

NISRA CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) OPINION SURVEY QUESTIONNAIRE SPECIFICATION PHASE 17

Household grid: Name, Age, Sex

MarStt

What is ^(name's) marital status? Is it...

1. Single, that is, never married and never registered in a civil partnership
2. Married
3. In a registered civil partnership
4. Separated, but still legally married
5. Divorced
6. Widowed
7. Separated, but still legally in a civil partnership
8. Formerly in a civil partnership which is now legally dissolved
9. Surviving partner from a civil partnership

LivTog

May I just check, (are you) is ^(name) currently living with someone in this household as a couple?

1. Yes - opposite sex couple
2. Yes - same sex couple
3. No

Starting with a few questions about your feelings on aspects of your life, for each question please answer on a scale of 0 to 10, where 0 is "not at all" and 10 is "completely". There are no right or wrong answers.

MCZ_1 Overall, how satisfied are you with your life nowadays?

MCZ_2 Overall, to what extent do you feel that the things you do in your life are worthwhile?

MCZ_3 Overall, how happy did you feel yesterday?

MCZ_4 On a scale where 0 is "not at all anxious" and 10 is "completely anxious", overall, how anxious did you feel yesterday?

COV_1 ASK ALL

How often do you feel lonely...

1. Often/always
2. Some of the time
3. Occasionally
4. Hardly ever
5. Never?

COV_2 ASK ALL

To what extent do you agree with the following statement?

If I needed help, there are people who would be there for me.

1. Strongly agree
2. Somewhat agree
3. Neither agree nor disagree
4. Somewhat disagree
5. Strongly disagree

DEPEND1 ASK ALL

Do you have responsibility for the care of a child?

1. Yes
2. No

DEPEND2 ASK ALL

Do you have responsibility for the care of a person with a disability?

1. Yes
2. No

DEPEND3 ASK ALL

Do you have responsibility for the care of a dependant elderly person?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_3 ASK ALL

Is there anyone living with you who is sick, disabled, or over 70 whom you look after or give special help to?

1. Yes
2. No

GenHeal5 How is your health in general? Would you say it was...

1. Very Good
2. Good
3. Fair
4. Bad
5. or very Bad?

Hlongill ASK ALL

Do you have any physical or mental health conditions or illnesses lasting or expected to last for 12 months or more?

1. Yes
2. No

REDACT ASK IF Hlongill = Yes

Does your condition(s) or illness(es) reduce your ability to carry out day to day activities?

1. Yes, a lot
2. Yes, a little
3. Not at all

COV_4 ASK ALL

Thinking about your health, do you currently have any of the following health conditions, problems or illnesses?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Alzheimer's disease or dementia
2. Angina or long-term heart problem
3. Asthma
4. Autism spectrum disorder (ASD) or Asperger's (Asperger syndrome)
5. Cancer
6. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) or long-term lung problem
7. Diabetes
8. Epilepsy or other conditions that affect the brain
9. High blood pressure
10. Kidney or liver disease
11. Stroke or cerebral haemorrhage or cerebral thrombosis
12. Rheumatoid arthritis
13. Other (please specify)
14. None of these

COV_4Sp ASK IF COV_4 = Other

Please specify the other condition(s), problem(s) or illness(s) that you currently have

COV_Medic. ASK ALL

Since the start of the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, access to medical care for existing health conditions and check ups has been reduced or put on hold. For example, out-patient hospital treatment, dentist, opticians, podiatrists, audiologists, physiotherapists, cancer treatment, counselling. Before the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, were you receiving medical care for any long-term mental or physical health condition, problem or illness?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_AfMedic. ASK IF Cov_Medic = 1

Since the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak have you been able to access the same level of medical care for any long-term mental or physical health condition, problem or illness?

1. Yes, treatment started or continued as normal [Include telephone and video call appointments]
2. Yes, treatment started or continued but was reduced
3. Treatment for some, but not all health conditions [Include telephone and video call appointments]
4. No, treatment was cancelled
5. No, not receiving treatment
6. Not applicable

COV_Reduce. ASK IF Cov_AfMedic = 2 OR 3 OR 4

What effect, if any, has reduced access to treatment or no treatment had on any of your long-term mental or physical health conditions, problems or illnesses?

1. My health has improved
2. My health has stayed the same
3. My health has gotten worse
4. Other (please specify)

COV_ReduceSp. ASK IF COV_Reduce = Other

Please specify the other effects that reduced access to treatment or no treatment has had. STRING[200]

COV_5 ASK IF COV_4 = Cancer

Are you currently having treatment for your cancer?

