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WOMEN'S QUESTIONNAIRE

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	SECTION 1: BACKGROUND & WORK
	The first questions are about yourself, your home and your work situation. Please try and relax, there are no right or wrong answers. Remember that everything you answer will be kept secret. If there is a question you do not want to answer please skip to the next question.
q101	[s101] How old are you?
q102	[s102] Were you born in Ghana?
q103	[s103] In which Region were you born?
q104_yr	[s104_yr] How long have you lived in this community? Years
q104_mth	[s104_mth] How long have you lived in this community? Months
q105	[s105] Have you ever moved or travelled to look for work?
q106	[s106] What is the highest grade you have completed at school?
q107	[s107] Have you done a training course that has given you a certificate or diploma after leaving school?
q108	[s108] Are you currently studying?
q109a	[s109a] Are you a member of any clubs or groups or societies?
q109b	[s109b] Specify group name
q110	[s110] How many other clubs or groups or societies are you a member of?
q111	[s111] Would you describe yourself as active in your church?
q112	[s112] Are you currently married or living with a man or do you have a boyfriend?
q113	[s113] How old were you when you first got married?
q114a	[s114a] Do you have any children you have given birth to?
q114b	[s114b] How many children have you given birth to?
q115	[s115] Do you have any children that you are currently financially supporting?
q116	[s116] How many children are currently financially supporting?
q117	[s117] Of the children that you are currently financially supporting, how many are children of family members/ extended relatives?
	Work, money & HOUSEHOLD food insecurity
q118a	[s118a] In the past month, did you WORRY that your household would not have enough food?
q118b	[s118b] How often did this happen?
q119a	[s119a] In the past month, were you or any household member NOT ABLE TO EAT THE KINDS OF FOODS YOU PREFERRED because of a lack of resources?
q119b	[s119b] How often did this happen?
q120a	[s120a] In the past month, did you or any household member HAVE TO EAT A LIMITED VARIETY OF FOODS due to a lack of resources?
q120b	[s120b] How often did this happen?

q121a	[s121] In the past month, did you or any household member HAVE TO EAT SOME FOODS THAT YOU REALLY DID NOT WANT TO EAT because of a lack of resources to obtain other types of food?
q121b	[s121b] How often did this happen?
q122a	[s122a] In the past month, did you or any household member HAVE TO EAT A SMALLER MEAL THAN YOU FELT YOU NEEDED because there was not enough food?
q122b	[s122b] How often did this happen?
q123a	[s123a] In the past month, did you or any household member have to EAT FEWER MEALS IN A DAY because there was not enough food?
q123b	[s123b] How often did this happen?
q124a	[s124a] In the past month, was there ever NO FOOD TO EAT OF ANY KIND in your household because of lack of resources to get food?
q124b	[s124b] How often did this happen?
q125a	[s125a] In the past month, did you or any household member GO TO SLEEP AT NIGHT HUNGRY because there was not enough food?
q125b	[s125b] How often did this happen?
q126a	[s126a] In the past month did you or any of your household GO A WHOLE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT EATING because of lack of food?
q126b	[s126b] How often did this happen?
q127	[s127] If you had an emergency at home and needed 50 GH¢ , how easy would you say it would be to find the money?
q128	[s128] How often in the past month have you taken something that was not yours because you did not have enough food or money?
q129	[s129] In the past 12 months how often did you work?
q130a	[s130a] Have you worked or earned money in the last 3 months?
q130b	[s130b] Have you received any remittances in the last 3 months?
q131	[s131] In the last month, how many days did you work for yourself or other people?
q132	[s132] Considering all the money you earned from jobs or selling things, how much did you earn last month?
q133	[s133] Do you usually earn each month throughout the year, many months but not all, once in a while or have you've never worked?
q134	[s134] In the last month did you receive income from a child support?
	LIFE SATISFACTION
q137_a	[s137_a] In most ways my life is close to my ideal
q137_b	[s137_b] The conditions of my life are excellent
q137_c	[s137_c] I am satisfied with my life.
q137_d	[s137_d] So far I have gotten the important things I want in life.

