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Section:	Screening (SC)
SC_STR	Start of Module SC
SC_BEG	<p>This module requires the following variables: Trade_E (sample file, Response) FR_PROV (sample file, Response) YOB_FR (sample file, Response, Empty) DATY (from DATE block asked in SRC module, Response, RF, DK) NewAge (from SRC block, Response, Empty)</p>
SC_B03	Call SEX block
SC_C03	Create Scopeflag Set Scopeflag = Yes
SC_R04	<p>We will start with some questions which give us an overview of your involvement with apprenticeship.</p> <p><u>INTERVIEWER:</u> Press <1> to continue.</p>
SC_C04	<p>If FR_PROV = 24(Go to SC_Q05) Else(Go to SC_Q04)</p>
SC_Q04	<p>Before leaving high school, were you registered in a Youth Apprenticeship Program (YAP)?</p> <p><u>INTERVIEWER:</u> It includes, for example, programs currently known as: PEI the Accelerated Secondary Apprenticeship Program – ASAP Ontario the Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program – OYAP Manitoba the Senior Years Apprenticeship Option - SYAO Alberta the Registered Apprenticeship Program – RAP BC the Secondary School Apprenticeship Program - SSAP.</p> <p>1 Yes 2 No RF, DK</p> <p><i>Coverage: All respondents (except those from the province of Quebec).</i></p>
SC_Q05	<p>Since leaving high school, have you worked as an apprentice ^Trade_E?</p> <p>1 Yes..... (Go to SC_D20A) 2 No RF, DK</p> <p><i>Coverage: All respondents.</i></p>

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SC_Q06 **Is it that you have never been a registered apprentice or do we have the wrong trade? Being a registered apprentice means that you would have registered with your provincial or territorial apprenticeship authority to begin your training in a trade.**

- 1 Never been a registered apprentice(Go to SC_Q07)
 - 2 Wrong trade.....(Go to SC_Q15)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who did not know or felt they did not work as an apprentice.*

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

SC_Q07 **Were you ever interested in becoming a registered apprentice?**

- 1 Yes..... (Go to SC_Q09)
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *Respondents who have never done any work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.*

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

SC_Q09 **What was the main reason you did not pursue this interest?**

- 01 Could not get hired by employer as an apprentice
 - 02 Lacking information about how to apply
 - 03 Could not afford to quit the job I had
 - 04 Could not afford to work for the low apprenticeship wage
 - 05 Negative attitudes regarding gender, race, ethnicity, disability etc.
 - 06 Difficulties joining the union
 - 07 Lack of contacts in the trade (family, friends etc)
 - 08 Transportation problems
 - 09 Would have been on a waiting list
 - 10 Lost interest in becoming an apprentice
 - 11 Other - Specify (Go to SC_S09)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *Respondents who have never done any work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.*

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

SC_S09 **What was the main reason you did not pursue this interest?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other – Specify in SC_Q09.*

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

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SC_Q15 **Did you do any work or technical training as a registered apprentice in any trade during the years 2000 to 2004 inclusive?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to SC_Q17)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices in a trade that is different from the frame.

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

SC_Q17 **In this trade, what would be your title? For example: carpenter, bookbinder, welder, etc..**

INTERVIEWER: If more than one trade was pursued during the years 2000 to 2004, request the name of the most recent one. Be careful: make sure to record the title without abbreviations.

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to SC_C43)

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices in a trade that is different from the frame.

SC_D20A Create the derived variable CUR_TRE.
If SC_Q05 = 1 then CUR_TRE = Trade_E
Else CUR_TRE = SC_Q17.

SC_D20B If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP1E = "begin regular work";
Else ^YAP1E = "become registered".

SC_D20C If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP2E = "By "regular work", we mean
your work after high school as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE.";
Else ^YAP2E = ".".

SC_Q20 **In what year did you ^YAP1E as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE for the first time? ^YAP2E**

INTERVIEWER: In Québec, many apprentices will have obtained their Diploma of Professional Studies (DEP) prior to registering. Collect the date that they started their work as an apprentice after completing their DEP.

Persons who had been involved in a Youth Apprenticeship Program may have "registered" as an apprentice during high school. Please record the date when they started work for pay after high school.

_____ (4 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to SC_D23)

Note: Min = 1970 and Max = 2004.

Coverage: Respondents who have done work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.

Default: (Go to SC_D24)

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SC_E20A An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if SC_Q20 < 1994.

SC_E20B Age of respondent at registration or at the beginning of regular work is less than 13 years old. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit when:
1) SC_Q20 = Response and

(DATY = response and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = response) then: if (SC_Q20 - DATY) < 13
AND
if (SC_Q20 - YOB_FR) < 13
AND
if SC_Q20 - (2007 - NewAge) < 13.

OR

2) SC_Q20 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = response) then: if (SC_Q20 - YOB_FR) < 13
AND
if SC_Q20 - (2007 - NewAge) < 13.

OR

3) SC_Q20 = Response and
(DATY = response and
YOB_FR = Empty and
NewAge = response) then: if (SC_Q20 - DATY) < 13
AND
if SC_Q20 - (2007 - New Age) < 13.

OR

4) SC_Q20 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = Empty and
NewAge = response) then: if SC_Q20 - (2007 - NewAge) < 13.

OR

5) SC_Q20 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = Empty) then: If (SC_Q20 - YOB_FR) < 13.

SC_D23 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP3E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP3E = "became registered".

SC_Q23 Could you tell me how old you were when you ^YAP3E as an apprentice for the first time?

_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 13 and Max = 70.

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Coverage: Respondents who have done work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.

SC_E23 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if S1C_Q23 < 16 or SC_Q23 > 45.

SC_D24 If SC_Q20 = Response and SC_Q20 => 2000 then ^YearE = SC_Q20;
Else ^YearE = "2000".

SC_Q24 Since ^YearE, in which years have you done any work or technical training as an apprentice?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply. Please make sure to select years equal or greater to the one mentioned at the beginning of the question.

- 01 2000
- 02 2001
- 03 2002
- 04 2003
- 05 2004
- 06 2005
- 07 2006
- 08 2007
- 09 None in 2000 or since.....(Go to SC_C43)
- RF.....(Go to SC_C43)
- DK.....(Go to SC_Q25)

Coverage: Respondents who have done work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.

Default: (Go to SC_Q31)

SC_E24 You cannot select «None in 2000 or since» with another category. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 9 – «None in 2000 or since» was selected in combination with any other item in SC_Q24.

SC_Q25 What is the most recent year in which you have done any work or technical training as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE?

_____ (4 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to SC_C43)

Note: Min = 1970 and Max = 2007.

Coverage: Respondents who have done work or technical training as Registered Apprentices.

SC_E25 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if SC_Q25 < 2000.

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SC_E25C INTERVIEWER: Please confirm edit SC_E25: the year is less than 2000. Press <1> to continue.

SC_C31 If SC_Q25 > 1999.....(Go to SC_Q31)
Else(Go to SC_C43)

SC_Q31 **Are you still a registered apprentice ^CUR_TRE?**

INTERVIEWER: Some "Registered apprentices" (RA) may have begun their apprenticeship many years ago, and may no longer consider themselves as RA since they may have accumulated all the experience of a journeyman. However, if they remain uncertified and are on the list of apprentices of a jurisdiction then technically they are a RA.

1 Yes.....(Go to SC_D33)
2 No(Go to SC_D33)
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are Registered Apprentices in a trade and have been active beyond 2004.

Default: (Go to SC_C43)

SC_D33 If FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert1E = "journey man certificate";
Else ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

SC_Q33 **For your trade, is there a final exam that you must write to get your ^Cert1E?**

INTERVIEWER: Some respondents may not consider their line of work to be a "trade". Be willing to offer the term "line of work" if respondent seems uncomfortable with the term "trade".

1 Yes
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are Registered Apprentices in a trade and have been active beyond 2000.

SC_C36 If SC_Q31 = 1(Go to SC_D36)
Else(Go to SC_Q39)

SC_D36 If SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE journeyman certificate exam";
Else if SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV ne 48 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE certificate of qualification exam";
Else ^Write1E = "apply for your certification as a (an) ^CUR_TRE".

SC_Q36 **Have you completed the technical training and hours of work required to ^Write1E?**

1 Yes
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are Registered Apprentices (continuers) in a trade and have been active beyond 2000.

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Default: (Go to SC_END)

SC_Q39 Do you have a ^Cert1E as a (an) ^CUR_TRE?

INTERVIEWER: Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate can be with or without a Red Seal / Interprovincial designation. It does not include certificates granted during the technical training. It does not include a Certificate of Apprenticeship which implies having done the work and technical training but not the exam.

- 1 Yes.....(Go to SC_D40)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: *Respondents who have been Registered Apprentices (completers or discontinuers) in a trade and have been active beyond 2000.*

Default: (Go to SC_D42)

SC_D40 If SC_Q33 =1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Wrote1E = "wrote the journeyman certificate exam";
Else if SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV ne 48 then ^Wrote1E = "wrote the certificate of qualification exam";
Else ^Wrote1E = "applied for your certification".

**SC_Q40 Did you finish the apprenticeship program before you ^Wrote1E?
"Finishing" the program means you worked the required hours and did all the technical training required.**

INTERVIEWER: The apprentice may have worked some hours and/or done some technical training before registering and then got credit for them.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK(Go to SC_C43)

Coverage: *Respondents who have been Registered Apprentices (completers or discontinuers) in a trade and have been active beyond 2000 and are certified.*

Default: (Go to SC_END)

SC_D42 If SC_Q33 =1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Write2E = "write the journeyman certificate exam";
Else if SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV ne 48 then ^Write2E = "write the certificate of qualification exam";
Else ^Write2E = "apply for your certification".

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SC_Q42 **Have you worked the hours and done the technical training required to
^Write2E?**

1 Yes
2 No
RF, DK(Go to SC_C43)

Coverage: *Respondents who have been Registered Apprentices (completers or discontinuers) in a trade and
have been active beyond 2000 but remain uncertified.*

Default: (Go to SC_END)

SC_C43 Set Scopeflag = No

SC_END End of Module SC.

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Section:	Pre-Apprenticeship Training (PA)
PA_STR	Start of Module PA
PA_BEG	This module requires the following variables: CUR_TR_E (Derived variable created at SC_D20A, Response) FR_PROV (Sample file, Response) YOB_FR (Sample file, Response, Empty) SC_Q04 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty) SC_Q20 (Response, RF, DK, Empty) SC_Q23 (Response, RF, DK, Empty) SC_Q31 (1, 2) SEX_Q01 (Module SC, 1, 2) DATY (from DATE block asked in SRC module, Response, RF, DK) NewAge (from SRC block, Response, Empty)
PA_C001	If SC_Q04 = 1 (Go to PA_R002) Else (Go to PA_R001)
PA_R001	The next section requires that you think back to the period of time <u>before</u> you registered as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE. <u>INTERVIEWER:</u> Press <1> to continue. Default: (Go to PA_C002)
PA_R002	The next section requires that you think back to the period of time <u>before</u> you began regular work as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE. <u>INTERVIEWER:</u> Press <1> to continue.
PA_C002	If SC_Q04 = 1 (Go to PA_Q004) Else (Go to PA_Q002)
PA_Q002	While in high school, did you take any of the following <u>programs</u>? <u>INTERVIEWER:</u> Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply. 1 Diploma of Professional Studies (DEP) in Québec 2 Trade or vocational or technical <u>program</u> (sometimes referred to as “shop” classes) 3 High school co-op <u>program</u> or high school work experience <u>program</u> 4 None of the above RF, DK <i>Coverage:</i> All respondents who are (were) RA.
PA_E002	You cannot select “None of the above” with another category. Please return and correct.
Note:	Trigger hard edit if item 4 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in PA_Q002.

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PA_Q003 **Were you aware of trade apprenticeship programs while you were in high school?**

INTERVIEWER: If respondent indicates that high school was done outside of Canada, mark "Not applicable".

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 3 Not applicable
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA).*

PA_Q004 **In your last year of high school, what was your overall grade average?**

INTERVIEWER: Please get best estimate if the year was incomplete or different grade system.

- 1 90% or higher (mainly A+)
- 2 80 to 89% (mainly A, A-)
- 3 70 to 79% (mainly B's)
- 4 60 to 69% (mainly C's)
- 5 50 to 59% (mainly D's)
- 6 less than 50% (mainly E's and F's)
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA).*

PA_Q005 **In what year did you leave high school?**

INTERVIEWER: "Leaving high school" implies date graduated or stopped attending on a regular basis for at least a year.

_____ (4 spaces)

RF, DK(Go to PA_Q008)

Note: *Min = 1940 and Max = 2007.*

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA).*

Default: *(Go to PA_D009A)*

PA_E005 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: *Trigger soft edit if PA_Q005 < 1970 or PA_Q005 > 2004.*

PA_Q008 **How old were you when you left high school?**

_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: *Min = 10 and Max = 30.*

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA).*

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PA_E008 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if PA_Q008 < 13 or PA_Q008 > 20.

PA_D009A If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^IsWasE = "Is";
Else ^IsWasE = "Was".

PA_D009B If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^HsE= "since leaving high school";
Else ^HsE = " ".

PA_Q009 ^IsWasE ^CUR_TRE your first apprenticeship program ^HsE?

INTERVIEWER: Please include the apprenticeship program that is currently being done, that was completed or discontinued.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA).

PA_C010 If PA_Q009 = 2.....(Go to PA_Q010)
Else(Go to PA_D016A)

PA_Q010 How many other trades did you register in as an apprentice before entering the ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

____(1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 5.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

PA_Q011 What is the name of the first trade you registered in as an apprentice before entering your current trade?

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

PA_D014A If PA_Q010 = 2 then ^s = " ", ^IsE = "is", ^ThisE = "this";
Else ^s = "s", ^IsE = "are", ^ThisE = "these".

PA_C014A If PA_Q010 > 1.....(Go to PA_Q014A)
Else(Go to PA_D015A)

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PA_Q014A What ^IsE the name^s of ^ThisE other trade^s?

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

Note: Programmer: Allow for up to a max. of 4 text fields to capture the trade name in PA_Q014A to PA_Q014D.

PA_C014B **If PA_Q010 > 2.....** (Go to PA_Q014B)
Else (Go to PA_D015A)

PA_Q014B What ^IsE the name^s of ^ThisE other trade^s?

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

PA_C014C **If PA_Q010 > 3.....** (Go to PA_Q014C)
Else (Go to PA_D015A)

PA_Q014C What ^IsE the name^s of ^ThisE other trade^s?

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

PA_C014D **If PA_Q010 > 4.....** (Go to PA_Q014D)
Else (Go to PA_D015A)

PA_Q014D What ^IsE the name^s of ^ThisE other trade^s?

