



31-month Data Collection Wave: Main Cohort

Questionnaire

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31 month call

31M3 (WW1) The first questions we have are about the internet.
Do you have access to the internet at home?
Interviewer Note: Code One.
1) Yes 2) No> 31M5 (WW3) 3) Refused to Answer> 31M5 (WW3) 4) Don't Know> 31M5 (WW3)
Answer:
31M4 (WW2) What kind of access do you have – is it dial-up or broadband?
1) Dial-up
2) Broadband
3) Other (specify) 0100 4) Refused to Answer
5) Don't Know Answer:
31M5 (WW3) Would you be willing to complete secure online <i>Growing Up</i> questionnaires if these were available in the future?
1) Yes 2) No 3) Refused to Answer 4) Don't Know
Answer:
31M6 (CC1)
Now I am going to ask some questions about {NAME's} child care arrangements.
Over the past 1 month [HAS YOUR CHILD/HAVE YOUR CHILDREN] been looked after at regular times during the week by anyone other than you or your partner? DO include regular care by neighbours or grandparents. DO NOT include casual or occasional babysitting. DO NOT include care by a non-resident parent.
Interviewer Note: The child is considered in "child care" if they have been looked after at regular times during the week by anyone other than a parent. DO include regular care by neighbours and/or grandparents. DO NOT include casual or occasional babysitting. DO NOT include care by a partner or non-resident parent. DO NOT include playcentre – this will be asked about in later questions.
1) Yes → 31M9 2) No 3) Ref → 31M8

31M7 (CC2) I am going to read a list of reasons people have for not using regular child care arrangements. Could you please tell me which of these is the main reason your [CHILD DOES/CHILDREN DO] not have any regular chargements at present?
Interviewer note: READ LIST
1) Child does not need it 2) No spare places or waiting list 3) Transport difficulties 4) No care available locally 5) Care not available on days or times I need it 6) Too expensive 7) Concerned with quality of care 8) Does not suit our cultural or ethnic beliefs 9) Do not want [CHILD/CHILDREN] cared for by strangers
10) Other 0100
11) Ref
12) DK
Answer:

31M8 (CC60)

Have you used any form of regular care at all for {NAME} since [HE/SHE] was born? Do include regular care by neighbours, grandparents or other relatives. Do not include casual or occasional babysitting. Do not include care by {NAME}'s other parent.

- 1) Yes → 31M17
- 2) No → 31M15
- 3) Ref → 31M15
- 4) DK → 31M15

Answer:

31M9 (CC61)

Is this the same childcare arrangement you were using at the two year interview – this includes any changes in hours since the two year interview.

- 1) Yes → **31M14**
- 2) No
- 3) Did not have 2 year interview
- 4) Ref
- 5) DK

Answer:

31M10 (CC54) What type of care does {NAME} have for the most hours per week?
1) Kindergarten
2) Daycare Centre
3) An organised home-base care programme such as Barnados or PORSE 4) Kohanga Reo
5) Pacific Islands early childhood centre
6) Nanny 7) Grandparent
8) Other Relative
9) Church Crèche
10) Gym, leisure or community centre 11) Other person (includes friend or neighbour)
12) Other 0100
13) Ref
14) DK
Answer:
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31M11 (CC4) How many hours each week does {NAME} spend in [HIS/HER] main care arrangement? We'll focus
on the type of care that {NAME} has for the most hours per week. If {NAME} attends two arrangements for an equal number of hours, choose the one {NAME} has been in longest.
1) Hours 090 2) Ref
3) DK
Answer:
31M12 (CC7) How long has {NAME} had this arrangement?
Timit 2 (CC7) Flow long has {NAIME} had this arrangement?
1) Months 024
2) Weeks 052
3) Days 0365 4) Ref
5) DK
Answer:
31M13 (CC21)
What is the name and location of this care arrangement?
1) Name 1200
2) Location 1200
3) Ref
☐ 4) DK

31M14 (CC62) On average, how much do you pay per wee Interviewer note: This should be the total for all current child	
1) Weekly Amount 2) Ref 3) DK	0500
	Answer:
IF 31M9=1 [CHILDCARE IS SAME AS AT 2Y INTERVIEW	<u> → 31M19</u>
IF 31M9=2 [CHILDCARE IS NOT SAME AS AT 2Y INTER' IF 31M9=3 [2Y INTERVIEW SKIPPED] IF 31M9=3/4 [DK/R IF CHILDCARE IS SAME AS AT 2Y IN	→ 31M17

31M15 (CC63) Does {NAME} go to a Playcentre, or has [HE/SHE] ever been to a Playcentre?