q137_e	[137_e] Now we would like to ask you to think about yourself as a woman and to think about what is important for a woman of your age to be respected and successful.
	CHILDHOOD TRAUMA
q139_a	[s139_a] Before I reached 18 I did not have enough to eat
q139_b	[s139_b] Before I reached 18 I lived in different households at different times
q139_c	[s139_c] Before I reached 18 I saw or heard my mother being beaten by her husband or boyfriend
q139_d	[s139_d] Before I reached 18 I was told I was lazy or stupid or weak by someone in my family
q139_e	[s139_e] Before I reached 18 someone touched my buttocks or genitals or made me touch them when I did not want to
q139_f	[s139_f] Before I reached 18 I was insulted or humiliated by someone in my family in front of other people
q139_g	[s139_g] Before I reached 18 I was beaten at home with a belt or stick or whip or something else which was hard
q139_h	[s139_h] Before I reached 18 I had sex with a man who was more than 5 years older than me
q139_i	[s139_i] Before I reached 18 one or both of my parents were too drunk or drugged to take care of me
q139_j	[s139_j] Before I reached 18 I was beaten so hard at home that it left a mark or bruise
q139_k	[s139_k] Before I reached 18 I spent time outside the home and none of the adults at home knew where I was
q139_l	[s139_l] Before I reached 18 I had sex with someone because I was threatened or frightened or forced
	IDEAS ABOUT GENDER RELATIONS
	SECTION 2 : ATTITUDES ABOUT RELATIONS BETWEEN MEN AND WOMEN
q201_a	[s201_a] A woman's most important role is to take care of her home and cook for her family.
q201_b	[s201_b] Men need sex more than women do.
q201_c	[s201_c] There are times when a woman deserves to be beaten.
q201_d	[s201_d] It is a woman's responsibility to avoid getting pregnant.
q201_e	[s201_e] A woman should tolerate violence in order to keep her family together.
q201_f	[s201_f] If someone insults a man, he should defend his reputation, with force if he has to.
q201_g	[s201_g] To be a man, a person needs to be tough
q201_h	[s201_h] A man should have a final word about decisions in his home
	INDIVIDUAL ATTITUDES
q202_a	[s202_a] I think that a woman should obey her husband

q202_b	[s202_b] I think that a man should have the final say in all family matters
q202_c	[s202_c] I think that a woman cannot refuse to have sex with her husband.
q202_d	[s202_d] I think that there is nothing a woman can do if her husband wants to have girlfriends.
q202_e	[s202_e] I think that if a man beats you it shows that he loves you.
q202_f	[s202_f] I think that if a woman works she should give her money to her husband
q202_g	[s202_g] I think that a woman needs her husband's permission to do paid work
q202_h	[s202_h] I think that if a wife does something wrong her husband has the right to punish her.
q202_i	[s202_i] I think that if married, the man owns her.
	SOCIAL NORMS
q203_a	[s203_a] My community thinks that a woman should obey her husband
q203_b	[s203_b] My community thinks that a man should have the final say in all family matters
q203_c	[s203_c] My community thinks that a woman needs her husband's permission to do paid work
q203_d	[s203_d] My community thinks that a woman cannot refuse to have sex with her husband
q203_e	[s203_e] My community thinks that there is nothing a woman can do if her husband wants to have girlfriends
q203_f	[s203_f] My community thinks that if a wife does something wrong her husband has the right to punish her
q203_g	[s203_g] My community thinks that if a man has paid bride price for his wife, he owns her
q203_h	[s203_h] My community thinks that a married man has a right to have sex with his wife
q203_i	[s203_i] My community thinks that if a man beats you it shows that he loves you
	SECTION 3: SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR
	The next questions are about your relationships. I know that these questions can be embarrassing. Please remember that all your answers will be kept secret and your name will not appear anywhere on the questionnaire. We are asking everyone in the study the same questions, and we know that women and men have a wide range of experiences.
	PAST SEXUAL EXPERIENCES
q301	[s301] Have you ever used a condom?
q302	[s302] Which of the following statements most closely describes your experiences the first time you had sex?
q303	[s303] At what age did this happen?