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) Registered Apprentices (RA) in prior trades.

Default: (Go to PA_D015A)

PA_D015A If FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
Else ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

PA_C015A **If PA_Q010 > 1.....** (Go to PA_Q015B)
Else (Go to PA_Q015A)

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PA_Q015A **Do you hold a ^Cert1E in this other trade?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and provided one PRIOR trade.

Default: (Go to PA_D016A)

PA_Q015B **Do you hold a ^Cert1E in any of these other trades?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and provided more than one PRIOR trade in PA_Q014A to PA_Q014D.

PA_D016A Create the derived variable FIRST_TRE.
If PA_Q009 = 1, RF, DK.....FIRST_TRE = CUR_TRE
Else if PA_Q011 = RF, DK.....FIRST_TRE = CUR_TRE
ElseFIRST_TRE = PA_Q011

PA_D016B If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP1E = "begin regular work";
Else ^YAP1E = "become registered".

PA_C016 If FIRST_TRE = PA_Q011.....(Go to PA_R016)
Else.....(Go to PA_D020)

PA_R016 **Now I will ask you a few questions about your apprenticeship as a (an)
^FIRST_TRE which you have indicated was your first trade.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

PA_Q016 **In what year did you first ^YAP1E as an apprentice ^FIRST_TRE?**

_____ (4 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to PA_Q018)

Note: Min = 1970 and Max = 2004.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D020)

PA_E016A An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if PA_Q016 < 1994.

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PA_E016B Age of respondent at registration or at the beginning of regular work is less than 13 years old. Please confirm.

Note:

- 1) Trigger soft edit when:
PA_Q016 = Response and
(DATY = response and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = response) then: if (PA_Q016 – DATY) < 13
AND
if (PA_Q016 – YOB_FR) < 13
AND
if PA_Q016 – (2007 – NewAge) < 13.
OR
- 2) PA_Q016 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = response) then: if (PA_Q016 – YOB_FR) < 13
AND
if PA_Q016 – (2007 – NewAge) < 13.
OR
- 3) PA_Q016 = Response and
(DATY = response and
YOB_FR = Empty and
NewAge = response) then: if (PA_Q016 – DATY) < 13
AND
if PA_Q016 – (2007 – NewAge) < 13.
OR
- 4) PA_Q016 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = Empty and
NewAge = response) then: if PA_Q016 – (2007 – NewAge) < 13.
OR
- 5) PA_Q016 = Response and
(DATY = RF/DK and
YOB_FR = response and
NewAge = Empty) then: If (PA_Q016 – YOB_FR) < 13.

PA_Q018 How old were you when you first registered for your ^FIRST_TRE apprenticeship program?

____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to PA_Q019)

Note: Min. = 13 and Max = 70.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D020)

PA_E018 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if PA_Q018 < 16 or PA_Q018 > 45.

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PA_Q019 **How long were you out of high school before registering in that apprenticeship program?**

INTERVIEWER: Collect the duration in YEARS. Please enter the number of completed years.

____ year(s) (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 30.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

PA_E019 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if PA_Q019 > 10.

PA_D020 Create the derived variables: PAQ05DV, PAQ16DV, LAPSE1, LAPSE2.

PAQ05DV :

(If PA_Q005 ne RF, DK then PAQ05DV = PA_Q005)

Else

(If PA_Q008 ne RF, DK and YOB_FR ne blank
then PAQ05DV = YOB_FR + PA_Q008)

Else PAQ05DV = blank

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PAQ16DV :

(If PA_Q016 ne RF, DK then PAQ16DV = PA_Q016)

Else

(If PA_Q018 ne RF, DK and YOB_FR ne blank
then PAQ16DV = YOB_FR + PA_Q018)

Else PAQ16DV = blank

LAPSE1 :

If PA_Q009 = 1, RF, DK then do;

(if SC_Q20 ne RF,DK and PA_Q005 ne RF,DK then

LAPSE1=SC_Q20 – PA_Q005)

Else

(if SC_Q20 ne RF,DK and PA_Q008 ne RF,DK and YOB_FR ne blank then
LAPSE1=SC_Q20 – (YOB_FR + PA_Q008))

Else

(if SC_Q23 ne RF,DK and PA_Q005 ne RF,DK and YOB_FR ne blank then
LAPSE1=(YOB_FR + SC_Q23) – PA_Q005)

Else

(if SC_Q23 ne RF,DK and PA_Q008 ne RF,DK and YOB_FR ne blank then
LAPSE1=(YOB_FR + SC_Q23) – (YOB_FR + PA_Q008))

Else LAPSE1 = 1;

LAPSE1 [min : 0 max : 80]

LAPSE2 :

If PA_Q009=2 then do;

(If PAQ05DV ne blank and PAQ16DV ne blank then

LAPSE2=PAQ16DV – PAQ05DV)

Else

(if PA_Q019 ne RF, DK then LAPSE2 = PA_Q019)

Else LAPSE2 = 1;

LAPSE2 [min : 0 max : 80]

PA_C020A If LAPSE1 => 3 or LAPSE2 => 3.....(Go to PA_C020B)
Else.....(Go to PA_D025)

PA_C020B If SC_Q04 = 2 and PA_Q002 = 1(Go to PA_Q020)
Else.....(Go to PA_Q021)

PA_Q020 **When you left high school were you considering an apprenticeship?**

1 Yes

2 No(Go to PA_Q023)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and were aware of apprenticeship but not involved.

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PA_Q021 For what reason(s) did you not enter your ^FIRST_TRE apprenticeship program before you did?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Had a job
- 02 Attending college or university
- 03 Did not know what to do
- 04 Could not get an employer to sponsor me
- 05 No knowledge of available trades
- 06 No knowledge of apprenticeship programs
- 07 Not interested in a trade
- 08 Trade was not available as an apprenticeship
- 09 Needed upgrading to be considered
- 10 Apprenticeship income too low
- 11 Could not afford it
- 12 Do not have minimum academic requirements (diploma)
- 13 Illness or disability
- 14 Personal or family responsibilities
- 15 Would have had to leave my community, did not want to at that time
- 16 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S021)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D025)

PA_S021 For what reason(s) did you not enter your ^FIRST_TRE apprenticeship program before you did?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refused.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other – Specify in P3A_Q021.

Default: (Go to PA_D025)

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PA_Q023 For what reason(s) did you not consider apprenticeship until later?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Had a job
- 02 Attending college or university
- 03 Did not know what to do
- 04 No knowledge of available trades
- 05 No knowledge of apprenticeship programs
- 06 Not interested in a trade
- 07 Trade was not available
- 08 Needed upgrading to be considered
- 09 Apprenticeship income too low
- 10 Could not afford it
- 11 Do not have minimum academic requirements
- 12 Illness or disability
- 13 Personal or family responsibilities
- 14 Would have had to leave my community, did not want to at that time
- 15 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S023)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D025)

PA_S023 For what reason(s) did you not consider apprenticeship until later?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other – Specify in PA_Q023.

PA_D025 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP4E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP4E = "registered".

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PA_Q025 **During the 12-month period before you ^YAP4E in your apprenticeship program, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?**

01 Attending school(Go to PA_Q028)
02 Working.....(Go to PA_Q026)
03 Without work and looking for work(Go to PA_Q027)
04 Household or family responsibilities
05 Inactive due to illness or disability
06 Travelling or on vacation (e.g. leisure activities)
07 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S025)
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q031)

PA_S025 **During the 12-month period before you ^YAP4E in your apprenticeship program, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q25.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q031)

PA_Q026 **Was this work ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **related to the ^FIRST_TRE trade?**
 - 2 **related to a trade other than the ^FIRST_TRE trade?**
 - 3 **not related to any trade (e.g. retail sales)?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and were working.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q031)

PA_Q027 **During those 12 months, were you without work and looking for work for a period of six months or more in a row?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and were without work and looking for work.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q031)

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PA_Q028 **Was this leading to obtaining ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **a diploma?**
- 2 **a certificate?**
- 3 **a licence?**
- 4 **a degree?**
- 5 **other - specify** (Go to PA_S028)
- 6 none of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and whose main activity before they registered in a trade was attending school.

Default: (Go to PA_Q029)

PA_S028 **Was this leading to obtaining ...**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q028.

PA_Q029 **What type of school was that?**

- 01 Elementary school
- 02 Secondary school
- 03 Public Trade school, technical institute
- 04 Private Trade school, technical institute
- 05 Community college, CÉGEP
- 06 University
- 07 **Other - Specify** (Go to PA_S029)
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and whose main activity before they registered in a trade was attending school.

Default: (Go to PA_Q031)

PA_S029 **What type of school was that?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q029.

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PA_Q031 Had you taken any of the following programs before you started work as an apprentice ^FIRST_TRE?

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **Apprenticeship exploratory program** (e.g. Women only = Women in Trades and Technology)
- 02 **Upgrading program in math or another subject** (e.g. math for trades)
- 03 **College trade program** or CÉGEP (e.g. carpentry program or Diploma of Collegial Studies (DEC))
- 04 **Private school program** (e.g. hairstyling)
- 05 **Diploma of Professional Studies (DEP) in Québec**
- 06 **Other trade related program(s) - Specify** (Go to PA_S031)
- 07 None of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_C032)

PA_E031 You cannot select "None of the above" with another category. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 7 – "None of the above" was selected in combination with any other item in PA_Q031.

PA_S031 Had you taken any of the following programs before you started work as an apprentice ^FIRST_TRE?

INTERVIEWER: Specify

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refuse.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other trade related program(s) - Specify in PA_Q031.

PA_C032 If (PA_Q025=1) and (PA_Q031=3 or 4 or 5) and (LAPSE1 > = 5 or LAPSE2 > = 5).....(Go to PA_D032)
Else(Go to PA_Q040)

PA_D032 if PA_Q031= only one of 03 or 04 or 05 then ^ProgramE = "that program" ;
Else if PA_Q031 = only 03 AND (01 and/or 02 and/or 06) then ^ProgramE = "this college trade program" ;
Else if PA_Q031 = only 04 AND (01 and/or 02 and/or 06) then ^ProgramE = "this private school program" ;
Else if PA_Q031 = only 05 AND (01 and/or 02 and/or 06) then ^ProgramE = "this D.E.P." ;
Else ^ProgramE = "any of these programs".

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PA_Q032 **During the 12-month period before you started ^ProgramE, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?**

- 01 Attending school
- 02 Working.....(Go to PA_Q033)
- 03 Without work and looking for work
- 04 Household or family responsibilities
- 05 Inactive due to illness or disability
- 06 Travelling or on vacation (e.g. leisure activities)
- 07 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S032)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q040)

PA_S032 **During the 12-month period before you started ^ProgramE, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q032.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q040)

PA_Q033 **Was this work ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **related to the ^FIRST_TRE trade?**
- 2 **related to a trade other than the ^FIRST_TRE trade?**
- 3 **not related to any trade (e.g. retail sales)?**
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and were working.*

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PA_Q040 **Thinking about the period of time before you started your apprenticeship, could you indicate the persons or groups from whom you received advice about apprenticeship in general?**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **A parent**
- 02 **Relatives or friends**
- 03 **A high school guidance counsellor**
- 04 **A co-worker**
- 05 **An employer**
- Other persons or groups**
- 06 High school teacher
- 07 College or university teacher / placement officer / career councillor
- 08 Union representative
- 09 Joint training committee
- 10 Community based support group
- 11 Canada Employment Centre / Local Employment Centre of Québec (CLE)
- 12 Provincial government apprenticeship or career counsellor
- 13 Coordinator - Aboriginal Human Resources Development Agreement (AHRDA)
- 14 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S040)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q041)

PA_S040 **Thinking about the period of time before you started your apprenticeship, could you indicate the persons or groups from whom you received advice about apprenticeship in general?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify

_____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't Know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q040.*

PA_Q041 **When starting your ^FIRST_TRE program, did you have difficulty finding an employer who was taking on apprentices?**

- 1 Yes..... (Go to PA_Q043)
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_Q045)

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PA_Q043 **What was the main reason you had difficulty finding an employer who was taking on apprentices?**

1 No one was hiring apprentices
2 There was no work in the trade at the time
3 Distance to employers
4 Other reason(s) - Specify (Go to PA_S043)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_Q044)

PA_S043 What was the main reason you had difficulty finding an employer who was taking on apprentices?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other reason(s) - Specify in PA_Q043.*

PA_Q044 **In an attempt to overcome this problem, did you contact or get advice from any of the following persons or groups?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **Government (office of apprenticeship)**
02 **An employer**
03 **Your parents or immediate family**
 Other persons or groups
04 School counselor
05 Local community based organization (e.g. Aboriginal agency, Agency for the disabled, Agency for a visible minority group, Women in Trades & Technology (WITT) group, etc)
06 Canada Employment Centre / Local Employment Centre of Québec (CLE)
07 Union
08 Coordinator - Aboriginal Human Resources Development Agreement (AHRDA)
09 Commission de la construction du Québec (CCQ)
10 Other - specify (Go to PA_S044)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and have encountered problems in getting into the apprenticeship program.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q045)

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PA_S044 In an attempt to overcome this problem, did you contact or get advice from any of the following persons or groups?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q044.

PA_Q045 Did you encounter problems other than finding an employer in getting into the ^FIRST_TRE apprenticeship program?

- 1 Yes..... (Go to PA_Q047)
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_C060)

PA_Q047 What other problem(s) did you have?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Lack of information about how to apply for an apprenticeship
- 02 Lack of appropriate entry requirements
- 03 Employer wanted someone with experience
- 04 Negative attitudes regarding gender, race, ethnicity or disability
- 05 Employers not following the apprenticeship rules
- 06 Difficulties joining the union
- 07 Lack of sufficient contacts in the trade (family, close friends or others)
- 08 Had to get on a waiting list
- 09 Distance to many employers was too far / No transportation
- 10 Other - specify (Go to PA_S047)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have encountered problems in getting into the apprenticeship program.

Default: (Go to PA_C051)

PA_S047 What other problem(s) did you have?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q047.

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PA_C051 If PA_Q047 = 02 (Go to PA_Q051)
Else (Go to PA_C060)

PA_Q051 **To overcome the lack of entry requirements, did you take courses or a program to upgrade your qualifications to the required entry requirement?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have encountered problems in getting into the apprenticeship program.

PA_C060 If PA_Q009 = 2 (Go to PA_D060)
Else (Go to PA_Q072)

PA_D060 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP4E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP4E = "registered".