1. Yes, chemotherapy
2. Yes, radiotherapy
3. Yes, other
4. No

COV_NewPro ASK ALL

In the past seven days, have you had any new or worsening health problems?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_Prof ASK IF COV_NewPro=1 (Yes)

Have you sought any professional health advice for these health problems?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_NoProfA ASK IF COV_Prof = 2 (No)

Why did you not seek any professional health advice for these health problems?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. I was concerned about catching the coronavirus (COVID-19) while receiving care
2. I was concerned about spreading the coronavirus (COVID-19) to others
3. I wanted to avoid putting pressure on the NHS
4. I did not think it was serious enough to seek advice
5. I was concerned about leaving home
6. I did not know how to access help
7. I was not able to access help
8. I thought help was unavailable
9. Other (please specify)
10. None of the above (* EXCLUSIVE CODE *)

COV_NoProfSp ASK IF COV_NoProfA= Other

Please specify the reasons you did not seek professional health advice for these health problems...STRING[200]

DRINK1. ASK ALL

Since the outbreak of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, would you say that on the whole you have been drinking more alcohol, about the same or less?

1. Drinking more
2. About the same
3. Drinking less
4. I haven't drank since March 2020
5. Not Applicable - I don't drink at all

DRINKOFT1. ASK IF (DRINK1 = Option 1-4)

Thinking now about all kinds of drinks, how often did you have an alcoholic drink of any kind in the 12 months before the outbreak of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic in March 2020?

RUNNING PROMPT

1. Almost every day
2. 5 or 6 days a week
3. 3 or 4 days a week
4. Once or twice a week
5. Once or twice a month
6. Once every couple of months
7. Once or twice a year
8. Not at all in last 12 months?

DRINKOFT2. ASK IF DRINK1 = Option 1 (drink more) or 3 (less)

Thinking now about all kinds of drinks, how often have you had an alcoholic drink of any kind since the outbreak of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic in March 2020?

RUNNING PROMPT

1. Almost every day
2. 5 or 6 days a week
3. 3 or 4 days a week
4. Once or twice a week
5. Once or twice a month
6. Once every couple of months
7. Once or twice since March 2020
8. Not at all since March 2020

DrinkDays ASK IF (DRINK1 = Option 1-4)

Over the last 12months, would you say that the number of days per week on which you have drunk alcohol has changed?

RUNNING PROMPT

1. Yes, increased
2. Yes, decreased
3. Stayed the same?

DrinkAmount. ASK IF (DRINK1 = Option 1-4)

Over the last 12 months, would you say that the amount of alcohol you have drunk on a typical day has changed?

RUNNING PROMPT

1. Yes, increased
2. Yes, decreased
3. Stayed the same?

CigNow. ASK ALL

Do you smoke cigarettes even if occasionally?

Please do not include electronic cigarettes or vaping.

1. Yes
2. No

CigEver ASK IF CigNow=2

Have you ever smoked cigarettes regularly?

Please do not include electronic cigarettes or vaping

1. Yes
2. No

COV_Ecig. ASK ALL

Do you currently use electronic cigarettes or similar vaping devices such as an e-shisha or e-pipe?

RUNNING PROMPT

1. Yes, daily
2. Yes, occasionally
3. No, but I used to
4. I have never used an electronic cigarette or similar vaping device

Paidwork

Did you do any paid work in the 7 days ending Sunday the ^ (date), either as an employee or as self-employed?

1. Yes
2. No

Anywork ASK IF Paidwork = No

Did you . . .

1. Have a job or business you were away from, or
2. Were you waiting to take up a job already obtained
3. Were you looking for work, or
4. Were you intending to look for work, but were prevented by temporary sickness or injury
5. Were you on a government training scheme?
6. None of these

UnpaidO ASK IF ((anywork = 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 6)

Did you do any unpaid work in the seven days ending Sunday the ^{date) for any business that YOU own?

1. Yes
2. No

Unpaidr ASK IF (unpaid = no)

...or that a relative owns?

1. Yes
2. No

last4wk ASK IF (anywork = 2 OR 3 OR 4 OR 6)

Thinking of the 4 weeks ending Sunday the ^{date), were you looking for any kind of paid work or government training scheme at any time in those 4 weeks?

1. Yes
2. No

Ifplace ASK IF (last4wk = yes)

If a job or a place on a government scheme had been available in the week ending Sunday the ^{date) would you have been able to start in the next two weeks?

1. Yes
2. No

Nreason ASK IF (last4wk = no) OR (ifplace = no)

What was the main reason you did not seek any work in the last 4 weeks, or would not be able to start in the next 2 weeks?

1. Student
2. looking after family/home
3. temporarily sick or injured
4. long-term sick or disabled
5. retired from paid work
6. other reason
7. waiting to take up a job already obtained

COV_Vac1 ASK ALL

A mass vaccination is currently rolling out for Coronavirus (COVID-19) in Northern Ireland. Have you received the vaccine for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

6. Yes
7. No

COV_Barr Ask if COV_Vac1=YES

Did you experience any of the following difficulties when going to get your vaccine?

INTERVIEWER READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

1. Difficulty travelling to receive the vaccine
2. Cost of travel to receive the vaccine
3. Felt unsafe going to receive the vaccine due to the risk of catching the Coronavirus (COVID-19)
4. Difficulty with accessibility at the vaccination centre, GP surgery or pharmacy
5. Difficulty finding help for caring responsibilities while I got vaccinated
6. Long wait at the vaccination centre, GP surgery or pharmacy
7. Difficulty taking time off work
8. Other, please specify
9. I did not experience any difficulties

COV_BarrSp ASK IF COV_Barr = Other, please specify

Please specify the other difficulties you faced when going to get your vaccine

STRING[200]

COV_Vac1a. Ask if COV_Vac1=YES

How many vaccine doses have you received?