q304	[s304] Who was this with?
q304_other	[s304] Other specify
q305	[s305] Have you had sex since then?
q306	[s306] How would you describe your sexual relationship with your main partner?
	RECENT SEXUAL EXPERIENCES
q307	[s307] The last time you had sex, was it with a main partner, another partner (e.g. boyfriend), or one off partner or ex-partner?
q308	[s308] Did you use a condom for every round?
q309	[s309] How often have you used condoms in the last 12 months? Would you say you used them always, often or sometimes?
q310	[s310] How many main partners have you had sex with in the last 12 months?
q311	[s311] How many other sexual partners (apart from the main partner) or people you just went with once have you had sex with in the last 12 months?
	LIFETIME SEXUAL EXPERIENCES
q313	[s313] How many main partners have you had sex with in your life?
q314	[s314] How many other sexual partners (casual and one off) or people you just went with once have you had sex with in your life?
	[s315] Please think about the sexual partners that you have had sex with just once in your life. Did you become involved with them or have sex with them because you expected to receive, or received any of the following:
q315_a	[s315_a] Drugs, food, cosmetics, clothes, a cell phone, transportation or anything else you couldn't afford by yourself
q315_b	[s315_b] Somewhere to stay
q315_c	[s315_c] Somewhere to sleep for the night
q315_d	[s315_d] Items or did something for your children or family
q315_e	[s315_e] Cash or money to pay her bills or school fees
q316	[s316] Have you become involved with a sexual partner in the past year because you expected to receive or received money or any other items?
	CONTRACEPTIVE USE & REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH
q317	[s317] Are you currently doing something to delay or avoid getting pregnant?
q318	[s318] Have you ever used contraception?
q319	[s319] Which contraceptive method are you currently using?
q319_a	FEMALE STERILIZATION

q319_b	PILL
q319_c	IUD
q319_d	INJECTABLES
q319_e	IMPLANTS
q319_f	MALE CONDOM
q319_g	FEMALE CONDOM
q319_h	LAM
q319_i	DIAPHRAGM
q319_j	RHYTHM
q319_k	WITHDRAWAL
q319_l	OTHER SPECIFY
q319_other	[s319] Other specify
q320	[s320] How old were you when you first used contraceptives?
q321a	[s321A] Have you ever been pregnant?
q321b	[s321B] How many times have you been pregnant?
q321c	[S321C] Of these pregnancies, how many were live births?
q321d	[S321D] Of these pregnancies, how many were still births?
q321e	[s321E] Of these pregnancies, how many ended in a miscarriage?
q322	[s322] How many of your deliveries were in a health facility or supervised by skilled birth attendant (s)?
q323	[s323] How old were you when you first become pregnant?
q324	[s324] How old were you when you gave birth to your first child?
q325	[s325] First Pregnancy: At the time you became pregnant did you want to become pregnant then, did you want to wait until later, or did you not want to have any children at all?
q326	[s326] Last Pregnancy: How did your last pregnancy end?
q326_other	[s326] Other specify
q327	[s327] Did you or anybody put a hand on it?
q328	[s328] Are you pregnant now?
q329	[s329] How many months pregnant are you?
q330	[s330] Current Pregnancy: At the time you became pregnant did you want to become pregnant then, did you want to wait until later, or did you not want to have any children at all?
	We now want to ask you questions about things that your current or previous boyfriend, partner or husband may have done to you in the last 12 months.
	REPRODUCTIVE COERCION
q331_a	[s331_A] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband told you not to use any birth control (like the injectable, condoms)?

