None   [SKIP TO AGE]

-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]   [SKIP TO AGE]
-4   NA-No children under 18
-5   No response to K3a, K3b

E2a

How many (of these children who live in your home) are aged 9-11?

_____ (ENTER NUMBER)

0   None

-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-4   NA-No children under 18
-5   NA-No children under 15
-6   NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1

E2b

How many (of these children who live in your home) are aged 12-14?

[Skip to E3 if only one child is under 15 and E2a = 1]

_____ (ENTER NUMBER)

0   None

-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-4   NA-No children under 18
-5   NA-No children under 15
-6   NA- No response to K3a, K3b or E1
-7   NA- No other children

E3

Of the children in your home who are under 15, how many have worked in the past year
(exchanged labour for wages; worked outside the home; full time or part time or casual work)?

_____ (ENTER NUMBER)

0   None

-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-4   NA-No children under 18
-5   NA-No children under 15
-6   NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1
-7   NA-No children aged 9 to 14

E4a

Can you please tell me the age of (this child/each of these children, starting with the youngest)

_____ (ENTER AGE)   (0-15)

0   Infant under 1 year   [DO NOT READ]

-1   No Response/Refused   [DO NOT READ]
-4   No children under 18
-5   NA-No children under 15
-6   NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1
-8   NA-No children working
-7   NA-No children aged 9 to14

E4b

…the age of the second working child.

_____ (ENTER AGE)

0	Infant under 1 year	[DO NOT READ]
-1	No Response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]
-4	No children under 18	
-5	NA-No children under 15	
-6	NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1	
-8	NA-No children working	
-9	NA-No other children / no other children working	
-7	NA-No children aged 9 to14	

E4c

…the age of the third working child.

_____ (ENTER AGE)

0	Infant under 1 year	[DO NOT READ]
-1	No Response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]
-4	No children under 18	
-5	NA-No children under 15	
-6	NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1	
-8	NA-No children working	
-9	NA-No other children / no other children working	
-7	NA-No children aged 9 to14	

E4d

…the age of the fourth working child.

_____ (ENTER AGE)

0	Infant under 1 year	[DO NOT READ]
-1	No Response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]
-4	No children under 18	
-5	NA-No children under 15	
-6	NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1	
-8	NA-No children working	
-9	NA-No other children / no other children working	
-7	NA-No children aged 9 to14	

E4e

…the age of the fifth working child.

_____ (ENTER AGE)

0	Infant under 1 year	[DO NOT READ]
-1	No Response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]
-4	No children under 18	
-5	NA-No children under 15	
-6	NA-No response to K3a, K3b or E1	
-8	NA-No children working	
-9	NA-No other children / no other children working	
-7	NA-No children aged 9 to14	

DEMOGRAPHICS CONTINUED…

AGE

What is your age?

_____ YEARS OLD (18-110)

-1   No Response

AGEX

Age Grouped (Computed Variable)

1   18-24
2   25-34
3   35-44
4   45-54
5   55-64
6   65 and over

-1   No Response

K5a

What is your CURRENT marital status?

1	Never Married (Single)	(SKIP TO K6)
2	Married	(SKIP TO K6)
3	Common-Law Relationship/Live-In Partner	(CONTINUE TO K5b)
4	Divorced	(SKIP TO K6)
5	Separated	(SKIP TO K6)
6	Widowed	(SKIP TO K6)
0	No Response	(SKIP TO K6)

K5b

What was your marital status before your present relationship? Were you…

1   Never Married (Single)
2   Married
3   Common-Law Relationship/Live-In Partner
4   Divorced
5   Separated
6   Widowed

0   No response
-5   NA-Not in common-law relationship

K6

What is your highest level of education?
(This includes complete and incomplete.) [DO NOT READ]