<u>Interviewer note:</u> This only applies to regular attendance at a Playcentre.

- 1) Yes
- 2) No → 31M26
- 3) Ref → 31M26
- 4) DK → 31M26

Answer:

IF 31M15 = 1 : Playcentre has been used, but no other form of childcare.

31M16

We'd like to gather a stocktake of all the types of childcare and early childhood education you have had for {NAME} since [HE/SHE] was born. Although you haven't used any other form of regular childcare, for this question we are including playcentre.

We'll start with the playcentre {NAME} attends at present, or the one [HE/SHE] most recently went to if [HE/SHE] isn't at a playcentre right now.

NOW → 31M21 [grid]

Interviewer note: Complete the grid that follows for the playcentre used now/most recently.

Check with hours of use have changed – if so, make a new entry for this arrangement but with different hours.

Check whether any other playcentre used previously –for each, make new entries for any changes in hours, or other playcentre used concurrently. Continue asking until all playcentres used regularly (that aren't care by a parent or occasional care such as babysitting) are recorded.

IF 31M6 = 1 + 31M9 =2 : Childcare is used, and has changed since 2year

OR IF 31M6 = 1 + 31M9 =3 : Childcare is used, and 2year was skipped.

OR IF 31M6 = 1 + 31M9 =4/5: Childcare is used, and DK/R if changed since 2Y

31MCCST3

We'd like to gather a stocktake of all the types of childcare and early childhood education you have had for {NAME} since [HE/SHE] was born. For each, I'll also ask you how many hours a week you used or are using this arrangement on a regular basis, and how old {NAME} was when you started using the particular arrangement. Please don't include any childcare that you've only used occasionally, such as babysitting, or any care by {NAME}'s other parent. Please do include regular care by neighbours or other family members, and for this stocktake please also include playcentre.

We'll start with the type of care we just discussed – so just to confirm ...

NOW → 31M21 [grid]

<u>Interviewer note:</u> Complete the grid that follows, starting with the childcare arrangement discussed in 31M10-31M13.

Check with hours of use have changed – if so, make a new entry for this arrangement but with different hours.

Check whether any other childcare was used at the same time - if so, make a new entry.

Check whether any other type of childcare used previously –for each, make new entries for any changes in hours, or other types of care used concurrently. Continue asking until all childcare arrangements used regularly (that aren't care by a parent or occasional care such as babysitting) are recorded.

IF 31M6 = 2 + 31M8=1 : No childcare is used at present, but childcare has been used.

OR IF 31M6 = 3/4 + 31M8 = 1 : DK/R if childcare is used at present, but childcare has been used.

31M18

We'd like to gather a stocktake of all the types of childcare and early childhood education you have had for {NAME} since [HE/SHE] was born. For each, I'll also ask you how many hours a week you used or are using this arrangement on a regular basis, and how old {NAME} was when you started using the particular arrangement. Please don't include any childcare that you've only used occasionally, such as babysitting, or any care by {NAME}'s other parent. Please do include regular care by neighbours or other family members, and for this stocktake please also include playcentre.

We'll start with the type of care you used most recently.

NOW → 31M21 [grid]

<u>Interviewer note:</u> Complete the grid that follows. Once the most recent arrangement is entered, check whether the hours with that arrangement changed at all — if so, make a new entry for this arrangement but with different hours.

Check whether any other childcare was used at the same time – if so, make a new entry.

Check whether any other type of childcare used previously –for each, make new entries for any changes in hours, or other types of care used concurrently. Continue asking until all childcare arrangements used regularly for more than three months (that aren't care by a parent or occasional care such as babysitting) are recorded.

IF 31M6 = 1 + 31M9 = 1 : Childcare is used, and is the same as at the 2Y.

