

QUESTIONNAIRE NUMBER _____

1999 FAMILY HEALTH SURVEY - BELIZE

INDIVIDUAL QUESTIONNAIRE

(For men aged 13 - 69 years)

Identification No.

GEO. CODE		E.D. NUMBER				HH SCHED. NO.		

Interview Calls	1	2	3	Final Visit										
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Interviewer's Name														
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HOUSING SECTION

- H001. What is the main construction material used for the flooring?
 1 Wood
 2 Cement
 3 Dirt
 8 Other (specify) _____
 9 Don't know/Not stated
- H002. What type of lighting does the household use most?
 1 Gas lamp
 2 Kerosene lamp
 3 Electricity from BEL
 4 Electricity from a private generator
 8 Other (specify) _____
 9 Don't know/Not stated
- H003. What type of fuel does this household use most for cooking?
 1 Wood
 2 Gas (Butane)
 3 Kerosene
 4 Electricity
 8 Other (specify) _____
 9 Don't know/Not stated
- H004. What is the main source of your drinking water supply?
 01 Private, piped into dwelling
 02 Private vat / drum / well not piped
 03 Public piped into dwelling
 04 Public piped into yard
 05 Public standpipe or handpump
 06 Public well
 07 River, stream, creek, pond, spring
 08 Purified water
 88 Other (specify) _____
 99 Don't know/Not stated
- H005. What kind of toilet facility does this household have?
 01 W.C. linked to WASA sewer system
 02 W.C. linked to septic tank
 03 Pit latrine, ventilated and elevated
 04 Pit latrine, ventilated and not elevated
 05 Pit latrine, ventilated compost
 06 Pit latrine, non ventilated
 07 None
 88 Other (specify) _____
 99 Don't know/Not stated
- H006. How many bedrooms are there in this dwelling unit?
 No. of bedrooms ___ ___
- H007. How many of the following items do members of this household own? [READ]
 (a) Radio _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (b) Television set _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (c) Video recorder _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (d) Personal computer _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (e) Private vehicle _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (f) Refrigerator _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (g) Washing machine _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (h) Gas stove _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
 (i) Microwave _____ 99 Don't know/Not stated
- H008. Is there a telephone service in this home?
 1 Yes
 2 No
 9 Don't know/Not stated
- H009. How many people (including children) usually live in this household?
 This include all those who usually sleep and share at least one daily meal with your household.
- Total _____
 Males _____
 Females _____

H010. INTERVIEWER: RECORD THE NAMES OF ALL MEN 13 TO 69 YEARS OF AGE WHO USUALLY LIVE IN THIS HOUSEHOLD? NUMBER ___ ___

RECORD BELOW ALL MEN 13 - 69 YEARS

H011. <u>Name</u> YOU SHOULD START WITH THE OLDEST	H012. <u>Age</u>
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	

SELECTION OF RESPONDENT

LAST DIGIT OF QUESTIONNAIRE NUMBER	NO. OF MEN 13 – 69 IN HOUSEHOLD							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0	1	1	1	3	4	3	3	1
1	1	2	2	4	5	4	4	2
2	1	1	3	1	1	5	5	3
3	1	2	1	2	2	6	6	4
4	1	1	2	3	3	1	7	5
5	1	2	3	4	4	2	1	6
6	1	1	1	1	5	3	2	7
7	1	2	2	2	1	4	3	8
8	1	1	3	3	2	5	4	1
9	1	2	1	4	3	6	5	2

H013. Line number of the eligible man selected _____

226. Was your last (only) child planned or unplanned?
 1 Planned 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 2 Unplanned

NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IF RESPONDENT HAS HAD ONLY ONE CHILD (Q205="01") SKIP TO Q229

227. How many women have had children for you? _____ women 99. DK/NS
NOTE: IF '01 WOMEN' SKIP TO Q229

228. Have you ever had more than one child born in the same year with different mothers
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS
 How many mothers _____

229. Is anyone (including your wife) pregnant for you now?
 1 Yes 2 No (SKIP TO SECTION 3) 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO SECTION 3)

230. Is it one woman or more than one who is pregnant for you?
 1 One 2 More than one 9 DK/NS
 How many _____

231. Did you want this pregnancy (these pregnancies)?
 1 Wanted one pregnancy 4 God's will, fate, didn't think about it
 2 Wanted all pregnancies 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 3 Wanted no pregnancy

232. What type of support do you give the (first prospective) baby mother ? [READ]
 1 No support at this time 4 Gives both emotional and financial support
 2 Gives emotional support only 8 Other (specify) _____
 3 Gives financial support only 9 Don't know/Not Stated

233. IF NO SECOND BABY MOTHER, CODE = 5 WITHOUT ASKING.
 OTHERWISE ASK: What type of support do you give the second prospective baby mother? [READ]
 1 No support at this time 5 No second baby mother
 2 Gives emotional support only 8 Other (specify) _____
 3 Gives financial support only 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 Gives both emotional and financial support