1	NO SCHOOLING	(SKIP TO K8a)

ELEMENTARY
2   Incomplete
3   Complete

JUNIOR HIGH
4   Incomplete
5   Complete

HIGH SCHOOL
6   Incomplete
7   Complete

COLLEGE/TECHNICAL INSTITUTE (non-University)
8   Incomplete
9   Complete

UNIVERSITY
10   Incomplete
11   Diploma/certificate (e.g. hygienists)
12   Bachelor's Degree
13   Professional Degree (vets, doctors, dentists, lawyers).
14   Master's Degree
15   Doctorate

0	No Response	(SKIP TO K8a)

K6GROUP

Education Grouped (Computed Variable)

1   Less than High School
2   High School Complete
3   Post-Secondary

0   No Response

K7

In total, how many years of schooling do you have? (This includes the total of grade school, high school, vocational, technical, and university.)

_____ Years of Schooling

98   No Response
-5   No schooling
-6   No response to K6

K8a

What is your religion, if any? (Probe with categories if needed)

1   No Religion (Including agnostic and atheist)
2   Anglican
3   Baptist
4   Greek/Ukrainian Orthodox
5   Jewish
6   Lutheran
7   Mennonite
8   Latter Day Saints (Mormon)
9   Pentecostal
10   Presbyterian
11   Roman Catholic
12   Ukrainian Catholic (Including Greek Catholic)
13   United Church
14   Sunni (Sunni Islam)
15   Shiite (Shi'a Islam)

16   Protestant, not on list (Probe: Any particular denomination?)   [DO NOT READ]
17   Christian, not on list (Probe: Any particular denomination?)   [DO NOT READ]
18   Islam (Probe, any particular sect)   [DO NOT READ]
19   Other (specify) **K8a_OTH**   [DO NOT READ]

0   No Response

 (NOTE: "Other" includes other faiths, i.e. Hindu, Buddhism, Baha'i, Wicca, Native Spirituality, etc.)

K8b

Using a 7-point scale where '1' is Strongly Disagree and '7' is Strongly Agree, please tell me how much you agree or disagree with the following statement.

... I would describe myself as religious.

1	Strongly Disagree
2	Disagree
3	Disagree Somewhat
4	Neutral
5	Agree Somewhat
6	Agree
7	Strongly Agree

8	Don't Know	[DO NOT READ]
0	No response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]

K8c

Again, using a 7-point scale (where '1' is Strongly Disagree and '7' is Strongly Agree) please tell me how much you agree or disagree with the following statement.

…I have trust in modern science

1	Strongly Disagree
2	Disagree
3	Disagree Somewhat
4	Neutral
5	Agree Somewhat
6	Agree
7	Strongly Agree

8	Don't Know	[DO NOT READ]
0	No response/Refused	[DO NOT READ]

K9 (See Appendix C for further categories)

To which ethnic or cultural group(s) did your ANCESTORS belong?

[SPECIFY UP TO FOUR GROUPS. FOR EXAMPLE, FRENCH, ENGLISH,SPANISH, CHINESE, ETC. IF RESPONDENT SAYS CANADIAN, RECORD THEIR RESPONSE AND ASK WHAT COUNTRY THEIR ANCESTORS CAME FROM]

1 Aboriginal*	18 Filipino/a	35 Polish
2 African (**Probe)	19 Finnish	36 Romanian
3 American	20 French	37 Russian
4 Asian (Unspec/Probe)	21 German	38 Scottish
5 Austrian	22 Greek	39 Serbian
6 Belgian	23 Hungarian	40 Slovakian
7 Bulgarian	24 Indonesian	41 Spanish
8 Canadian	25 Iranian	42 Swedish
9 Caribbean (**Probe)	26 Irish	43 Ukrainian
10 Chilean	27 Italian	44 Vietnamese
11 Chinese	28 Japanese	45 Welsh
12 Croatian	29 Jewish	46 Yugoslavian
13 Czech	30 Korean	47 Other (Spec.) K9_OTH
14 Danish	31 Lebanese	48 Don't Know
15 Dutch	32 Métis	49 Refused
16 East Indian (**Probe)	33 Norwegian	50 No Other/ Exit
17 English	34 Pakistani	0 NA-No further responses

 (*Including First Nations)

K9_1 First Response
K9_2 Second Response
K9_3 Third Response
K9_4 Fourth Response

K10

Would you say that you (and your family) are BETTER OFF, just the SAME, or WORSE OFF financially than you were a year ago?

