**NRFU/Household Form– Version 1 Mobile Device Protocol**

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APPROACH**:**

* administer questions 1-6 to PARTICIPANT
* record participant responses [NRFU: on DEVICE/HHD: on paper screenshots]
* on separate protocol, NOTE ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFUSION participant has when ANSWERING THESE items, But do not ask any scripted probes until after q6
* NOTE WHETHER PARTICIPANT LISTS THE SAME PERSON ON MULTIPLE QUESTIONS
* [hhd: note any Usability issues and probe as necessary to understand]
* **[HHD: As you go through the survey, please read the survey questions aloud and tell me your answers. That will make it easier for me to follow along.]**

**Questions 1-6**

Q1-Q6 DEBRIEFING**:**

* **I would like to stop here for a moment to ask you a few follow-up questions about the items you just answered.** First, if they had any noticeable problems or confusion that they mentioned while answering these questions, go over these first. Then ask the following:

**1. Can you tell me in your own words what that series of questions was asking about?**

**3. How easy or difficult was it for you to decide who to include and who not to include on each question? Why was it easy/difficult?**

**4. Is there anyone that I asked about that you don’t really think should be included as living or staying here? Why?**

**5. Is there anything else I should know about who was living or staying here on January 15 that I didn’t ask about or that you did not have an opportunity to tell me about? IF YES, please explain.**

**6. Is there anyone you thought of mentioning but decided not to? IF YES, please explain.**

**7. When you answered these questions, were you thinking about January 15th or a different date? [IF NOT JAN 15]: What time period were you thinking of? Would your answers have been any different for January 15th compared to [TIME PERIOD THEY WERE THINKNG OF]?]**

* *pull out paper screenshots and turn to question 2a. administer scripted probes for questions 1-6. allow respondent to see the question and their response.*

1. **Please look at this calendar, on January 15, 2012 were you living or staying at this address?**
   1. Yes – **What is your name? Was there anyone else living or staying at this address on January 15, 2010? What is his/her name? Anyone else?** *Go to 3.*

**8. You listed [FILL NAMES]. How did you decide who to list in this question?**

* 1. No - *Go to c.*
  2. **Did anyone live at this address on January 15?**

**9. You said “YES/NO”. How did you come up with your answer to this question?**

**[]** Yes **– Do you know who lived here?**

Yes - **? What is his/her name? Anyone else?**

**10. You indicated that [FILL NAME(S)] was/were living here on January 15th. How sure or unsure are you of this information?**

*Complete this interview for those people if possible (going to 3), if not, go to d.*

*No – Go to d.*

[] No – *Go to d.*

[] Don’t know – *Go to d.*

* 1. **Where did you live on January 15, 2012?** *Get address. Complete this interview for that address.*

1. **There are certain types of people that are sometimes left off the census. Were there any additional people staying here on January 15th that you didn’t think of, for example:** 
   1. **Babies?** Y N
   2. **Foster children?** Y N
   3. **Any other relatives?** Y N
   4. **Roommates or people not related to you?** Y N

**20. In your own words, what is this question asking?** IF NECESSARY: **What does “There are certain types of people that are sometimes left off the census” mean to you?**

Yes for any **– What is that person’s name? Anyone else?**

**21. How did you come up with your answer to this question? Who were you thinking of?** DETERMINE IF THESE ARE THE SAME PEOPLE THOUGHT OF IN ANSWERING Q2 OR ADDITIONAL PEOPLE.

**22.** IF ADDITIONAL: **Initially you did not include [NAME]. Can you tell me more about that?**

Nofor all**–** Continue

**23. How helpful or unhelpful was this list of individuals – babies, foster children, etc?**

**24. Can you think of any other types of people that someone might not think to list?**

1. **Was there anyone else staying here on January 15st who had no permanent place to live?**

**25. In your own words, what is this question asking?**

**26. What does “no permanent place to live” mean as it is used in this question? What were you thinking of?**

Yes**– What is that person’s name? Anyone else?**

**27. How did you come up with your answer to this question? Who were you thinking of?** PROBE ON RELATIONSHIP TO PARTICIPANT. DETERMINE IF THESE ARE THE SAME PEOPLE THOUGHT OF IN ANSWERING Q2.