SECTION 3 - CONTRACEPTIVE KNOWLEDGE AND USE

301. Now, I would like to talk about methods that people use to space or limit the number of children they have.

INTERVIEWER:

- A. **FIRST ASK:** Please tell me all the methods you have heard of to space or limit the number of children a person has. [INTERVIEWER: Circle Number "1" next to each method he mentions]
- B. **THEN ASK:** Have you ever heard of [Method]? [INTERVIEWER: Read each method not mentioned spontaneously and circle "2" or "3", as appropriate.]
- C. **THEN ASK:** Have you or your partner ever used [Method]? [INTERVIEWER: Read each method on the list that has a "1" or "2" and circle "4" or "5" as appropriate.]

METHOD	A	B		C	
	Spontaneous	Have you ever heard of this method		Have you or a partner ever used this method	
			Yes	No	Yes	No
01 Pill/oral contraceptives . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
02 Injection . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
03 Inter-uterine device/coil . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
04 Condoms (male) . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
05 Condoms (female) . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
06 Diaphragm . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
07 Vaginal foaming tablets . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
08 Condom and foam . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
09 Diaphragm and foam . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
10 Vaginal Creams/jellies . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
11 Morning after pill/emergency contraception . . . 1 . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
12 Rhythm/calendar method . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
13 Billings method . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
14 Withdrawal . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off. . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
16 Male sterilization/vasectomy . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
17 Lactation/amenorrhea/breastfeeding . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .
88 Other (specify _____) . . . . .	. 1 . . .	. . . 2 . . .	. . . 3 . . .	. . . 4 . . .	. . . 5 . . .

302. Do you think your partner is able to get pregnant at the present time?
 1 Yes (SKIP TO Q304) 3 Already pregnant (SKIP TO Q304a)
 2 No 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q304)
303. Why not?
 1 Menopause 4 Sterile
 2 Has had an operation for medical reasons which makes pregnancy impossible (him or his partner) 5 Postpartum/breastfeeding
 6 Using contraception
 3 Has tried to get pregnant for at least 2 years without success 7 Not sexually active
 8 Other (specify _____)
 9 Don't know/Not Stated
304. Would you like her to become pregnant at this time?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS
- 304a. RESPONDENT HAS NEVER USED A METHOD (NO 4'S ARE CIRCLED IN Q301) --> SKIP TO Q335**
305. How old were you when you first used contraception?
 ___ ___ years 99 Don't know/Not Stated
306. How many living children did you have when you first used contraception?
 ___ ___ children 99 Don't know/Not Stated
307. Are you or a partner currently using a contraceptive method?
 1 Yes (SKIP TO Q312) 2 No 9 DK/NS
308. Why are you or your partner not using a method?
 00 CURRENTLY PREGNANT 13 Fears side effects of method
 01 Knew of methods but didn't know where to get them 14 Past method had bad side effects
 02 Knew of method but couldn't afford it 15 Advanced age
 03 Knew of method but too far from source 16 Sexual intercourse not satisfying with last method
 04 Wanted to use a method but couldn't get it at that moment 17 Past method not effective
 05 Didn't know of any methods 18 Past method difficult to use
 06 Partner was against using something 19 Health/medical reasons
 07 Knew of method but too embarrassed to get method 20 Infertile
 08 Had method but too embarrassed to use method 21 Myth/cultural belief (specify _____)
 09 Wanted partner to become pregnant 22 Not sexually active
 10 Feared side effects of contraceptive methods 77 Don't remember
 11 Religious reasons 88 Other (specify _____)
 12 Did not want to use any method 99 Don't know/Not Stated
309. What was the month and year you\she stopped using a method?
 ___ ___ Month ___ ___ ___ Year 00 Don't know/Not Stated
310. Why did you\she stop using that method?
 01 Desire Pregnancy 11 Sexual Intercourse Not Satisfying
 02 Not Sexually Active 12 Method Not Effective
 03 Fears Side Effects 13 Method Difficult to Use
 04 Spouse Opposes 14 Lack of Money
 05 Religion 15 Health/Medical Reasons
 06 Had Bad Side Effects 16 Infertile
 07 Advanced Age 17 Embarrassed to Use
 08 Lack of Knowledge 18 Myth/Cultural Belief (specify _____)
 09 Far Distance to Source 88 Other (specify _____)
 10 Doesn't Like or Want to Use 99 Don't know/Not Stated

311. What was the method being used?
- | | |
|------------------------------|--|
| 01 Pill/oral contraceptives | 11 Morning after pill |
| 02 Injection | 12 Rhythm/calendar method |
| 03 Inter-uterine device/coil | 13 Billings method |
| 04 Condoms (male) | 14 Withdrawal |
| 05 Condoms (female) | 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off |
| 06 Diaphragm | 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy |
| 07 Vaginal foaming tablets | 17 Lactation/amenorrhea/breastfeeding |
| 08 Condom and foam | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Diaphragm and foam | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies | |

SKIP TO Q328

312. What is the method being used?
- | | |
|------------------------------|--|
| 01 Pill/oral contraceptives | 11 Morning after pill |
| 02 Injection | 12 Rhythm/calendar method |
| 03 Inter-uterine device/coil | 13 Billings method |
| 04 Condoms (male) | 14 Withdrawal |
| 05 Condoms (female) | 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off |
| 06 Diaphragm | 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy |
| 07 Vaginal foaming tablets | 17 Lactation/amenorrhea/Breastfeeding |
| 08 Condom and foam | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Diaphragm and foam | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies | |

313. Do you use this method to space pregnancies, because you want no more children, to prevent sexually transmitted infections/HIV/AIDS, or for some other reason?
- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Space pregnancies | 5 Options 2 and 3 |
| 2 Want no more children | 8 Other (specify) _____ |
| 3 Prevent STIs/HIV/AIDS | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 4 Options 1 and 3 | |

IF QUESTION 312 HAS OPTIONS 15 OR 16 SKIP TO Q328

314. Do you or your partner get your contraceptive supplies/or receive information about this method within your local community, somewhere else in the country, or abroad?
- | | |
|------------------------|---|
| 1 Local community | 3 Abroad |
| 2 Elsewhere in country | 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO NOTE AFTER Q315) |

315. Where exactly do you or your partner get the method being used?
NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IN CASE OF BILLINGS, CALENDAR/RHYTHM, WITHDRAWAL OR LACTATION/AMENORRHEA METHOD: Where did you or your partner receive orientation?
- | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Government clinic/health center | 07 Church |
| 02 Private doctor/clinic | 08 Friend/Neighbour/Family member |
| 03 Government hospital | 09 Community health worker |
| 04 Private hospital | 10 Supermarket/Bar/Grocery store |
| 05 Belize Family Life Association (BFLA) | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 06 Pharmacy/drugstore | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |

IF QUESTION 312 HAS OPTIONS 12, 13, 14 OR 17 SKIP TO Q328

316. Who gets the supplies?
- | | |
|--------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Myself | 3 Both |
| 2 My partner | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
317. Can you get this method at any time?
- | | |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 1 Yes | 8 Other (specify _____) |
| 2 No | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |

318. Is any special day or time convenient for you?
- | | | |
|-------|---------------------|---------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No (SKIP TO Q321) | 9 DK/NS |
|-------|---------------------|---------|

319. Which day or days of the week are convenient for you? [READ]
- | | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>DK/NS</u> |
|------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| A. Monday | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| B. Tuesday | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| C. Wednesday | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| D. Thursday | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| E. Friday | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| F. Saturday | 1 | 2 | 9 |

- G. Sunday 1 2 9
320. What time of the day is convenient for you? [READ]
- | | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>DK/NS</u> |
|---|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| A. Early morning (before 10am) | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| B. Late morning (10am –12pm) | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| C. Early afternoon (12pm – 3pm) | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| D. Late afternoon (3pm - 6pm) | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| E. Evenings | 1 | 2 | 9 |
| F. Other (specify _____) | 1 | 2 | 9 |
321. What are your views on the usual length of waiting time at the place you go?
- | | |
|----------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Too long | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 2 Not too long | |
322. How long does it take you to get there?
- ___ ___ minutes
99. Don't know/Not Stated
323. Do you consider it too far away?
- | | | |
|-------|------|---------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No | 9 DK/NS |
|-------|------|---------|
324. Do you or your partner pay for the contraceptive method you now use?
- | | | |
|-------|------|---------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No | 9 DK/NS |
|-------|------|---------|
325. At the same time, do you or your partner also use a second method of contraception?
- | | | |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No (SKIP TO Q328) | 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q328) |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|
326. What is the method used?
- | | |
|------------------------------|--|
| 01 Pill/oral contraceptives | 11 Morning after pill |
| 02 Injection | 12 Rhythm/calendar method |
| 03 Inter-uterine device/coil | 13 Billings method |
| 04 Condoms (male) | 14 Withdrawal |
| 05 Condoms (female) | 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off |
| 06 Diaphragm | 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy |
| 07 Vaginal foaming tablets | 17 Lactation/amenorrhea/breastfeeding |
| 08 Condom and foam | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Diaphragm and foam | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies | |

327. Did you use this method to prevent pregnancy, because you wanted no more children, to prevent sexually transmitted infections/HIV/AIDS, or for some other reason?
 1 Prevent pregnancy
 2 Wanted no more children
 3 Prevent STIs/HIV/AIDS
 4 Option 1 and 3
 5 Options 2 and 3
 8 Other (specify _____)
 9 Don't know/Not Stated
328. What was your relationship to the second to last person with whom you had sexual intercourse?
 01 Wife/common-law
 02 Visiting partner
 03 Fiancée/girlfriend
 04 Friend
 05 Casual acquaintance
 06 Father's partner
 07 Prostitute/Sex worker
 08 No previous partner (SKIP TO Q333)
 88 Other (specify _____)
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
329. Did you or your second to the last partner use a contraceptive method the last time you had sexual intercourse together?
 1 Yes
 2 No (SKIP TO Q333)
 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q333)
330. What was the method used?
 01 Pill/oral contraceptives
 02 Injection
 03 Inter-uterine device/coil
 04 Condoms (male)
 05 Condoms (female)
 06 Diaphragm
 07 Vaginal foaming tablets
 08 Condom and foam
 09 Diaphragm and foam
 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies/foams
 11 Morning after pill
 12 Rhythm/calendar method
 13 Billings method
 14 Withdrawal
 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off
 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy
 17 Lactation/amenorrhea
 88 Other (specify _____)
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
331. At the same time, did you or your second to the last partner also use a second method?
 1 Yes
 2 No (SKIP TO Q333)
 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q333)
332. What was the method used?
 01 Pill/oral contraceptives
 02 Injection
 03 Inter-uterine device/coil
 04 Condoms (male)
 05 Condoms (female)
 06 Diaphragm
 07 Vaginal foaming tablets
 08 Condom and foam
 09 Diaphragm and foam
 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies/foams
 11 Morning after pill
 12 Rhythm/calendar method
 13 Billings method
 14 Withdrawal
 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off
 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy
 17 Lactation/amenorrhea
 88 Other (specify _____)
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
333. **1 RESPONDENT IS NOT CURRENTLY USING CONTRACEPTION → SKIP TO Q335 (SEE Q307).**
2 RESPONDENT IS STERILIZED → SKIP TO SECTION 4 (SEE Q301 OR Q312).
3 RESPONDENT CURRENTLY USING ANY OTHER METHOD → CONTINUE TO Q334 (SEE Q312).
334. Would you prefer to use a different method than the one you or your partner are now using?
 1 Yes (SKIP TO Q336)
 2 No (SKIP TO SEC. 4)
 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO SEC. 4)
335. In the future, do you think you will want to use a method to prevent pregnancy?
 1 Yes
 2 No (SKIP TO SEC. 4)
 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO SEC. 4)

336. What method would you like to use most?
- | | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| 01 Pill/oral contraceptives | 11 Morning after pill |
| 02 Injection | 12 Rhythm/calendar method |
| 03 Inter-uterine device/coil | 13 Billings method |
| 04 Condoms (male) | 14 Withdrawal |
| 05 Condoms (female) | 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off |
| 06 Diaphragm | 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy |
| 07 Vaginal foaming tablets | 17 Lactation/amenorrhea/breastfeeding |
| 08 Condom and foam | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Diaphragm and foam | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies/foams | |
337. Do you know where to obtain this method?
- | | | |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No (SKIP TO Q340) | 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q340) |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|
338. Would you or your partner get this method, or information about it within your local community, somewhere else in the country, or abroad?
- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| 1 Local community | 3 Abroad |
| 2 Elsewhere in country | 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q340) |
339. Where exactly would you or your partner get the method/receive orientation?
- | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Government clinic/health center | 07 Church |
| 02 Private doctor/clinic | 08 Friend/Neighbour/Family member |
| 03 Government hospital | 09 Community health worker |
| 04 Private hospital | 10 Supermarket/Bar/Grocery store |
| 05 Belize Family Life Association (BFLA) | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 06 Pharmacy/drugstore | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
340. What is the most important reason why you or your partner are not using this preferred method?
- | | |
|--|---|
| 01 Knew of methods but didn't know where to get them | 10 Partner opposes |
| 02 Knew of method but couldn't afford it | 11 Advanced age |
| 03 Knew of method but too far from source | 12 Health/medical reasons |
| 04 Wanted to use a method but couldn't get it at that moment | 13 Myth/cultural belief (specify _____) |
| 05 Knew of method but too embarrassed to get method | 14 Not sexually active |
| 06 Had method but too embarrassed to use method | 77 Don't remember |
| 07 Feared side effects of contraceptive methods | 88 Other (specify _____) |
| 08 Religious reasons | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 09 Fears side effects of method | |

SECTION 4 - INTEREST IN VASECTOMY

401. INTERVIEWER: CIRCLE THE CORRECT STATUS.

- 1 RESPONDENT HAS HAD A VASECTOMY ---> SKIP TO SECTION 5 (SEE Q301)
- 2 RESPONDENT HAS LIVING CHILDREN --->CONTINUE WITH Q402 (SEE Q213)
- 3 RESPONDENT DOES NOT HAVE LIVING CHILDREN ---> SKIP TO Q408 (SEE Q213)

402. Do you want to have anymore children?

- 1 Yes (SKIP TO Q408)
- 2 No
- 3 Fate, up to God (SKIP TO Q408)
- 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q408)

403. Would you be interested in an operation that would prevent you from having any more children?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No (SKIP TO Q407)
- 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q407)

404. Do you know where to go for this operation or to get information about it?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No (SKIP TO SEC. 6)
- 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO SEC. 6)

405. Would you go for this operation within your local community, somewhere else in the country, or abroad?

- 1 Local community
- 2 Elsewhere in country
- 3 Abroad
- 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q406)

405a. Where exactly would you go?

