

First Province Wide Fertility Survey

Respondent \_\_\_\_\_ Head of Household \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_ District \_\_\_ Li \_\_\_ Lin \_\_\_ Rd/St \_\_\_ Section \_\_\_ Lane \_\_\_ No.

Record of Calls

Call No.	Date and hour	Outcome of call in detail
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1. Interviewed ( )

2. Non-interviewed ( )

REASON:

(1). Moved out ( )

(2). Refused to accept interview ( )

(3). Still not at home after visiting three times ( )

(4). Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Interviewer: \_\_\_\_\_

Reader: \_\_\_\_\_

### A. Household Composition

- A1. How many persons actually live here and eat together regularly in this household, counting adults and children (including temporary absentees, but excluding temporary visitors)?  
\_\_\_\_\_ Total of these, \_\_\_\_\_ persons eat together.
- A2. Are your husband's parents living here with you? Or do you eat together regularly?  
Live here and eat together ( )      Live here but don't eat together ( )  
No ( )      Died ( )
- A3. Are your parents living here with you? Or do you eat together regularly?  
Live here and eat together ( )      Live here but don't eat together ( )  
No ( )      Died ( )
- A4. Are any of your husband's married brothers or sisters living here with you? Or do you eat together regularly?  
Live here and eat together ( )      Live here but don't eat together ( )  
No ( )      Died ( )
- A5. Are any of your married brothers or sisters living here with you? Or do you eat together regularly?  
Live here and eat together ( )      Live here but don't eat together ( )  
No ( )      Died ( )
- A6. Are there any other married couples who are your relatives living with you? Or do you eat together regularly?  
Live here and eat together ( )      Live here but don't eat together ( )  
No ( )      Died ( )

### B. Pregnancies and Births

- B1. We are very interested in learning about your pregnancies and births, would you please tell how many live births you have had?  
0. None ( )      1. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ total
- B2. Have you had any children who have died?  
0. None ( )      1. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ total
- B3. How many of your children are living now? (Including those adopted out, but excluding those adopted in)  
0. None ( )      1. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ total (\_\_\_\_ boy(s), \_\_\_\_ girl(s))
- B4. Do you have any children who have been adopted out?  
0. None ( )      1. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ total (\_\_\_\_ boy(s), \_\_\_\_ girl(s))







(IF THE RESPONDENT KNOWS ABOUT LOOP, ASK THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS, CHECK IT WITH C5)

C7. From what sources did you come to know about loop?

- |                               |                             |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Radio ( )                  | 6. VHENS ( )                |
| 2. Newspaper or Magazines ( ) | 7. Health Worker ( )        |
| 3. Doctor ( )                 | 8. Neighbor ( )             |
| 4. Midwives ( )               | 9. Relatives or friends ( ) |
| 5. PPHWs ( )                  | 10. Others ( )              |

C8. Have you and your husband ever used anything to keep from getting pregnant too often or having too many children (more than you want)?

1. No ( ) (Skip to C13)                      2. Yes ( )

(IF YES)

C9. What methods have you used? (Including currently used methods)

Methods (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

C10. After which live birth did you first start doing this?

Before first live birth ( )

After \_\_\_\_\_ live birth

C11. How many children did you have when you first started to do something to keep from getting pregnant?

0. No child ( )

1. \_\_\_\_\_ child(ren) (\_\_\_\_\_ boys \_\_\_\_\_ girls)

C12. Have you done anything to keep from getting pregnant after you had your last child?

0. No life birth ( )

1. Yes ( )

2. No ( )

C13. Since you had your last child or since you were married, have you and your husband been separated continuously for three months or more when you were not pregnant and did not see each other at all?

If yes, altogether how many months did you not see each other?

0. No ( )

1. Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ Months

(Interviewer: Check C9. If the respondent is a loop acceptor, skip to C27)

C14. Are you and your husband doing anything now to keep from getting pregnant too often or having too many children (more than you want)?