1. First dose
2. Both doses

COV_Vac2. Ask if COV_Vac1=YES

Did you experience any side effects after receiving the vaccine for the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_Vac3. ASK IF COV_Vac2=YES

What were the side effects?

INTERVIEWER READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

1. Sore arm where the needle went in
2. Feeling tired
3. Headache
4. Feeling achy
5. Allergic reaction
6. Other side effects – please specify

COV_Vac3oth. ASK IF COV_Vac3 = Other

Please specify these other side effects? STRING [300]

COV_Vac4. ASK IF COV_Vac2 = YES

Would you describe the side effects as mild or severe?

1. Mild
2. Severe

COV_Vac5. ASK IF COV_Vac2 = YES

How long did the side effects last?

1. Up to one day/24 hours
2. 1-2 days
3. 3-4 days
4. 5-6 days
5. A week
6. 1-2 weeks
7. Longer than 2 weeks

COV_Vac6. [Ask if COV_Vac1=no]

How likely or unlikely are you to have the vaccine for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Very likely
2. Fairly likely
3. Fairly unlikely
4. Very unlikely

COV_Vac7. Ask if COV_Vac6 = Fairly Unlikely or Very Unlikely

For what reason(s) are you unlikely to have a vaccine for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)? INTERVIEWER READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES & SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

1. I do not think it will work
2. I am worried the vaccine will give me the Coronavirus (COVID-19)
3. I am worried about the side effects
4. I am worried about the effect on an existing health condition
5. I am worried about the long term effects on my health
6. I do not think it will be safe
7. I am worried it might be painful
8. I am pregnant and afraid of the effects on my baby
9. I do not think I need the vaccine as I have already tested positive for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)
10. I do not think I need the vaccine as I have already had the Coronavirus (COVID-19) although I did not have a positive test
11. I do not feel the Coronavirus (COVID-19) is a personal risk
12. I would wait to see how well the vaccine works
13. I am against vaccines in general
14. I do not have the time
15. Other (please specify)

COV_Vac7oth. ASK if COV_Vac7 = Other

Please specify the other reasons you are unlikely to have a vaccine for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)

COV_Vac8. ASK IF COV_Vac6 = Fairly Unlikely or Very Unlikely

Have you already been offered the vaccine for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

Intro_VaccBoost. ASK IF COV_Vac1a =Both doses

The next set of questions ask for your opinion of vaccine booster jabs for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)

COV_VaccBoostRec. ASK IF COV_Vac1a =Both doses

Have you received a vaccine **booster** jab for the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_VaccBoost. ASK IF COV_VacBoostRec = No

How likely or unlikely would you be to have a vaccine booster jab for the coronavirus (COVID-19) if one was offered to you?

3. Very likely
4. Fairly likely
5. Neither likely nor unlikely
6. Fairly unlikely
7. Very unlikely

COV_VaccBoostReas. ASK IF COV_VaccBoost = Fairly or very unlikely

For what reasons would you be unlikely to have a vaccine booster jab for the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. I think the first and second vaccine will be enough to keep me safe
2. I had a bad reaction to a previous coronavirus (COVID-19) vaccine
3. I am worried about having a bad reaction to the vaccine booster jab
4. I think the booster vaccine should be offered to others instead of me
5. I am pregnant or trying to get pregnant and worried about the effects on my baby
6. I am unable to travel to the vaccine centre
7. I am confused about information on whether or not I should have a vaccine booster jab
8. I do not think a vaccine booster jab will offer me any extra protection
9. I am worried about the long-term effects on my health
10. Other, please specify

COV_VaccBoostReasSp. ASK IF COV_VaccBoostReas = Other

For what other reasons would you be unlikely to have a vaccine booster jab for the coronavirus (COVID-19)? STRING [200]

Cov_PosTest ASK ALL

Have you tested positive for the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_HadCor ASK if Cov_PosTest = no, 'Don't know' or 'Refusal'

Do you think that you have had the Coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_HadCorY IF COV_HadCor = Yes or Don't Know

For which of the following reasons do you think you may have had the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

1. I experienced symptoms of the coronavirus (COVID-19)
2. I was in close contact with someone who tested positive for the coronavirus (COVID-19)
3. I was in close contact with someone who experienced symptoms of the coronavirus (COVID-19)
4. Other (please specify)

COV_HadCorYSp ASK IF COV_HadCorY = Other

Please specify for what other reasons you think that you may have had the Coronavirus (COVID-19). STRING [200]