q331_b	[s331_B] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband said he would leave you if you did not get pregnant?
q331_c	[s331_C] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband told you he would have a baby with someone else if you didn't get pregnant?
q331_d	[s331_D] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband hurt you physically because you did not agree to get pregnant?
q331_e	[s331_E] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband tried to physically force you to become pregnant?
q331_f	[s331_F] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband tried to pressure you with words, promises, or mean comments to become pregnant?
q331_g	[s331_G] In the past 12 months have you hidden birth control from a husband or boyfriend because you were afraid he would get upset with you for using it?
q331_h	[s331_H] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband taken off a condom while you were having sex so that you would get pregnant.
q331_i	[s331_I] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband put holes in the condom so you would get pregnant?
q331_j	[s331_J] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband broken a condom on purpose while you were having sex so you would get pregnant?
q331_k	[s331_K] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband made you have sex without a condom so you would get pregnant?
q331_l	[s331_L] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband taken off a condom after you agreed to use one?
q331_m	[s331_M] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband taken your birth control (pills, condoms) from you so you would get pregnant?
q331_n	[s331_N] In the past 12 months has a boyfriend or husband kept you from going to the clinic to get your birth control so you would get pregnant?
	You are progressing very well, thank you. Now we have some questions about your current or most recent husband/partner. If you have had more than one partner/husband, please report only about the current/most recent one.
	RESPONDENT AND HER PARTENER
q332	[s332] How old is your current/ most recent husband/partner?
q333	[s333] Do/did you and he both have the same level of education or do you have more schooling or does he have more schooling?
q334	[s334] What is/was the employment status of your current/most recent partner?
q335	[s335] Do/did you and he both earn the same amount of money or does/did he earn more money or do you earn more money?
q336	[s336] Does your family own land for farming?
q337	[s337] Who in your family has the final say about decisions involving how your family spends income from your farm lands?
q337_other	[s337] Other specify
q338	[s338] Who in your family has the final say about whether girls should go to school?
q338_other	[s338] Other specify
q339	[s339] Who in your relationship has the final say about whether you will have sex?

q340	[s340] In your relationship with your partner, how often would you say that you quarreled?
q341	[s341] Who in your household usually has the final say regarding the health of women in the family? Would you say yourself, your partner or both equally?
q342	[s342] Who in your household usually has the final say about decisions involving your children (their schooling, their activities)? Would you say yourself, your partner or both equally?
q343	[s343] Who has the final say about decisions involving how your family spends money on food and clothing? Would you say yourself, your partner or both equally?
q344	[s344] Who has the final say about decisions involving how your family spends money on large investments such as buying a car, or a house or a household appliance? Would you say yourself, your partner or both equally?
q345	[s345] How often does/did your husband/partner drink alcohol?
q346	[s346] In the <u>past 12 months</u> , how often have you seen your husband / partner drunk?
q347	[s347] Does/did your husband/partner ever use drugs? Would you say every day or nearly every day, weekly, once a month, less than once a month, or never?
q348	[s348] How likely do you think it is that your <u>current/most recent</u> husband/partner is/was having sex with someone else? Would you say definitely he was, probably he was, probably not or definitely not?
	The next set of statements are about your relationship with your <u>current or most recent main partner</u>, please say for each if you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree:
q349_a	[s349_A]When he wants sex he expects me to agree.
q349_b	[s349_B] If I asked him to use a condom, he would get angry.
q349_c	[s349_C] He won't let me wear certain things.
q349_d	[s349_D] He has more to say than I do about important decisions that affect us.
q349_e	[s349_E] He tells me who I can spend time with.
q349_f	[s349_F] When I wear things to make me look beautiful he thinks I may be trying to attract other men.
q349_g	[s349_G] He wants to know where I am all of the time.
q349_h	[s349_H] He lets me know I am not the only partner he could have.
	EMOTIONAL & ECONOMIC VIOLENCE
	Men often fight with their partners and often these fights get physical. The next questions ask about this because we want to learn more about what women experience in their lives. I want you to answer freely and remember that everything you answer will be confidential. The next few questions are things that you may have experienced from your current or previous boyfriend, partner or husband. The questions we ask are about your whole life, including when you were a girl. Remember that what you answer here cannot be linked to you in any way.
q350_a	[s350_A] In the past 12 months how often did your partner stop you from getting a job, going to work, trading or earning money?