PA_R060 **Now I would like you to consider the period of time before you began as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

PA_Q060 **During the 12 month period before you ^YAP4E in that apprenticeship program, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?**

- 01 Attending school (Go to PA_Q063)
- 02 Apprentice in a different trade
- 03 Working (Go to PA_Q061)
- 04 Without work and looking for work (Go to PA_Q062)
- 05 Household or family responsibilities
- 06 Inactive due to illness or disability
- 07 Travelling or on vacation (e.g. leisure activities)
- 08 Other - Specify (Go to PA_S060)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D066)

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PA_S060 During the 12 month period before you ^YAP4E in that apprenticeship program, what was your main activity, for example: working, looking for work, attending school or doing something else?
____(80 spaces)

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q060.

Default: (Go to PA_D066)

PA_Q061 **Was this work ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **related to the ^CUR_TRE trade?**
 - 2 **related to a trade other than the ^CUR_TRE trade?**
 - 3 **not related to any trade (e.g. retail sales)?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and were working.

Default: (Go to PA_D066)

PA_Q062 **During those 12 months, were you without work and looking for work for a period of six months or more in a row?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and were without work and looking for work.

Default: (Go to PA_D066)

PA_Q063 **Was this leading to obtaining ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **a diploma?**
 - 2 **a certificate?**
 - 3 **a licence?**
 - 4 **a degree?**
 - 5 **other - specify** (Go to PA_S063)
 - 6 none of the above
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and whose main activity before they registered in a trade was attending school.

Default: (Go to PA_Q064)

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PA_S063 Was this leading to obtaining ...

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q063.

PA_Q064 **What type of school was that?**

- 01 Elementary school
- 02 Secondary school
- 03 Public Trade school, technical institute
- 04 Private Trade school, technical institute
- 05 Community college, CÉGEP
- 06 University
- 07 Aboriginal Education Institution
- 08 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S064)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and whose main activity before they registered in a trade was attending school.

Default: (Go to PA_D066)

PA_S064 What type of school was that?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q064.

PA_D066 If SC_Q01 = 1 then ^PgmsE = "between your ^FIRST_TRE program and your current program?";
Else ^PgmsE = "between your ^FIRST_TRE program and your ^CUR_TRE program?".

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PA_Q066 Had you taken any of the following programs ^PgmsE

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **Apprenticeship exploratory program** (e.g. Women only = Women in Trades and Technology)
- 02 **Upgrading program in math or another subject** (e.g. math for trades)
- 03 **College trade program or CÉGEP** (e.g. carpentry program or Diploma of Collegial Studies (DEC))
- 04 **Private school program** (e.g. hairstyling)
- 05 **Diploma of Professional Studies (DEP) in Québec**
- 06 **Other trade related programs - Specify**..... (Go to PA_S066)
- 07 None of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_Q072)

PA_E066 You cannot select “None of the above” with another category. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 7 – “None of the above” was selected in combination with any other item in PA_Q066.

PA_S066 Have you taken any of the following programs ^PgmsE

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other trade related program(s) - Specify in PA_Q066.

PA_Q072 Did you move from a different province / territory or country during the 12 months before you started your ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

INTERVIEWER: “Move” refers to moving from your main residence.

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q074)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_D086)

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PA_Q074 From which province or territory did you move?

- 10 Newfoundland and Labrador
- 11 Prince Edward Island
- 12 Nova Scotia
- 13 New Brunswick
- 24 Quebec
- 35 Ontario
- 46 Manitoba
- 47 Saskatchewan
- 48 Alberta
- 59 British Columbia
- 60 Yukon
- 61 Northwest Territories
- 62 Nunavut
- 77 Outside Canada
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and have moved from a different province / country during the 12 months prior to start the apprenticeship program.*

PA_Q076 Did you move from that province / territory or country specifically to register in the ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q078)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and have moved from a different province / country during the 12 months prior to start the apprenticeship program.*

Default: (Go to PA_D086)

PA_Q078 Did you receive any help from an employer, union or other agency to facilitate this move?

INTERVIEWER: "Help" refers to any advice or financial aid.

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q080)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and have moved from a different province / country during the 12 months prior to start the apprenticeship program.*

Default: (Go to PA_D086)

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PA_Q080 What group or agency did you receive help from?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Employer
- 02 Employer association
- 03 Provincial government
- 04 Federal Government
- 05 Union
- 06 Joint training board
- 07 Aboriginal Human Resource Development Agreement (AHRDA)
- 08 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S080)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have moved from a different province / country during the 12 months prior to start the apprenticeship program and have received assistance from an employer or agency.

Default: (Go to PA_Q082)

PA_S080 What group or agency did you receive help from?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q080.

PA_Q082 What type of help did you receive? For example: financial, information, etc.?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Payment of expenses
- 2 Loan
- 3 Employment advice
- 4 Wages while at school
- 5 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S082)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have moved from a different province / country during the 12 months prior to start the apprenticeship program and have received assistance from an employer or agency.

Default: (Go to PA_D086)

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PA_S082 What type of help did you receive? For example: financial, information, etc.?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q082.

PA_D086 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP4E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP4E = "registered".

PA_Q086 **When you first ^YAP4E as an apprentice in the apprenticeship program,
what levels of education did you have?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply. Try to determine an equivalency for levels done outside Canada.

- 01 Elementary school
- 02 Some high school
- 03 Completed high school
- 04 Some training in other or same trade
- 05 Trade-vocational diploma or certificate (Diploma of professional studies (DEP) in Quebec)
- 06 Some college, CÉGEP, institute of technology or nursing school
- 07 Completed college, CÉGEP, institute of technology or nursing school
- 08 Some university
- 09 University certificate, diploma or degree
- 10 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S086)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_C087)

PA_S086 When you first ^YAP4E as an apprentice in the apprenticeship program, what levels of education did you have?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other – Specify in PA_Q086.

PA_C087 If PA_Q086 = 02 (Go to PA_Q087)
Else (Go to PA_D088)

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PA_Q087 **What was the highest grade in high school that you completed?**

INTERVIEWER: In Québec, Secondaire 3 to 5 equals Grade 9, 10, 11.

- 1 Grade 9 (Secondaire 3)
- 2 Grade 10 (Secondaire 4)
- 3 Grade 11 (Secondaire 5)
- 4 Grade 12
- 5 Grade 13 / OAC (Ontario Academic Credits)
- 6 GED (General Educational Development)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

PA_D088 If PA_Q086 = one response only then ^LevelE = "Was this level" and ^s = " ";
Else ^LevelE = "Were any of these levels" and ^s = "s".

PA_Q088 **^LevelE of education obtained outside Canada?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q089)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_Q090)

PA_Q089 **Which level^s would that be?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply. Try to determine an equivalency for levels done outside Canada.

- 01 Elementary school
- 02 Some high school
- 03 Completed high school
- 04 Some training in other or same trade
- 05 Trade-vocational diploma or certificate (Diploma of professional studies (DEP) in Québec)
- 06 Some college, CÉGEP, institute of technology or nursing school
- 07 Completed college, CÉGEP, institute of tech. or nursing school
- 08 Some university
- 09 University certificate, diploma or degree
- 10 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S089)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q090)

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PA_S089 Which level^s would that be?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q089.

PA_Q090 Was your interest in the ^CUR_TRE trade influenced by any of the following?

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to the respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **A high school or vocational course (e.g. shop classes)**
 - 02 **A knowledge of your trade gained through a previous job**
 - 03 **A high school work experience or co-op program**
 - 04 **Other tradespeople**
 - 05 **A hobby**
 - 06 **Advertising or media**
 - 07 **Other - specify** (Go to PA_S090)
 - 08 None of the above
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_Q091)

PA_E090 You cannot select "None of the above" with another category. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 8 – «none of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in PA_Q090.

PA_S090 Was your interest in the ^CUR_TRE trade influenced by any of the following?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q090.

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PA_Q091 Did any of the following people ever work in that trade?

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply.

- 1 **Parents (father, mother)**
- 2 **Other close relatives (brother, sister, spouse, aunt, uncle, etc.)**
- 3 **Friends**
- 4 **Co-workers before apprenticeship**
- 5 None of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

PA_E091 You cannot select "None of the above" with another category. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 5 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in PA_Q091.

PA_Q092 Why did you decide to register in this current apprenticeship program?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Was interested in the trade (or that line of work)
- 02 Expected good pay
- 03 Expected steady job
- 04 Already had a job in the trade
- 05 Employer suggested it
- 06 Needed a job
- 07 Required by law
- 08 Union benefits
- 09 Hoped to own a business
- 10 Other - Specify..... (Go to PA_S092)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_C033)

PA_S092 Why did you decide to register in this current apprenticeship program?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q92.

PA_D093 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP4E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP4E = "registered".

PA_C093 If PA_Q026 = 1 or PA_Q061 = 1(Go to PA_R094)
Else.....(Go to PA_Q093)

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PA_Q093 **Before you ^YAP4E as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE, did you do work related to this trade at anytime?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q094)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_Q095)

PA_R094 **You have indicated that before you ^YAP4E as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE, you had already been doing work related to the trade.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

PA_Q094 **Was any of this work done outside Canada?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and did some work related to this trade.*

PA_Q095 **Did you take any technical training in the trade before you ^YAP4E as an apprentice? (Includes high school, trade or vocational school, community college, CÉGEP, etc.)**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q096)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_D097)

PA_Q096 **Was any of this technical training done outside Canada?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and took technical training in the trade before registering in the program.*

PA_D097 If FR_PROV = 24 and ((PA_Q002 = 1, 2, 3) or (PA_Q031 = 3, 4, 5, 6)) then
^QueE = "for example the technical program of a CÉGEP (DEC) or the professional program (DEP)";
Else ^QueE = "for example a college program".

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PA_Q097 **When registering to an apprenticeship program, government authority evaluates prior work and technical training of an apprentice. They may give the apprentice credit for some of that work and technical training. When you registered, was any of your prior work or technical training evaluated, ^QueE?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

PA_C100A If PA_Q097 = 2(Go to PA_Q108)
 Else If PA_Q097 = RF, DK(Go to PA_D109)
 Else(Go to PA_C100B)

PA_C100B If PA_Q094 = 1 or PA_Q096 = 1(Go to PA_Q100)
 Else.....(Go to PA_Q101)

PA_Q100 **What was evaluated?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Foreign credentials, other certificates, diplomas or degrees
- 02 Foreign work related to the trade
- 03 Foreign prior work not trade-related
- 04 General or trade-related courses or programs you took in another country (e.g. some training in the same or other trade)
- 05 Canadian credentials, other certificates, diplomas or degrees
- 06 Work in Canada related to the trade
- 07 Work in Canada not related to the trade
- 08 General or trade-related courses or programs you took in Canada (e.g. some training in the same or other trade)
- 09 Other - Specify (Go to PA_S100)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and received foreign training.*

Default: (Go to PA_Q101)

PA_S100 What was evaluated?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q100.*

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PA_Q101 Did this evaluation give you credit for any hours of work?

1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q102)
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_Q103)

PA_Q102 How many hours?

_____ hour(s) (5 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 99000.

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA whose assessment did reduce the number of hours of work experience.

PA_Q103 Did the evaluation give you credit for a portion of your technical training?

1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q104)
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to PA_C106)

PA_Q104 What percentage?

INTERVIEWER: Read only categories in black to the respondent.

- 01 Less than 25%
- 02 **25%**
- 03 26% to 49%
- 04 **50%**
- 05 51% to 74%
- 06 **75%**
- 07 76% to 99%
- 08 **100%**
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA whose assessment did reduce the number of hours of technical training.

PA_C106 If (PA_Q94 = 1 or PA_Q96 = 1) AND
(PA_Q100 ne 1 or 2 or 3 or 4).....(Go to PA_Q106)
Else if (PA_Q94 = 1 or PA_Q96 = 1) AND
(PA_Q100 = 1 or 2 or 3 or 4).....(Go to PA_Q107)
Else.....(Go to PA_D109)

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PA_Q106 **You have indicated that some of your academic credentials and/or trade related experience was gained outside Canada, though it was not evaluated. What is the main reason that your foreign experience was not evaluated?**

- 01 Was unaware of the evaluation process
- 02 Seemed too long between experience and registration
- 03 Seemed not closely related
- 04 Seemed not very much to evaluate
- 05 Unable to get proof of the work or technical training
- 06 Provincial authority unfamiliar with the foreign credentials
- 07 Other - specify (Go to PA_S106)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA whose foreign experience was not evaluated.

Default (Go to PA_D109)

PA_S106 **What is the main reason that your foreign experience was not evaluated?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q106.

Default (Go to PA_D109)

PA_Q107 **You have indicated that some of your academic credentials and/or trade related experience (that was gained outside Canada) has been evaluated. Do you feel that you have received an appropriate level of credit for this experience toward your ^CUR_TRE program?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA whose foreign experience was evaluated.

Default (Go to PA_D109)

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PA_Q108 **What would be the main reason why your previous education, training or work were not evaluated?**

01 Was unaware of the evaluation process
02 Seemed too long between experience and registration
03 Seemed not closely related
04 Seemed not very much to evaluate
05 Unable to get proof of the work or technical training
06 Other - specify (Go to PA_S108)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA whose previous education, training or work was not evaluated.*

Default (Go to PA_D109)

PA_S108 **What would be the main reason why your previous education, training or work were not evaluated?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q108.*

PA_D109 If SC_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP4E = "began regular work";
Else ^YAP4E = "registered".

PA_Q109 **When you ^YAP4E as an apprentice in the ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program, were you a member of a union related to your trade?**

1 Yes.....(Go to PA_Q110)
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default (Go to PA_END)

PA_Q110 **What type of union was this?**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark one only.

1 **Construction**
2 **Industrial**
3 **Public service**
4 **Other - specify** (Go to PA_S110)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and are a member of a union.*

Default: (Go to PA_END)

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PA_S110 What type of union was this?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in PA_Q110.

PA_END End of Module PA.

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Section:	Technical Training (TT)
TT_STR	Start of Module TT
TT_BEG	<p>This module requires the following variables: CUR_TRE (Derived variable created at SC1_D20A, Response) FR_PROV (Sample file, Response) SC1_Q04 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty) SC2_Q31 (1, 2) SC2_Q33 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty) SC2_Q40 (1, 2, Empty) SC2_Q42 (1, 2, Empty) PA1_Q002 (1, 2, 3, 4, RF, DK, Empty) PA4_Q031 (01, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, 07, RF, DK, Empty) SEX_Q01 (Module SC1, 1, 2)</p>
TT_R05	<p>This section is about technical training that you may have done after you began your apprenticeship on a full-time basis. Any technical training which is required by a specific employer and is not part of apprenticeship training must be excluded.</p> <p><u>INTERVIEWER:</u> An example is an auto service technician being sent by the employer on technical training related specifically to their cars.</p> <p>Press <1> to continue.</p>
TT_D05A	If SC1_Q04 = 1 or FR_PROV = 24 then ^YAP6E = "beginning regular work"; Else ^YAP6E = "first registering".
TT_D05B	If SC2_Q31 = 1 then ^TakeE = "have you taken"; Else ^TakeE = "did you take".
TT_Q05	<p>After ^YAP6E in your ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program, ^TakeE any technical training related to the program?</p> <p><u>INTERVIEWER:</u> For the province of Quebec, we refer here to technical training other than the diploma of professional studies or DEP. The DEP is usually done prior to registering to the apprenticeship program.</p>
1	Yes..... (Go to TT_Q06)
2	No..... (Go to TT_C13)
	RF, DK
Coverage:	All respondents who are (were) RA.
Default:	(Go to TT_END)

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TT_Q06 How was your technical training scheduled or taken?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply. Examples provided are guidelines only.

