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MEN'S QUESTIONNAIRE

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	SECTION 1: BACKGROUND & WORK
	<b>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.</b>
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
q109c	[s109c] What type of group/society is this?
q109c_other	[s109c_oth] Other specify
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/ mosque/ other religious group?
q112	[s112] Are you currently married or living with a woman or do you have a girlfriend?
q112b	[s112b] In the past 12 months, have you had a girlfriend?
q113	[s113] How old were you when you first got married?
	<b>WORK, MONEY &amp; HOUSEHOLD FOOD INSECURITY</b>
q114a	[s114a] In the past month, did you WORRY that your household would not have enough food?
q114b	[s114b] How often did this happen?
q115a	[s115a] 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?
q115b	[s115b] How often did this happen?
q116a	[s116a] In the past month, did you or any household member HAVE TO EAT A LIMITED VARIETY OF FOODS due to a lack of resources?
q116b	[s116b] How often did this happen?
q117a	[s117] 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?
q117b	[s117b] How often did this happen?
q118a	[s118a] 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?
q118b	[s118b] How often did this happen?
q119a	[s119a] In the past month, did you or any household member have to EAT FEWER MEALS IN A DAY because there was not enough food?
q119b	[s119b] How often did this happen?

q120a	[s120a] 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?
q120b	[s120b] How often did this happen?
q121a	[s121a] In the past month, did you or any household member GO TO SLEEP AT NIGHT HUNGRY because there was not enough food?
q121b	[s121b] How often did this happen?
q122a	[s122a] In the past month did you or any of your household GO A WHOLE DAY AND NIGHT WITHOUT EATING because of lack of food?
q122b	[s122b] How often did this happen?
q123	[s123] If you had an emergency at home and needed <b>50 GH¢</b> , how easy would you say it would be to find the money?
q124	[s124] How often in the past month have you taken something that was not yours because you did not have enough food or money?
q125	[s125] In the past 12 months how often did you work?
q126a	[s126a] Have you worked or earned money in the last 3 months?
q126b	[s126b] Have you received any remittances in the last 3 months?
q127	[s127] In the last month, how many days did you work for yourself or other people?
q128	[s128] Considering all the money you earned from jobs or selling things, how much did you earn last month?
q129	[s129] Do you usually earn each month throughout the year, many months but not all, once in a while or you've never worked?
q130	[s130] In the last month did you receive income from a child support?
	<b>LIFE SATISFACTION</b>
q131_a	[s131_a] In most ways my life is close to my ideal.
q131_b	[s131_b] The conditions of my life are excellent.
q131_c	[s131_c] I am satisfied with my life.
q131_d	[s131_d] So far I have gotten the important things I want in life.
q132	[132_e] Now we would like to ask you to think about yourself as a man and to think about what is important for a man of your age to be respected and successful.
	<b>CHILDHOOD TRAUMA</b>
q133_a	[s133_a] Before I reached 18 I did not have enough to eat.
q133_b	[s133_b] Before I reached 18 I lived in different households at different times.
q133_c	[s133_c] Before I reached 18 I saw or heard my mother being beaten by her husband or boyfriend.

q133_d	[s133_d] Before I reached 18 I was told I was lazy or stupid or weak by someone in my family.
q133_e	[s133_e] Before I reached 18 someone touched my buttocks or genitals or made me touch them when I did not want to.
q133_f	[s133_f] Before I reached 18 I was insulted or humiliated by someone in my family in front of other people.
q133_g	[s133_g] Before I reached 18 I was beaten at home with a belt or stick or whip or something else which was hard.
q133_h	[s133_h] Before I reached 18 I had sex with a woman who was more than 5 years older than me.
q133_i	[s133_i] Before I reached 18 one or both of my parents were too drunk or drugged to take care of me .
q133_j	[s133_j] Before I reached 18 I was beaten so hard at home that it left a mark or bruise .
q133_k	[s133_k] Before I reached 18 I spent time outside the home and none of the adults at home knew where I was.
q133_l	[s133_l] Before I reached 18 I had sex with someone because I was threatened or frightened or forced.
	<b>SECTION 2 : ATTITUDES ABOUT RELATIONS BETWEEN MEN AND WOMEN</b>
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.
	<b>INDIVIDUAL ATTITUDES</b>
q201_i	[s201_i] I think that a woman should obey her husband in all things.
q201_j	[s201_j] I think that a man should have the final say in all family matters.
q201_k	[s201_k] I think that a woman needs her husband's permission to do paid work.
q201_l	[s201_l] I think that a woman cannot refuse to have sex with her husband.