q350_b	[s350_B]In the last 12 months how many times has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband belittled or humiliated you?
q350_c	[s350_C]In the last 12 months how many times has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband done things to scare or intimidate you on purpose for example by the way he looked at you, by yelling and smashing things?
q350_d	[s350_D]In the last 12 months how many times has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband threatened to hurt you?
q350_e	[s350_E]In the last 12 months how many times has your current or ex-boyfriend or husband boasted about or brought home girlfriends?
	We will now ask the same questions but about any time in your life.
q351_a	[s351_A]Has your partner ever stopped you from getting a job, going to work, trading or earning money?
q351_b	[s351_B] Has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband ever belittled or humiliated you?
q351_c	[s351_C] Has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband ever done things to scare or intimidate you on purpose for example by the way he looked at you, by yelling and smashing things?
q351_d	[s351_D] Has your current or ex-boyfriend, or husband ever threatened to hurt you?
	PHYSICAL IPV
	Men and women often fight and these can get physical. Some women find these questions hard to answer, others easy. Remember everything you share here will only be used for research purposes and will be kept secret. We are interested now in your relationship with current boyfriend or husband or ANY other previous boyfriend or husband.
q352_a	[s352_A] In the last 12 months how many times has your current or any previous husband or boyfriend slapped you or thrown something at you which could hurt?
q352_b	[s352_B] In the last 12 months how many times has your current or any previous husband or boyfriend pushed or shoved you?
q352_c	[s352_C] In the last 12 months how many times has your current or any previous husband or boyfriend hit you with a fist or with something else which could hurt?
q352_d	[s352_D] In the last 12 months how many times has your current or any previous husband or boyfriend kicked, dragged, beaten, choked or burnt you?
q352_e	[s352_E] In the last 12 months how many times has your current or any previous husband or boyfriend threatened to use or actually use a gun, knife or other weapon against you?
q352	
q352_f	[s352_F] In the last 12 months, were any of your children ever present or did they ever over hear you being beaten by your partner?
q352_g	[s352_G] If 'YES' to F, how many times?
	We will now ask the same questions about any time in your life.
q353_a	[s353_A] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend slapped you or thrown something at you which could hurt?

q353_b	[s353_B] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend pushed or shoved you?
q353_c	[s353_C] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend hit you with a fist or with something else which could hurt?
q353_d	[s353_D] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend kicked, dragged, beaten, choked or burnt you?
q353_e	[s353_E] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend threatened to use or actually use a gun, knife or other weapon against you?
q353_f	[s353_F] For any of the experiences of physical violence, were any of your children ever present or did they ever over hear you being beaten by your partner?
q353_g	[s353_G] If 'YES' to F, how many times?
	SEXUAL IPV
	The next few questions are about things you may have experienced with men who are your <u>current or previous</u> boyfriends, husband or partner. We want to understand whether these things have happened in your whole life, including when you were a girl. Please feel free in answering these questions.
q354_a	[s354_A] In the past 12 months, how many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend ever physically forced you to have sex when you did not want to?
q354_b	[s354_B] In the past 12 months, how many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend, husband or partner used threats or intimidation (but not physical force) to get you to have sex when you did not want to?
q354_c	[s354_C] In the past 12 months, how many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend ever forced you to do something else sexual that you did not want to do?
q354_d	[s354_D] In the past 12 months, how many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend forced you to watch pornography when you did not want to?
q354_e	[s354_E] In the past 12 months, how many times did any of your children see or overhear your current or previous husband or boyfriend forcing you to have sex when you did not want to?
	We will now ask the same questions about whether these happened in the whole of your life.
q355_a	[s355_A] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend ever physically forced you to have sex when you did not want to?
q355_b	[s355_B] How many times has a current or previous husband or boyfriend, husband or partner used threats or intimidation (but not physical force) to get you to have sex when you did not want to?
q355_c	[s355_C] How many times did a current or previous husband or boyfriend ever force you to do something else sexual that you did not want to do?
q355_d	[s355_D] How many times ever has a current or previous husband or boyfriend forced you to watch pornography when you did not want to?