- 1 Government clinic/Health Center
- 2 Government Hospital
- 3 Private Hospital
- 4 Private doctor/clinic
- 7 Abroad
- 8 Other (specify) _____
- 9 Don't know/Not Stated

406. Since you have all the children you want and you know where to get this operation, why have you not had it?

- 01 Not Sexually Active
- 02 Difficult to Reverse
- 03 Spouse Opposes
- 04 Religion
- 05 Advanced Age
- 06 Lack of Knowledge
- 07 Far Distance to Source
- 08 Doesn't Like or Want to Use
- 09 Fear of Operation
- 10 Decrease sexual performance
- 11 Prefers Using Other Methods
- 12 Considers Self Too Young
- 13 May meet another partner in the future who wants children
- 14 Needs More Information
- 15 Lack of Money
- 16 Health/Medical Reasons
- 17 Infertile
- 88 Other (specify) _____
- 99 Don't know/Not Stated

SKIP TO SECTION 6

407. Why are you not interested in this operation?

- 01 Not Sexually Active
- 02 Difficult to Reverse
- 03 Spouse Opposes
- 04 Religion
- 05 Advanced Age
- 06 Lack of Knowledge
- 07 Far Distance to Source
- 08 Doesn't Like or Want to Use
- 09 Fear of Operation
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- 16 Health/Medical Reasons
- 17 Infertile
- 88 Other (specify) _____
- 99 Don't know/Not Stated

SKIP TO SECTION 6

408. How many (more) children would you like to have?

- ____ children
- 66 As many as possible
- 77 Fate, up to God
- 99 Don't know/Not Stated

409. After you have all the children you want, would you be interested in a operation that would prevent you from having any (more) children?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No (SKIP TO Q412)
- 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q412)

410. Do you know where to get this operation or information about it?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No (SKIP TO SEC. 6)
- 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO SEC. 6)

411. Would you go for this operation within your local community, somewhere else in the country, or abroad?

- 1 Local community
- 2 Elsewhere in country
- 3 Abroad
- 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO SECTION 6)

- 411a. Where could you get the operation?
1 Government clinic/Health Center
2 Government Hospital
3 Private Hospital
4 Private doctor/clinic

- 7 Abroad
8 Other (specify) _____
9 Don't know/Not Stated

SKIP TO SECTION 6

412. Why would you not be interested in this operation

- | | |
|--------------------------------|--|
| 01 Not Sexually Active | 11 Prefers Using Other Methods |
| 02 Difficult to Reverse | 12 Considers Self Too Young |
| 03 Spouse Opposes | 13 May meet another partner in the future who wants children |
| 04 Religion | 14 Needs More Information |
| 05 Advanced Age | 15 Lack of Money |
| 06 Lack of Knowledge | 16 Health/Medical Reasons |
| 07 Far Distance to Source | 17 Infertile |
| 08 Doesn't Like or Want to Use | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Fear of Operation | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Decrease sexual performance | |

SKIP TO SECTION 6

SECTION 5 - VASECTOMY

THIS SECTION IS FOR MEN WHO HAVE HAD A VASECTOMY (SEE Q301)
ALL OTHER MEN SKIP TO SECTION 6

501. What was the main reason why you decided to get the surgery?
 01 Economic reasons
 02 Didn't want anymore children
 03 To have more freedom in sexual life
 04 To avoid unwanted pregnancies
 05 Other methods failed
 06 Spouse/partner planned before, my turn to plan
 07 Because of complications in last pregnancy/
 labour
 08 Partner's side effects
 09 Health problems of partners
 10 Medical recommendation
 11 It's efficient/very safe
 88 Other (specify) _____
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
502. Where was your sterilization done?
 1 Government clinic/Health Center
 2 Government Hospital
 3 Private Hospital
 4 Private doctor/clinic
 8 Other (specify) _____
 9 Don't know/Not Stated
503. In what country?
 1 Belize
 2 Guatemala
 3 Mexico
 4 El Salvador
 5 Honduras
 6 Nicaragua
 7 United States
 8 Other (specify) _____
 9 Don't know/Not Stated
504. How old were you when you had the operation?
 ____ ____ Years
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
505. Were you satisfied with having the operation?
 1 Yes
 2 No
 9 DK/NS
506. Do you regret having had the surgery?
 1 Yes
 2 No (SKIP TO Q508)
 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q508)
507. Why do you regret it?
 01 Wish to have another child
 02 Partner is not happy/wants another child
 03 Have new wife/partner
 04 Subsequent health problems
 05 Religious issues/sense of culpability
 06 Surgery has caused emotional problems
 07 Cannot please wife/partner
 08 Feels less masculine
 09 Reduces chances of getting a partner
 88 Other (specify) _____
 99 Don't know/Not Stated
508. Would you recommend to another man that he gets surgery so as not to have more children?
 1 Yes
 2 No
 9 DK/NS
509. After the surgery, how do you feel people see you? [READ]
 1 Less masculine
 2 More masculine
 3 Same as before having surgery
 4 Doesn't care how people see him
 9 Don't know/Not Stated
510. After having the sterilization, you feel your sexual relations are... [READ]
 1 More satisfactory
 2 Less satisfactory
 3 Same as before having surgery
 4 Haven't tried out yet
 5 Has no opinion
 9 Don't know/Not Stated