- 1 Block release (long e.g. 3 weeks or longer per year)
- 2 Block release (short e.g. 1 or 2 weeks per year)
- 3 Day release (e.g. some per week)
- 4 Self-paced / weekends / evenings
- 5 Other - Specify.....(Go to TT_S06)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have done technical training.

Default: (Go to TT_D07)

TT_S06 How was your technical training scheduled or taken?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in TT_Q06.

TT_D07 If SC2_Q31 = 1 then ^TakenE = "Have you taken";
Else ^TakenE = "Did you take".

**TT_Q07 ^TakenE any technical training by way of distance education, for example
by using the internet or correspondence, etc.?**

INTERVIEWER: Distance education simply means that the respondent is not physically attending classes in front of an instructor. The computer that the student is using to access on-line educational tools can be in the same area.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to TT_Q08)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to TT_C13)

**TT_Q08 Why did you take some of your technical training by way of distance
education?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Learning on my own is better suited to my learning style
- 2 Reduced interruption to work / Busy working
- 3 Reduced lost income / Reduced financial burden
- 4 Transportation / Distance to get to school or training centre is too far
- 5 It was the only option available
- 6 Other - Specify.....(Go to TT_S08)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have done technical training as distance education.

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Default (Go to TT_Q09)

TT_S08 Why did you take some of your technical training by way of distance education?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in TT_Q08.

TT_Q09 **Do you feel that distance education is a good way for you to learn the technical information required for your trade?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have done technical training as distance education.

TT_C13 If (PA1_Q002 = 1) or (PA4_Q031 = 5) (Go to TT_R21)
 Else if (TT_Q05 = 1) AND
 ((SC2_Q31 = 1) or (SC2_Q40 = 2, RF, DK, or
 (SC2_Q42 = 2, RF, DK)) (Go to TT_Q13)
 Else if (TT_Q05 = 1) AND
 ((SC2_Q40 = 1) or (SC2_Q42 = 1)) (Go to TT_Q21)
 Else (Go to TT_END)

TT_Q13 **Since registering, what proportion of the technical training have you completed?**

INTERVIEWER: Read only the categories in bold to the respondent. Only include the proportion of technical training done since registering as an apprentice. Exclude any percentage of technical training that got credited.

- 01 Less than 25%
- 02 **25%**
- 03 26% to 49%
- 04 **50%**
- 05 51% to 74%
- 06 **75%**
- 07 76% to 99%
- 08 **100%**
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (continuers or discontinuers) and taken technical training.

Default (Go to TT_Q21)

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TT_R21 **For the remainder of this section, please refer to your Diploma of Professional Studies (DEP) as being your technical training.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

TT_Q21 **From what type of school was most of your technical training taken?**

- 01 Secondary or High School
- 02 Private institution
- 03 Trade school, vocational centre
- 04 Community college, technical institute, CÉGEP
- 05 University
- 06 Union training center
- 07 Other - specify (Go to TT_S21)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.*

Default (Go to TT_Q22)

TT_S21 **From what type of school was most of your technical training taken?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: *Disable Don't know and Refusal.*

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - specify in TT_Q21.*

TT_Q22 **During your periods of technical training, what were your main sources of funds for paying your day to day expenses?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Employment income
- 2 Employment insurance payments
- 3 Personal savings
- 4 Other family income (e.g. spouse)
- 5 Loan from a financial institution
- 6 Loan from family (not in household) or friend
- 7 Other - specify (Go to TT_S22)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.*

Default (Go to TT_Q24)

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TT_S22 During your periods of technical training, what were your main sources of funds for paying your day to day expenses?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in TT_Q22.

TT_Q24 **How would you rate your technical training in terms of providing up-to-date equipment or technology? Was it ...**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to the respondent and mark one only

- 1** excellent?
- 2** good?
- 3** fair?
- 4** poor?
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

TT_D25 If SC2_Q31 = 1 then ^HaveE = "have";
Else ^HaveE = "had".

TT_Q25 **Could you tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements:**

... I sometimes ^HaveE difficulties understanding written material given in class or provided on-line.

- 1** Strongly agree
- 2** Agree
- 3** Disagree
- 4** Strongly disagree
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

TT_D26 If SC2_Q31 = 1 then ^GoesE = "goes" and ^GetE = "get";
Else ^GoesE = "went" and ^GetE = "got".

TT_Q26 **Could you tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements:**

... the instructor ^GoesE too fast and I often ^GetE lost.

- 1** Strongly agree
- 2** Agree
- 3** Disagree
- 4** Strongly disagree
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

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TT_D27 If SC2_Q31 = 1 then ^FindE = "find";
Else ^FindE = "found".

TT_Q27 Could you tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree with the following statements:

... in general, I ^FindE the technical training difficult.

- 1 Strongly agree
 - 2 Agree
 - 3 Disagree
 - 4 Strongly disagree
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

TT_C28 If (SC2_Q40 = 2, RF, DK) or (SC2_Q42 = 2, RF, DK).....(Go to TT_D28)
Else.....(Go to TT_C35)

TT_D28 If SC2_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE journeyman certificate exam";
Else if SC2_Q33 = 1 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE certificate of qualification exam";
Else ^Write1E = "apply for your certification as a (an) ^CUR_TRE".

TT_Q28 **Do you have credit for all the technical training required to ^Write1E?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and taken technical training.

TT_C35 If (PA1_Q002=1 or (FA4_Q031=5) or (TT_Q05 =1).....(Go to TT_Q35)
Else.....(Go to TT_END)

TT_Q35 **Did you learn things during your technical training that you would not have learned on the job?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to TT_Q37)
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

Default: (Go to TT_Q39)

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TT_Q37 **Did this knowledge help you to do a better job at your work?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

TT_Q39 **Did your employer give you opportunities to apply the knowledge gained from your technical training?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and taken technical training.

TT_END End of Module TT.

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Section: Work Experience (WE)

WE_STR Start of Module WE

WE_BEG **This module requires the following variables:**
CUR_TRE (Derived variable created at SC_D20A, Response)
FR_PROV (Sample file, Response)
SC_Q31 (1, 2)
SC_Q33 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty)
SC_Q40 (1, 2, Empty)
SC_Q42 (1, 2, Empty)
PA_Q101 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty)
SEX_Q01 (Module SC, 1, 2)

WE_R06 **We will now ask questions about your work as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

WE_C06 If SC_Q40 = 1 or SC_Q42 = 1(Go to WE_C08)
Else.....(Go to WE_D06)

WE_D06 If PA_Q101 = 1 then ^CreditE = "excluding the hours you were credited for at registration".
Else ^CreditE = " ".

WE_Q06 **During your apprenticeship, about how many hours of work in the trade have you completed ^CreditE?**

_____ hour(s) (5 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 15000.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_E06 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger solved if WE_Q06 > 10000.

WE_C08 If WE_Q06 = 0(Go to WE_END)
Else.....(Go to WE_Q08)

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WE_Q08 **With how many different employers were you apprenticed during the total length of your program?**

INTERVIEWER: Please do not count the changes of work site as a change of employer. Also, do not count employers where the work was not as an apprentice (e.g. casual work when not able to find work as an apprentice). If the respondent has difficulty answering the question, probe for the number of T4 tax slips received.

____ employer(s) (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 30.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_E08 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if WE_Q08 > 10.

WE_C10 If WE_Q08 = 1..... (Go to WE_C11)
Else(Go to WE_Q10)

WE_Q10 **Thinking of the most recent time you changed employers during your apprenticeship program, what was the main reason for this change?**

- 01 End of work on project
 - 02 Work no longer available with that employer
 - 03 Sought employer offering more diverse training opportunities
 - 04 Seeking better trainer
 - 05 Seeking better employer
 - 06 Seeking better working conditions
 - 07 Family obligations / Could not move
 - 08 Too far to travel each day
 - 09 Employer could not keep as many apprentices
 - 10 Other - Specify..... (Go to WE_S10)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to WE_C11)

WE_S10 Thinking of the most recent time you changed employers during your apprenticeship program, what was the main reason for this change?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in WE_Q10.

WE_C11 If SC_Q31 = 1(Go to WE_Q11)
Else.....(Go to WE_C24A)

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WE_Q11 **Now I have some questions about your activities last week. Last week, were you enrolled in any credit courses at an educational or training institution?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q12)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers).*

Default: (Go to WE_Q13)

WE_Q12 **Were you enrolled full-time or part-time?**

INTERVIEWER: Full-time or part-time status of a student is defined by the institution and is not standard from one institution to another.

- 1 Full-time
- 2 Part-time
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers) and were enrolled in any credit courses last week.*

WE_Q13 **Last week, did you work at a job or a business?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q16)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers).*

Default: (Go to WE_Q14)

WE_Q14 **Last week, did you have a job or business at which you did not work?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q15)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers) and were not working at a job or business last week.*

Default: (Go to WE_Q17)

WE_Q15 **Were you absent from work because of a temporary layoff?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers) and had a job last week at which they did not work.*

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WE_Q16 Did you have more than one employer or business last week?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers) with a job last week.

Default: (Go to WE_END)

WE_Q17 Last week, did you have a job to start at a definite date in the future?

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q18)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers) and were not working at a job or business last week.

Default: (Go to WE_Q20)

WE_Q18 Will you usually work 30 or more hours per week at that job?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No(Go to WE_Q19)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers) and had a job to start at in the future.

Default: (Go to WE_END)

WE_Q19 What is the main reason you will usually work less than 30 hours per week?

- 01 Own illness or disability
- 02 Caring for own children, maternity leave, pregnancy
- 03 Caring for elder relative (60 years of age or older)
- 04 Other personal or family responsibilities
- 05 Going to school
- 06 Could not find work with 30 or more hours per week
- 07 Personal preference
- 08 Other - Specify..... (Go to WE_S19)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers) and have a job to start at in the future and who will work less than 30 hours per week.

Default: (Go to WE_END)

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WE_S19 What is the main reason you will usually work less than 30 hours per week?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in WE_Q19.

Default: (Go to WE_END)

WE_Q20 **Last week, were you looking for a job?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q21)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers) and did not have a job to start at in the future.

Default: (Go to WE_END)

WE_Q21 **Were you looking for a job at which you would usually work 30 or more hours per week?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers), and did not have a job to start at in the future and who were looking for a job last week.

WE_C24A If WE_Q06 = 0(Go to WE_END)
Else.....(Go to WE_C24B)

WE_C24B If SC_Q01 = 1(Go to WE_C24C)
Else.....(Go to WE_D26)

WE_C24C If WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14 = 1 and WE_Q15 = 1)(Go to WE_Q24)
Else.....(Go to WE_D26)

WE_Q24 **Are you currently working with an employer as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE?**

INTERVIEWER: Indicate YES if they are temporarily away from a permanent job, such as doing a module of technical training.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK..... (Go to WE_END)

Coverage: Respondents who are RA (Continuers) and worked last week .

WE_D26 If WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14 = 1 and WE_Q15 = 1) then ^InE = "In your current" and ^DoE = "do";
Else ^InE = "In your last" and ^DoE = "did".

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WE_Q26 **^InE job as an apprentice ^CUR_TRE, for whom ^DoE you work?**

INTERVIEWER: Name of business, government department or agency, or person.

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_D28 If WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14 = 1 and WE_Q15 = 1) then ^IsE = "is";
Else ^IsE = "was".

WE_Q28 **What kind of business, industry or service ^IsE this?**

INTERVIEWER: Get a full description (e.g., auto dealership, manufacturing, restaurant).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_Q30 **What kind of work ^DoE you do?**

INTERVIEWER: Get a full description (e.g., mechanic, machinist, cook).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_D32 If WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14 = 1 and WE_Q15 = 1) then ^AreE = "are";
Else ^AreE = "were".

WE_Q32 **In this work, what ^AreE your most important activities or duties?**

INTERVIEWER: Get a full description (e.g., wheel alignments, fixing broken machines, preparing meals).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

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WE_D33 If FR_PROV = 48 and (WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14=1 and WE_Q15=1)) then ^DiddE = "do" and ^WereE = "are" and ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
Else if FR_PROV ne 48 and (WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14=1 and WE_Q15=1)) then ^DiddE = "do" and ^WereE = "are" and ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification";
Else if FR_PROV = 48 then ^DiddE = "did" and ^WereE = "were" and ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
Else ^DiddE = "did" and ^WereE = "were" and ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

WE_Q33 In this work, ^DiddE you feel that you ^WereE doing a sufficient variety of tasks to prepare you well for the ^Cert1E exam?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_Q34 In what province or territory ^IsE this job located?

- 10 Newfoundland and Labrador
- 11 Prince Edward Island
- 12 Nova Scotia
- 13 New Brunswick
- 24 Quebec
- 35 Ontario
- 46 Manitoba
- 47 Saskatchewan
- 48 Alberta
- 59 British Columbia
- 60 Yukon
- 61 Northwest Territories
- 62 Nunavut
- 77 Outside Canada
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_D38 If WE_Q13 = 1 or (WE_Q14 = 1 and WE_Q15 = 1) then ^GetE = "get";
Else ^GetE = "got".

WE_Q38 About how many persons ^AreE employed by this company at the location where you ^GetE your work experience?

- 1 Less than 20
- 2 20 to 99
- 3 100 to 499
- 4 500 to 999
- 5 1000 or over
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

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WE_Q40 Does the company operate out of more than one establishment (office, branch, subsidiary)?

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_C42)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

Default (Go to WE_C48)

WE_C42 If WE_Q38 = 5.....(Go to WE_C48)
Else.....(Go to WE_Q42)

WE_Q42 In total, about how many persons ^AreE employed by this company at all locations?

- 1 Less than 20
- 2 20 to 99
- 3 100 to 499
- 4 500 to 999
- 5 1000 and over
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and worked last week.