q355_e	[s355_E] How many times did any of your children see or overhear your current or previous husband or boyfriend forcing you to have sex when you did not want to?
	SEXUAL NON-PARTNER VIOLENCE
	The next questions are about things that may have happened to you with men who were NOT your boyfriend, partner or husband.
q356_a	[s356_A] In the past 12 months how many times has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband forced or persuaded you to have sex against your will?
q356_b	[s356_B] In the past 12 months how many times has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband tried to force you to have sex against your will and did not succeed?
q356_c	[s356_C] In the past 12 months how many times has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband forced you to have sex against your will when you were too drunk or drugged to refuse?
q356_d	[s356_D] In the past 12 months how many times did two or more men force you to have sex with them at the same time against your will?
q356_e	[s356_E] In the past 12 months how many times did two or more men force you to have sex with them at the same time against your will when you were too drunk or drugged to refuse?
q356_f	[s356_F] In the past 12 months how many times was there an occasion when you agreed to have sex with one man and one or more others who you had not agreed to have sex with forced you to have sex with them as well?
	We will now ask the same questions about whether these happened in the whole of your life.
q357_a	[s357_A] How many times has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband ever forced or persuaded you to have sex against your will?
q357_b	[s357_B] How many times has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband ever tried to force you to have sex against your will and did not succeed?
q357_c	[s357_C] How many times ever has any man who is NOT your boyfriend or husband ever forced you to have sex against your will when you were too drunk or drugged to refuse?
q357_d	[s357_D] How many times ever did two or more men force you to have sex with them at the same time against your will?
q357_e	[s357_E] How many times ever did two or more men force you to have sex with them at the same time against your will when you were too drunk or drugged to refuse?
q357_f	[s357_F] How many times ever was there an occasion when you agreed to have sex with one man and one or more others who you had not agreed to have sex with forced you to have sex with them as well?
	SEXUAL IPV
	INJURIES & HELP SEEKING
	I would now like to learn more about the injuries that you experienced from (<u>any</u> of) your partner's acts that we have talked about. By injury, I mean any form of physical harm, including cuts, sprains, burns, broken bones or broken teeth, or other things like this.
q358	[s358] In the last 12 months, how many times were you injured by (any of) your husband/partner(s)? Would you say never, once or twice, several times or many times?

q359	[s359] In the last 12 months, did you have to stay in bed because of these injuries?
q360	[s360] In the last 12 months, did you take days off from income generating work because of these injuries?
q361	[s361] In the last 12 months, did you seek medical attention for these injuries?
q362	[s362] What form of treatment did you receive?
q362_other	[s362_other] Other specify
q363	[s363] In the last 12 months, did you tell the health care worker about the cause of your injury?
q364	[s364] What was the main reason why you didn't tell them the cause of your injury?
q364_other	[s364_other] Other specify
q365	[s365] In the last 12 months, have you reported any abuse or threats to the police?
q366	[s366] How did the police respond?
q366_other	[s366_other] Other specify
q367	[s367] In the last 12 months, have you told anyone in your family about these things you have experienced from your husband/partner?
q368	[s368] Did you tell:
q368_a	[s368_A] Female member of your family
q368_b	[s368_B] Male member of your family
q368_c	[s368_C] Female member of your in-laws
q368_d	[s368_D] Male member of your in-laws
q368_e	[s368_E] Your child/children
q368	
q369	[s369] How did they respond? Did they do the following:
q369_a	[s369_A] Blamed you for it
q369_b	[s369_B] Supported you
q369_c	[s369_C] Were indifferent
q369_d	[s369_D] Told you to keep it quiet
q369_e	[s369_E] Advised you to report to police
	SECTION 4: HEALTH & WELLBEING
	We would now like to ask you some questions about your health and well-being.