q201_m	[s201_m] I think if a woman does not physically fight back, it's not rape .
q201_n	[s201_n] I think that there is nothing a woman can do if her husband wants to have girlfriends .
q201_o	[s201_o] I think that men should share the work around the house with women such as doing dishes, cleaning and cooking.
q201_p	[s201_p] I think that children belong to a man and his family.
q201_q	[s201_q] I think that if a wife does something wrong her husband has the right to punish her.
q201_r	[s201_r] I think that if a man has paid bride price for his wife, he owns her.
q201_s	[s201_s] I think that if a man beats his partner it shows that he loves her.
	<b>SOCIAL NORMS</b>
q202_a	[s202_a] My community thinks that a woman should obey her husband in all things.
q202_b	[s202_b] My community thinks that a man should have the final say in all family matters.
q202_c	[s202_c] My community thinks that a woman needs her husband's permission to do paid work.
q202_d	[s202_d] My community thinks that a woman cannot refuse to have sex with her husband.
q202_e	[s202_e] My community thinks that there is nothing a woman can do if her husband wants to have girlfriends.
q202_f	[s202_f] My community thinks that if a wife does something wrong her husband has the right to punish her.
q202_g	[s202_g] My community thinks that if a man has paid bride price for his wife, he owns her.
q202_h	[s202_h] My community thinks that a married man has a right to have sex with his wife.
q202_j	[s202_j] My community thinks that if a man beats his partner it shows that he loves her.
	<b>SECTION 3: SEXUAL BEHAVIOUR</b>
	<b>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.</b>
	<b>PAST SEXUAL EXPERIENCES</b>
q301	[s301] Have you ever used a condom?
q302	[s302] At what age did you first have sex?
q302_cmt	[s302_cmt] Comments "if never had sex"

q303	[s303] Who was this with?
q303_other	[s303] Other specify
q304	[s304] How would you describe your sexual relationship with your main partner?
	<b>RECENT SEXUAL EXPERIENCES</b>
q305	[s305] The last time you had sex, was it with a main partner, another partner (e.g. girlfriend), or one off partner or ex-partner?
q306	[s306] The last time you had sex, did you use a condom for every round?
q307	[s307] How often have you used condoms in the last 12 months? Would you say you used them always, often or sometimes?
q308	[s308] How many main partners have you had sex with in the last 12 months?
q309	[s309] How many other sexual partners (apart from your main partner) or people you just went with once have you had sex with in the last 12 months?
	<b>LIFETIME SEXUAL EXPERIENCES</b>
q310	[s310] How many main partners have you had sex with in your life?
q311	[s311] How many other sexual partners (casual and one off) or people you just went with once have you had sex with in your life?
	<b>[s312] Please think about the sexual partners that you have had sex with just once in your life. Do you think any of them may have become involved with you because they received or expected to receive any of the following, or because you did do any of the following :</b>
q312_a	[s312_a] Drugs, food, cosmetics, clothes, a cell phone, transportation or anything else they couldn't afford by themselves
q312_b	[s312_b] Somewhere for them to stay
q312_c	[s312_c] Somewhere to sleep for the night
q312_d	[s312_d] Gave Items or did something for their children or family
q312_e	[s312_e] Cash or money to pay her bills or school fees
q313	[s313] In the past 12 months, have you had sex with a sex worker?
	<b>CONTRACEPTION AND CHILDREN</b>
q314	[s314] Are you and your girlfriend/wife doing anything to avoid pregnancy?
q315	[s315] Do you have any biological children?
q316	[s316] How many biological children