WE_C48 If SC_Q40=2,RF,DK or SC_Q42=2,RF,DK.....(Go to WE_D48)
Else.....(Go to WE_Q50)

WE_D48 If SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE journeyman certificate exam";
Else if SC_Q33 = 1 and FR_PROV ne 48 then ^Write1E = "write the ^CUR_TRE certificate of qualification exam";
Else ^Write1E = "apply for your certification as a (an) ^CUR_TRE".

WE_Q48 Before discontinuing the apprenticeship program, had you accumulated sufficient hours of work to be able to ^Write1E?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers).

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WE_Q50 **Excluding lay-offs, have you ever taken a temporary absence from your apprenticeship program?**

INTERVIEWER: This does not refer to when they quit the apprenticeship program but only to temporary absences (e.g. parental leave, illness, discrimination).

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q52)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

Default (Go to WE_D60)

WE_Q52 **Thinking of the most recent time this happened, what was the reason(s) for the interruption in your apprenticeship?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Family responsibilities
- 2 Maternity or parental leave
- 3 Harassment or discrimination
- 4 Non-work related illness, disability or accident
- 5 Work related illness, disability or accident
- 6 Other - Specify..... (Go to WE_S52)
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and needed or decided to stop working for some reason(s).

Default: (Go to WE_D60)

WE_S52 Thinking of the most recent time this happened, what was the reason(s) for the interruption in your apprenticeship?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____ (30 spaces)

Note: Dis. ble Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in WE_Q52.

WE_D60 If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^ArewereE = "have you been";
Else ^ArewereE = "were you".

WE_Q60 **During your apprenticeship, in how many provinces ^ArewereE registered?**

INTERVIEWER: If the response is more than 4 provinces, please enter 4.

_____ (1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 4.

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Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_C61 If WE_Q60 = 1.....(Go to WE_Q61)
Else(Go to WE_Q64)

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_Q61 **Have you ever done work as an apprentice outside the province?**

- 1 Yes.....(Go to WE_Q62)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and were registered in one province only.

Default: (Go to WE_Q70)

WE_Q62 **What was the main reason you worked outside the province?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.

- 1 **Job took me there**
- 2 **Work shortage at home**
- 3 **Better pay or working conditions**
- 4 **Other reason – Specify** (Go to WE_S62)
RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and were registered in one province only and have done work outside the province.

Default: (Go to WE_Q63)

WE_S62 What was the main reason you worked outside the province?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____ (60 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other reason - Specify in WE_Q62.

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- WE_Q63** **Did you get credit toward your apprenticeship for the hours that you worked in the other province?**
- 1 Yes
2 No
 RF, DK
- Coverage: *Respondents who are (were) RA and were registered in one province only and have done work outside the province.*
- Default: (Go to WE_Q70)
- WE_Q64** **Think of the most recent time you shifted your registration as an apprentice from one province to another. Was the main reason for the move...**
- INTERVIEWER:** Read the categories to the respondent and mark one only.
- 1 **related to the work?**
2 **not related to the work?**
3 **another reason? Specify** (Go to WE_S64)
 RF, DK
- Coverage: *Respondents who are (were) RA and were registered in more than one province.*
- Default: (Go to WE_Q65)
- WE_S64** Think of the most recent time you shifted your registration as an apprentice from one province to another. Was the main reason for the move...
- INTERVIEWER:** Specify
- _____ (80 spaces)
- Note: Disable Don't know and Refused.
- Coverage: *Respondents who answered Another reason - Specify in WE_Q64.*
- WE_Q65** **Were you able to transfer your hours and credits for technical training to the province into which you were moving?**
- 1 Yes
2 No
 RF, DK
- Coverage: *Respondents who are (were) RA and were registered in more than one province.*
- WE_Q70** **Did you have at least one journey person supervising you at all times during your apprenticeship?**
- 1 Yes
2 No (Go to WE_Q71)
 RF, DK
- Coverage: *Respondents who are (were) RA.*
- Default (Go to WE_D75)

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WE_Q71 **What would have been the longest duration, in weeks, that you did not have at least one journeyman supervising you?**

INTERVIEWER: If the answer is 4 days or less, please enter 0.

____ week(s) (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 30.

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA and were supervised by someone other than a journeyman.

WE_E71 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if WE_Q71 > 10.

WE_D75 If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^LearnedE = "are learning" and ^WorkedE = "are working" and ^WereareE = "are" and ^GoesE = "goes" and ^GetE = "get";
Else ^LearnedE = "learned" and ^WorkedE = "worked" and ^WereareE = "were" and ^GoesE = "went" and ^GetE = "got".

WE_R75 **Think about what you ^LearnedE during the time you ^WorkedE as an apprentice and how you ^WereareE supervised.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue

WE_Q75 **Could you tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree with the following statements.**

... The supervisor or journeyman ^GoesE too fast when explaining new duties and I often ^GetE lost.

- 1 Strongly agree
 - 2 Agree
 - 3 Disagree
 - 4 Strongly disagree
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_D76 If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^FindE = "find";
Else ^FindE = "found".

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WE_Q76 Could you tell me whether you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree with the following statements.

... In general, I find the work as an apprentice to be difficult.

- 1 Strongly agree
 - 2 Agree
 - 3 Disagree
 - 4 Strongly disagree
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_Q77 **During your apprenticeship, did you make use of an apprentice record book or apprenticeship booklet?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: Respondents who are (were) RA.

WE_END End of Module WE.

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Section: Challenges (CH)

CH_STR Start of Module CH

CH_BEG **This module requires the following variables:**
CUR_TRE (Derived variable created at SC_D20A, Response)
SC_Q31 (1, 2)
SC_Q40 (1, 2, Empty)
SC_Q42 (1, 2, Empty)

CH_D01 If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^MayE = “are having or may have had” and ^HaveE = “are receiving or have received”;
 Else ^MayE = “may have had” and ^HaveE = “have received”.

CH_R01 **We will now discuss the difficulties you ^MayE in continuing your apprenticeship and the help you ^HaveE.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

CH_Q02 **Did you encounter any of the following obstacles during your apprenticeship?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **Insufficient income or delays in funding (Employment Insurance (EI) payments and training allowances)**
- 02 **Problems with co-workers, sexual harassment or discrimination**
- 03 **Working condition (e.g. too physically demanding, the cold, heights, claustrophobia)**
- 04 **Technical training**
- 05 **Inconsistent work or lack of work**
- 06 **Lack of awareness of how the apprenticeship system works**
- 07 **Employers not following the rules**
- 08 **Transportation**
- 09 **The cost of tools**
- 09 **Other problems**
- 10 Family problems
- 11 Injury
- 12 Other - Specify.....(Go to CH_S02)
- 13 None of the above
- RF DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA and have encountered challenges.

Default: (Go to CH_Q04)

CH_E02 **You cannot select “None of the above” with another category. Please return and correct.**

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 13 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in CH_Q02.

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CH_S02 Did you encounter any of the following obstacles during your apprenticeship?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in CH_Q02.

CH_Q04 Excluding training allowances and Employment Insurance (EI) payments, did you get any of the following help?

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **Wages or other financial assistance during technical training sessions**
- 02 **Wages above legally stipulated minimum for apprentices**
- 03 **Housing / accommodation**
- 04 **Daycare**
- 05 **Transportation**
- 06 **Other assistance measures**
- 06 Employer, joint board or union provided special anti-harassment or workplace orientation programs
- 07 Programs offered by Community based organizations, Aboriginal Human Resource Development Agreement, Band Councils or other support groups (e.g. Women in Trades and Technology)
- 08 Employee assistance with harassment
- 09 Employment assistance with math / reading upgrading
- 10 Construction industry training fund
- 11 Other - Specify.....(Go to CH_S04)
- 12 None of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to CH_C05).

CH_E04 You cannot select "None of the above" with another category. Please return and correct.

Note : Trigger hard edit if item 12 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in CH_Q04.

CH_S04 Excluding training allowances and Employment Insurance (EI) payments, did you get any of the following help?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in CH_Q04.

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CH_C05 If SC_Q40 = 2, RF, DK or SC_Q42 = 2, RF, DK (Go to CH_Q05)
Else.....(Go to CH_END)

CH_Q05 Can you tell me what was the main reason you did not complete your
^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent. If respondent gives more than one reason, ask for the main reason. It is understood that the respondent may have discontinued apprenticeship due to one or more obstacles or for some other reason.

- 01 **Not enough work or insufficient income**..... (Go to CH_Q06A)
- 02 **Received an offer of a better job**..... (Go to CH_Q07A)
- 03 **Disliked the work**..... (Go to CH_Q08A)
- 04 **Disliked or had difficulty with the technical training** (Go to CH_Q09A)
- 05 **No certification required to work in the trade**
- 06 **Temporary job, had no intent to become certified**
- 07 **Moved for reason unrelated to apprenticeship** (Go to CH_Q12)
- 08 **Illness, disability or medical reasons**..... (Go to CH_Q13)
- 09 **Returned to school, not related to trade**..... (Go to CH_Q14)
- 10 **Harassment or discrimination**
- 11 **Family issues (e.g. caring for family, divorce, separation)**
- 12 **Insufficient government financial assistance**..... (Go to CH_Q16A)
- 13 **Cost of tools**
- 14 **Other reason - Specify** (Go to CH_S05)
- 15 None of the above
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were, or) (disc, ntinuers).

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_S05 Can you tell me what was the main reason you did not complete your
^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other reason - Specify in CH_Q05.

Default: (Go to CH_END)

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CH_Q06A In an effort to continue your apprenticeship, did you actively look for work beyond your local area at the time?

INTERVIEWER: Local area is defined as a geographical area within which someone could commute to work on a daily basis.

- 1 Yes.....(Go to CH_Q06D)
 - 2 No(Go to CH_Q06B)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Not enough work".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q06B What was the main reason you did not look for work beyond your local area?

- 1 Was not prepared to move due to family reasons
 - 2 Was not prepared to move since not financially worthwhile
 - 3 I did not realize I could work in another region
 - 4 I did not realize that I could work in another province
 - 5 Did not have the up front money to move
 - 6 Other - Specify..... (Go to CH_S06B)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are(were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Not enough work".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_S06B What was the main reason you did not look for work beyond your local area?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other reason - Specify in CH_Q06B.*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q06E Were you successful in finding any work outside your local area?

- 1 Yes.....(Go to CH_Q06E)
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Not enough work".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

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CH_Q06E **For what reason did you not take advantage of this work in an effort to continue your apprenticeship?**

1 Realized that it was not financially worthwhile
2 Found other job locally
3 Other - Specify..... (Go to CH_S06E)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Not enough work".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_S06E **For what reason did you not take advantage of this work in an effort to continue your apprenticeship?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in CH_Q06E.*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q07A **Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program for the other job?**

... **Better wages or income**

1 Very important
2 Somewhat important
3 Not very important
4 Not at all important
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Received offer of better job".*

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CH_Q07B Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program for the other job?

... More hours of work

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Received offer of better job".*

CH_Q07C Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program for the other job?

... Better career opportunities

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Received offer of better job".*

CH_Q07D Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program for the other job?

... More interesting work

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Received offer of better job".*

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CH_Q07E Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program for the other job?

... Better working conditions

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Received offer of better job".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q08A Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Did not like the trade

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

CH_Q08B Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Did not like the employer and could not find another apprenticeship employer

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

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Questionnaire**

CH_Q08C Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Poor on-site conditions

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

CH_Q08D Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Work was too hard physically

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

CH_Q08E Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Took too long to become a journeyperson

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

CH_Q08F Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Unhappy with the quality of the work experience as an apprentice

- 1 Very important(Go to CH_Q08G)
 - 2 Somewhat important.....(Go to CH_Q08G)
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Did not like job".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

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CH_Q08G **How important were the following in relation to your dissatisfaction with the quality of the work experience as an apprentice?**

... Too much non-trade work

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent.

- 1 **Very important**
 - 2 **Somewhat important**
 - 3 **Not very important**
 - 4 **Not at all important**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked work experience as an apprentice".*

CH_Q08H **How important were the following in relation to your dissatisfaction with the quality of the work experience as an apprentice?**

... Insufficient supervision

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked work experience as an apprentice".*

CH_Q08I **How important were the following in relation to your dissatisfaction with the quality of the work experience as an apprentice?**

... Not enough exposure to overall trade training

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked work experience as an apprentice".*

CH_Q08J **How important were the following in relation to your dissatisfaction with the quality of the work experience as an apprentice?**

... Work was too physically demanding

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

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Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked work experience as an apprentice".

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q09A Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Poor teaching in the classroom

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked technical training".

CH_Q09B Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Insufficient or old equipment

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked technical training".

CH_Q09C Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Too hard, had difficult time learning or did not like school

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked technical training".

CH_Q09D Were the following factors very important, somewhat important, not very important or not at all important to leaving the program?

... Content of the program was not satisfactory

- 1 Very important (Go to CH_Q09E)
 - 2 Somewhat important..... (Go to CH_Q09E)
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

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Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Disliked technical training".

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q09E How important were the following in considering that the content of the program was not satisfactory?

... It was out of date

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent.

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Content of program was unsatisfactory".

CH_Q09F How important were the following in considering that the content of the program was not satisfactory?

... It was not relevant to my work

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Content of program was unsatisfactory".

CH_Q09G How important were the following in considering that the content of the program was not satisfactory?

... It was too theoretical

- 1 Very important
 - 2 Somewhat important
 - 3 Not very important
 - 4 Not at all important
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Content of program was unsatisfactory".

Default: (Go to CH_END)

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CH_Q12 Did you move within the same province or territory?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Moved for reasons unrelated to the trade".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q13 Were you injured on the job?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Illness, disability or medical".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q14 For what reason did you return to school?

- 1 To undertake an apprenticeship in another trade
- 2 To complete high school
- 3 To begin or continue with college or university
- 4 Other - Specify.....(Go to CH_S14)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Returned to school unrelated to trade".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_S14 For what reason did you return to school?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in CH_Q14.*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

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CH_Q16A **How important was this lack of financial assistance to leaving the program?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent.

- 1 **Very important** (Go to CH_Q16B)
- 2 **Somewhat important** (Go to CH_Q16B)
- 3 **Not very important**
- 4 **Not at all important**
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Insufficient government financial assistance".*

Default: (Go to CH_END)

CH_Q16B **How important were the following in considering the income support inadequate?**

... Employment Insurance (EI) benefits were too low or could not obtain other support

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent.

- 1 **Very important**
- 2 **Somewhat important**
- 3 **Not very important**
- 4 **Not at all important**
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Income support was inadequate".*

CH_Q16C **How important were the following in considering the income support inadequate?**

... Employment Insurance (EI) benefits arrived later than expected

- 1 **Very important**
- 2 **Somewhat important**
- 3 **Not very important**
- 4 **Not at all important**
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Income support was inadequate".*

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CH_Q16D How important were the following in considering the income support inadequate?

