THE 2013 NATIONAL ADULT TRAINING AND EDUCATION SURVEY

DRAFT, August 13, 2012

A.	How many of the people living in this household are ages 16-65?
	If no one in this house is ages 16-65, please enter "0" in the box and return the questionnaire in the postage-paid envelope. It is important that you return your questionnaire.
B.	Of these people ages 16-65, how many have graduated from high school or otherwise left high school?
	If no one in this house ages 16-65 has graduated from or left high school, please enter "0" in the box and return the questionnaire in the postage-paid envelope. Otherwise, please enter the number of people ages 16-65 who have graduated from or left high school, and have each of these people complete a questionnaire. If you have any questions or need additional questionnaires, please contact us toll-free at XXX-XXXX.

This survey includes sections on professional certifications and licenses, educational certificates and other education degrees and classes, apprenticeship programs, and other classes taken for work or personal interest. You will be asked to answer only the sections that apply to you.

EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

1.	What is the highest degree or level of school you have completed? (Mark one.) [ACS Q11, low end
	rev.]
	 □ Elementary or high school, but no high school diploma or GED → Go to question 4 □ High school diploma, GED, or other high school completion → Go to question 3 □ Some college credit but less than one year of college credit → Go to question 3 □ 1 or more years of college credit, no degree → Go to question 3 □ Associate's degree (for example, AA, AS) □ Bachelor's degree (for example, BA, BS) □ Master's degree (for example, MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA) □ Professional degree beyond a bachelor's degree (for example, MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD) □ Doctorate degree (for example, PhD, EdD)
2.	What was the major or field of study for your highest level of education? If there was more than one,
	please choose the one you consider most important. [ACS Q12-BA only]
	Write in: [code to CIP]
3.	Did you complete your high school requirements through a regular high school diploma, or through the GED or other high school equivalency? (Mark one.) [NHES:05 AA4Rev]
	□ Regular high school diploma□ GED or other high school equivalency
4.	Do you have a professional certification or a state or industry license? A professional certification or license shows you are qualified to perform a specific job and includes things like Licensed Realtor, Certified Medical Assistant, Certified Construction Manager, a Project Management Professional or PMP certification, or an IT certification. [ATES CN1]
	 ☐ Yes ☐ No → Go to question 20
5.	Thinking of all the certifications and licenses you have, did you get any of them for work-related reasons, or were they all for personal interest? (Mark one.) [ATES CN6Rev]
	 □ One or more for work-related reasons □ All for personal interest → Go to question 20

CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE We would like to know a few details about the certification or license that you earned most recently. Please answer the questions in this section only about this MOST RECENT certification or license. 6. In what year did you get your MOST RECENT certification or license? [ATES CN5] Write in year: __ __ __ 7. Who awarded this certification or license? (Mark one.) [ATES CN14Rev] ☐ Federal, state, or local government ☐ Professional or trade association (for example, Pediatric Nursing Certification Board, National Exercise and Sports Trainers Association, CompTIA) ☐ Business or company (for example, Microsoft, 3M Company, Xerox) ☐ Other group or organization (specify: __ 8. Why did you get this certification or license? (Mark one for each item.) [new, cf. NHES:05, SIPP] Yes No To get a job To change careers \Box To get a promotion or raise in pay To stay current in my field or expand my job skills To start my own business To meet an employer requirement П П Other (specify: _____ 9. Did you have to demonstrate skills while on the job or pass a test or exam to get this certification or license? [ATES CN10aRev] □ Yes □ No 10. What kind of courses, training, or instruction did you take in order to prepare for this certification or license? (Mark all that apply.) [new] ☐ I did not need any courses, training, or instruction ☐ I took vocational or occupationally focused high school courses ☐ I took courses from a trade school, community or technical college, or other college or ☐ I took courses from a private company or my employer ☐ I participated in on-the-job training, an internship, or an apprenticeship ☐ I studied on my own ☐ I took other courses, training, or instruction (specify: ______