q317	[s317] For your first child at the time this happened did you want her to become pregnant then, did you want to wait until later, or did you not want to have a child?
q318	[s318] With your first child did you agree you were responsible for the pregnancy?
q319	[s319] How old were you when you had your first child?
q320	[s320] Do you have any biological children who do not live with you?
q321	[s321] Do you give money or buy items (e.g. nappies, formula) for your child who does not live with you for their upkeep? If so how often?
q322	[s322] In the last 3 months how much money did you give for their upkeep?
q323	[s323] How many children are you currently financially supporting?
q324	[s324] Of the children that you are currently financially supporting, how many are children of family members/ extended relatives?
	<b>You are progressing very well, thank you. Now we have some questions about your current or most recent partner. If you have had more than one partner/wife, please report only about the current/most recent one.</b>
	<b>RESPONDENT AND HER PARTNER</b>
q325	[s325] How old is your current/ most recent partner?
q326	[s326] Do/did you and she both have the same level of education or do you have more schooling or does she have more schooling?
q326_other	[s326] Other specify
q327	[s327] What is/was the employment status of your current/most recent partner?
q328	[s328] Do/did you and she both earn the same amount of money or does/did she earn more money or do you earn more money?
q329	[s329] Does your family own land for farming?
q330	[s330] Who in your family has the final say about decisions involving how your family spends income from your farm lands?
q330_other	[s330] Other specify
q331	[s331] Who in your family has the final say about whether girls should go to school?
q331_other	[s331] Other specify
q332	[s332] Who in your relationship has the final say about whether you will have sex?
q332_other	[s332] Other specify
q333	[s333] In your relationship with your partner, how often would you say that you quarreled?

q334	[s334] 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?
q334_other	[s334] Other specify
q335	[s335] 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?
q336	[s336] 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?
q336_other	[s336] Other specify
q337	[s337] 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?
q337_other	[s337] Other specify
	<b>The next set of statements are about your relationship with your <u>current or most recent main</u> partner, please say for each if you strongly agree, agree, disagree or strongly disagree:</b>
	<b>RELATIONSHIP CONTROL SCALE</b>
q338_a	[s338_a] When I want sex I expect my partner to agree .
q338_b	[s338_b] If my partner asked me to use a condom, I would get angry.
q338_c	[s338_c] I won't let my partner wear certain things.
q338_d	[s338_d] I have more to say than she does about important decisions that affect us.
q338_e	[s338_e] I tell her who she can spend time with.
q338_f	[s338_f] When my partner wears things to make her look beautiful I think she may be trying to attract other men.
q338_g	[s338_g] I want to know where my partner is all of the time.
q338_h	[s338_h] I like to let her know she isn't the only partner I could have.
	<b>EMOTIONAL &amp; ECONOMIC VIOLENCE</b>
	<b>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 men experience in their lives. I want you to answer freely and remember that everything you answer will be confidential.</b>

	<b>The next few questions are things that you may have experienced with your current or previous girlfriend, partner or wife. The questions we ask are about your whole life, including when you were a boy. Remember that what you answer here cannot be linked to you in any way.</b>
q339_a	[s339_A] In the past 12 months how often did you stop your partner from getting a job, going to work, trading or earning money?
q339_b	[s339_B] In the last 12 months how many times have you belittled or humiliated a current or ex-girlfriend, partner, or wife or someone she cares about?
q339_c	[s339_C] In the last 12 months how many times have you ever done things to scare or intimidate a current or ex-girlfriend, partner or wife on purpose for example by the way you looked at her, by yelling and smashing things?
q339_d	[s339_D] In the last 12 months how many times have you threatened to hurt your current or ex-girlfriend, partner or wife?
q339_e	[s339_E] In the last 12 months how many times have you boasted about or brought home girlfriends?
q339_f	[s339_F] In the past 12 months how often did you collect/deny your current/ most recent partner the right to use money she earned from working?
	<b>We will now ask the same questions but about any point in time in your life</b>
q340_a	[s340_A] Have you ever stopped a partner from getting a job, going to work, trading or earning money?
q340_b	[s340_B] Have you ever belittled or humiliated a current or ex-girlfriend?
q340_c	[s340_C] Have you ever done things to scare or intimidate a current or ex-girlfriend, or wife on purpose for example by the way you looked at her, by yelling and smashing things?
q340_d	[s340_D] Have you ever threatened to hurt a current or ex-girlfriend, or wife?
q340_e	[s340_E] Have you ever collected/denied a current, ex-girlfriend or partner the right to use money she earned from working?
	<b>PHYSICAL IPV</b>