1   Better Off
2   Just the Same
3   Worse Off

8   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
0   No Response   [DO NOT READ]

K11

Now looking ahead, do you think that a YEAR FROM NOW, you (and your family), will be BETTER OFF, just about the SAME, or WORSE OFF financially than now?

1   Better Off
2   Just the Same
3   Worse Off

8   Don't Know   [DO NOT READ]
0   No Response   [DO NOT READ]

K12a

What is the TOTAL income of ALL members of this HOUSEHOLD for the past year, BEFORE taxes and deductions?
We're just looking for a ballpark figure.

(NOTE: Probe with categories as examples if needed.)

1	Under $6,000	13	28,000-29,999	25	70,000-74,999
2	6,000-7,999	14	30,000-31,999	26	75,000-79,999
3	8,000-9,999	15	32,000-33,999	27	80,000-84,999
4	10,000-11,999	16	34,000-35,999	28	85,000-89,999
5	12,000-13,999	17	36,000-37,999	29	90,000-94,999
6	14,000-15,999	18	38,000-39,999	30	95,000-99,999
7	16,000-17,999	19	40,000-44,999	31	100,000-124,999
8	18,000-19,999	20	45,000-49,999	32	125,000-149,999
9	20,000-21,999	21	50,000-54,999	33	150,000+
10	22,000-23,999	22	55,000-59,999		
11	24,000-25,999	23	60,000-64,999	34	Don't Know
12	26,000-27,999	24	65,000-69,999	35	No Response

K12b

What was your own total INDIVIDUAL income for this past year BEFORE taxes and deductions?

Again, we're just looking for a ballpark figure.

(NOTE: Probe with categories as examples if needed)

1	Under $6,000	13	28,000-29,999	25	70,000-74,999
2	6,000-7,999	14	30,000-31,999	26	75,000-79,999
3	8,000-9,999	15	32,000-33,999	27	80,000-84,999
4	10,000-11,999	16	34,000-35,999	28	85,000-89,999
5	12,000-13,999	17	36,000-37,999	29	90,000-94,999
6	14,000-15,999	18	38,000-39,999	30	95,000-99,999
7	16,000-17,999	19	40,000-44,999	31	100,000-124,999
8	18,000-19,999	20	45,000-49,999	32	125,000-149,999
9	20,000-21,999	21	50,000-54,999	33	150,000+
10	22,000-23,999	22	55,000-59,999		
11	24,000-25,999	23	60,000-64,999	34	Don't Know
12	26,000-27,999	24	65,000-69,999	35	No Response

K13

Do you (or your spouse/partner/parents) presently own or rent your residence?

(NOTE: i.e., if respondent lives in parents' home and they own it, put own for respondent too.)

1   Own
2   Rent

0   No Response   [DO NOT READ]

K14

Do you presently live in…

1   A City   (SKIP TO K17)
2   A Town   (SKIP TO K17)
3   A Village   (SKIP TO K17)
4   A Rural Area   (CONTINUE TO K15)

0   No Response   [DO NOT READ]   (SKIP TO K17)

K15

Do you live on a farm?

1   Yes
2   No

0   No Response
8   Don't Know
-5   NA-Don't live in a rural area.

K16b

If an election was held today, how would you vote provincially?

[DO NOT READ CATEGORIES. PROBE FOR THE NAME OF A POLITICAL PARTY]

1	Progressive Conservative	(PC/Tory)
2	Alberta Liberal Party	(Liberals)
3	Alberta NDP	(New Democratic Party)
4	Wildrose Alliance Party	
5	Alberta Party	
6	Alberta Greens/Green Party of Alberta	
7	Separation Party of Alberta	
8	Alberta Social Credit Party	(Socreds)
9	Communist Party	
10	Other (Specify) **K16b_OTH**	

11   Would not vote
12   Not Eligible
13   Don't Know
0   No Response/Refused

K16a

For this next question, please tell me: If an election was held today, how would you vote federally?

