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FORM NCVS-1

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**NATIONAL CRIME  
VICTIMIZATION SURVEY  
NCVS-1 BASIC SCREEN QUESTIONNAIRE**

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Control number  
PSU Segment/Suffix Sample designation/Suffix Serial/Suffix HH No. Spinoff Indicator

**1. Field representative identification**  
Code Name  
201

**2. Unit status**  
202 1  Unit in sample the previous enumeration period - Fill 3  
2  Unit in sample first time this period - SKIP to 4

**3. Household status** - Mark first box that applies.  
203 1  Same household interviewed the previous enumeration  
2  Replacement household since the previous enumeration  
3  Noninterview the previous enumeration  
4  Other - Specify \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Line number of household respondent**  
204 \_\_\_\_\_ Go to page 2

**5. Group Quarters [GQ] type code**  
205 \_\_\_\_\_

**6. Tenure**  
206 1  Owned or being bought 2  Rented for cash 3  No cash rent

**7. Land Use**  
207 1  Urban 2  Rural

**8. Farm Sales**  
208 X  Item blank 1  \$1,000 or more 2  Less than \$1,000

**9. Type of living quarters**  
**Housing unit**  
209 1  House, apartment, flat  
2  HU in nontransient hotel, motel, etc.  
3  HU permanent in transient hotel, motel, etc.  
4  HU in rooming house  
5  Mobile home or trailer with no permanent room added  
6  Mobile home or trailer with one or more permanent rooms added  
7  HU not specified above - Describe \_\_\_\_\_  
**OTHER unit**  
8  Quarters not HU in rooming or boarding house  
9  Unit not permanent in transient hotel, motel, etc.  
10  Unoccupied site for mobile home, trailer, or tent  
11  Student quarters in college dormitory  
12  OTHER unit not specified above - Describe \_\_\_\_\_

**10a. Use of telephone**  
**Location of phone** - Mark first box that applies.  
210 1  Phone in unit .....  
2  Phone in common area (hallway, etc.) ....  
3  Phone in another unit (neighbor, friend, etc.)  
4  Work/office phone .....  
5  No phone - SKIP to 11a } Fill 10b

**10b. Is phone interview acceptable?**  
211 1  Yes 2  No 3  Refused to give number

**11a. Number of housing units in structure**  
212 1  1 - SKIP to 11c 4  4 7  Mobile home/trailer -  
2  2 5  5-9 SKIP to 11c  
3  3 6  10+ 8  Only OTHER units

**11b. Direct outside access**  
213 1  Yes 2  No 3  DK X  Item blank

**11c. Restricted access**  
222 Gated or walled community 1  Yes 2  No X  Item blank  
223 Building with restricted access 1  Yes 2  No X  Item blank

**12a. Household Income**  
214 1  Less than \$5,000 6  15,000 - 17,499 11  35,000 - 39,999  
2  \$5,000 - 7,499 7  17,500 - 19,999 12  40,000 - 49,999  
3  7,500 - 9,999 8  20,000 - 24,999 13  50,000 - 74,999  
4  10,000 - 12,499 9  25,000 - 29,999 14  75,000 and over  
5  12,500 - 14,999 10  30,000 - 34,999

**12b. College/University**  
218 1  Yes 2  No

**12c. Public Housing**  
219 X  Item blank 1  Yes (public housing) 2  No (not public housing)

**12d. Manager Verification of Public Housing**  
220 \_\_\_\_\_  
Able to verify Unable to verify  
1  Public housing 3  Telephone  
2  Not public housing 4  Other - Specify \_\_\_\_\_

**12e. American Indian Reservation or American Indian Lands**  
221 1  Yes 2  No

**13. Proxy information** - Fill for all proxy interviews

a. Proxy interview obtained for	b. Proxy respondent	c. Reason
Line No.	Name	Line No. (Enter code)
301		302 303
304		305 306
307		308 309
310		311 312

**Codes for item 13c**  
1-12-13 years old and parent refused permission for self interview  
2- Physically/mentally unable to answer  
3- TA and won't return before closeout

**14. Type Z noninterview**

a. Interview not obtained for	b. Reason	Codes for item 14b
Line No.	(Enter code)	
313	314	1-Never available
315	316	2-Refused ...
317	318	3-Physically/mentally unable to answer-no proxy available
319	320	4-TA and no proxy available ...
		5-Other .....
		6-Office use only