31M19

We'd like to gather a stocktake of all the types of childcare and early childhood education you have had for {NAME} since [HE/SHE] was born. For each, I'll also ask you how many hours a week you used or are using this arrangement on a regular basis, and how old {NAME} was when you started using the particular arrangement. Please don't include any childcare that you've only used occasionally, such as babysitting, or any care by {NAME}'s other parent. Please do include regular care by neighbours or other family members, and for this stocktake please also include playcentre.

We'll start with the type of care you are using at the moment.

NOW → 31M21 [grid]

<u>Interviewer note:</u> Confirm type of care and hours per week used as in the first field of the grid that follows, and check age of first starting that arrangement. Once the existent arrangement is checked and updated, check whether the hours with that arrangement changed at all — if so, make a new entry for this arrangement but with different hours.

Check whether any other childcare was used at the same time – if so, make a new entry.

Check whether any other type of childcare used previously –for each, make new entries for any changes in hours, or other types of care used at the same time. Continue asking until all childcare arrangements used regularly (that aren't care by a parent or occasional care such as babysitting) are recorded.

31M20 (CC70) Type of care arrangement	31M21 (CC71) How many hours a week [DOES/DID] {NAME} spend at this arrangement?	31M22 (CC72) Can you tell me {NAME}'s age in months when [HE/SHE] first started at this arrangement or first had these hours	31M23 (CC73) [DID YOU/DO YOU] pay for this care arrangement ?	31M24 (CC74) Is this arrangement/ number of hours still being used?	31M25 (CC75) Can you tell me {NAME}'s age in months when [HE/SHE] stopped using this arrangement or attending for these hours?
			Yes/no	Yes/no.	

List of care arrangements for 31M20

- 1) Kindergarten
- 2) Daycare centre
- 3) An organised home-based care programme such as Barnados or PORSE
- 4) Kohanga reo
- 5) Pacific Island early childhood centre
- 6) Nanny
- 7) Grandparent
- 8) Other relative
- 9) Church crèche
- 10) Gym, leisure or community centre
- 11) Other person (includes friend or neighbour)
- 12) Playcentre
- 13) Other (specify)
- 14) Refused
- 15) Don't know

When mother has finished listing the types/hours of care that have been used:

I'm just going to read through a list of other care arrangements people use for their children.

Can I just check whether you've also used any of these on a regular basis for {NAME} at any time since [HE/SHE] was born.

31M26 (DEV20) I am now going to ask some questions about {NAME's} health.			
Does {NAME} have, or has [HE/SHE] had, any new health, developmental or physical problems that have been diagnosed by a doctor, such as your GP, that have arisen since [HE/SHE] turned two years old?			
Interviewer note: CODE UP TO FIVE			
□ 0) No → 31BF0 [p. 12]			
1) Chest infections/bronchiolitis/pneumonia/croup			
2) Asthma			
3) Eczema			
4) Ear infection			
5) Gastroenteritis			
6) Skin infection			
7) Measles (including German measles)			
8) Chicken pox			
9) Mumps			
10) Meningitis			
11) Whooping cough/pertussis			
12) Hepatitis B			
13) Allergy			
14) Birth condition			
15) Epilepsy			
16) Permanent hearing problem			
17) Vision problem that cannot be corrected with glasses			
18) An accident or injury for which the child was taken to a doctor/after hours care/hospital emergency			
department			
☐ 19) Autism			
21) Other (specify) 1200			
22) Other (specify) 1200			
23) Ref → 31BF0 [p. 12]			
24) DK → 31BF0 p. 12]			

31M27 (DEV20)
And could you please tell me how {NAME} is being, or was treated for [INSERT CONDITION 1]? Interviewer note: This includes both current and previous treatments. Do not read list, but confirm coded response as
necessary. CODE ALL
1) No Treatment
2) Medicines, Pills, Or Inhaler
3) Surgical Procedure
4) Physical/occupational/speech therapy
5) Other Medication
6) Other
Ref
□ DK
31M27 (DEV20)
And could you please tell me how {NAME} is being, or was treated for [INSERT CONDITION 2]?
Interviewer note: This includes both current and previous treatments. Do not read list, but confirm coded response as
necessary. CODE ALL
1) No Treatment
2) Medicines, Pills, Or Inhaler
3) Surgical Procedure
4) Physical/occupational/speech therapy
5) Other Medication
6) Other
Ref
31M27 (DEV20)
And could you please tell me how {NAME} is being, or was treated for [INSERT CONDITION 3]? Interviewer note: This includes both current and previous treatments. Do not read list, but confirm coded response as
necessary.
CODE ALL
1) No Treatment
2) Medicines, Pills, Or Inhaler
3) Surgical Procedure
4) Physical/occupational/speech therapy
5) Other Medication
6) Other
Ref
□ dk