SECTION 7 - SEXUAL ACTIVITY

701. At what age did you first have sexual intercourse? ____ ____ Years
 77 Never had sexual intercourse (SKIP TO SECTION 8) 99 Don't know/Not Stated

702. Were you in school at the time you first had sexual intercourse?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS

703. What standard/form/year and school level had you completed when you first had sexual intercourse?

 school level standard/form/year

RECORD BOTH A AND B

A Highest school level completed?
 1 None 5 Sixth Form or Equivalent
 2 Primary 6 University
 3 High School 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 BTTC/BCA/BNS

B Number of years beyond level completed. ____ ____ Years

704. Was this first sexual intercourse on a consensual basis?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS

705. What was your relationship to the first female with whom you first had sexual intercourse?
 01 Wife/common-law 07 Prostitute/Sex worker
 02 Visiting partner 08 Incest (mother/sister)
 03 Fiancée/girlfriend 09 Incest (other relative)
 04 Friend 88 Other (specify _____)
 05 Casual acquaintance 99 Don't know/Not Stated
 06 Father's partner

706. What was the age of the female at the time that you first had sexual intercourse with her?
 ____ ____ Years 98 Don't remember 99 Don't know/Not Stated

707. Was she in school at the time you first had sexual intercourse with her?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q709)

708. What standard/form/year and school level had she completed when you first had sexual intercourse?

 school level standard/form/year

RECORD BOTH A AND B

A Highest academic level completed?
 1 None 5 Sixth Form or Equivalent
 2 Primary 6 University
 3 High School 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 BTTC/BCA/BNS

B Number of years beyond level completed. ____ ____ Years

709. Now, I would like you to think back to the first time you had sexual intercourse with a female.
 Did you or your partner use a contraceptive method during this first sexual intercourse?
 1 Yes 2 No (SKIP TO Q714) 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q714)

710. What was the method used?
- | | |
|---------------------------------|--|
| 01 Pill/oral contraceptives | 11 Morning after pill |
| 02 Injection | 12 Rhythm/calendar method |
| 03 Inter-uterine device/coil | 13 Billings method |
| 04 Condoms (male) | 14 Withdrawal |
| 05 Condoms (female) | 15 Female sterilization/tubal ligation/tie off |
| 06 Diaphragm | 16 Male Sterilization/vasectomy |
| 07 Vaginal foaming tablets | 17 Lactation/amenorrhea/breastfeeding |
| 08 Condom and foam | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 09 Diaphragm and foam | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 10 Vaginal Creams/jellies/foams | |
711. Did you or your partner get that method, or information about it within your local community, somewhere else in the country, or abroad?
- | | |
|------------------------|--|
| 1 Local community | 3 Abroad |
| 2 Elsewhere in country | 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q713) |
712. Where exactly did you or your partner get the method used during your first sexual intercourse?
NOTE TO INTERVIEWER: IN CASE OF BILLINGS, CALENDAR/RHYTHM, WITHDRAWAL, OR LACTATION/AMENORRHEA METHOD: Where did you or your partner receive orientation?
- | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Government clinic/health center | 07 Church |
| 02 Private doctor/clinic | 08 Friend/Neighbour/Family member |
| 03 Government hospital | 09 Community health worker |
| 04 Private hospital | 10 Supermarket/Bar/Grocery store |
| 05 Belize Family Life Association (BFLA) | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 06 Pharmacy/drugstore | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
713. Whose decision was it to use this method? You alone, your partner alone, or was it made together?
- | | |
|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 My decision | 7 Don't remember |
| 2 Partner's decision | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 3 Decision made together | |
- 713a. Did you use this method to prevent pregnancies, to prevent sexually transmitted infections/HIV/AIDS, or for some other reason?
- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Prevent pregnancies | 8 Other (specify) _____ |
| 2 Prevent STIs/HIV/AIDS | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 3 Both | |