U.2. Which of CEUs or	Yes No → Go to question 14 one of the following best describes the MOST RECENT activity you engaged in to earn your other professional development credits for this certification or license? (Mark one.) [new] Have not yet had to meet these requirements → go to question 14 Attended conference or demonstration (on-line or in-person) Completed class or seminar (on-line or in-person) Read instructional materials (on-line or hardcopy) Other (specify:) as the main provider of the instruction or learning materials for the activity you indicated in 12? (Mark one.) [new]
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	Professional or trade association
	Labor union or labor organization
	Community or technical college, trade school, college, or university
	Federal, state, or local government
	Private training company
	Other (specify:)
[ATES CI	the name of your MOST RECENT certification or license? Please do not use abbreviations. N3A] : _[code to SOC]
	nd of work is this certification or license for? (For example: teaching, vocational nursing, er network administration, auditing, truck driving) [ATES CN3]
Write in	: _[code to SOC]
	nis certification or license be used if you wanted to get a job with any employer in that line of you have a state certification or license that can be used state-wide, please answer "yes". N15b]
	Yes
	No

17. Is this certification or license for the job you have now? If you are currently not employed, please answer "no". (Mark one.) [ATES CN12Rev, CN13]	
□ No	
☐ Yes, and it is required for my job ☐ Go to question 20	
Yes, but it is NOT required for my job	
18. Is this certification or license for a job you held in the past, or for a job you plan to hold in the future? (Mark one for each item.) [new]	
Yes No	
□ □ For a job that I held in the past	
□ □ For a job that I plan to hold in the future	
 Other than your most recent certification or license, do you have another certification or license for the job you have now? If you are currently not employed, please answer "no". [new] Yes No 	
 20. Some people complete a program of study at a trade school, community or technical college, or other college or university in order to earn an educational certificate rather than a degree. Sometimes this is called a vocational diploma, for example, a cosmetology or mechanics diploma, which differs from a high school diploma. Have you ever earned this type of educational certificate? [ATES, CT1Rev] Yes No → Go to question 30 after the orange section 21. Thinking of all the educational certificates you have, which one of the following best describes them? (Mark one.) [new] All of my educational certificates were for people who had at least a bachelor's degree → Go to question 30 after the orange section One or more of my educational certificates were NOT for people who had a bachelor's degree 	
EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES	
Of the educational certificates or diplomas you earned after high school, we would like to know a few details about the one you earned most recently. We will use the word "certificate" to refer to this educational certificate or diploma. Please answer the questions in this section about this MOST RECENT certificate.	
22. In what year did you earn this MOST RECENT certificate? [ATES CT6]	
Write in year:	

23. How long did it take you to earn this certificate? (Mark one.) [new—FSA uses 10 week min.]			
☐ Less than 10 weeks (2 ½ months)			
\square 10 weeks (2 ½ months) or more, but less than one year			
☐ One year or more			
□ I don't know			
24. What type of school awarded this certificate? (Mark one.) [ATES CT8Rev]			
☐ Trade, vocational, or business school			
☐ Community or technical college			
☐ Other college or university			
□ Other type of school (specify:)			
25. Was this certificate part of the coursework or training for a professional certification or a state or industry license? [ATES CT2cRev]			
□ Yes			
□ No			
26. What was the primary subject or field of study for this certificate? [ATES CT3Rev]			
Write in: [code to CIP]			
27. Is the subject field of this certificate related to the job you have now? If you are currently not employed, please answer "no." [ATES CT12Rev]			
□ No			
☐ Yes → Go to question 29			
28. Is the subject field of this certificate related to a job you held in the past or to a job you plan to hold in the future? (Mark one for each item.) [new]			
Yes No			
\square Related to a job that I held in the past			
□ □ Related to a job that I plan to hold in the future			
29. Why did you get this certificate? (Mark one for each item.) [new, cf. NHES:05, SIPP]			
Yes No			
□ □ To get a job			
□ □ To change careers			
□ □ To get a promotion or raise in pay			
□ □ To stay current in my field or expand my job skills□ □ To start my own business			
□ □ To start my own business□ □ To get a professional certification or license			