Complete 17-28 for each Line No. in 14a

**15a. Household members 12 years of age and OVER**  
321 \_\_\_\_\_ Total number

**15b. Household members UNDER 12 years of age**  
322 \_\_\_\_\_ Total number 0  None

**15c. Number of Type Z noninterview household members 12 years of age and OVER**  
332 \_\_\_\_\_ Total number 0  None

**15d. Crime Incident Reports filled**  
323 \_\_\_\_\_ Total number of NCVS-2s filled 0  None

**16. Changes in Household Composition**

a. Line No.	b. Reason (Enter code)
324	325
326	327
328	329
330	331

Only enter changes discovered during the current enumeration

**RESPONDENT'S PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS**

<b>17. Name of respondent</b>  Last _____  First _____  _____	<b>18. Type of interview</b>  401 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Per. - Self-respondent 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tel. - Self-respondent 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Per. - Proxy 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Tel. - Proxy } Fill 13 on cover page	<b>19. Line No.</b>  402   Line No. _____
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20.	21.	22a.	22b.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.
Relationship to reference person	Age last Birthday	Marital status THIS survey period	(From previous enumeration) Marital status LAST survey period	Sex	Armed Forces Member	Educational attainment	Attending School	Hispanic Origin	Race Mark all that apply.
403  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Husband 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Wife 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Son 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Daughter 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Father 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Mother 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Brother 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Sister 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Other relative 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Nonrelative 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Ref. person	404  Age _____	405  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Married 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Separated 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Never married	406  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Married 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Separated 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Never married 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Not interviewed last survey period	407  1 <input type="checkbox"/> M 2 <input type="checkbox"/> F	408  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No	409  Highest level completed _____	411  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Regular school 2 <input type="checkbox"/> College/University 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Trade school 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational school 5 <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above schools	413  1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No	412 * 1 <input type="checkbox"/> White 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American 3 <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native 4 <input type="checkbox"/> Asian 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander 6 <input type="checkbox"/> Other - Specify _____ _____ _____

29. Date of interview \_\_\_\_\_ 501 \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Month      Day      Year

**MOBILITY QUESTIONS**

Before we get to the crime questions, I have some questions that are helpful in studying where and why crimes occur.

**33a.** \_\_\_\_\_ 506 \_\_\_\_\_ Years (Round to nearest whole year) -  
 If = 0 then SKIP to 33b  
 If = DK or RF SKIP to 33c  
 Else SKIP to 33d

**33b.** \_\_\_\_\_ 505 \_\_\_\_\_ Months (1-11) - SKIP to 33e

**33c.** Have you lived here...  
 Read appropriate categories:

1 <input type="checkbox"/> More than 5 years - If HHLD Respondent ASK 34, else ASK 36a. 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 5 years, but more than 1 year 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Less than 1 year, but more than 6 months 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 6 months or less 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't Know	} SKIP to 33e
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**33d.** CHECK ITEM A How many years are entered in 33a?  
 5 years or more - If HHLD Respondent SKIP to 34, else SKIP to 36a  
 Less than 5 years - ASK 33e

**33e.** Altogether, how many times have you moved in the last 5 years, that is, since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_?  
 Enter number of times. \_\_\_\_\_ 508 \_\_\_\_\_ Number of times - If HHLD Respondent ASK 34, else SKIP to 36a

**BUSINESS OPERATED FROM SAMPLE ADDRESS**

**34.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)  
**Does anyone in this household operate a business from this address?** \_\_\_\_\_ 530

1  Yes - ASK 35  
 2  No - SKIP to 36a

PERSONAL - Fill by observation. TELEPHONE - Ask.  
**35.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only) \_\_\_\_\_ 531

1  Yes (Recognizable business)  
 2  No (Unrecognizable business)

**RESPONDENT'S SCREEN QUESTIONS**

**36a.**

**I'm going to read some examples that will give you an idea of the kinds of crimes this study covers.**

**As I go through them, tell me if any of these happened to you in the last 6 months, that is since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.**

**Was something belonging to YOU stolen, such as -**

Read each category.

- (a) Things that you carry, like luggage, a wallet, purse, briefcase, book -**
- (b) Clothing, jewelry, or cellphone -**
- (c) Bicycle or sports equipment -**
- (d) Things in your home - like a TV, stereo, or tools -**
- (e) Things outside your home such as a garden hose or furniture - (Asked of Household Respondent only)**
- (f) Things belonging to children in the household - (Asked of Household Respondent only)**
- (g) Things from a vehicle, such as a package, groceries, camera, or CDs -**

**OR**

- (h) Did anyone ATTEMPT to steal anything belonging to you?**

ASK only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

532    1     Yes - ASK 36b  
 2     No - If Household Respondent SKIP to 37a; else SKIP to 40a

**36b.**

**How many times?**

533    \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (36b)