SKIP TO QUESTION Q715

714. Why didn't you or your partner use a contraceptive method during this first sexual intercourse?
- | | |
|--|---|
| 01 Didn't expect to have sexual relations at that time | 09 Had method but too embarrassed to use method |
| 02 Knew of methods but didn't know where to get them | 10 Feared side effects of contraceptive methods |
| 03 Knew of method but couldn't afford it | 11 Religious reasons |
| 04 Knew of method but too far from source | 12 Did not want to use any method |
| 05 Wanted to use a method but couldn't get it at that moment | 77 Doesn't remember |
| 06 Didn't know of any methods | 88 Other (specify _____) |
| 07 Partner was against using something | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 08 Knew of method but too embarrassed to get method | |
715. Have you had sexual intercourse with a female in the last 30 days?
- | | | |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No (SKIP TO Q717) | 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q717) |
|-------|---------------------|------------------------|

811. Why not?
- | | | |
|---------------------------|--|-------------------------|
| 1 End of my sex life | | 5 Fear of losing job |
| 2 Will be abused (beaten) | | 6 Fear of dying alone |
| 3 Will become an outcast | | 8 Other (specify) _____ |
| 4 Fear of losing children | | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
-
812. Is there a cure for AIDS?
- | | | |
|-------|------|---------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No | 9 DK/NS |
|-------|------|---------|
-
813. Do you personally know anyone who has HIV/AIDS or has died from AIDS?
- | | | |
|-------|------|---------|
| 1 Yes | 2 No | 9 DK/NS |
|-------|------|---------|
-
814. How efficient do you think condoms are in preventing the transmission of AIDS? [READ]
- | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 Very efficient | 4 Inefficient |
| 2 Efficient | 8 Other (specify) _____ |
| 3 Not very efficient | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |

SECTION 9 - CONDOMS

IF PERSON HAS NEVER HAD SEXUAL INTERCOURSE SKIP TO Q926 (SEE Q701)

900. Has a female ever suggested to you that you use a condom?
 1 Yes (SKIP TO Q902) 2 No 9 DK/NS
901. Would you use a condom if a female partner requests that a condom be used?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS

SKIP TO Q903

902. Did you use a condom?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS
903. Have you ever suggested to a female partner that you use a condom?
 1 Yes 2 No (SKIP TO Q905) 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q905)
904. Did she agree to have you use a condom?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 DK/NS
905. Are you presently using condoms with any female?
 1 Yes 2 No (SKIP TO Q918) 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q918)
- 905a. How old were you when you first used condoms? ____ ____ Years 99 DK/NS

906. How often do you use condoms when you have sexual intercourse with a steady partner?
 [READ]
 1 Always 4 Never (SKIP TO Q908)
 2 Most of a the time 5 No steady partner (SKIP TO Q909)
 3 Seldom 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q909)

907. Why do you use condoms with a steady partner? (Don't read)
- | | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 To prevent unwanted pregnancies | 1 | 2 |
| 2 To prevent HIV/AIDS | 1 | 2 |
| 3 To prevent STIs | 1 | 2 |
| 4 To prevent infecting partner | 1 | 2 |
| 5 Hygiene (e.g. during menstruation) | 1 | 2 |
| 8 Other (specify _____) | 1 | 2 |
| 9 Don't know/Not Stated | 1 | 2 |

IF Q906 = 3 OR 4 CONTINUE, ALL OTHERS SKIP TO Q909

908. Why do you seldom or never use?
- | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| 01 It's expensive | 07 Only have one partner/faithful |
| 02 Rarely has sex | 08 Use it only with strangers |
| 03 Use it only on fertile days | 09 It is not safe |
| 04 Use it only when partner is not using other method | 10 Partner opposes |
| 05 Limits pleasure/not comfortable | 88 Other (specify _____) |
| 06 Use it only in extra-marital affairs/different partner | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |
909. How often do you use condoms when you have sexual intercourse with a non-steady partner? [READ]
 1 Always 4 Never (SKIP TO Q911)
 2 Most of a the time 5 Never have sex with non-steady partner (SKIP TO Q912)
 3 Seldom 9 Don't know/Not Stated (SKIP TO Q912)

928. From what places and/or people? (Don't read)
- | | |
|--|-----------------------------------|
| 01 Government clinic/health center | 07 Church |
| 02 Private doctor/clinic | 08 Friend/Neighbour/Family member |
| 03 Government hospital | 09 Community health worker |
| 04 Private hospital | 10 Supermarket/Bar/Grocery store |
| 05 Belize Family Life Association (BFLA) | 88 Other (specify) _____ |
| 06 Pharmacy/drugstore | 99 Don't know/Not Stated |

929. Next, we will present to you some statements which refer to condoms.
I would be grateful if you indicate if you agree with them or not. [READ]

	<u>Agree</u>	<u>Not agree</u>	<u>DK/NS</u>
01 Condoms reduce sexual pleasure. . . . .	.. 1..	.... 2. ....	..... 9.
02 Condoms should be used if partner requests. . . . .	.. 1..	.... 2. ....	..... 9.
03 Condoms cause irritation on penis and vagina. . . . .	.. 1..	.... 2. ....	..... 9.
04 A new condom should be used in every ejaculation. . . . .	.. 1..	.... 2. ....	..... 9.
05 A man does not need to use a condom if he is faithful to his partner	.. 1..	.... 2. ....	..... 9.