□ □ Other (specify:)
 30. In a formal apprenticeship program, an apprentice receives both instruction and on-the-job training and is paid a training salary. Have you ever participated in this type of apprenticeship program? (Do not count student teaching, medical internship or residency, or unpaid internships. Mark one.) [new] Yes, I have COMPLETED this type of program Yes, I am currently participating in this type of program No, I have not participated in this type of program
31. In what year did you complete this apprenticeship program? [NHES:05 AF5]
Write in year:
32. Did this apprenticeship program lead to a Certificate of Completion of Apprenticeship from your state or from the U.S. Department of Labor? [new]
□ Yes
□ No□ I don't know
33. As part of this apprenticeship program, did you take any courses from a community or technical college or from another college or university? [new]
□ Yes
□ No
34. Was this apprenticeship program for the job or industry you work in now? If you are currently not employed, please answer "no". [new]
☐ Yes → Go to question 36
□ No
35. What occupation was this apprenticeship program for? (For example: carpenter, electrician, water treatment operator, emergency medical technician) [new]
Write in: _[code to SOC]

□ Yes	
□ No → Go to question 47 after the blue section	
37. Are you taking these classes to earn a diploma, certificate, or degree? (Do not count professional certifications or licenses.) [new]	
□ Yes	
□ No \rightarrow Go to question 40 in the blue section	
38. What diploma, certificate, or degree are you earning? (Mark one.) [NHES:05 AD2Rev]	
☐ Diploma or certificate below the bachelor's degree level	
☐ Associate's degree (for example, AA, AS, AAS)	
☐ Bachelor's degree (for example, BA, AB, BS, BFA)	
☐ Certificate above the bachelor's degree level	
☐ Master's degree (for example, MA, MS, MEng, MEd)	
☐ Professional or doctorate degree (for example, MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD, PhD, EdD)	
39. Are you going to school full time or part time? If you are on a school break, please respond for your enrollment before you went on break. (Mark one.) [NHES:05 AD11Rev]	
 Full time Part time Go to question 47 after the blue section	
OLLEGE CLASSES	
40. How many classes are you currently taking? (Mark one.) [new]	
☐ One class	
☐ Two or more classes	
41. Which one of the following best describes the type of classes you are taking? (Mark one.) [new]	
☐ All my classes are for college credit	
☐ Some of my classes are for college credit, some are not for credit	
☐ All of my classes are not for credit	
□ I don't know whether my classes are for college credit	

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		To get a job
		To change careers
		To get a promotion or raise in pay
		To stay current in my field or expand my job skills
		To start my own business
		To get a professional certification or license
		To earn CEUs or other professional development credits
		To help me decide if I want to get a diploma, certificate, or degree
		Classes are required to enter a college program
		Personal interest in the subject of the classes
		Other (specify:
	our emp	ode to CIP] bloyer require that you take any of these classes? [NHES:05 AH11]
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other of related regula manag related English	THAN THE CLASSES YOU DESCRIBED ABOVE, in the past 12 months, have you completed any courses, training, or formal instruction, either at work or outside of work? This includes workdourses, seminars, or workshops on topics such as job safety, work ethics or other tions, equipment use, communication or team-building, computer or technical skills, rement skills, or other job skills. It also includes sessions, seminars, or classes on topics not to work, such as fitness classes, art, dance or music lessons, Bible study, learning to speak and or basic education classes for those who have not completed high school.
	Yes No → Go to question 53 after the pink section
OTHER INSTRU	ICTION OR TRAINING
	past 12 months, which of the following types of instruction or training have you completed? all that apply.) [SEPT Q1Rev, PIAAC B_Q27a-cUSX for basic skills]
	Job training Safety and compliance training (includes information on company or professional procedures and regulations concerning legal, ethical, and safety issues)
	Communication or team training (includes training to improve communication in the workplace, encourage teamwork, or to re-organize work teams and work flow)
	Management training (includes training in supervising employees and in implementing
	employment practices, regulations, and policies) Job skills training (includes training to develop the skills you need to do your work, such as sales and customer relations training, professional or technical skill development, use of computer applications, and other practical job skills) Basic skills education
	Basic reading, writing or arithmetic instruction (instruction for adults at the elementary or high school level)
	High school completion (classes to prepare for the GED or other adult high school program)
	English language instruction (classes to learn to speak English)
	Personal development (instruction related to hobbies and interests outside of work)
	Other (specify:)
<mark>49. </mark> Did an	y one of these activities last, in total, at least 8 hours? [new]