[DO NOT READ CATEGORIES. PROBE FOR THE NAME OF A POLITICAL PARTY]

1	Liberal Party of Canada	(Liberals)
2	Conservative Party of Canada	(PC or Tory /Alliance)
3	Canada's NDP	(New Democratic Party)
4	Green Party of Canada	
5	Other (specify) **K16a_OTH**	

6   Would not vote
7   Not Eligible
8   Don't Know
9   No Response/Refused

K17

To ensure that we have reached people from all areas of the province, may I please have your postal code?

Enter Postal Code ___ ___   [T#X #X#]

T99   Don't Know/No Response

[Interviewer note: Enter the complete postal code. It should start with a capital "T".
(E.g. T5N 2B3, T6K 0R5, T0E 7Z2)]

BLAST

We've reached the end of the interview. All your answers are confidential and anonymous.

If you have any questions about this study, here is the name and number again of the PRL research coordinator. You may call Janet Ngo at (780) 492-4659, ext.228.

Thank you very much for your time and participation.

PRESS '1' TO CONTINUE

LENGTH

PLEASE ENTER THE LENGTH OF THE INTERVIEW.

_____ minutes

SEX2

Enter sex of respondent

1   Male
2   Female

[Interviewer Note: This should be the same as SEX1.]

SEX3

Please type in "him" or "her" to indicate the sex of the respondent you just interviewed.

_____

[NOTE: No computer check is done in SEX3 on gender agreement; manually check against SEX2]

DECLARE

I declare that this interview was conducted in accordance with the interviewing and sampling instructions given by the Population Research Laboratory at the University of Alberta. I agree that the content of all respondent's comments/answers will be kept confidential.

PLEASE ENTER YOUR INTERVIEWER NUMBER.

 _____ ID

ENDQ

Go back through the questionnaire for your final edit before recording it as complete.

Please ensure you edit all responses.

Once you have finished editing your responses, press '1' to code as complete.

Appendix A

NATIONAL OCCUPATIONAL CLASSIFICATION 2006[1]
Major Group Structure - Two-Digit Code Numbers

Question K2a - Demographics (WORK)

WORK represents the NOC two-digit Major Group Structure categories of the occupational variable **K2a** (Question 2a - Demographics).

The NOC Major Group Structure is as follows:

    01   Senior Management Occupations
    02   Middle and Other Management Occupations
    03   Professional Occupations in Business and Finance
    04   Skilled Administrative and Business Occupations
    05   Clerical Occupations
    06   Professional Occupations in Natural and Applied Sciences
    07   Technical Occupations Related to Natural and Applied Sciences
    08   Professional Occupations in Health
    09   Technical and Skilled Occupations in Health
    10   Assisting Occupations in Support of Health Services
    11   Professional Occupations in Social Science, Education, Government Services and Religion
    12   Paraprofessional Occupations in Law, Social Services, Education and Religion
    13   Professional Occupations in Art and Culture
    14   Technical and Skilled Occupations in Art, Culture, Recreation and Sport
    15   Skilled Sales and Service Occupations
    16   Intermediate Sales and Service Occupations
    17   Elemental Sales and Service Occupations
    18   Trades and Skilled Transport and Equipment Operators
    19   Intermediate Occupations in Transport, Equipment Operation, Installation and Maintenance
    20   Trades Helpers, Construction Labourers and Related Occupations
    21   Skilled Occupations in Primary Industry
    22   Intermediate Occupations in Primary Industry
    23   Labourers in Primary Industry
    24   Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities Supervisors and Skilled Operators
    25   Processing and Manufacturing Machine Operators and Assemblers
    26   Labourers in Processing, Manufacturing and Utilities

Missing Values
    28   Homemaker-never worked (note: code assigned for this study & not part of NOC)
    29   Student-never worked (note: code assigned for this study & not part of NOC)
     0   No Response

[1]Source: National Occupational Classification, Human Resources Development Canada.
http://www5.hrsdc.gc.ca/noc-CNP/app/occupation_index.aspx?1c=e

Appendix B

NORTH AMERICAN INDUSTRY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM 2007-CANADA[1]
Industry Sector - Two-Digit Code Numbers

Question K2c - Demographics (KINDUSTRY)

KINDUSTRY represents the NAICS two-digit Industry Sector categories of the business/organization variable **K2c** (Question 2c - Demographics).