... The travel allowances were too low or unobtainable

- 1 Very important
- 2 Somewhat important
- 3 Not very important
- 4 Not at all important
- 5 Not applicable
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Income support was inadequate".*

CH_Q16E How important were the following in considering the income support inadequate?

...The child care allowance was too low or unobtainable

- 1 Very important
- 2 Somewhat important
- 3 Not very important
- 4 Not at all important
- 5 Not applicable
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (discontinuers) and whose main reason for not completing was "Income support was inadequate".*

CH_END End of Module CH.

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Section: **Certification (CR)**

CR_STR Start of Module CR

CR_BEG **This module requires the following variables:**
CUR_TRE (Derived variable created at SC_D20A, Response)
FR_PROV (Sample file, Response)
SC_Q31 (1, 2)
SC_Q33 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty)
SC_Q36 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty)
SC_Q39 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty)
SC_Q40 (1, 2, Empty)
SEX_Q01 (Module SC, 1, 2)

CR_C001 If SC_Q31 = 1 and SC_Q36 = 2, RF, DK(Go to CR_END)
Else if SC_Q33 = 1(Go to CR_R001)
Else(Go to CR_C701)

CR_R001 **We will now discuss your involvement in the apprenticeship certification process.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

CR_C004 If SC_Q39 =1 (Go to CR_Q100)
Else(Go to CR_D004)

CR_D004 If FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
Else ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

CR_Q004 **Have you attempted the Certificate exam?**

 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q007)
 2 No(Go to CR_D023)
 RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements).

Default: (Go to CR_C701)

CR_Q007 **How many times have you attempted the exam?**

 ____ (2 spaces)

 RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 10.

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam.

CR_E007 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if CR_Q007 > 3.

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CR_D013 If CR_Q007 = 1 then ^S1E = " ";
Else ^S1E = "s".

CR_Q013 Did you receive any feedback after your attempt^S1E?

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam unsuccessfully.*

CR_D023 If CR_Q004 = 1 then ^Again1E = "again";
Else ^Again1E = " ".

CR_Q023 Are you planning to try the exam ^Again1E?

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q025)
 - 2 No (Go to CR_Q027)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam unsuccessfully.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q025 Have you applied for a date to write the exam ^Again1E?

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam unsuccessfully.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

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CR_Q027 Why are you not intending to write the exam ^Again1E?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Completed the program but feel unprepared
- 02 Did not complete the program so feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the trade
- 05 Certification not required by employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away, etc.)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Being certified will have a negative affect on availability of work for me
- 09 No longer interested / Not working in the trade
- 10 Other reasons - Specify.....(Go to CR_S027)
- RF, DK.....(Go to CR_C602)

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam unsuccessfully.

Default: (Go to CR_C029)

CR_S027 Why are you not intending to write the exam ^Again1E?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered their reasons - Specify in CR_Q027.

- CR_C029** If CR_Q027 = one reason only(Go to CR_C602)
- Else(Go to CR_D029)

CR_D029 For the question CR_Q029, only the reasons selected in CR_Q027 will be shown.
 If CR_Q027 = 10 then ^Specify1E = responses to CR_S027.

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CR_Q029 Of these reasons, which is the most important?

- 01 Completed the program but feel unprepared
- 02 Did not complete the program so feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the trade
- 05 Certification not required by employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away, etc.)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Being certified will have a negative affect on availability of work for me
- 09 No longer interested / Not working in the trade
- 10 ^Specify1E
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (without certification) or discontinuers (without certification) or continuers (with min. requirements) and have attempted the Certificate of qualification / Journeyman Certificate exam unsuccessfully.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_E029 An invalid answer has been selected. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if the value entered in CR_Q029 is not part of the list of options displayed.

CR_Q100 Is your trade a Red Seal trade? A Red Seal trade is a trade where one can get an inter-provincial certification.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q103)
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate.*

CR_Q101 How many times did you write the ^Cert1E exam?

_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 10.

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal).*

CR_E101 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if CR_Q101 > 3.

- CR_C102** If CR_Q101 = 1(Go to CR_C602)
- Else (Go to CR_Q102)

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CR_Q102 Did you receive any feedback after your attempts?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal) and have attempted the exam more than once.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q103 Do you have your inter-provincial certification?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification (Red Seal).

CR_Q104 For your trade, are the ^Cert1E and inter-provincial exams combined as one exam or are there two separate exams?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Combined exams
- 2 Two separate exams
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Red Seal).

CR_C200 If CR_Q103 = 1 and CR_Q104 = 1(Go to CR_D200)
 Else if CR_Q103 = 1 and CR_Q104 = 2 (Go to CR_Q300)
 Else if CR_Q103 = 2 and CR_Q104 = 1(Go to CR_D400)
 Else if CR_Q103 = 2 and CR_Q104 = 2 (Go to CR_Q500)
 Else(Go to CR_C701)

CR_D200 If FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
 Else ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

CR_Q200 How many times did you write the ^Cert1E exam?

_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 10.

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Red Seal – 1 exam).

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CR_E200 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if CR_Q200 > 3.

CR_C202 If CR_Q200 = 1(Go to CR_C602)
Else (Go to CR_Q202)

CR_Q202 Did you receive any feedback after your attempts?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification), with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q300 How many times did you write the inter-provincial certification exam?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.
_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 10.

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Red Seal – 2 exams).

CR_E300 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if CR_Q300 > 3.

CR_C302 If CR_Q300 = 1(Go to CR_C602)
Else (Go to CR_Q302)

CR_Q302 Did you receive any feedback after your attempts?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the exams more than once.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_D400 If FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert1E = "journeyman certificate";
Else ^Cert1E = "certificate of qualification".

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CR_Q400 **How many times did you write the ^Cert1E exam?**

_____ (2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 10.

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam).*

CR_E400 **An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.**

Note: Trigger soft edit if CR_Q400 > 3.

CR_C402 If CR_Q400 = 1 (Go to CR_Q406)
Else (Go to CR_Q402)

CR_Q402 **Did you receive any feedback after your attempts?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.*

CR_Q406 **Are you intending to write the ^Cert1E exam again to get your inter-provincial certification?**

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes (Go to CR_Q408)
 - 2 No (Go to CR_Q410)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q408 **Have you applied for a date to write the ^Cert1E exam?**

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

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CR_Q410 Why are you not intending to write the ^Cert1E exam again?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
- 02 Feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
- 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Other - Specify.....(Go to CR_S410)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.

Default: (Go to CR_C412)

CR_S410 Why are you not intending to write the ^Cert1E exam again?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other reasons - Specify in CR_Q410.

- CR_C412** If CR_Q410 = one response only(Go to CR_C602)
- Else(Go to CR_D412)

CR_D412 For the question, CR_Q412, only the responses selected in CR_Q410 will be shown.
If CR_Q410 = 08 then ^Specify2E = responses to CR_S410.

CR_Q412 Of these reasons, which is the most important?

- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
- 02 Feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
- 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 ^Specify2E
RF, DK

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Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 1 exam) and have attempted the exam more than once.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_E412 An invalid answer has been selected. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if the value entered in CR_Q412 is not part of the list of options displayed.

CR_Q500 Have you attempted the inter-provincial exam?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q502)
2 No (Go to CR_Q550)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams).

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q502 Did you receive any feedback after you attempt?

- 1 Yes
2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the inter-provincial exam.

CR_Q508 Are you intending to write the inter-provincial exam again?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q510)
2 No (Go to CR_Q520)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the inter-provincial exam.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

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CR_Q510 Have you applied for a date to write the inter-provincial exam again?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the inter-provincial exam.

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q520 Why are you not intending to write the inter-provincial exam again?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
- 02 Feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
- 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Being certified will have a negative effect on availability of work, on the amount of work received / Employee becomes too expensive to pay
- 09 Other - Specify.....(Go to CR_S520)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the inter-provincial exam.

Default: (Go to CR_C522)

CR_S520 Why are you not intending to write the inter-provincial exam again?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other reasons - Specify in CR_Q520.

CR_C522 If CR_Q520 = one response only(Go to CR_C602)
Else(Go to CR_D522)

CR_D522 For the question CR_Q522, only the responses selected in CR_Q520 will be shown.
If CR_Q520 = 09 then ^Specify3E = responses to CR_S520.

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CR_Q522 Of these reasons, which is the most important?

- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
- 02 Feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
- 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Being certified will have a negative effect on availability of work, on the amount of work received / Employee becomes too expensive to pay
- 09 ^Specify3E
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and have attempted the inter-provincial exam.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_E522 An invalid answer has been selected. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if the value entered in CR_Q522 is not part of the list of options displayed.

CR_Q550 Are you intending to write the inter-provincial exam?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q552)
 - 2 No (Go to CR_Q554)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and did not attempt the inter-provincial exam.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

CR_Q552 Have you applied for a date to write the inter-provincial exam?

INTERVIEWER: The inter-provincial certification is the same as a Red Seal certification.

- 1 Yes
 - 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and will attempt the inter-provincial exam.*

Default: (Go to CR_C602)

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CR_Q554 **Why are you not intending to write the inter-provincial exam?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
- 02 Feel unprepared
- 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
- 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
- 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
- 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
- 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
- 08 Being certified will have a negative effect on availability of work, on the amount of work received / Employee becomes too expensive to pay
- 09 Other - Specify..... (Go to CR_S554)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and will not attempt the inter-provincial exam.*

Default: (Go to CR_C556)

CR_S554 **Why are you not intending to write the inter-provincial exam?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other reasons - Specify in CR_Q554.*

- CR_C556** If CR_Q554 = one response only(Go to CR_C602)
- Else(Go to CR_D556)

CR_D556 For the question CR_Q556, only the responses selected in CR_Q554 will be shown.
 If CR_Q554 = 09 then ^Specify4E = responses to CR_S554.

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- CR_Q556 Of these reasons, which is the most important?**
- 01 Do not intend to leave the province of training or the current province / Would take exam if decide to leave
 - 02 Feel unprepared
 - 03 Do not like the structure or type of exam
 - 04 Do not need certification/qualification to get work in the field
 - 05 Certification/exam not important to, or required by, employer
 - 06 Difficulties in getting to the exam (location of exam, exam too far away)
 - 07 Difficulties in scheduling the exam (not offered at convenient time, conflicts with work schedule, etc.)
 - 08 Being certified will have a negative effect on availability of work, on the amount of work received / Employee becomes too expensive to pay
 - 09 ^Specify4E
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are completers (with certification) or discontinuers (with certification) with a Certificate of Qualification / Journeyman Certificate (Non Red Seal – 2 exams) and will not attempt the inter-provincial exam.

CR_E556 An invalid answer has been selected. Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger hard edit if the value entered in CR_Q556 is not part of the list of options displayed.

- CR_C602** If SC_Q36 = 1(Go to CR_END)
Else (Go to CR_Q602)

CR_Q602 At the time you completed or left the ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program, were you a member of a union related to your trade?

- 1 Yes..... (Go to CR_Q604)
 - 2 No(Go to CR_C701)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).

Default: (Go to CR_C701)

CR_Q604 What type of union was this?

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent.

- 1 **Construction**
 - 2 **Industrial**
 - 3 **Public Service**
 - 4 **Other - Specify**(Go to CR_S604)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).

Default: (Go to CR_C701)

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CR_S604 What type of union was this?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in CR_Q604.

CR_C701 If SC_Q31 = 1(Go to CR_END)
Else(Go to CR_D701)

CR_D701 If SC_Q40 = 1 and FR_PROV = 48 then ^Cert2E = "got your journeyman certificate";
Else if SC_Q40 = 1 and FR_PROV ne 48 then ^Cert2E = "got your certificate of qualification";
Else ^Cert2E = "left the apprenticeship program".

CR_R701 **We will now ask a few questions about your employers around the time you ^Cert2E.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

CR_Q701 **Think of the time you ^Cert2E. Did you switch employers or did you stay with the same employer?**

- 1 Stayed with same employer
- 2 Changed employerGo to CR_Q702
- 3 Was unemployed
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).

Default: (Go to CR_END)

CR_Q702 **Think of your first employer after you ^Cert2E. For whom did you work?**

INTERVIEWER: Name of business, government department or agency, or person.

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have changed employers.

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CR_Q703 **What kind of business, industry or service was this?**

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., auto dealership, manufacturing, restaurant).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have changed employers.

CR_Q704 **What kind of work did you do?**

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., mechanic, machinist, cook).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have changed employers.

CR_Q705 **In this work, what were your most important activities or duties?**

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., wheel alignments, fixing broken machines, preparing meals).

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have changed employers.

CR_END End of Module C.2.

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Section:	Labour Force (LF)
LF_STR	Start of module LF
LF_BEG	This module requires the following variables: SC_Q31 (1, 2) SC_Q40 (1, 2, Empty) SC_Q42 (1, 2, Empty) SEX_Q01 (1, 2)
LF_C03	If SC_Q31 = 1(Go to LF_END) Else(Go to LF_R03)
LF_R03	Now I have some questions about your activities last week. <u>INTERVIEWER:</u> Press <1> to continue.
LF_Q03	Last week, did you work at a job or a business?
1	Yes..... (Go to LF_Q06)
2	No RF, DK
Default:	(Go to LF_Q04)
Coverage:	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).</i>
LF_Q04	Last week, did you have a job or business at which you did <u>not</u> work?
1	Yes..... (Go to LF_Q05)
2	No RF, DK
Coverage:	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were not working at a job or business last week.</i>
Default:	(Go to LF_Q07)
LF_Q05	Were you absent from work because of a temporary layoff?
1	Yes
2	No RF, DK
Coverage:	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and had a job last week at which they did not work.</i>
LF_Q06	Did you have more than one job or business last week?
1	Yes
2	No RF, DK
Coverage:	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) with a job last week.</i>

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Default: (Go to LF_C24)

LF_Q07 **Last week, did you have a job to start at a definite date in the future?**

- 1 Yes..... (Go to LF_Q08)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were not working at a job or business last week.*

Default: (Go to LF_Q10)

LF_Q08 **Will you usually work 30 or more hours per week at that job?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No (Go to LF_Q09)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and had a job to start at in the future.*

Default: (Go to LF_C24)

LF_Q09 **What is the main reason you will usually work less than 30 hours per week?**

- 01 Own illness or disability
- 02 Caring for own children, maternity leave, pregnancy
- 03 Caring for elder relative (60 years of age or older)
- 04 Other personal or family responsibilities
- 05 Going to school
- 06 Could not find work with 30 or more hours per week
- 07 Personal preference
- 08 Other - Specify..... (Go to LF_S09)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have a job to start at in the future and who will work less than 30 hours per week.*

Default: (Go to LF_C24)

LF_S09 **What is the main reason you will usually work less than 30 hours per week?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in LF_Q09.*

Default: (Go to LF_C24)

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LF_Q10 Last week, were you looking for a job?