Yes ( )

No ( )

C 15. What are you doing? (Specify)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

C16. Are you satisfied with what you are doing or are you not satisfied?

- 1. Satisfied ( )
  - 2. Not satisfied ( )
- (IF NOT SATISFIED)

C17. Why are you not satisfied? (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

C18. Do you expect to do something in the future to keep from getting pregnant or not?

- 1. Yes ( )    2. No ( )
- 3. Can't have children ( )

(IF YES)

C19. How many more children do you think you will have before you start doing something to keep from getting pregnant?

- 1. \_\_\_(more) children  
    \_\_\_ (more) boys, \_\_\_ (more) girls
- 2. Right away ( )
- 3. Other (Specity)\_\_\_\_\_

(IF NO)

C20, Why? (Specify reason) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

C21. Would you be interested in learning more about way to keep from getting pregnant after having at least as many children as you want?

(Interviewer: Check "Can't have children" with B11 Answer "No")

- 1. Yes ( )    2. No ( )    3. Can't have children ( )

(INTERVIEWER: IF R. DOES NOT ALREADY KNOW ABOUT THE LOOP CHECK C5 SKIP TO C25)

C22. Do you know where you can get an insertion of the loop?

- 0. No ( )    1. Yes (Specify where) \_\_\_\_\_

C23. Have you heard any good things about the loop?

- 0. No ( )    1. Yes (Specify what) \_\_\_\_\_

C24. Have you heard any bad things about the loop?

- 0. No ( )    1. Yes (Specify what) \_\_\_\_\_

(Interviewer: Check C22, C23, C24 with C5)

C25. Does a method like the loop appeal to you or not? (Show a loop and flier)

- 1. Yes ( )    2. No ( )    3. Not sure ( )

(IF YES)

C26. Do you think you would want to use the loop or not? Would you say definitely yes, probably yes, probably, or definitely no?

- 1. Definitely yes ( )    2. Probably yes ( )    3. Probably no ( )
- 4. Definitely no ( )    5. Not sure ( )    6. Can't have children ( )

C27. In Taiwan do you think married couples are doing anything to keep from getting pregnant after having at least as many children as they want? Would you say many, some, just a few, or no one in Taiwan is doing such things?

1. Many ( ) 2. Some ( ) 3. Just a few ( ) 4. None ( ) 5. Don't know ( )

C28. Do you know if any of your friends, neighbors, or relatives are wearing the Ota ring? Would you say there are many, some, just a few, or no one among your friends, neighbors, or relatives wearing such a device?

0. None ( ) 1. Just a few ( )  
2. Some (3-4 persons) ( ) 3. Many (more than 5 persons) ( )  
4. Don't know ( )

#### D. Exposure to Mass Media

D1. Can you read Chinese – say, in a newspaper?

1. Yes ( ) 2. No ( )

(IF YES)

D2. Do you usually get a chance to read a newspaper? Would you say every day, several times a week, once a week, less often, or never?

1. Every day ( ) 2. Several times a week ( )  
3. Once a week ( ) 4. Less often ( ) 5. Never ( )

#### E. Traditional Family Values

E1. Would you expect to live with your children or grandchildren when you are old?

Would you say definitely yes, probably yes, probably no, or definitely no?

1. Definitely yes ( ) 2. Probably yes ( )  
3. Probably no ( ) 4. Definitely no ( )



(IF YES)

B2. If you would have sufficient means to take care of yourself when you are old, do you still expect to live with your children or grandchildren? Would you say definitely yes, probably yes, probably no, or definitely no?

1. Definitely yes ( )                      2. Probably yes ( )

3. Probably no ( )                         4. Definitely no ( )

5. Other answer (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

#### F. Wife's Background

F1. What is the highest school you have ever attended?	Graduated	Ungraduated
0. No formal education	( )	( )
1. Tutros or private classes only	( )	( )
2. Elementary	( )	( )
3. Junior high	( )	( )
4. Senior high	( )	( )
5. College and over	( )	( )

F2. How many years have you studied in the schools?