The NAICS Industry Sector is as follows:

11	Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting
21	Mining, Quarrying, and Oil and Gas Extraction
22	Utilities
23	Construction
31	Food Manufacturing
32	Wood Product Manufacturing
33	Primary Metal Manufacturing
41	Wholesale Trade
44	Retail Trade - Retail Type 1
45	Retail Trade - Retail Type 2
48	Transportation & Warehousing - Transportation
49	Transportation & Warehousing - Postal, Courier & Storage
51	Information and Cultural Industries
52	Finance and Insurance
53	Real Estate and Rental and Leasing
54	Professional, Scientific and Technical Services
55	Management of Companies and Enterprises
56	Administrative and Support, Waste Management and Remediation Services
61	Educational Services
62	Health Care and Social Assistance
71	Arts, Entertainment and Recreation
72	Accommodation and Food Services
81	Other Services (except Public Administration)
91	Public Administration

0	No Response
99	Not Applicable

[1]Source: North American Industry Classification System, Statistics Canada.
http://www.statcan.ca/english/Subjects/Standard/naics/2007/naics07-menu.htm

Appendix C

LIST OF ETHNICITIES
(Variables K9_1 to K9_4, Question 9 Demographics)

N.I.E. – Not Indicated Elsewhere

4	Welsh	98	Turk
5	British	102	Punjabi
10	French Canadian	105	Indian (Asian)
16	Amerindian	107	Pakistani
17	Canadian	108	Sri Lankan
19	American	109	Japanese
21	Haitian	110	Korean
22	Jamaican	111	Filipino
25	Caribbean N.I.E.	112	Burmese
27	Argentinean	114	Laotian
29	Chilean	115	Thai
31	Mexican	116	Vietnamese
32	Peruvian	117	East Indian N.I.E.
38	Central & South American N.I.E.	120	Mongol
40	Afro-American	122	Asian N.I.E.
43	Black N.I.E.	123	Fiji Islander
45	African N.I.E.	125	Pacific Islander N.I.E.
46	Austrian	126	Australian/New Zealander
47	Belgian	130	Hindu
48	Flemish	131	Sikh
49	Luxembourger	132	Muslim
50	Swiss	135	Mennonite
53	Finnish	136	Religious N.I.E.
54	Danish	137	White N.I.E.
55	Icelander	140	Ismaili
56	Norwegian	142	Iraqi
57	Swede	144	Gujarati
58	Scandinavian N.I.E.	149	Ethiopian
60	Estonian	151	Somali
61	Latvian	152	Trinidadian/Tobagonian
62	Lithuanian	154	Creole
64	Czech	160	Moroccan
66	Hungarian	171	West Asian N.I.E.
67	Romanian	172	South East Asian N.I.E.
68	Russian	173	Indonesian
69	Slovak	208	French
72	Albanian	209	English
73	Bulgarian	210	German
74	Croatian	211	Scottish
76	Serbian	212	Italian
77	Slovene	213	Irish
78	Yugoslavian	214	Ukrainian
80	Greek	215	Chinese
83	Maltese	216	Dutch
84	Portuguese	217	Jewish

85	Spanish	218	Polish
86	Basque	220	North American Aboriginals
87	Gypsy	221	Métis
88	European N.I.E.	213	Irish
90	Lebanese		
91	Palestinian		
78	Yugoslavian		
80	Greek		
92	Syrian		
94	Middle East Arab N.I.E.		
95	Egyptian	*Missing Values*	
96	Iranian	997	Don't Know
97	Israeli	998	Refusal
92	Syrian	0	No Further Response