COV_LongCov ASK IF Cov_PosTest = yes Or COV_HadCor = yes

For some people, the Coronavirus (COVID-19) can cause symptoms that last weeks or months after the infection has gone. This is sometimes called post-COVID-19 syndrome or 'long COVID'. Have you experienced 'long COVID'?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_LongCovAs ASK IF COV_LongCov = yes or Don't Know

Has having 'long COVID' negatively affected any of the following aspects of your life?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

1. Work
2. Education
3. Caring responsibilities
4. General wellbeing
5. Family life
6. Relationships
7. Ability to exercise
8. Other (please specify)
9. None of the above

(EXCLUSIVE CODE)

COV_LongCovAsSP ASK IF COV_LongCovAs = other

Please specify any other ways that having 'long COVID' has negatively affected your life. [String 200]

COV_NewVar ASK ALL

How worried or unworried are you about new variants of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Very worried
2. Somewhat worried
3. Neither worried nor unworried
4. Somewhat unworried
5. Not at all worried

COV_C9 ASK ALL

How worried or unworried are you about the effect that Coronavirus (COVID-19) is having on your life right now?

1. Very worried
2. Somewhat worried
3. Neither worried nor unworried
4. Somewhat unworried
5. Not at all worried

COV_C10M ASK IF COV_C9 = 1 OR 2

In which way is Coronavirus (COVID-19) affecting your life?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. My health is being affected
2. My work is being affected
3. Schools, colleges and universities are being affected
4. My household finances are being affected
5. My well-being is being affected (for example, boredom, loneliness, anxiety and stress)
6. Lack of freedom and independence.
7. My relationships are being affected
8. My caring responsibilities are being affected
9. My access to paid or unpaid care is being affected
10. My exercise routine is being affected
11. Availability of groceries, medication and essentials are being affected (for example, shops running low on stock)
12. Access to groceries, medication and essentials are being affected (for example, not being able to shop as often, depending on others to shop for me)
13. Access to healthcare and treatment for non-coronavirus (COVID-19) related issues is being affected.
14. Transport is being affected
15. Personal travel plans are being affected (for example, holidays and gap year)
16. Work travel plans are being affected
17. Life events are being affected (for example, weddings and funerals)
18. I am unable to make plans
19. Other (please specify)

COV_C10MSp ASK IF COV_C10M = Other

Please specify the other ways in which Coronavirus (COVID-19) is affecting your life...STRING[200]

COV_C11 ASK IF COV_C10M > 1 option

Of the worries you told us about, which one are you most concerned about?
[feed forward the options from above if more than one selected], Other

COV_C12M_New ASK IF COV_C10M = 2 (WORK)

In the past seven days, how has your work been affected?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Increase in hours worked (for example, over-time)
2. Decrease in hours worked (for example, place of work closed or reduced opening times or availability of work)
3. I have been furloughed (this is where your employer has kept you on the payroll if they are unable to operate, or have no work for you to do because of Coronavirus (COVID-19))
4. Temporary closure of own business (include potential closure and actual closure)
5. Permanent closure of own business (include potential closure and actual closure)
6. Redundancy
7. Asked to take leave (Include paid and unpaid leave)
8. Unable to take leave
9. Working long hours with no breaks or reduced breaks
10. Finding working from home difficult
11. I am worried about my health and safety at work
12. Asked to work from home
13. I have to work around childcare
14. I have to work around other caring responsibilities
15. Unable to find work
16. Other (please specify)

ASK IF COV_C12M_New = Other

COV_C12MSp

Please specify the other ways in which Coronavirus (COVID-19) has affected your work...STRING[200]

COV_C13M ASK IF COV_C10M = 4 (HOUSEHOLD FINANCES)

In the past seven days, how have your household finances been affected?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Reduced income
2. Use of my savings to cover living costs
3. Unable to save as usual
4. Had to borrow money or use credit (For example, using credit cards, overdrafts, or taking out loans, including borrowing from friends, family, neighbours or other personal connection)
5. Delay to sick pay
6. Delay to State welfare benefits (for example, Universal Credit)
7. Had to use food banks
8. Struggling to pay bills (for example, food, energy)
9. Care costs increased (For example, childcare, social care)
10. Providing financial support to friends and family
11. Pension value is being affected by economic instability
12. Savings value is being affected by economic instability
13. Other (please specify)

COV_C13MSp ASK IF COV_C13M = Other

Please specify the other ways in which Coronavirus (COVID-19) has affected your household finances...STRING[200]

COV_C28M ASK IF COV_C10M = 7 (CARING RESPONSIBILITIES)

In the past seven days, how have your caring responsibilities been affected?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. I am spending more time caring for others
2. I am unable to care for someone I usually support (for example, unable to spend as much time as would like to or unable to travel to them)
3. I am having to organise remote support for someone vulnerable (for example, online grocery shopping)
4. Paid care support is reduced(for example, childcare, respite care, social care support)
5. Other (please specify)

COV_C28MSp ASK IF COV_C28M = Other

Please specify the other ways in which Coronavirus (COVID-19) has affected your caring responsibilities...STRING[200]

COV_C29M_New ASK IF COV_C10M = 5 (WELLBEING)

In the past seven days, how has your well-being been affected?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Spending too much time alone
2. Spending too much time with others in household
3. No one to talk to about my worries
4. Strain on my personal relationships
5. Strain on my work relationships
6. Feeling stressed or anxious
7. Feeling bored
8. Feeling lonely
9. Finding working from home difficult
10. Making my mental health worse
11. Unable to exercise as normal
12. Feeling worried about the future
13. Feeling worried about possible job loss
14. Feeling worried about finding a job
15. Other (please specify)

COV_C29MSp ASK IF COV_C29M_New = Other

Please specify the other ways in which Coronavirus (COVID-19) has affected your wellbeing...STRING[200]

COV_C38 ASK ALL

How long do you think it will be before your life returns to normal?