31M27 (DEV20)
And could you please tell me how {NAME} is being treated, or was for [INSERT CONDITION 4]? <u>Interviewer note:</u> This includes both current and previous treatments. Do not read list, but confirm coded response as necessary. <u>CODE ALL</u>
1) No Treatment 2) Medicines, Pills, Or Inhaler 3) Surgical Procedure 4) Physical/occupational/speech therapy 5) Other Medication
6) Other
Ref DK
31M27 (DEV20)
And could you please tell me how {NAME} is being, or was treated for [INSERT CONDITION 5]? <u>Interviewer note:</u> This includes both current and previous treatments. Do not read list, but confirm coded response as necessary. <u>CODE ALL</u>
1) No Treatment
2) Medicines, Pills, Or Inhaler 3) Surgical Procedure 4) Physical/occupational/speech therapy 5) Other Medication
6) Other
Ref DK

31BF0

IF NOT BREASTFEEDING AT 9M INTERVIEW, SKIP BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M17

 31M28 (CN1) Did you ever breastfeed {NAME}? Breastfeeding includes feeding expressed milk. 1) Currently breastfeeding (includes supplementing with formula and solids) → 31M30 2) Breastfed but have stopped. → 31M30 	
 Currently breastfeeding (includes supplementing with formula and solids) → 31M30 	
3) Never breastfed → 31M36 (LDOb) 4) Ref → 31M36 (LDOb) 5) DK → 31M36 (LDOb) Answer:)

IF STILL EXCLUSIVELY BREASTFEEDING AT 9M INTERVIEW

31M29

The next questions are about breastfeeding. When we interviewed when {NAME} was nine months old, you were exclusively breastfeeding [HIM/HER].

31M30 (CN5) How long did you exclusively breastfeed? By exclusive I mean feeding baby only breast milk, including expressed breast milk, and not any water, milk formula, other liquids, or solid food.
Interviewer Note: Medicines, vitamins and minerals are allowed.
131 131
2) Weeks
3) Days 112
4) Still exclusively breastfeeding → 31M33
5) Ref
☐ 6) DK
IF 31M28 WAS ASKED AND = 1 → 31M33
IF 31M28 WAS ASKED AND = 2 → 31M34

31M31 (CN90)
Are you still breastfeeding {NAME}?
1) Yes → 31M33 2) No → 31M34 3) Ref → SKIP OUT OF BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M36 (LD0b) 4) DK → SKIP OUT OF BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M36 (LD0b)
Answer:
IF STILL BREASTFEEDING AT 9M INTERVIEW
31M32 (CN91)
When we interviewed you when {NAME} was nine months old, you were breastfeeding [HIM/HER]. Are you still breastfeeding {NAME}?
1) Yes 2) No → 31M34 3) Ref → SKIP OUT OF BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M36 4) DK → SKIP OUT OF BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M36
Answer:
31M33 (CN2) How many times a day (24 hours period) on average do you currently breastfeed?
120
2) Less than once per day 3) Ref
4) DK
NOW SKIP OUT OF BREASTFEEDING SECTION → 31M36 (LD0b)
31M34 (CN6) How old was {NAME} when you stopped breastfeeding?
Interviewer Note: This refers to any breastfeeding, whether exclusive or not.
1) Months131
2) Weeks 152
3) Days 112
4) Ref

5) DK

31M35 (CN7) Why did you stop breastfeeding? I'm going to read a list of reasons people have for stopping breastfeeding – please say 'yes' to all that are reasons you stopped breastfeeding.
Interviewer note: CODE ALL THAT APPLY
1) Had breast fed long enough 2) Baby had trouble latching on 3) Didn't have enough milk 4) Breast milk alone did not seem to satisfy baby 5) Painful breasts 6) Baby not gaining enough weight 7) Baby lost interest or self-weaned 8) I wanted or needed someone else to feed the baby 9) I went back to work and expressing breast milk was not convenient or possible 10) New pregnancy 11) Baby was old enough that the difference between breast milk and formula was minimal 12) Other (specify) 13) Other (specify) 15) DON'T READ Ref
16) DON'T READ DK

Interviewer note: IF INTERVIEW IS TRANSLATED → 31M53

31M36 (LD0b) Next I am going to ask you some questions about the words {NAME} can say.