1110. In your opinion, at what age is a woman responsible enough to have her first child?
 ___ ___ years 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1111. In your opinion, at what time in her life is a woman responsible enough to have her first child?
 1 When she is in a stable union 5 When she is mature enough
 2 After completing her education 8 Other (specify _____)
 3 One to two years after entering into a stable union 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 When she is economically stable
1112. In your opinion, at what age is a man responsible enough to have his first child?
 ___ ___ years 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1113. In your opinion, at what time in his life is a man responsible enough to have his first child?
 1 When he is in a stable union 5 When he is mature enough
 2 After completing his education 8 Other (specify _____)
 3 One to two years after entering into a stable union 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 When he is economically stable
1114. Do you think a woman should breastfeed her child?
 1 Yes 2 No (SKIP TO Q1117) 9 DK/NS (SKIP TO Q1117)
1115. How old do you think a child should be before the mother stops breastfeeding him/her?
 ___ ___ months 77 As long as possible 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1116. How old do you think a child should be before the mother stops giving only breast milk to him/her?
 ___ ___ months 77 As long as possible 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1117. How many months do you think it is best for a child to be before the mother gets pregnant again?
 ___ ___ months 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1118. When a woman is breastfeeding, is she more likely, less likely or equally likely to become pregnant than if she is not breastfeeding?
 1 More likely to get pregnant 3 Equally likely to get pregnant
 2 Less likely to get pregnant 9 Don't know/Not Stated
1119. What do you think is the ideal number of children a man should have?
 ___ ___ children 55 Fate, up to God 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1120. What do you think is the ideal number of children a woman should have?
 ___ ___ children 55 Fate, up to God 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1121. Who do you think should decide how many children a couple should have?
 1 The woman 6 Religious leader
 2 The man 7 Fate, up to God
 3 Both partners 8 Other (Specify _____)
 4 Mother-in-law 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 5 Nurse/doctor/mid-wife
1122. If you could choose exactly the number of children to have in your whole life, how many would that be?
 ___ ___ children 55 Fate, up to God 99 Don't know/Not Stated
1123. During a woman's menstrual cycle, when is it most likely, that she will become pregnant?
 1 During her period 5 At any time
 2 Right after her period has ended 8 Other (specify _____)
 3 In the middle of the cycle 9 Don't know/Not Stated
 4 Just before her period begins

1124. Who do you think should decide whether a couple should use contraception?
- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 The woman | 6 Religious leader |
| 2 The man | 7 Fate, up to God |
| 3 Both partners | 8 Other (Specify _____) |
| 4 Mother-in-law | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 5 Nurse/doctor/mid-wife | |
1125. Who should decide on what type of contraceptive a couple should use?
- | | |
|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1 The woman | 6 Religious leader |
| 2 The man | 7 Fate, up to God |
| 3 Both partners | 8 Other (Specify _____) |
| 4 Mother-in-law | 9 Don't know/Not Stated |
| 5 Nurse/doctor/mid-wife | |

SECTION 12 – GENERAL ATTITUDES AND OPINIONS

Now I'd like to read some statements to you. Please tell me whether you think each one is true or untrue

	<u>True</u>	<u>Untrue</u>	<u>DK/NS</u>
1201. If a woman doesn't have sex, she'll get sick . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1202. A girl can get pregnant only after she has seen her period for the first time. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1203. A girl can avoid getting pregnant by having sex standing up. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1204. A girl can avoid getting pregnant by drinking Pepsi or Coke after sexual intercourse . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1205. A girl can avoid getting pregnant by bathing in the sea after sexual intercourse. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1206. There is something wrong with a boy who has not had sex by the time he is 16 . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1207. If a boy masturbates, he will get sick. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1208. If a boy has an erection he will get sick unless he discharges . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1209. Family violence is a significant issue in our society. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1210. Sexual harassment of women is a significant issue in our society . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1211. You can get rid of STIs/HIV/AIDS by having sex with a virgin. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1212. It is important for a woman to be a virgin when she marries. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1213. A school girl who gets pregnant should be allowed to return to school after she has had the baby. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1214. A school boy who gets a girl pregnant should be expelled from school . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1215. Boys should go to prostitutes to become men. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1216. It is okay for married men to have extra-marital affairs . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1217. Female sterilization is less complicated than male sterilization. . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .
1218. Men who have had a vasectomy do not perform well sexually . . . . .	. . 1 . . .	. . 2 . . .	. . 9 . . .