1. Less than one month
2. 1 to 3 months
3. 4 to 6 months
4. 7 to 9 months
5. 10 to 12 months
6. More than a year
7. Never

COV_IntroC2 ASK ALL

The following questions relate to people like me who are survey interviewers. Before the pandemic, we would have carried out interviews in respondent's homes. We're trying to gauge the public's opinion about letting people like us back into their homes again.

COV_Int ASK ALL

If you were selected, how comfortable or uncomfortable would you be letting a survey interviewer into your home to ask you some questions?

Appropriate coronavirus (COVID-19) safety measures would be in place in accordance with Health and Safety guidance and government guidance.

1. Very comfortable
2. Comfortable
3. Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4. Uncomfortable
5. Very uncomfortable
6. Not applicable

COV_IntUnc ASK IF COV_Int = Uncomfortable; Very uncomfortable

For what reasons would you be uncomfortable letting a survey interviewer into your home to ask you some questions?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Worried about spreading the coronavirus (COVID-19)
2. Worried about catching the coronavirus (COVID-19)
3. Worried about ability to social distance in home
4. Worried as I am, or have been, shielding
5. Other, please specify

COV_IntUncSp ASK IF Cov_IntUnc = Other, please specify

Please specify the other reasons you would be uncomfortable letting a survey interviewer into your home to ask you some questions. STRING [200]

COV_IntMeas ASK ALL

What measures would you expect to see in place if a survey interviewer were to ask you some questions in your home?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Interviewer should have been vaccinated for the coronavirus (COVID-19)
2. Interviewer should have a negative coronavirus (COVID-19) test
3. Interviewer should wear a face covering
4. Interviewer should use sanitary wipes for equipment
5. Interviewer should use hand sanitiser
6. Other, please specify

COV_IntMeasSp ASK IF COV_IntMeas = Other, please specify

Please specify the other measures you would expect to be in place if a survey interviewer were to ask you some questions in your home. STRING [200]

COV_IntroC3 The next set of questions are about your household finances in view of the general economic situation.

COV_C39 ASK ALL

How do you expect the financial position of your household to change over the next 12 months?

1. Get a lot better
2. Get a little better
3. Stay the same
4. Get a little worse
5. Get a lot worse

COV_Debt. ASK ALL

Borrowing or using credit includes credit cards, overdrafts, or taking out loans, borrowing from friends, family, neighbours or other personal connections. Have you had to borrow more money or use more credit than usual since the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_Money ASK IF COV_Debt = Yes

How much more money have you borrowed or spent using credit since the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak?

1. Less than £250
2. £250 to £499
3. £500 to £749
4. £750 to £999
5. £1,000 to £1,999
6. £2,000 to £2,999
7. £3,000 to £3,999
8. £4,000 to £4,999
9. £5,000 to £9,999
10. £10,000 to £24,999
11. £25,000 or more

INTRO_HSSB. The NI High Street Scheme opened its on-line portal for applications on 27th September. The aim of the scheme is to boost economic activity by providing every person in Northern Ireland, aged 18 and over, with a pre-paid card worth £100 to spend in local businesses. An alternative option to register via telephone will be available, from 11th October, for those who do not have access to, or do not wish to register online. The card can be used to purchase goods and services in businesses within Northern Ireland that have the facility to accept card payments. However, it cannot be used for online purchases, gambling or for financial and legal purposes. The card may be used for numerous transactions but limited to a maximum spend of £100.00.

COV_HSSB1. ASK ALL AGED 18 OR MORE

The NI High Street Scheme opened its on-line portal for applications on 27th September. Do you intend to apply, or have you already applied, for a prepaid £100 card?

1. I have already applied via the on-line portal
2. Not yet – however I intend to apply
3. No – I do not intend to apply

COV_HSSB1a. ASK IF COV_HSSB1 = 1

Did you apply to the scheme yourself or ask someone else to apply on your behalf?
IF “APPLIED MYSELF” SELECTED, PROBE FOR WITH OR WITHOUT ASSISTANCE

1. I applied myself
2. I applied myself with assistance
3. Someone applied on my behalf

COV_HSSB1b. ASK IF COV_HSSB1a = 1 or 2

How easy or difficult did you find the application process?