- 1 Yes..... (Go to LF_Q11)
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and did not have a job to start at in the future.*

Default: (Go to LF_C24)

LF_Q11 Were you looking for a job at which you would usually work 30 or more hours per week?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and did not have a job to start at in the future and who were looking for a job last week.*

**LF_C24 If LF_Q03=2,RF,DK and LF_Q04=2,RF,DK(Go to LF_C30)
Else.....(Go to LF_D24)**

**LF_D24 If LF_Q06 = 2 then ^JobE = "job";
Else ^JobE = "main job".**

LF_Q24 At your ^JobE last week, were you a paid worker or self-employed?

- 1 Paid worker
- 2 Self-employed.....(Go to LF_C30)
- 3 Unpaid family worker.....(Go to LF_C30)
 RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at a job or business last week.*

LF_Q25 Was this a permanent, temporary, or seasonal job?

- 1 Permanent
- 2 Temporary (Go to LF_Q26)
- 3 Seasonal..... (Go to LF_Q26)
 RF, DK

Default: (Go to LF_C30)

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers last week.*

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LF_Q26 What year will this job end?

INTERVIEWER: Dates are essential. You must probe using seasons, special events etc. to determine a year. Respondent's best estimate is acceptable.

____(4 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 2007 and Max = 2040.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were temporary or seasonal paid workers last week.*

LF_E26 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q26 > 2015.

LF_C30 If LF_Q03=2,RF,DK and LF_Q04=2,RF,DK.....(Go to LF_C50)
Else.....(Go to LF_D30)

LF_D30 If LF_Q06 = 2 then ^LastWeekE = "last week";
Else ^LastWeekE = "at your main job last week" that is, the one at which you worked the most hours".

LF_Q30 For whom did you work ^LastWeekE?

INTERVIEWER: Make sure to clearly write the name of business, government department or agency, or person.

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.*

LF_Q31 What kind of business, industry or service was this?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., auto dealership, manufacturing, restaurant).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.*

LF_Q32 What kind of work did you do?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., mechanic, machinist, cook).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.*

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LF_Q33 In this work, what were your most important activities or duties?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., wheel alignments, fixing broken machines, preparing meals).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.

LF_C34 If LF_Q24=2..... (Go to LF_Q36)
Else..... (Go to LF_Q34)

LF_Q34 Did you do an apprenticeship with this employer?

1 Yes..... (Go to LF_Q35)

2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.

Default: (Go to LF_Q36)

LF_Q35 In this work last week, were you...

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to the respondent.

- 1 **a journeyman** (journeyperson)
 - 2 **an apprentice**
 - 3 **a contractor**
 - 4 **a foreman**
 - 5 **other - specify**(Go to LF_S35)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week and did an apprenticeship at that employer.

Default: (Go to LF_Q36)

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LF_S35 In this work last week, were you...?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other – Specify in LF_Q35.

LF_Q36 In what province or territory was this job located?

- 10 Newfoundland and Labrador
- 11 Prince Edward Island
- 12 Nova Scotia
- 13 New Brunswick
- 24 Quebec
- 35 Ontario
- 46 Manitoba
- 47 Saskatchewan
- 48 Alberta
- 59 British Columbia
- 60 Yukon
- 61 Northwest Territories
- 62 Nunavut
- 77 Outside Canada
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.

LF_D37 If LF_Q30 = RF, DK then ^Employee = "this employer";
Else ^Employee = LF_Q30.

LF_Q37 In what year did you start working for ^Employee?

INTERVIEWER: Dates are essential. You must probe using seasons, special events etc. to determine a year. Respondent's best estimate is acceptable.

____(4 spaces)

RF, DK.....(Go to LF_C50)

Note: Min = 1950 and Max = 2007.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.

LF_E37 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q37 < 1990.

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LF_D38 If SC_Q40 = 1 or SC_Q42 = 1 then ^FinishE = "completed the requirements of your apprenticeship program";
Else ^FinishE = "left your apprenticeship program"

LF_Q38 **Is this the first job you had since you ^FinishE?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No..... (Go to LF_Q39)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were working last week.

Default: (Go to LF_C50)

LF_Q39 **How many employers, other than ^EmployeeE, have you had since you ^FinishE? Self-employment contracts count as one employer only.**

INTERVIEWER: If the number of employers is more than 20, enter "20".

____(2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 20.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and whose job last week was not the first job after finishing their apprenticeship program.

LF_E39 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q39 > 10.

LF_C50 If (LF_Q03=2,RF,DK and LF_Q04=2,RF,DK) OR
(LF_Q24=? or LF_Q24=3).....(Go to LF_C60)
Else..... (Go to LF_Q50)

LF_Q50 **Considering the duties and responsibilities of this job, how satisfied were you with the money you made? Would you say that you were...**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers last week.

LF_D52 If LF_Q06 = 2 then ^JobE = "job";
Else ^JobE = "main job".

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Questionnaire**

LF_Q52 **Considering all aspects of the ^JobE you held last week:**
... how satisfied were you with the job security? Would you say you were...

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers last week.*

LF_Q54 **Considering all aspects of the ^JobE you held last week:**
... how satisfied were you with the health and safety conditions? Would you say you were...

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers last week.*

LF_Q56 **Does this job provide any of the following?**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and select all that apply.

- 1 **Extended health care benefits (not covered by provincial health)**
 - 2 **A dental plan**
 - 3 **Retirement plan benefits**
 - 4 **Paid vacation**
 - 5 **Sick leave benefits**
 - 6 **Other benefits**
 - 7 **None of the above**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers last week.*

LF_E56 **You cannot select «None of the above» with another category. Please return and correct.**

Note: Trigger hard edit if item 7 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in LF_Q56.

LF_C60 If LF_Q03=2,RF,DK and LF_Q04=2,RF,DK.....(Go to LF_END)
Else.....(Go to LF_D60)

LF_D60 If LF_Q06 = 2 then ^JobE = "job";
Else ^JobE = "main job".

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Questionnaire**

LF_Q60 **Considering the ^JobE you held last week, during how many months in a year do you usually work at this job?**

INTERVIEWER: If less than one month, enter "1".

____(2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 12.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at a job or business last week.*

LF_Q62 **Considering the ^JobE you held last week, do you usually work every week of the month?**

1 Yes

2 No (Go to LF_Q63)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at a job or business last week.*

Default: (Go to LF_D64)

LF_Q63 **How many weeks a month do you usually work at this job?**

INTERVIEWER: If less than 1 day, enter "1".

____(1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 4.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at a job or business last week and do not usually work every week of the month.*

LF_D64 If LF_Q24 = 3 then ^PaidE = "hours";
Else ^PaidE = "paid hours".

LF_Q64 **How many ^PaidE a week do you usually work at this job?**

INTERVIEWER: If the respondent answers that the number of hours worked varies, ask for an average of the last four weeks. Round to the nearest hour.

____(3 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 130.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at a job or business last week.*

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LF_E64 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q64 > 80.

LF_C65 If LF_Q24 = 3.....(Go to LF_END)
Else If LF_Q64 < 30 (Go to LF_Q65)
Else..... (Go to LF_Q66)

LF_Q65 **What is the reason you usually work less than 30 hours per week at this job?**

- 01 Own illness or disabilities
- 02 Caring for own children, maternity leave, pregnancy
- 03 Caring for elder relative (60 years of age or older)
- 04 Other personal or family responsibilities
- 05 Going to school
- 06 Hours reduced due to business conditions
- 07 Could not find work with 30 or more hours per week
- 08 Personal preference
- 09 Multiple job holder
- 10 Characteristic of the job
- 11 Other - Specify.....(Go to LF_S65)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed last week and usually work less than 30 hours per week.

Default: (Go to LF_Q66)

LF_S65 What is the reason you usually work less than 30 hours per week at this job?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal

Coverage: All respondents who answered Other – Specify in LF_Q65.

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LF_Q66 **What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary, including tips and commissions, before taxes and other deductions for this job? Would it be on a yearly, monthly, weekly, hourly or on some other basis?**

- 01 Hourly (Go to LF_Q69)
- 02 Daily (Go to LF_Q67)
- 03 Weekly
- 04 Bi-weekly/every two weeks
- 05 Semi-monthly/twice a month
- 06 Monthly
- 07 Yearly
- 08 Other - Specify (Go to LF_S66)
- RF, DK (Go to LF_END)

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed last week.*

Default: (Go to LF_D68)

LF_S66 **What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary, including tips and commissions, before taxes and other deductions for this job? Would it be on a yearly, monthly, weekly, hourly or on some other basis?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal

Default: (Go to LF_D68)

Coverage: *All respondents who answered Other – Specify in LF_Q66.*

LF_Q67 **How many days a week do you usually work at this job?**

____ (1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 7.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed last week and reported daily as the easiest way to report their earnings.*

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Questionnaire**

LF_D68 If LF_Q66 = 02 then ^PeriodE = "daily";
Else if LF_Q66 = 03 then ^PeriodE = "weekly";
Else if LF_Q66 = 04 then ^PeriodE = "bi-weekly";
Else if LF_Q66 = 05 then ^PeriodE = "semi-monthly";
Else if LF_Q66 = 06 then ^PeriodE = "monthly";
Else if LF_Q66 = 07 then ^PeriodE = "yearly";
Else if LF_Q66 = 08 then ^PeriodE = LF_S66.

LF_Q68 **Including tips and commissions, what is your ^PeriodE wage or salary, before taxes and other deductions?**

INTERVIEWER: For self-employed workers, collect net income; that is after deducting all business expenses. We are looking for the wages or salary earned as of last week. Please do not capture cents.

____(7 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 9999995.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed last week.*

Default: (Go to LF_END)

LF_E68 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 02 and LF_Q68 > 1250.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 03 and LF_Q68 > 4800.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 04 and LF_Q68 > 9700.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 05 and LF_Q68 > 10500.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 06 and LF_Q68 > 20900.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 07 and LF_Q68 > 250000.
Trigger soft edit if LF_Q66 = 08 and LF_Q68 > 250000.

LF_Q69 **Including tips and commissions, what is your hourly wage or salary, before taxes and other deductions?**

INTERVIEWER: For self-employed workers, collect net income; that is after deducting all business expenses. We are looking for the wages or salary earned as of last week. Please capture hourly wage in dollars and cents.

____(6 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1.00 and Max = 150.00

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed last week and reported hourly as the easiest way to report their earnings.*

LF_E69 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if LF_Q69 > 50.00.

LF_END End of module LF.

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Section:	Most Recent Job (MR)
MR_STR	Start of module MR
MR_BEG	This module requires the following variables: SC_Q31 (1, 2) SC_Q40 (1, 2, Empty) SC_Q42 (1, 2, Empty) LF_Q03 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty) LF_Q04 (1, 2, RF, DK, Empty) SEX_Q01 (1, 2)
MR_C20	If SC_Q31 = 1 (Go to MR_END) Else if LF_Q03 = 2, RF, DK and LF_Q04 = 2, RF, DK..... (Go to MR_D20) Else..... (Go to MR_C30)
MR_D20	If SC_Q40 = 1 or SC_Q42 = 1 then ^AfterE = "completed the requirements of your apprenticeship program"; Else ^AfterE = "left your apprenticeship program".
MR_Q20	Since you ^AfterE, did you work at a job or a business?
1	Yes..... (Go to MR_Q24)
2	No RF, DK
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and did not work at a job or a business last week.</i>
<i>Default:</i>	(Go to MR_C30)
MR_Q24	At your most recent job, were you a paid worker or self-employed?
1	Paid worker
2	Self-employed..... (Go to MR_C30)
3	Unpaid family worker..... (Go to MR_C30) RF, DK
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.</i>
MR_Q25	Was this a permanent, temporary, or seasonal job?
1	Permanent
2	Temporary (Go to MR_Q26)
3	Seasonal..... (Go to MR_Q26) RF, DK
<i>Coverage:</i>	<i>All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers at their most recent job.</i>
<i>Default:</i>	(Go to MR_C30)

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MR_Q26 In what year did this job end?

INTERVIEWER: Dates are essential. You must probe using seasons, special events etc. to determine a year. Respondent's best estimate is acceptable.

____(4 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 2002 and Max = 2040.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were temporary or seasonal paid workers at their most recent job.*

MR_E26 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if MR_Q26 > 2015.

MR_C30 If MR_Q20=1 (Go to MR_Q30)
Else (Go to MR_C50)

MR_Q30 Now I have some questions about your most recent job. For whom did you work?

INTERVIEWER: Make sure to clearly write the name of business, government department or agency, or person.

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

MR_Q31 What kind of business, industry or service was this?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., auto dealership, manufacturing, restaurant).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

MR_Q32 What kind of work did you do?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., mechanic, machinist, cook).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

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MR_Q33 In this work, what were your most important activities or duties?

INTERVIEWER: Write a full description (e.g., wheel alignments, fixing broken machines, preparing meals).

____(80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.

MR_C34 If MR_Q24=2(Go to MR_Q36)
Else.....(Go to MR_Q34)

MR_Q34 Was this employer one at which you did an apprenticeship?

1 Yes.....(Go to MR_Q35)

2 No
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.

Default: (Go to MR_Q36)

MR_Q35 In this most recent job, were you...

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to the respondent.

- 1 **a journeyman** (journeyperson)
 - 2 **an apprentice**
 - 3 **a contractor**
 - 4 **a foreman**
 - 5 **other - specify** (Go to MR_S35)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job and did an apprenticeship at that employer.

Default: (Go to MR_Q36)

MR_S35 In this most recent job, were you...

INTERVIEWER: Specify

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other – Specify in MR_Q35.

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MR_Q36 In what province or territory was this job located?

- 10 Newfoundland and Labrador
- 11 Prince Edward Island
- 12 Nova Scotia
- 13 New Brunswick
- 24 Quebec
- 35 Ontario
- 46 Manitoba
- 47 Saskatchewan
- 48 Alberta
- 59 British Columbia
- 60 Yukon
- 61 Northwest Territories
- 62 Nunavut
- 77 Outside Canada
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

MR_D37 If MR_Q30 = RF, DK then ^EmployeeE = "this employer";
Else ^EmployeeE = MR_Q30.

MR_Q37 In what year did you start working for ^EmployeeE?

INTERVIEWER: Dates are essential. You must probe using seasons, special events etc. to determine a year. Respondent's best estimate is acceptable.

____(4 spaces)

RF, DK..... (Go to MR_C50)

Note: Min = 1950 and Max = 2007.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

MR_E37 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger so. edit if MR_Q37 < 1990.