	<p><b>Men and women often fight and these can get physical. Some men 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 girlfriend or wife or ANY other previous girlfriend or wife.</b></p>
q341_a	[s341_A] In the last 12 months how many times did you slap your current or previous girlfriend or wife or throw something at her which could hurt her?
q341_b	[s341_B] In the last 12 months how many times have you pushed or shoved your current or any previous wife or girlfriend?
q341_c	[s341_C] In the last 12 months how many times did you hit your current or previous girlfriend or wife with a fist or with something else which could hurt her?
q341_d	[s341_D] In the last 12 months how many times did you kick, drag, beat, choke or burn your current or previous girlfriend or wife?
q341_e	[s341_E] In the last 12 months how many times did you threaten to use or actually used a gun, knife or other weapons against your current or previous girlfriend or wife?
q341	
q341_f	[s341_F] In the last 12 months, were any of your children ever present or did they overhear you beat your partner?
q341_g	[s341_G] If 'YES' to F, how many times?
	<p><b>We will now ask the same questions but about any point in time in your life.... For any of the experiences of physical violence, were any of your children ever present or did they ever overhear your beat up your partner?</b></p>
q342_a	[s342_a] How many times have you ever slapped your current or previous girlfriend or wife or thrown something at her which could hurt her?
q342_b	[s342_b] How many times have you ever pushed or shoved your current or previous girlfriend or wife?
q342_c	[s342_c] How many times have you ever hit your current or previous girlfriend or wife with a fist or with something else which could hurt her?
q342_d	[s342_d] How many times have you ever kicked, dragged, beaten, choked or burnt your current or previous girlfriend or wife?

q342_e	[s342_e] How many times have you ever threatened to use or actually use a gun, knife or other weapon against your current or previous girlfriend or wife?
q342	
q342_f	[s342_F] For any of the experiences of physical violence, were any of your children ever present or did they ever over heard you beat up your partner?
q342_g	[s342_G] If 'YES' to F, how many times?
	<b>SEXUAL IPV</b>
	<b>The next few questions are about things you may have experienced with women who are your <u>current or previous</u> girlfriends, wife or partner. We want to understand whether these things have happened in your whole life, including when you were a boy. Please feel free in answering these questions.</b>
q343_a	[s343_a] In the last 12 months, how many times have you forced your current or previous girlfriend or wife to have sex with you when she did not want to?
q343_b	[s343_b] In the last 12 months, how many times have you had sex with your current or previous girlfriend/wife when you knew she didn't want it but you believed she should agree because she is your wife/partner?
q343_c	[s343_c] In the last 12 months, how many times have you forced your current or previous girlfriend or wife to watch pornography when she didn't want to?
q343_d	[s343_d] In the last 12 months, how many times have you forced your current or previous girlfriend or wife to do something sexual that she did not want to do?
q343_e	[s343_e] In the past 12 months, how many times did any of your children see or overhear you forcing your current or previous wife or girlfriend to have sex when she did not want to?
	<b>We will now ask the same questions about whether these happened in the whole of your life.</b>
q344_a	[s344_a] How many times have you ever forced your current or previous girlfriend or wife to have sex with you when she did not want to?
q344_b	[s344_b] How many times have you ever had sex with your current or previous girlfriends/wife when you knew she didn't want it but you believed she should agree because she was your wife/partner?

