Attachment 1: Questions to be cognitively tested

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- 1. For at least the past six months, to what extent have you been limited because of a health problem in activities people usually do?
 - a) Severely limited (go to Q2)
 - b) Limited but not severely (go to Q2)
 - c) Not limited at all
- 2. Have you been limited for at least the past 6 months?
- a) Yes
- b) No
- 3. What is your current working status?
 - a) Working for pay at a job or business
 - b) With a job or business but not at work
 - c) Looking for work
 - d) Working, but not for pay, at a familyowned job or business
 - e) Not working at a job or business and not looking for work

DISABILITY IDENTIFICATION [For all household members aged 18 to 65 years]

VIS_1 [Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty seeing, even when wearing [your/his/her] glasses]? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

HEAR_1 [Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty hearing, even when using a hearing aid(s)]? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do

- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

MOB_1 [Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty walking or climbing steps? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

COM_1 Using [your/his/her] usual language, [do/does] [you/he/she] have difficulty communicating, for example understanding or being understood? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

COG_1 [Do/does] [you/he/she] have difficulty remembering or concentrating? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

SC_1 [Do/does] [you/he/she] have difficulty with self-care, such as washing all over or dressing? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 5. Refused
- 6. Don't know

UB_1 [Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty raising a 2 liter bottle of water or soda from waist to eye level? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. No difficulty
- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

UB_2 [Do/Does] [you/he/she] have difficulty using [your/his/her] hands and fingers, such as picking up small objects, for example, a button or pencil, or opening or closing containers or bottles? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

1. No difficulty

- 2. Some difficulty
- 3. A lot of difficulty
- 4. Cannot do at all / Unable to do
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

ANX_1 How often [do/does] [you/he/she] feel worried, nervous or anxious? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. Daily
- 2. Weekly
- 3. Monthly
- 4. A few times a year
- 5. Never
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

ANX_2 Thinking about the last time [you/he/she] felt worried, nervous or anxious, how would [you/he/she] describe the level of these feelings? Would [you/he/she] say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. A little
- 2. A lot
- 3. Somewhere in between a little and a lot
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

DEP_1 How often [do/does] [you/he/she] feel depressed? Would [you/he/she] say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. Daily
- 2. Weekly
- 3. Monthly
- 4. A few times a year
- 5. Never
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

DEP_2 Thinking about the last time [you/he/she] felt depressed, how depressed did [you/he/she] feel? Would you say... [*Read response categories*]

- 1. A little
- 2. A lot
- 3. Somewhere in between a little and a lot
- 7. Refused
- 9. Don't know

DISABILITY ONSET [For all with at least "a lot of difficulty]

ONS_1 [You/He/She] mentioned having a lot of difficulties doing some things. When did the first of these difficulties start?

- 1. At birth
- 2. Between the birth and the age of 15
- 3. Between the ages of 15 and 29
- 4. Between the ages of 30 and 65
- 5. After age 65
- 6. Refused
- 7. Don't know

EMPLOYMENT STATUS [For all aged 18 to 65 years]

EM_1a What was [your/his/her] employment status last week?

- 1. Employed (worked for pay or profit)
- 2. Unemployed (i.e. not in employment, carried out activities to seek employment and were available to take up employment given a job opportunity)
- 3. Inactive (Not employed and not looking for work)
- 4. Refused
- 5. Don't know

BARRIERS [For all who are inactive and have at least "a lot of difficulty"]

EW_1a Which of the following, if any, would make it more likely for [you/him/her] to seek employment. Check all that apply.

- 1. Training to qualify for available jobs
- 2. Transportation from my home to available jobs
- 3. Help in locating available jobs
- 4. Greater belief that someone will hire me
- 5. Assistive devices or technology to help me do the job
- 6. A work place that accommodates people with disabilities
- 7. Other: Please specify _____
- 8. Refused
- 9. Don't know

ATT_3 How supportive would [your/his/her] family members be if you decide to work?

- 1. Very supportive
- 2. Somewhat supportive
- 3. Not supportive
- 4. Refused
- 5. Don't Know

ACCOMMODATIONS [For all who are employed and who have 'a lot of difficulty']

WA_1 Has [your/his/her] workplace been set up in a way to account for difficulties you have in doing certain activities?

- 1. Yes (go to WA_1a)
- 2. No (go to WA_1b)
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't Know

WA_1a Would more modifications be needed?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

(Go to WA_2)

WA_1b Would you need any modification?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

WA_2 Is [your/his/her] work schedule arranged to account for difficulties you have in doing certain activities?

- 1. Yes (go to WA_2a)
- 2. No (go to WA_2b)
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't Know

(Go to WA_3)

WA_2a Would you need any other arrangement of your work schedule?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

WA_2b Would you need your work schedule to be changed?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

WA_3 Are [your/his/her] work tasks arranged to account for difficulties you have in doing certain activities?

- 1. Yes (go to WA_3a)
- 2. No (go to WA_3b)
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't Know

WA_3a Would you need any other arrangement of your tasks?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

WA_3b Would you need your tasks to be changed?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Refuse
- 4. Don't know

SOCIAL PROTECTION

[For those with 'a lot of difficulty' and being employed]

SP_1 Do you receive any cash benefits from the government linked to your disability?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No (go to ATT_1)
- 3. Refused
- 4. Don't know

SP_1a Do you know if the amount of the benefit will change if your salary increases?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No
- 3. Don't know
- 4. Refuse

(For those with "a lot of difficulty" and unemployed or inactive)

SP_2 Do you receive any cash benefits from the government linked to your disability?

- 1. Yes
- 2. No (go to ATT_1)
- 3. Refused
- 4. Don't know

SP_2a Will you keep the benefit if you find a paid job?

- 1. Yes
 - 2. Yes, but the amount will decrease
 - 3. No
 - 4. Don't know
 - 5. Refuse

ATTITUDES [For all aged 18 to 65 years]

ATT_1 How willing are employers to hire people with disabilities?

- 1. Unwilling
- 2. Somewhat willing
- 3. Very willing
- 4. Refused
- 5. Don't Know

ATT_2 How willing are people to work alongside people with disabilities?

- 1. Unwilling
- 2. Somewhat willing
- 3. Very willing
- 4. Refused
- 5. Don't Know