MR_D38 If SC_Q40 = 1 or SC_Q42 = 1 then ^FinishE = "completed the requirements of
your apprenticeship program";
Else ^FinishE = "left your apprenticeship program"

MR_Q38 Was this the first job you had since you ^FinishE?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No..... (Go to MR_Q39)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and worked at their most recent job.*

Default: (Go to MR_C50)

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MR_Q39 **How many employers, other than ^EmployeeE, have you had since you ^FinishE? Self-employment contracts count as one employer only.**

INTERVIEWER: If the number of employers is more than 20, enter "20".

____(2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 20.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and whose most recent job was not the first job after finishing their apprenticeship program.*

MR_E39 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if MR_Q39 > 10.

MR_C50 If MR_Q20 = 1 and MR_Q24 = 1 (Go to MR_Q50)
Else..... (Go to MR_C60)

MR_Q50 **Considering the duties and responsibilities of this job, how satisfied were you with the money you made? Would you say that you were...**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers in their most recent job.*

MR_Q52 **Considering all aspects of this job:
... how satisfied were you with the job security? Would you say you were...**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers in their most recent job.*

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MR_Q54 Considering all aspects of this job:

 ... how satisfied were you with the health and safety conditions? Would you say you were...

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent.

- 1 **very satisfied?**
 - 2 **satisfied?**
 - 3 **dissatisfied?**
 - 4 **very dissatisfied?**
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers in their most recent job.

MR_Q56 **Did this job provide any of the following?**

INTERVIEWER: Read categories to respondent and mark all that apply.

- 1 **Extended health care benefits (not covered by provincial health)**
 - 2 **A dental plan**
 - 3 **Retirement plan benefits**
 - 4 **Paid vacation**
 - 5 **Sick leave benefits**
 - 6 **Other benefits**
 - 7 None of the above
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers in their most recent job.

MR_E56 **You cannot select «None of the above» with another category. Please return and correct.**

Note: Trigger hard edit in item 7 – «None of the above» was selected in combination with any other item in MR_Q56.

MR_C60 If MR_Q20 = 1(Go to MR_Q60)
Else(Go to MR_END)

MR_Q60 **During how many months in a year did you usually work at your most recent job?**

INTERVIEWER: If less than one month, enter "1".

____(2 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 12.

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at their most recent job or business.

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MR_Q62 **At your most recent job, did you usually work every week of the month?**

1 Yes
2 No(Go to MR_Q63)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at their most recent job or business.*

Default: (Go to MR_D64)

MR_Q63 **How many weeks a month did you usually work at this job?**

INTERVIEWER: If less than 7 days, enter "1".

____(1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 4.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at their most recent job or business and do not usually work every week of the month.*

MR_D64 If MR_Q24 = 3 then ^PaidE = "hours";
Else ^PaidE = "paid hours".

MR_Q64 **How many ^PaidE a week did you usually work at this job?**

INTERVIEWER: If the respondent answers that the number of hours worked varies, ask for an average of the last four weeks. Round to the nearest hour.

____(3 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 130.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have worked at their most recent job or business.*

MR_E64 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if MR_Q64 > 80.

MR_C65 If MR_Q24 = 3(Go to MR_END)
Else if MR_Q64 < 30(Go to MR_Q65)
Else(Go to MR_Q66)

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- MR_Q65** **What is the reason you usually worked less than 30 hours per week at this job?**
- 01 Own illness or disabilities
 - 02 Caring for own children, maternity leave, pregnancy
 - 03 Caring for elder relative (60 years of age or older)
 - 04 Other personal or family responsibilities
 - 05 Going to school
 - 06 Hours reduced due to business conditions
 - 07 Could not find work with 30 or more hours per week
 - 08 Personal preference
 - 09 Multiple job holder
 - 10 Characteristic of the job
 - 11 Other - Specify..... (Go to MR_S65)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed at their most recent job and usually work less than 30 hours per week.

Default: (Go to MR_Q66)

MR_S65 What is the reason you usually worked less than 20 hours per week at this job?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal

Coverage: All respondents who answered Other - Specify in MR_Q65.

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MR_Q66 **What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary, including tips and commissions, before taxes and other deductions for this job? Would it be on a yearly, monthly, weekly, hourly or on some other basis?**

- 01 Hourly (Go to MR_Q69)
- 02 Daily (Go to MR_Q67)
- 03 Weekly
- 04 Bi-weekly/every two weeks
- 05 Semi-monthly/twice a month
- 06 Monthly
- 07 Yearly
- 08 Other - Specify (Go to MR_S66)
- RF, DK (Go to MR_END)

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed at their most recent job.*

Default: (Go to MR_D68)

MR_S66 **What is the easiest way for you to tell us your wage or salary, including tips and commissions, before taxes and other deductions for this job? Would it be on a yearly, monthly, weekly, hourly or on some other basis?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal

Coverage: *All respondents who answered Other - Specify in MR_Q66.*

Default: (Go to MR_D68)

MR_Q67 **How many days a week did you usually work at this job?**

____ (1 space)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 7.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed at their most recent job and reported daily as the easiest way to report their earnings.*

MR_D68 If MR_Q66 = 02 then ^PeriodE = "daily";
Else if MR_Q66 = 03 then ^PeriodE = "weekly";
Else if MR_Q66 = 04 then ^PeriodE = "bi-weekly";
Else if MR_Q66 = 05 then ^PeriodE = "semi-monthly";
Else if MR_Q66 = 06 then ^PeriodE = "monthly";
Else if MR_Q66 = 07 then ^PeriodE = "yearly";
Else if MR_Q66 = 08 then ^PeriodE = MR_S66;

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MR_Q68 **Including tips and commissions, what was your ^PeriodE wage or salary, before taxes and other deductions?**

INTERVIEWER: For self-employed workers, collect net income; that is after deducting all business expenses. We are looking for the wages or salary earned at their most recent job. Please do not capture cents.

____(7 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 9999995.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed at their most recent job.*

Default: (Go to MR_END)

MR_E68 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 02 and MR_Q68 > 1250.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 03 and MR_Q68 > 4800.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 04 and MR_Q68 > 9700.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 05 and MR_Q68 > 10500.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 06 and MR_Q68 > 20900.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 07 and MR_Q68 > 250000.
Trigger soft edit if MR_Q66 = 08 and MR_Q68 > 250000.

MR_Q69 **Including tips and commissions, what was your hourly wage or salary, before taxes and other deductions?**

INTERVIEWER: For self-employed workers, collect net income; that is after deducting all business expenses. We are looking for the wages or salary earned at their most recent job. Please capture hourly wage in dollars and cents.

____(6 spaces)

RF, DK

Note: Min = 1.00 and Max = 150.00.

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and were paid workers or self-employed at their most recent job and reported hourly as the easiest way to report their earnings.*

MR_E69 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if MR_Q69 > 50.00.

MR_END End of module MR.

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Section: Demographics (DM)

DM_STR Start of Module DM

DM_BEG **This module requires the following variables:**
CUR_TRE (Derived variable created at SC_D20A, Response)
SC_Q31 (1, 2)
SEX_Q01 (Module SC, 1, 2)

DM_R01 **The following questions are of a general nature and complete the interview.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

DM_C02 If SC_Q31 = 1 (Go to DM_Q07)
 Else (Go to DM_Q02)

DM_Q02 **Since you ended your training in the ^CUR_TRE program, have you taken or are you taking any additional training or educational programs to further your career?**

INTERVIEWER: For example: specialized training in the trade, business administration courses, management courses, etc.

- 1 Yes..... (Go to DM_Q04)
- 2 No
- RF, DK..... (Go to DM_Q07)

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).

DM_Q03 **What is the main reason why you have not?**

- 01 No particular reason
- 02 No courses available
- 03 Courses too expensive
- 04 Could not get or take time off
- 05 Scared of taking or asking for time off work for fear of losing job
- 06 Did not qualify for course
- 07 No knowledge of additional training availability
- 08 Not interested in upgrading
- 09 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S03)
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and did not take any additional training.

Default: (Go to DM_Q07)

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DM_S03 What is the main reason why you have not?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

_____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q03.

Default: (Go to DM_Q07)

DM_Q04 **Since you ended your training in that trade, how many separate training or educational courses have you completed?**

_____ (2 spaces)

Note: Min = 1 and Max = 20.

RF, DK.....(Go to DM_Q07)

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have taken additional training.

DM_E04 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if DM_Q04 > 5.

DM_C05 If DM_Q04 = 1(Go to DM_R05A)
Else(Go to DM_R05B)

DM_R05A **Now, think about this course.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

Default: (Go to DM_Q05)

DM_R05B **Now, think about the most recent of these courses.**

INTERVIEWER: Press <1> to continue.

DM_Q05 **What was the trade or specialization?**

_____ (80 spaces)

RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have taken additional training.

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DM_Q06 Who paid for this training program?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 01 Employer
- 02 Self
- 03 Union or joint board
- 04 Family or relative
- 05 Government
- 06 Industry training program or the Commission de la construction du Québec (CCQ)
- 07 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S06)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers) and have taken additional training.

Default: (Go to DM_Q07)

DM_S06 Who paid for this program?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q06.

DM_Q07 What was your marital status at the beginning of your ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program?

- 1 Married or living common-law
- 2 Separated or divorced
- 3 Widow or widower
- 4 Single / Never married
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

- DM_C08** If SC_Q31 = 1(Go to DM_Q08A)
- Else(Go to DM_Q08B)

DM_Q08 What is your current marital status?

- 1 Married or living common-law
- 2 Separated or divorced
- 3 Widow or widower
- 4 Single / Never married
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are RA (continuers).

Default: (Go to DM_Q09)

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DM_Q08B **What was your marital status at the end of that apprenticeship program?**

- 1 Married or living common-law
 - 2 Separated or divorced
 - 3 Widow or widower
 - 4 Single / Never married
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).*

Default: (Go to DM_Q10)

DM_Q09 **How many dependents do you have?**

_____ (2 spaces)

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 10.

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are RA (continuers).*

Default: (Go to DM_C11)

DM_E09 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if DM_Q09 > 5.

DM_Q10 **How many dependents did you have when you ended that apprenticeship program?**

_____ (2 spaces)

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 10.

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA (completers or discontinuers).*

DM_E10 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if DM_Q10 > 5.

DM_C11 If (DM_Q09 > 0 and DM_Q09 < 11) or
 (DM_Q10 > 0 and DM_Q10 < 11) (Go to DM_D11)
Else (Go to DM_Q12)

DM_D11 If SC_Q31 = 1 then ^ChildE = "are";
 Else ^ChildE = "were".

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DM_Q11 **How many ^ChildE children (18 years of age or less)?**

_____ (2 spaces)

Note: Min = 0 and Max = 10.

RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA and have dependents.*

DM_E11 An unusual value has been entered. Please confirm.

Note: Trigger soft edit if DM_Q11 > response in DM_Q09 or DM_Q10.

DM_Q12 **What language do you speak most often at home?**

- 1 English
 - 2 French
 - 3 Both French and English
 - 4 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S12)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to DM_Q13)

DM_S12 What language do you speak most often at home?

INTERVIEWER: Specify

_____ (80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refuse.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q12.*

DM_Q13 **What language do you speak most often at work?**

- 1 English
 - 2 French
 - 3 Both French and English
 - 4 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S13)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to DM_Q14)

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DM_S13 What language do you speak most often at work?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q13.

DM_Q14 **When you started your ^CUR_TRE apprenticeship program, did you have any disabilities that had lasted or were expected to last six months or more?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

DM_Q15 **Do you have any now?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

DM_Q16 **Now, think about your total employment income from all sources before taxes and deductions for the last 12 months. In which of the following categories would it fall?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent. The total employment income includes self-employment income and other work income excluding investment income and the like.

- 1 **No income**
- 2 **Less than \$20,000**
- 3 **\$20,000 to less than \$40,000**
- 4 **\$40,000 to less than \$60,000**
- 5 **\$60,000 to less than \$80,000**
- 6 **\$80,000 or more**
- RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

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DM_Q17 **Are you an Aboriginal person, that is, North American Indian, Métis or Inuit?**

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

DM_Q18 **Of what countries are you a citizen?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Canada, by birth
- 2 Canada, by naturalization (citizenship process)
- 3 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S18)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to DM_Q19)

DM_E18 **You cannot select “Canada by birth” and “Canada by naturalization”. Please return and correct.**

Note: Trigger this hard edit if DM_Q18 =1 and 2.

DM_S18 **Of what countries are you a citizen?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q18.*

DM_Q19 **Your father is a citizen of what countries?**

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Canada, by birth
- 2 Canada, by naturalization (citizenship process)
- 3 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S19)
- RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: (Go to DM_Q20)

DM_E19 **You cannot select “Canada by birth” and “Canada by naturalization”. Please return and correct.**

Note: Trigger this hard edit if DM_Q19 =1 and 2.

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DM_S19 Your father is a citizen of what countries?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q19.

DM_Q20 Your mother is a citizen of what countries?

INTERVIEWER: Mark all that apply.

- 1 Canada, by birth
- 2 Canada, by naturalization (citizenship process)
- 3 Other - Specify..... (Go to DM_S20)
RF, DK

Coverage: All respondents who are (were) RA.

Default: (Go to DM_C21)

DM_E20 You cannot select "Canada by birth" and "Canada by naturalization".
Please return and correct.

Note: Trigger this hard edit if DM_Q20 =1 and 2.

DM_S20 Your mother is a citizen of what countries?

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: Disable Don't know and Refusal.

Coverage: Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q20.

DM_C21 If DM_Q17 = 1 (Go to DM_END)
Else (Go to DM_Q21)

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Questionnaire**

DM_Q21 **To which of the following group or groups do you belong?**

INTERVIEWER: Read the categories to the respondent and mark all that apply.

- 01 **White**
- 02 **Chinese**
- 03 **South Asian** (e.g. East Indian, Pakistani, Punjabi, Sri Lankan)
- 04 **Black** (e.g. African, Haitian, Jamaican, Somali)
- 05 **Filipino**
- 06 **Latin American**
- 07 **South-East Asian** (e.g. Cambodian, Laotian, Indonesian, Vietnamese)
- 08 **Arab**
- 09 **West Asian** (e.g. Armenian, Egyptian, Iranian, Lebanese, Moroccan)
- 10 **Korean**
- 11 **Japanese**
- 12 **Other - Specify** (Go to DM_S21)
RF, DK

Coverage: *All respondents who are (were) RA.*

Default: *(Go to DM_END)*

DM_S21 **To which of the following group or groups do you belong?**

INTERVIEWER: Specify.

____(80 spaces)

Note: *Disable Don't know and Refusal.*

Coverage: *Respondents who answered Other - Specify in DM_Q21.*

DM_END **End of Module [M.**