q344_c	[s344_c] How many times did a current or previous wife or girlfriend ever force you to do something else sexual that you did not want to do?
q344_d	[s344_d] How many times have you ever forced your current or previous girlfriend or wife to watch pornography when she didn't want to?
	<b>SEXUAL NON-PARTNER VIOLENCE</b>
	<b>These next questions are about things you may have done with women who were not your girlfriend or wife.</b>
q345_a	[s345_a] In the last 12 months how many times have you forced or persuaded a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the time to have sex with you?
q345_b	[s345_b] In the last 12 months how many times have you had sex with a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife when she was too drunk or drugged to stop you?
q345_c	[s345_c] In the last 12 months how many times have you tried to force or persuade any woman who was NOT your girlfriend or partner to have sex with you, but did not succeed?
q345_d	[s345_d] In the last 12 months how many times have you and other men had sex with a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the same time when she didn't agree to sex or you forced her?
q345_e	[s345_e] In the last 12 months how many times have you and other men had sex with a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the same time when she was too drunk or drugged to stop you?
	<b>We will now ask the same questions about whether these happened in the whole of your life.</b>
q346_a	[s346_a] How many times have you ever forced or persuaded a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the time to have sex with you?
q346_b	[s346_b] How many times has any woman who is NOT your girlfriend or wife ever tried to force you to have sex against your will and did not succeed?
q346_c	[s346_c] How many times ever have you tried to force or persuade any woman who was NOT your girlfriend or partner to have sex with you, but did not succeed?
q346_d	[s346_d] How many times have you and other men ever had sex with a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the same time when she didn't agree to sex or you forced her?

q346_e	[s346_e] How many times have you and other men ever had sex with a woman or girl who was not your girlfriend or wife at the same time when she was too drunk or drugged to stop you?
	<b>SECTION 4: HEALTH &amp; WELLBEING</b>
	<b>We would now like to ask you some questions about your health and well-being.</b>
	<b>The next questions we would like to ask are about how you have been feeling in the past week. 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.</b>
	<b>CES-D SCALE:</b>
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’.
	<b>[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?</b>
q403	[s403] Have you ever tried to take your life?
q404	[s404] In the past <u>four weeks</u> , 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?
	<b>HTQ: We will now ask you some questions about your whole life. You can either answer yes or no.</b>
q407_a	[s407_a] Have you ever witnessed a murder of any family or friend
q407_b	[s407_b] Have you ever witnessed the murder of a stranger or someone you knew
q407_c	[s407_c] Have you ever witnessed any other armed attack on someone
q407_d	[s407_d] Have you ever experienced torture
q407_e	[s407_e] Have you ever been robbed at gunpoint or knifepoint?
q407_f	[s407_f] Have you ever been kidnapped?
q407_g	[s407_g] Have you ever been or felt that you were close to death?
q407_h	[s407_h] Have you ever witnessed someone being raped?
	<b>[408] The following are symptoms that people sometimes have after experiencing hurtful or terrifying events in their lives. Please read each one carefully and decide how much the symptoms bothered you in the past week.</b>
q408_a	[s408_a] In the past week have you had recurrent thoughts or memories of the most hurtful or terrifying events.
q408_b	[s408_b] In the past week have you felt as though the event is happening again.
q408_c	[s408_c] In the past week have you had recurrent nightmares.
q408_d	[s408_d] In the past week have you felt detached or withdrawn from people.
q408_e	[s408_e] In the past week have you been unable to feel emotions.
q408_f	[s408_f] In the past week have you been feeling jumpy, easily startled.
q408_g	[s408_g] In the past week have you had difficulty concentrating.
q408_h	[s408_h] In the past week have you had trouble sleeping.
q408_i	[s408_i] In the past week have you been feeling on guard.