	The next questions we would like to ask are about how you have been feeling in the <u>past week</u>. Each question is a statement; please answer how many days you have had particular feelings or ideas or whether you have not had them at all. There are four options: rarely or never, some or a little of the time, a moderate amount of time, or most or all of the time.
	CES-D SCALE:
q401_a	[s401_A] During the past week I was bothered by things that usually don't bother me
q401_b	[s401_B] During the past week I did not feel like eating, my appetite was poor
q401_c	[s401_C] During the past week I felt I could not cheer myself up even with the help of family and friends
q401_d	[s401_D] During the past week I felt I was just as good as other people
q401_e	[s401_E] During the past week I had trouble keeping my mind on what I was doing
q401_f	[s401_F] During the past week I felt depressed
q401_g	[s401_G] During the past week I felt that everything I did was an effort
q401_h	[s401_H] During the past week I felt hopeful about the future
q401_i	[s401_I] During the past week I thought my life had been a failure
q401_j	[s401_J] During the past week I felt fearful
q401_k	[s401_K] During the past week my sleep was restless
q401_l	[s401_L] During the past week I was happy
q401_m	[s401_M] During the past week I talked less than usual
q401_n	[s401_N] During the past week I felt lonely
q401_o	[s401_O] During the past week people were unfriendly
q401_p	[s401_P] During the past week I enjoyed life
q401_q	[s401_Q] During the past week I had crying spells
q401_r	[s401_R] During the past week I felt sick
q401_s	[s401_S] During the past week I felt that people dislike me
q401_t	[s401_T] During the past week I could not get 'going'
q401	
q402	[s402] Thank you for answering those questions. I now want you to think about your whole life experience. Have you ever thought about ending your life?
q403	[s403] Have you ever tried to take your life?
q404	[s404] In the past FOUR WEEKS, has the thought of ending your life been in your mind?
q405	[s405] Have you ever had an HIV test?
q406	[s406] Have you had an HIV test in the past 12 months?
	INJURIES & HELP SEEKING

	DISABILITY QUESTIONS
	The next questions ask about difficulties you may have doing certain activities because of a HEALTH PROBLEM.
q407_a	[s407_A] Do you have difficulty seeing, even if wearing glasses?
q407_b	[s407_B] Do you have difficulty hearing even with a hearing aid?
q407_c	[s407_C] Do you have difficulty walking or climbing steps?
q407_d	[s407_D] Do you have difficulty remembering or concentrating?
q407_e	[s407_E] Do you have difficulty in speaking?
	SUBSTANCE USE
q408	[s408] How often do you have a drink containing alcohol?
q409	[s409] Have you drunk alcohol in the past 12 months?
q410	[s410] How many drinks containing alcohol do you have on a typical day when you are drinking?
q411	[s411] How often do you have six or more drinks on one occasion?
q412	[s412] How often in the past year did you find you were not able to stop drinking once you started?
q413	[s413] How often during the past year did you find you need a drink in the morning to get you going after a heavy drinking session?
q414	[s414] How often in the past year have you failed to do what was normally expected from you because of drinking?
q415	[s415] How often in the past year have you had a feeling of guilt or remorse after drinking?
q416	[s416] How often in the past year were you unable to remember what happened the night before because of your drinking?
q417	[s417] Have you or someone else been injured as a result of your drinking?
q418	[s418] Has a friend or relative or doctor or health worker been concerned about your drinking and suggested that you cut down?
q419	[s419] Have you ever quarrelled with any of your male sexual partners about your drinking?
q420	[s420] In the last 12 months have you used drugs to make you high or have a good time?
q421	[s421] Specify drug(s)
q422	[s422] How were these drugs administered?
q422_other	[s422] Other specify