1. Very Easy
2. Easy
3. Difficult
4. Very Difficult

COV_HSSB1c. ASK IF COV_HSSB1b = 3 or 4

Why did you find the portal difficult to use?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Do not know my National Insurance Number
2. Do not know my Driving licence number
3. System was slow
4. System kept crashing
5. Application portal was not user friendly
6. Other- please specify

COV_HSSB1d. ASK IF COV_HSSB1c = Other
For what other reason did you find it difficult? STRING [200]

COV_HSSB2. ASK IF COV_HSSB1 = 3
Why do you not intend to apply to get a £100 prepaid card?
READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. I do not need/want the money
2. I do not have access to the internet
3. I do not have access to a telephone
4. I cannot register myself and I do not have anyone to assist me with registering
5. I would not feel comfortable giving personal details via internet/telephone
6. I would be unable to use the card and I have no-one to use the card on my behalf
7. Other- please specify

COV_HSSB2a. ASK IF COV_HSSB2 = Other
For what other reason do you not intend to apply for the prepaid card? STRING[200]

COV_HSSB3. ASK IF COV_HSSB1 = 2
Do you intend to apply...

1. Via the On-line portal or
2. Via the telephone service

COV_HSSB4. ASK IF COV_HSSB3 = 2
Why do you intend to apply via the telephone service rather than on-line?
READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. I do not have access to the internet
2. I cannot use the internet
3. I would prefer to apply via telephone
4. Other – please specify

COV_HSSB4a. ASK IF COV_HSSB4 = Other
For what other reason do you intend to apply via telephone? STRING [200]

COV_HSSB6. ASK IF COV_HSSB1 = 1 or 2

Although the pre-paid card can be used to purchase goods and services in any business within Northern Ireland that has the facility to accept card payments, people will be encouraged to spend the money in small local businesses. Where do you intend to spend/did you spend the £100...

1. I intend to spend/ spent all/most of it in small local businesses
2. I intend to spend/ spent all/most of it in large multi-national companies (e.g. Marks & Spencers, Tesco, Primark, McDonalds, etc.)
3. I intend to spend/spent some in small local businesses and some in large multi-national companies?

COV_HSSB7. ASK IF COV_HSSB1 = 1 or 2

Do you intend to spend/have you spent the £100 pre-paid card on something(s) that you would have bought anyway? Please choose an answer that best describes your intention.

RUNNING PROMPT

1. I intend to spend/have spent **ALL** of the £100 on something(s) that I would have bought anyway
2. I intend to spend/have spent **MOST** of the £100 on something(s) that I would have bought anyway
3. I intend to spend/have spent **SOME** of the £100 on something(s) that I would have bought anyway
4. I intend to spend/have spent **NONE** of the £100 on something(s) that I would have bought anyway

COV_HSSFreed. ASK IF COV_HSSB7 = 1 (all) or 2 (most)

Given that you intend to spend/have spent all or most of your £100 voucher on something that you would have bought anyway, has this “freed up” any money in your budget?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_HSSB7a. ASK IF COV_HSSFreed = 1 (Yes)

How do you intend to use/have you used the “freed up” money in your budget? Please choose an answer that best describes your intention.

RUNNING PROMPT

1. I intend to spend/have spent the “freed up” money on something(s) that I would not have bought in the absence of the voucher scheme
2. I intend to spend/have spent the “freed up” money on paying my bills or reducing my debt
3. I intend to use/have used the “freed up” money to increase my savings
4. I intend to use/have used the “freed up” money on something else

COV_HSSB7b. ASK IF COV_HSSB7a = 4

Please describe what you intend to use/have you used the “freed up” money in your budget on? STRING [200].

COV_HSSB7c. ASK IF COV_HSSFreed = 1 (Yes)

Where do you intend to spend/have you spent that money? Please choose an answer that best describes your intention.

RUNNING PROMPT

1. I intend to spend/have spent most or all of it in small local businesses
2. I intend to spend/have spent some of it in small local businesses
3. I intend to spend/have spent it elsewhere including on-line

COV_C47 ASK ALL

In the past seven days, have you self-isolated because of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_IntroC6

The next question is about Social distancing, which is defined as trying to avoid contact with other people (keeping at least 2 metres (3 steps) from others).

COV_C51 ASK ALL

In the past seven days, have you avoided contact with older people or other vulnerable people because of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_C52 ASK IF COV_C51 = 1

Do you have care responsibilities for any of the people you may have had to avoid contact with?

1. Yes
2. No
- 3.

COV_GovM2. ASK ALL

To what extent do you support or oppose the easing of stay-at-home measures put in place in the country where you live?