(Give the number of completed years of each category excluding kindergarten)

0. No formal education \_\_\_\_\_ Years

1. Tutros or private classes only \_\_\_\_\_ Years

2. Elementary \_\_\_\_\_ Years

3. Junior high \_\_\_\_\_ Years

4. Senior high \_\_\_\_\_ Years

5. College and over \_\_\_\_\_ Years

F3. When were you born? \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day

F4. Are you Fukienese or Hakka?

1. Fukienese ( )    2. Hakka ( )    3. Mainlander ( )

4. Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

F5. Where were you born?

\_\_\_\_\_ Province    \_\_\_\_\_ Hsien/City    \_\_\_\_\_ District/Township

F6. What is your religious denomination?

1. Non conformist ( )    2. Polytheist ( )    3. Protestant ( )

4. Catholic ( )            5. Other: \_\_\_\_\_

F7. When were you married? \_\_\_\_\_Year \_\_\_\_\_Month \_\_\_\_\_Day

F8. Is the present marriage your first marriage?

1. Yes ( )                      2. No ( )

(IF NO)

F9. When were you first married?

\_\_\_\_\_Year \_\_\_\_\_Month \_\_\_\_\_Day

F10. Besides routine house work, do you hold any other job?

1. Yes ( )                      2. No ( )

(IF YES)

F11. What kind of work do you do?

\_\_\_\_\_

F12. Is this work done at home or somewhere else?

1. At Home ( ) (Including your own farm work)  
2. Somewhere else ( )

(IF SOMEWHERE ELSE)

F13. Are you doing this work for a relative or for someone else or in a family business?

1. For a relative ( )  
2. For someone else ( )  
3. A family business ( )

#### G. Husband's Background

G1. What is the highest school your husband has ever attended? (Interviewer: Check the highest school her husband has ever attended)

	Graduated	Ungraduated
0. No formal education	( )	( )
1. Tutors or private classes only	( )	( )
2. Elementary	( )	( )
3. Junior high	( )	( )
4. Senior high	( )	( )
5. College and over	( )	( )



G12. Do you own any of the following: (ASK FOR EACH ITEM ON THE LIST AND CHECK ITEMS OWNED.)

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|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. Radio ( )                | 6. Radio with phonograph ( )      |
| 2. Electric iron ( )        | 7. Newspaper subscription ( )     |
| 3. Electric rice cooker ( ) | 8. Running water inside house ( ) |
| 4. Electric fan ( )         | 9. Private lavatory ( )           |
| 5. Sewing machine ( )       | 10. Refrigerator ( )              |
| 11. Bicycle ( )             | 12. Motorcycle ( )                |

G13. Has your family income this year been about the same as the year before or has it changed? Would you say that your family income increased considerably, increased somewhat, remained about the same, or decreased considerably?

1. Increased considerably ( )
2. Increased somewhat ( )
3. Remained about the same ( )
4. Decreased considerably ( )

(IF INCREASED)

G14. Why did your income increase? Did you do something to improve your earnings, and if so, what? For example, did you or your husband or some family member take additional employment, did you have an increase in wages?

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### Interviewer's Report

1. Persons other than the respondent present during interviewing  
(record as to their relationships to the respondent)

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_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

- |                              |                  |                       |
|------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| 2. Degree of cooperation:    | Very good ( )    | Good ( )              |
|                              | Not so good ( )  | Not good at all ( )   |
| 3. Reliability of responses: | All reliable ( ) | Partly unreliable ( ) |
|                              | Unreliable ( )   |                       |

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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4. Evaluation of socio-economic status of the respondent's household

Upper ( )      Upper middle ( )      Middle Middle ( )  
Lower middle ( )      Lower ( )

5. Other comments:

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7. Description of the respondent and the location of the household for aid in re-interviewing. (If necessary, draw a map):

TIME OF LEAVING: \_\_\_\_\_ A.M. \_\_\_\_\_ P.M.

TIME OF INTERVIEW: \_\_\_\_\_ Minutes