□ No \rightarrow Go to question 53 after the pink section

We would like to know a few details about your most recently completed instruction or training that lasted at least 8 hours. Please answer the questions in the rest of this section only about this MOST RECENT completed instruction or training that lasted AT LEAST 8 HOURS.				
50. Which one of the following best describes this instruction or training? (Mark one.) [SEPT Q1Rev]				
	Safety and compliance training			
	Communication or team training			
	Management training			
	Job skills training			
	Basic reading, writing, or arithmetic instruction			
	High school completion			
	English language instruction			
	Personal interest or development \rightarrow Go to question 53 after the pink section			
	Other (specify:)			
	Yes No Not relevant—I was self-employed or not employed when I took the course or instruction id you take this instruction or training? (Mark one for each item.) [NHES:05 AH6Rev]			
Yes	No			
	□ To get a job			
	☐ To change careers			
	☐ To get a promotion or raise in pay			
	☐ To stay current in my field or expand my job skills			
	☐ To start my own business			
	☐ To get a professional certification or license			
	☐ To earn CEUs or other professional development credits			
	☐ To meet an employer requirement			
	Other (specify:)			
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EMPLOYMENT

53.	Which one of the following best describes your current employment situation? If you are on vacation or
	sick leave from a job, please select one of the "employed" responses. (Mark one.) [PIAAC C_Q07Rev and
	NHES:11 Q104Rev]

Employed full time \rightarrow Go to question 55
Employed part time only (no full-time work

□ Not employed → Go to question 65

54.	54. What is the main reason you work part-time? (Mark one.) [CPS Mar Q45rev]			
	☐ I cannot find a full-time job			
	My employer has a shortage of work or materials			
	I want to work part time or am only able to work part-timeOther reason (specify:			
	Other reason (specify:)			
55.	Are you employed by government, a private company, or a nonprofit organization or are you self-employed? If you have more than one job, please answer this question and questions 56-60 for the job for which you work the most hours. (Mark one.) [CPS Mthly]			
	□ Government			
	☐ Private company			
	☐ Nonprofit organization			
	☐ Self employed			
56.	For whom do you work? [CPS Q47a, ACS Q42, NHES:05 AL21]			
	Name of company, business, organization, or other employer: <u>[code to NAICS]</u>			
57. What kind of business or industry is this? [CPS Q47b, ACS Q43, NHES:05 AL21] (For example: hosp newspaper publishing, mail order house, auto engine manufacturing, bank [ACS])				
	Write in: _[code to NAICS]			
58.	Is this business or industry mainly manufacturing, wholesale trade, retail trade, or something else (agriculture, construction, service, government, etc.)? (Mark one.) [CPS Q47b1, ACS Q44]			
	□ Manufacturing			
	☐ Wholesale trade			
	□ Retail trade			
	□ Something else			
59.	What kind of work do you do? [CPS Q47c, ACS Q45, NHES:05 AL23] (For example: registered nurse, personnel manager, supervisor of order department, secretary, accountant [ACS])			
	Write in: [code to SOC]			
60.	What are your most important activities or duties at this job? [CPS Q47d1, ACS Q46, NHES:05 AL23] (For example: patient care, directing hiring policies, supervising order clerks, typing and filing, reconciling financial records [ACS])			
	Write in: [code to SOC]			

61.	. Are you a member of a labor union or of an employee association similar to a union (for example, AFL-CIO, Change to Win Federation, NEA)? [CPS Mthly ERNCOVadded examples]				
		Yes			
		No			
62.	How many ACS Q40Re	hours PER WEEK do you usually work for pay or income, counting all jobs? [NHES:11 Q105, v]			
		hours per week			
63.	. IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many months have you worked for pay or income? Include paid vacatio and sick leave. [NHES:11 Q107]				
		months			
64.	. Which category best fits your earnings from wages, salary, commissions, bonuses or tips, from all jobs over the PAST 12 MONTHS? Report amount before deductions for taxes, bonds, dues or other items. (Mark one.) [ACS Q47aRev, NHES:11 Q133 categories]				
		\$0 to \$10,000 \$10,001 to \$20,000 \$20,001 to \$30,000 \$30,001 to \$40,000 \$40,001 to \$50,000 \$50,001 to \$60,000 \$60,001 to \$75,000 \$75,001 to \$150,000 \$150,001 or more			
65.		of the following best describes why you are currently not employed? (Mark one.) [PIAAC and NHES:11 Q104Rev]			
		Unemployed or out of work			
		Homemaker or caretaker of children/family			
		Student			
		Retired Go to question 75			
		Disabled			
		Other (specify:) \(\)			
66.	When did y LKDATY]	ou last work at a job for pay or income? Please write in the month and year. [CPS Mthly			
	Month:	Year:			
		Have never worked at a job for nav or income			