1. Strongly support
2. Tend to support
3. Neither support nor oppose
4. Tend to oppose
5. Strongly oppose

COV_ImpSocDis ASK ALL

How important or unimportant do you think social distancing is in slowing the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Very important
2. Important
3. Neither important nor unimportant
4. Unimportant
5. Very unimportant

COV_VentilationB. ASK ALL

If you have had friends or family come into your home in the past seven days, which of the following actions did you take to reduce the spread of the coronavirus?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Worn a face mask
2. Asked the visitor to wear a mask
3. Opened windows or doors
4. Cleaned touch points
5. Maintained social distancing
6. Washed hands regularly
7. Other, please specify
8. Not applicable, I have not had any family or friends come into my home in the past seven days (** EXCLUSIVE CODE)
9. None of the above (** EXCLUSIVE CODE)

COV_VentilationC ASK ALL

If you have had people you do not know, such as tradespeople, come into your home in the past seven days, which of the following actions did you take to reduce the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Worn a face mask
2. Asked the visitor to wear a mask
3. Opened windows or doors
4. Cleaned touch points
5. Maintained social distancing
6. Washed hands regularly
7. Other, please specify
8. Not applicable, I have not had any people I do not know come into my home in the past seven days (** EXCLUSIVE CODE)
9. None of the above (** EXCLUSIVE CODE)

COV_VentillationSp. ASK IF COV_VentilationB= Oth OR COV_VentilationC= Oth
Please specify the other actions you took to reduce the spread of the coronavirus
(COVID-19) when you had a visitor inside your home. STRING[200]

COV_ImpVent. ASK ALL

How important or unimportant do you think ventilation is in slowing the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)? For example, opening windows when meeting others indoors.

1. Very important
2. Important
3. Neither important nor unimportant
4. Unimportant
5. Very unimportant

COV_Leave ASK ALL

At this time, how comfortable or uncomfortable do you feel about leaving your home due to the coronavirus (COVID-19 outbreak)?

1. Very comfortable
2. Comfortable
3. Neither comfortable nor uncomfortable
4. Uncomfortable
5. Very uncomfortable
6. Not applicable

COV_HomRe ASK ALL

In the past seven days, have you left your home for any reason?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_C84M ASK IF Cov_HomRe = Yes

In the past seven days, for what reasons have you left your home?

READ OUT ALL ANSWER CATEGORIES AND CODE ALL THAT APPLY

1. Key worker, travelling to and from work
2. Non-key worker, travelling to and from work
3. For voluntary work
4. Meeting up with people in a public place
5. Meeting up with people in a personal place (for example, visiting family and friends at their home or yours)
6. Taking part in a regular indoor activity (for example, attending an exercise class or place of worship)
7. To take children to or from school (or for other activities)
8. To exercise, for example a run, walk, or cycle
9. To visit a hair salon or barber
10. To have a beauty treatment or massage (for example, a manicure or facial)
11. To visit a cinema or theatre
12. To eat or drink outdoors at a restaurant, café, bar or pub
13. To eat or drink indoors at a restaurant, café, bar or pub
14. To go to a concert
15. Visit a tourist attraction
16. Shopping for basic necessities (for example food and medicine)
17. Any medical need, or to provide care or to help a vulnerable person
18. To run errands (for example, pay bills, withdraw money from bank, visit post office)
19. Travel within the UK for holidays or short breaks
20. Travel outside of the UK for work
21. Travel outside of the UK for holidays or short breaks
22. Other (please specify)
23. None of the above

COV_C84MSp ASK IF COV_C84M = Other

Please specify the reasons you have left your home STRING[200]

COV_TravNI ASK ALL

Did you/will you go on holiday in Northern Ireland this summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_BeforeNI ASK ALL

Before the Coronavirus outbreak, did you usually go on holiday in Northern Ireland in the summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_TravUK ASK ALL

Did you/will you go on holiday in the rest of the UK (England, Scotland or Wales) this summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_BeforeUK ASK ALL

Before the Coronavirus outbreak, did you usually go on holiday in the rest of the UK (England, Scotland or Wales) in the summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_TravROI ASK ALL

Did you/will you go on holiday in the Republic of Ireland this summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_BeforeROI ASK ALL

Before the Coronavirus outbreak, did you usually go on holiday in the Republic of Ireland in the summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_TravAb ASK ALL

Did you/will you go on holiday abroad this summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_BeforeAb ASK ALL

Before the Coronavirus outbreak, did you usually go on holiday abroad in the summer?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_IntroVac ASK ALL

The following questions ask about the risk of catching Coronavirus.

COV_VacRisk ASK ALL

How much of a personal risk do you think catching the coronavirus is to you?

1. Very high risk
2. High risk
3. Neither high nor low risk
4. Low risk
5. Very low risk

COV_Vacshop ASK IF COV_Vac1 = Yes

Since you have been vaccinated, have you gone shopping more or less often?

1. More often
2. Neither more nor less often
3. Less often

COV_SpaceVac. ASK IF COV_Vac1 = Yes

Since you have been vaccinated, have you maintained social distancing with others to slow the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19) more or less often?

1. More often
2. Neither more nor less often
3. Less often

COV_VacSee. ASK IF COV_Vac1 = Yes

Since you have been vaccinated, have you seen people that you do not live with more or less often?

1. More often
2. Neither more nor less often
3. Less often

COV_WashH ASK IF Cov_HomRe = Yes

In the past seven days, how often did you wash your hands with soap and water straight away after returning home from a public place?