**28. Initially you did not include [NAME]. Can you tell me more about that?**

No **–** Continue

1. **Was there anyone else who usually lives or stays here but was away on January 15, 2012?**

**29. In your own words, what is this question asking?**

**30. If someone in your household was out of town, traveling on that day, how would you have answered? Why?**

**31. If someone was away from home at a friend’s or significant other’s house on that day, how should they answer? Why?**

Yes**– What is that person’s name? Anyone else?**

**32. You indicated that [NAME(s)] usually lives or stays here, but was away on January 15th. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No **–** Continue

1. **Was there anyone else living or staying here on January 15st who is no longer here?**

Yes **– What is that person’s name? Anyone else?**

No **–** Continue

* **Those are all the follow-up questions I have for this part. Let’s continue with the rest of the interview.**
* administer questions 7-15 to respondent
* record participant responses [NRFU: on DEVICE AND] on paper screenshots
* on separate protocol, NOTE ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFUSION participant has when ANSWERING THESE items, But do not ask any scripted probes until after q14
* hhD: note any usAbility issues and probe as necessary to understand
* hhd: remind participant to read questions aloud

**Questions 7-15.**

Q7-Q15 DEBRIEFING**:**

* **I would like to stop here for a moment to ask you a few follow-up questions about the items you just answered.**
* Probe briefly about their problems with the demographic questions, **but only if** they have expressed concern or difficulty. This is only to note their concerns.
* NEXT, if participant had any noticeable problems or confusion mentioned when answering these questions, go over these first. Then ask the following:

**33. In your own words, can you summarize what these questions were asking about? Do you remember the examples given?**

**34. When answering these questions, who were you thinking about?**

**35. What time period were you thinking about? (Examples – the past year, right now, the whole time you’ve lived at this place?)**

**36. Overall, how easy or difficult was it to answer these questions about whether someone in your household lives or stays in more than one place? Why was it easy/difficult?**

**37. Were there any places that you thought of, but were unsure whether you should mention or not?** IF YES**: Can you tell me more about that?**

**38. Is there anywhere else that someone in your household was living or staying that I did not ask about or you did not get a chance to tell me about?** IF YES**, explain.**

* *pull out paper screenshots and turn to question 8. administer scripted probes for questions 8-15*

1. **Some people live or stay in more than one place and we would like to make sure everyone is only counted once.**

**39. In your own words, what is this introduction telling you?**

**40.** IF NEEDED**: What does “only counted once” mean to you in this sentence?**

1. *If there are people 18 or under* **Do you/anyone sometimes live or stay somewhere else with a parent, grandparent or other person?**

**42. How did you come up with your answer to this question?**

**43. What does “with a parent, grandparent or other person” mean in this question? What kind of situations were you thinking of?**

Yes – if more than one person in household – **Who sometimes lives or stays somewhere else?**

**44. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No -

1. **Do you/anyone sometimes live or stay at another home, like a seasonal or second residence?**

**45. What does “at another home, like a seasonal or second home” mean to you in this question? What were you thinking of?**

Yes – if more than one person in household – **Who sometimes lives or stays somewhere else?**

**46. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No

1. *If there are people ages 18-25* **In January, (Were you/Was anyone) living in college housing?**

**47. What does “college housing” mean to you? What were you thinking of?**

**48.** IF NEEDED: **Do you consider a dorm to be college housing? What about an apartment on campus? An apartment off campus?**

Yes – if more than one person in household – **Who was living in college housing?**

**49. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No -

1. *If there are people ages 18-60* **In January, (Were you/Was anyone) living or staying away for the military or for a job?**

Yes –if more than one person in household – **Who was living or staying away?**

**50. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No

1. **In January, (were you/Was anyone) in a place like a nursing home or a group home?**

**51. This question says a place like a nursing home or group home. Can you think of any other examples of places like this?**

Yes – **Who was away?**

**52. Can you tell me more about that?** PROBE SUFFICIENTLY TO VERIFY IF THEY ANSWERED CORRECTLY

No

1. **In January, was anyone in a jail or prison?**

Yes – **Who?**

No

***For those with another address:***

1. **What was [your/NAME’s] other address(es)?** *Get as many addresses as they need to provide*

**53.** IF FOR SOMEONE ELSE: **how sure or unsure are you of the address?**

* **Those are all the follow-up questions I have for this part.**
* FOR THOSE WITHOUT ANOTHER ADDRESS, GO TO FINAL DEBRIEFING

FOR THOSE WITH ANOTHER ADDRES, CONTINUE:

* T**here are just a few more questions left. Let’s continue.**
* administer questions 16-18 to respondent
* record participant responses [NRFU: on DEVICE AND] on paper screenshots
* on separate protocol, NOTE ANY PROBLEMS OR CONFUSION participant has when ANSWERING THESE items, But do not ask any scripted probes until after q18
* hhD: note any usAbility issues and probe as necessary to understand
* hhd: remind participant to read questions aloud]

Q16-Q18 DEBRIEFING1**:**

* **Okay. I have a few follow-up questions about this last set of items you just answered.**
* NEXT, if participant had any noticeable problems or confusion mentioned when answering these questions, go over these first. Then ask the following:

**54. What did you think about this last set of questions? Can you tell me in your own words what they were asking about?**

**55. Overall, how easy or difficult was it to answer these questions? Why was it easy/difficult?**

* pull out paper screenshots and turn to question 16. administer scripted probes for questions 16-18

1. **Where [do you/does NAME] live and sleep most of the time?**

*Fill all addresses as choices*

Equal time at both/all places

Some other place – *Go to 15*

**56. How did you determine where NAME lives and sleeps most of the time?**

**57. What time period were you thinking of when you answered this question?**

1. **On January 15, 2012, where [were you/was NAME] staying?**

*Fill all addresses as choices*

Equal time at both/all places

Some other place – *Go to 15*

**58. How did you come up with your answer to this question?**

**59. Is this question the same as Q16 or is it different?** IF DIFFERENT: **How is it different?**

1. **What address would [you/NAME] consider your/his/her permanent or official address?**

*Fill all addresses as choices*

Equal time at both/all places

Some other place – *Go to 15*

**60. How did you come up with your answer to this question?**

**61. What does “permanent or official address” mean to you ?**

**FOR EACH ADDITIONAL ADDRESS:**

**62. You said that [you/Name] spend(s) some time at [ADDRESS]. How often does that occur?**

**63. How many times or stays do you think there were during the entire year, last year (2011)?**

One stay **🡪 How long did you stay there that time?**

More than one stay **🡪 How long did [you/he/she] usually stay there each time?**

**64. Did [you/NAME] go there regularly, that is, is there some fixed pattern or was it occasional?**

Occasional**🡪 Tell me about how often you stayed there.**

Don't Know **🡪 Tell me about how often you stayed there.**

Patterned **🡪How would you describe your pattern?**

**65. Does the timing or number of stays sometimes change?** IF YES**, Please describe*.***

**66. Was there another person in the household who went to the same place?** [Note: Particularly important for custody and seasonal home cases]

Yes **🡪 Who was that? Did [you/they] always go together, that is, at the same time? If not, how was the pattern different for [others mentioned]? Why?**

No

**67. For the past year, where did you/he/she live and sleep most of the time?**

**68. Around January 15, 2012, where were you/he/she living and sleeping most of the time? (Same place or different place?)**

**69. What address do you consider to be the place where you should be counted in the Census? Why?**

**FINAL DEBRIEFING:**

**Thanks, we’re almost finished. I have a few more questions for you.**

**70. This Census questionnaire was primarily focused on who was living or staying at this address. What does “living or staying” mean to you?**

**71. Does “staying here” mean the same thing as “living here” to you or does it mean something different? Explain.**

**72. What does “living and sleeping here” mean to you? Does it mean the same thing or something different?**

**73. Was there anything in these questions that you found sensitive or uncomfortable to answer?**

**74. Was there any information for yourself or others that you would be hesitant to provide on the census form?**

**75. Aside from the things we’ve talked about, were there any questions or instructions that you find confusing or difficult to answer?**

**76. Did you find parts of the interview repetitive? If so, what parts?**

**77. [NRFU: As I said at the beginning, this is the kind of interview that would be conducted with an interviewer coming to your home. How would you feel about the interviewer using a smartphone to do the interview? A Tablet, like an iPad? How about a laptop computer? How about a paper form? Which do you prefer and why?]**

**78. If you were going to answer your census questionnaire on your own, without an interviewer, how would you prefer to do it:**

**On a smartphone?**

**On a tablet?**

**On a laptop or desktop?**

**On a paper form?**

**Why?**

**If smartphone or tablet, what kind?**

**79. [HHD:If you don’t answer the census on your own, an interviewer might be sent to your home to get your census information. How would you feel about the interviewer using a smartphone to do the interview? A Tablet, like an iPad? How about a laptop computer? How about a paper form? Which do you prefer and why?]**