67.	57. Have you been actively looking for work in the past 4 weeks? [NHES:11 Q106]			
	□ Yes □ No			
68.	Last week, could you have started a job if offered one, or returned to work if recalled? (Mark one.) [ACQ37; not in NHES:11]	CS		
	 Yes No, because of temporary illness No, for some other reason (in school, etc.) 			
69.	At your last job, were you employed by government, a private company, or a nonprofit organization, c were you self-employed? (Mark one.) [CPS Mthly]	r		
	 □ Government □ Private company □ Nonprofit organization □ Self employed 			
70.	At your last job, for whom did you work? [CPS Q47a, ACS Q42, NHES:05 AL21]			
	Name of company, business, organization, or other employer: <u>[code to NAICS]</u>			
71.	What kind of business or industry was this? [CPS Q47b, ACS Q43, NHES:05 AL21] (For example: hospitanewspaper publishing, mail order house, auto engine manufacturing, bank [ACS])	al,		
	Write in: _[code to NAICS]			
72.	Was this business or industry mainly manufacturing, wholesale trade, retail trade, or something else (agriculture, construction, service, government, etc.)? (Mark one.) [CPS Q47b1, ACS Q44]			
	 □ Manufacturing □ Wholesale trade □ Retail trade □ Something else 			
73.	At your last job, what kind of work did you do? [CPS Q47c, ACS Q45, NHES:05 AL23] (For example: registered nurse, personnel manager, supervisor of order department, secretary, accountant [ACS])			
Write in: _[code to SOC]				

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	Writ	e in: _[code to SOC]	
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75. Are you male or female? [NHES:11 Q94]			
	;	a. Male	
	I	b. Female	
	76. How	old are you? [NHES:11 Q108]	
		years old	
	77. Wha	t is your current marital status? (Mark one.) [NPSAS N12MARR]	
	;	a. Single, never married	
	I	b. Married	
		c. Living with partner	
		d. Separated	
	(e. Divorced	
	1	f. Widowed	
	78. Are	you of Hispanic or Latino origin? [NPSAS N12HISP]	
		a. Yes	
		b. No	
	79. Wha	at is your race? Choose one or more. [NPSAS N12RAC1]	
	;	a. White	
	1	b. Black or African American	
	(c. Asian	
	(d. American Indian or Alaska Native	
	(e. Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander	
		at was the first language you learned to speak? (Mark one.) [NHES:11 Q56, revised response gories]	
	;	a. English → Go to question 82	
		b. A language other than English	
	(c. English and another language equally	

- 81. What language do you speak most at home NOW? (Mark one.) [NHES:11 Q97, revised response categories]
 - a. English
 - b. A language other than English
 - c. English and another language equally
- 82. Where were you born? (Mark one.) [NHES:11 Q98]
 - a. One of the 50 United States or the District of Columbia \rightarrow Go to question 84
 - b. One of the U.S. territories (Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, U.S. Virgin Islands, or Mariana Islands)
 - c. Another country
- 83. How old were you when you first moved to the 50 United States or the District of Columbia? [NHES:11 Q99]

__ years old

- 84. Which category best fits the total income of all persons in your household over the past 12 months? Include your own income. Include money from jobs or other earnings, pensions, interest, rent, Social Security payments, and so on. (Mark one.) [NHES:11 Q133]
 - a. \$0 to \$10,000
 - b. \$10,001 to \$20,000
 - c. \$20,001 to \$30,000
 - d. \$30,001 to \$40,000
 - e. \$40,001 to \$50,000
 - f. \$50,001 to \$60,000
 - g. \$60,001 to \$75,000
 - h. \$75,001 to \$150,000
 - i. \$150,001 or more

THANK YOU.

Please return this questionnaire in the postage-paid envelope provided.

If you have lost the envelope, mail the questionnaire to:

U.S. Census Bureau ATTN: xxxxx 1201 E. 10th Street Jeffersonville, IN 47132-0001