q408_j	[s408_j] In the past week have you been feeling irritable or having outbursts of anger.
q408_k	[s408_k] In the past week have you been avoiding activities that remind you of the traumatic or hurtful events.
q408_l	[s408_l] In the past week have had an inability to remember parts of the most traumatic or hurtful events.
q408_m	[s408_m] In the past week you have had less interest in daily activities.
q408_n	[s408_n] In the past week you have been feeling as if you don't have a future.
q408_o	[s408_o] In the past week have you had a sudden emotional or physical reaction when reminded of the most traumatic or hurtful events.
q408_p	[s408_p] In the past week have you been avoiding thoughts or feelings associated with the traumatic or hurtful experiences.
	<b>SUBSTANCE USE</b>
q410	[s410] How often do you have a drink containing alcohol?
q411	[s411] Have you drunk alcohol in the past 12 months?
q412	[s412] How many drinks containing alcohol do you have on a typical day when you are drinking?
q413	[s413] How often do you have six or more drinks on one occasion?
q414	[s414] How often in the past year did you find you were not able to stop drinking once you started?
q415	[s415] 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?
q416	[s416] How often in the past year have you failed to do what was normally expected from you because of drinking?
q417	[s417] How often within the past year have you had a feeling of guilt or remorse after drinking?
q418	[s418] How often within the past year were you unable to remember what happened the night before because of your drinking?
q419	[s419] Have you or someone else been injured as a result of your drinking?
q420	[s420] Has a friend or relative or doctor or health worker been concerned about your drinking and suggested that you cut down?
q421	[s421] Have you ever quarrelled with any of your female sexual partners about your drinking?
q422	[s422] In the last 12 months have you used drugs to make you high or have a good time?
q423a_1	[s423a_1] Specify drug(s)
q423b_1	[s423b_1] How were these drugs administered?

q423b_1_other	[s423b_1_other] Other specify
q423a_2	[s423a_2] Specify drug(s)
q423b_2	[s423b_2] How were these drugs administered?
q423b_2_other	[s423b_2_other] Other specify
q423a_3	[s423a_3] Specify drug(s)
q423b_3	[s423b_3] How were these drugs administered?
q423b_3_other	[s423b_3_other] Other specify
q423a_4	[s423a_4] Specify drug(s)
q423b_4	[s423b_4] How were these drugs administered?
q423b_4_other	[s423b_4_other] Other specify
	<b>DISABILITY QUESTIONS</b>
	<b>[s424] The next questions ask about difficulties you may have in performing certain activities because of a health problem.</b>
q424_a	[s424_a] Do you have difficulty seeing, even if wearing glasses?
q424_b	[s424_b] Do you have difficulty hearing even with a hearing aid?
q424_c	[s424_c] Do you have difficulty walking or climbing stairs?
q424_d	[s424_d] Do you have difficulty remembering or concentrating?
q424_e	[s424_e] Do you have difficulty communicating (speaking for others to understand you or you understand them)?
q424_f	[s424_f] Do you have difficulty (with self-care such as) washing all over or dressing?"
	[s425_a] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in standing for long periods of time such as 30 minutes?
q425_b	[s425_b] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in taking care of your household responsibilities?
q425_c	[s425_c] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in learning a new task, for example, learning to get to a new place?
q425_d	[s425_d] In the past 30 days, how much of a problem did you have joining in community activities – for example festivities, religious or other activities – in the same way as anyone else?
q425_e	[s425_e] In the past 30 days, how much have you been emotionally affected by your health problems?
q425_f	[s425_f] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in concentrating on doing something for ten minutes?