First, I am going to read a list of 12 words and you tell me YES or NO if {NAME} uses each one - even if {NAME} uses a different pronunciation of a word, for example 'sketti' instead of 'spaghetti'. [HE/SHE] can say and use these words in English or **any** other language – as we go through these words, can you please tell me if they are using them in English, in another language, or both. Remember that this is a list of words that are used by many different children – don't worry if your child only uses a few of these words.

Interviewer Note: Always say the words in English (don't translate the word for the mothers if they speak another language better). Use the Don't Know (DK) option if you feel the mother hasn't understood the word in English. Not applicable (NA) option ONLY to be used if the child cannot (yet) speak. Please confirm this before using the NA option, as all language questions will be skipped if this is used. The NA option should also be used if the child only uses sign language.

	Example sentence	Answer
	(only use if needed for clarification	1) Yes (English)
	of the word)	2) Yes (Other)
		3) Both (English & Other)
		4) No
		5) Not applicable → 31M53 [p. 17]
		6) Ref
		7) DK
31M37 (LD20_1) happy	l am happy	
31M38 (LD20_2) sad	l am sad	\bigcirc
31M39 (LD20_3) angry	I am angry	\bigcirc
31M40 (LD20_4) hate	I hate vegetables	
31M41 (LD20_5) love	l love you	\bigcirc
31M42 (LD20_6) like	I like ice cream	
31M43 (LD20_7) scared	I am scared of dogs	
31M44 (LD20_8) think	I think it is raining	
31M45 (LD20_9) pretend	I sometimes pretend I am a fireman	
31M46 (LD20_10) wish	I wish I could fly	
31M47 (LD20_11) wanna / want to	l want to / wanna play	
31M48 (LD20_12) remember	I don't remember	

31M49 (LD21) Now I am going to ask some questions about how {NAME} uses words. Does {NAME} ever talk about past events? For example, a child who went to a party last week might later say party, cake or present.
Interviewer note: This also includes ANY non-English languages.
1) Not Yet 2) Sometimes 3) Often 4) Ref 5) DK
Answer:
31M50 (LD22) Does {NAME} ever talk about something that's going to happen in the future, for example, saying "train" "bus" or "aeroplane" before you leave the house for a trip, or saying "swing" when you are going to the park?
Interviewer note: This also includes ANY non-English languages.
1) Not Yet 2) Sometimes 3) Often 4) Ref 5) DK
Answer:
31M51 (LD23) To talk about activities, (in English) we sometimes add "ing" to verbs. Examples include looking, running, and crying. Has {NAME} begun to do this?
Interviewer note: This also includes ANY non-English languages.
1) Not Yet 2) Sometimes 3) Often 4) Ref 5) DK
Answer:
31M52 (LD24) To talk about things that happened in the past, (in English) we often add "ed" to the verb. Examples include kissed, opened and pushed. Has {NAME} begun to do this?
Interviewer note: This also includes ANY non-English languages.
1) Not Yet 2) Sometimes 3) Often 4) Ref 5) DK
Answer:

31M53 (HHG)

HOUSEHOLD GRID

Please ensure all information in the household grid is checked. Update information where relevant.

Address

Confirm address.

Number of bedrooms

Interviewer note: A 'bedroom' is any room furnished as a bedroom (even if no one is using it), and sleep out or caravans, if they are next to the house/flat and furnished as a bedroom. Don't count any other room (e.g. living room) people sleep in UNLESS the only bedroom facilities are in that room.

Household members

Check all household members.

For each household member, either confirm or ask for the relationship to the child

For each household member, check whether they are 18 or over. If under 18, ask for their year of birth, or their age range if YOB unknown.

Couples

Interviewer note: Ensure that this includes the mother and her partner if applicable.