	SECTION 5: POLICIES & RELEVANT LAWS
	Thank you for answering those questions. We are almost finished now. This section will ask you about your knowledge of some laws and policies in Ghana. I am going to read you some statements relating to domestic violence in Ghana and I want you to tell me if you think the statements are true or false. “READ OUT ALL OPTIONS EXCEPT DON’T KNOW”
q501	[s501] Are there any laws in Ghana about violence against women?
q502	[s502] Are there any laws in Ghana about domestic violence?
q503	[s503] In Ghana, it is not a criminal offense for persons in a domestic relationship (married or cohabitating) to engage in domestic violence against their partner.
q504	[s504] A person in a domestic relationship who engages in domestic violence commits an offence, and if convicted, can spend up to two years in prison and also be fined.
q505	[s505] The Court in Ghana can make anyone who commits domestic violence to pay compensation to the victim as the Court may determine.
q506	[s506] If a cause for domestic violence complaint has arisen between persons in a domestic relationship and the two people do not live together , it is a criminal offense for either party to enter into the residence of the other person without that other person's permission.
q507	[s507] The use of violence of any kind (sexual, physical, and emotional) in a domestic relationship could be justified on the basis of consent .
q508	[s508] One single isolated act of domestic violence (of any kind) among a married couple or lovers is not a criminal offense in Ghana.
q509	[s509] In order for any act to be classified as an act of domestic violence, there must have been number of similar previous acts that form a pattern of behaviour .
q510	[s510] According to the law, if a husband forces his wife to have sex against her will , he will be committing a criminal act (that is, the husband can be fined or put in jail)?
	LAWS /POLICIES ON ABORTION IN GHANA
q511	[s511] Are there any laws/policies in Ghana about abortion?
q512	[s512] It is NOT a criminal offense for a pregnancy to be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer on any premises that has been registered for medical practice.
q513	[s513] Pregnancy can be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer in cases of rape and this will not be considered a criminal offense.
q514	[s514] Pregnancy can be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer in cases of incest and this will not be considered a criminal offense.
q515	[s515] Pregnancy cannot be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer even if the physical or mental health of the woman is threatened.
q516	[s516] Pregnancy cannot be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer even if the foetus is abnormal.
q517	[s517] The law in Ghana says that no matter how old a pregnancy is (gestational age), it can be terminated by a qualified gynaecologist or any other registered medical officer on a premises that has been registered for medical practice.

	SECTION 6: COMMUNITY SENSITISATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN
q601_a	[s601_A] In the past 12 months, have you heard of any campaigns or activities in your community or workplace that talk about preventing violence against women?
q601_b	[s601_B] In the past 12 months, have you heard information about violence against women on the radio, television, billboards, magazines or posters?
q601_c	[s601_C] In the past 12 months, have you received any pamphlet or information about violence against women?
q601_d	[s601_D] In the past 12 months, how many times did you view a drama or film about the relationship between men and women?
q601_e	[s601_E] In the past 12 months, how many times have you seen presentations with videos about relationships between men and women? This might be in someone's home or a public place.
q601_f	[s601_F] In the past 12 months, how many times have you taken part in discussions about relationships at a drinking bar/spot?
q601_g	[s601_G] In the past 12 months, how many times have you taken part in discussions about relationships at a church?
	WE HAVE NOW COME TO THE <u>END OF THIS SURVEY</u> . THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR PARTICIPATING!