q425_g	[s425_g] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in walking a long distance, such as a kilometre?
q425_h	[s425_h] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in washing your whole body?
q425_i	[s425_i] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in getting dressed?
q425_j	[s425_j] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in dealing with people you did not know?
q425_k	[s425_k] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in maintaining a friendship?
q425_l	[s425_l] In the past 30 days, how much difficulty did you have in your day-to-day work/school?
	<b>[s426] HOPE – I AM GOING TO READ SOME STATEMENTS TO YOU AND I NEED YOU TO TELL ME HOW TRUE OR FALSE THEY ARE IN RELATION TO YOUR OWN LIFE</b>
q426_a	[s426_a] I can think of many ways to get out of a difficult situation.
q426_b	[s426_b] I put lots of energy into pursuing my goals.
q426_c	[s426_c] There are lots of ways around any problem.
q426_d	[s426_d] I can think of many ways to get the things in life that are important to me.
q426_e	[s426_e] Even when others get discouraged, I know I can find a way to solve the problem.
q426_f	[s426_f] I meet the goals that I set for myself.
	<b>SECTION 5: POLICIES &amp; RELEVANT LAWS</b>
	<b>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 will read to 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”</b>
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 <b>a criminal offense</b> 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 <b><u>to pay compensation to the victim</u></b> 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 <b><u>do not live together</u></b> , 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 <b><u>justified on the basis of consent</u></b> .
q508	<b><u>[s508] One single isolated act of domestic violence</u></b> (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 a number of <b><u>similar previous acts that form a pattern of behaviour</u></b> .
q510	[s510] According to the law, if a husband forces his wife to have <b><u>sex against her will</u></b> , he will be committing a criminal act (that is, the husband can be fined or put in jail)?
note_qec_5_1	<b>LAWS /POLICIES ON ABORTION IN GHANA</b>
q511	[s511] Are there any laws/policies in Ghana about abortion?
q512	[s512] It is <b><u>NOT</u></b> 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 <b><u>cannot</u></b> 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 <b><u>cannot</u></b> 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.

	<b>SECTION 6: COMMUNITY SENSITISATION ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN</b>
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?
	s602: CONTACT WITH PROJECT (GHANA CHiPS)
q602_a	[s602a] Have you ever heard of COMBAT?
q602_b	[s602b] How did you hear about the COMBAT intervention?
q602_b_other	[s602b_other] Other specify
q602_c	[s602c] Please tell me some of the things you know the COMBATs do:
q602_c_i	[i] Community education/sensitization on family laws and violence against women and girls
q602_c_ii	[ii] Available for consultation on family/relationship issues
q602_c_iii	[iii] Home visits
q602_c_iv	[iv] One-on-one meetings/education on VAWG
q602_c_oth	[v] Other
q602_c_oth	Other specify
q602_c_v	[v] Other 1 (Specify)
q602_c_vi	[vi] Other 2 (Specify)
q602_c_vii	[vii] Other 3 (Specify)
q602_c_oth	
q602_d	[s602d] Apart from COMBAT, have you heard of any similar intervention in this area in the past 1 year?

q602_d_i	[s602d_ifyes] If Yes, ask for details (i. name, ii. Description)
q602_e	[s602e] Do you personally know any COMBAT member?
q602_f	[s602f] Have you participated in any COMBAT activity before?
q602_f_lbl	[s602f] If Yes, ask for details - Which of the following activities did you participate in?
q602_f_i	i. Community meeting/gathering
q602_f_ii	ii. Information center messages
q602_f_iii	iii. Home visit by COMBAT
q602_f_iv	iv. One on one meeting with COMBAT
q602_f_v	v. Other
q602_f_lbl	
q602_f_v_txt	v. Other (Specify venue and brief description)
q602_g	[s602g] How would you rate the(se) COMBAT-led activities in terms of: Options are 0-not at all, 1-a bit 2- a lot 3-very much
q602_g_i	[i] Relevance of messages
q602_g_ii	[ii] Understandability
q602_g_iii	[iii] Acceptability
q602_g_iv	[iv] Ability to change behaviour towards preventing VAWG
q602_g	
q602_h	[s602h] In the past 12 months, have you spoken with any COMBAT member about gender-based violence or health?
q602_h_i	[s602h.i] If yes, how often have you spoken with COMBAT(s) ?

WE HAVE NOW COME TO THE **END OF THIS SURVEY**. THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR PARTICIPATING!