1. Always
2. Often
3. Sometimes
4. Not very often
5. Never

COV_ImpHndWsh ASK ALL

How important or unimportant do you think hand washing is in slowing the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Very important
2. Important
3. Neither important nor unimportant
4. Unimportant
5. Very unimportant

COV_FacCov ASK ALL

In the past seven days, have you used a face covering when outside your home to help slow the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Yes
2. No

COV_FaceVac ASK IF COV_Vac1 = Yes

Since you have been vaccinated have you worn a face covering when outside your home more or less often?

1. More often
2. Neither more nor less often
3. Less often

COV_ImpFceCov ASK ALL

How important or unimportant do you think wearing a face covering is in slowing the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19)?

1. Very important
2. Important
3. Neither important nor unimportant
4. Unimportant
5. Very unimportant

GHQQ1. ASK ALL

*We should like to know how your health has been in general over **the past few weeks**. Please answer ALL the questions by selecting the answer which you think most applies to you.*

Have you recently been able to concentrate on whatever you are doing

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Better than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less than usual
- 4 Much less than usual?

GHQQ2. ASK ALL

Have you recently lost much sleep over worry

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ3. ASK ALL

Have you recently felt that you are playing a useful part in things

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 More so than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less so than usual
- 4 Much less useful?

GHQQ4. ASK ALL

Have you recently felt capable of making decisions about things

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 More so than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less so than usual
- 4 Much less capable?

GHQQ5. ASK ALL

Have you recently felt under constant strain

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ6. ASK ALL

Have you recently felt you couldn't overcome your difficulties

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ7. ASK ALL

Have you recently been able to enjoy your normal day-to-day activities

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 More so than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less so than usual
- 4 Much less able?

GHQQ8. ASK ALL

Have you recently been able to face up to your problems

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 More so than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less so than usual
- 4 Much less able?

GHQQ9. ASK ALL

Have you recently been feeling unhappy and depressed

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ10. ASK ALL

Have you recently been losing confidence in yourself

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ11. ASK ALL

Have you recently been thinking of yourself as a worthless person

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 Not at all
- 2 No more than usual
- 3 Rather more than usual
- 4 Much more than usual?

GHQQ12. ASK ALL

Have you recently been feeling reasonably happy, all things considered

RUNNING PROMPT

- 1 More so than usual
- 2 Same as usual
- 3 Less so than usual
- 4 Much less happy?

ETHNIC What is your ethnic group?

1. White
2. Irish Traveller
3. White and Black Caribbean
4. White and Black African
5. White and Asian
6. other Mixed/Multiple background
7. Indian
8. Pakistani
9. Bangladeshi
10. Chinese
11. Other Asian background
12. African
13. Caribbean
14. Other Black/African/Caribbean
15. Arab
16. Any other ethnic background

relq2 What is your religion?

1. No religion
2. Catholic
3. Presbyterian
4. Church of Ireland
5. Methodist
6. Baptist
7. Free Presbyterian
8. Brethren
9. Protestant - not specified
10. Christian - not specified
11. Buddhist
12. Hindu
13. Jewish
14. Muslim
15. Sikh
16. Any other religion, please describe

relq2ot (ASK IF relq2 = other) Please describe your religion.

Natind How would you describe your national identity?

PLEASE CHOOSE ALL THAT APPLY

1. British
2. Irish
3. Northern Irish
4. English
5. Scottish
6. Welsh
7. Other

Natindo (ASK IF Natind = other) Please describe...STRING[60]

ONSFollow ASK ALL

Thank you for taking part in NISRA's COVID-19 Opinion Survey.

To understand more about the coronavirus (COVID-19), the UK Government and the Northern Ireland Executive have asked the Office for National Statistics and the University of Oxford to run a new study into the virus.

The results from this study will be used to help work out the best way to manage the COVID-19 pandemic in the UK and Northern Ireland.

The study aims to work out how many people have had COVID-19, either with or without symptoms. You may have already seen or heard some results on the news from the pilot study which is currently being carried out in England.

What does the study involve?

Anyone who takes part in the NISRA COVID-19 Opinion Survey is being given the opportunity to participate in the NI Covid-19 Infection Survey.

Who should take part? We would like you, and anyone else in your household, including children aged 2 years and over to take part. Participation in this study is entirely voluntary. Even if you do not want to take part, anyone else in your household can do so if they wish, so please share this information with the whole household. As a token of appreciation, everyone who does the first part of the study will be offered a £50 voucher. Further incentives will be offered over the course of the study.

I can record now if you want to be part of this Study.

If you do, NISRA will provide your contact details to ONS who will write to you directly and provide you with all of the information you need to know about the study.

Please be assured that the information you provide is protected by law and will be treated as confidential. Thank you for your time

1. Agree to follow up
2. Disagree to follow up

RecallP

ASK ALL

We may in the future invite you to take part in other surveys, either carried out by ourselves or one of our research partners. If we do, we will write to inform you and you will be free to decide at the time whether you want to take part.

1. Objection
2. No objection