**36c.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

If Household Respondent ASK 37a; else SKIP to 40a

**37a.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**(Other than any incidents already mentioned,) has anyone -**

- (a) Broken in or ATTEMPTED to break into your home by forcing a door or window, pushing past someone, jimmying a lock, cutting a screen, or entering through an open door or window?**
- (b) Has anyone illegally gotten in or tried to get into a garage, shed, or storage room?  
OR**
- (c) Illegally gotten in or tried to get into a hotel or motel room or vacation home where you were staying?**

ASK only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

534    1     Yes - ASK 37b  
 2     No - SKIP to 38

**37b.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**How many times?**

535    \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (37b)

**37c.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**RESPONDENT'S SCREEN QUESTIONS**

**38.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**What was the TOTAL number of cars, vans, trucks, motorcycles, or other motor vehicles owned by you or any other member of this household during the last 6 months? Include those you no longer own.**

536    0  None - SKIP to 40a  
 1  1  
 2  2  
 3  3  
 4  4 or more

**39a.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**During the last 6 months, (other than any incidents already mentioned,) (was the vehicle/were any of the vehicles) -**

**(a) Stolen or used without permission?**

**(b) Did anyone steal any parts such as a tire, car stereo, hubcap, or battery?**

**(c) Did anyone steal any gas from (it/them)?**

OR

**(d) Did anyone ATTEMPT to steal any vehicle or parts attached to (it/them)?**

Ask only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

537    1  Yes - ASK 39b  
 2  No - SKIP to 40a

**39b.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**How many times?**

538    \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (39b)

**39c.** (Asked of Household Respondent Only)

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**40a.**

**(Other than any incidents already mentioned,) since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, were you attacked or threatened OR did you have something stolen from you -**

**(a) At home including the porch or yard -**

**(b) At or near a friend's, relative's, or neighbor's home -**

**(c) At work or school -**

**(d) In places such as a storage shed or laundry room, a shopping mall, restaurant, bank, or airport -**

**(e) While riding in any vehicle -**

**(f) On the street or in a parking lot -**

**(g) At such places as a party, theater, gym, picnic area, bowling lanes, or while fishing or hunting -**

OR

**(h) Did anyone ATTEMPT to attack or ATTEMPT to steal anything belonging to you from any of these places?**

Ask only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

539    1  Yes - ASK 40b  
 2  No - SKIP to 41a

**40b.**

**How many times?**

540    \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (40b)

**40c.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**RESPONDENT'S SCREEN QUESTIONS**

**41a.**

**(Other than any incidents already mentioned,) has anyone attacked or threatened you in any of these ways** (Exclude telephone threats) -

- (a) With any weapon, for instance, a gun or knife -**
- (b) With anything like a baseball bat, frying pan, scissors, or stick -**
- (c) By something thrown, such as a rock or bottle -**
- (d) Include any grabbing, punching, or choking,**
- (e) Any rape, attempted rape or other type of sexual attack -**
- (f) Any face to face threats -**

**OR**

**(g) Any attack or threat or use of force by anyone at all? Please mention it even if you are not certain it was a crime.**

ASK only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

541 1  Yes - ASK 41b  
 2  No - SKIP to 42a

**41b.**

**How many times?**

542 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (41b)

**41c.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**42a.**

**People often don't think of incidents committed by someone they know. (Other than any incidents already mentioned,) did you have something stolen from you OR were you attacked or threatened by** (Exclude telephone threats) -

- (a) Someone at work or school -**
- (b) A relative or family member -**
- (c) A neighbor or friend -**
- (d) Any other person you've met or known?**

ASK only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

543 1  Yes - ASK 42b  
 2  No - SKIP to 43a

**42b.**

**How many times?**

544 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (42b)

**42c.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**43a.**

**Incidents involving forced or unwanted sexual acts are often difficult to talk about. (Other than any incidents already mentioned,) have you been forced or coerced to engage in unwanted sexual activity by -**

- (a) Someone you didn't know before -**
- (b) A casual acquaintance -**

**OR**

**(c) Someone you know well?**

ASK only if necessary

**Did any incidents of this type happen to you?**

545 1  Yes - ASK 43b  
 2  No - SKIP to 44a

**43b.**

**How many times?**

546 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (43b)

**43c.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**RESPONDENT'S SCREEN QUESTIONS**

**44a.**

**During the last 6 months, (other than any incidents already mentioned,) did you call the police to report something that happened to YOU which you thought was a crime?**

- 547 1  Yes - ASK 44b  
 2  No - SKIP to 45a

**44b.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

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**44c.**

**CHECK  
ITEM B**

If not sure ask:

**Were you (was the respondent) attacked or threatened, or was something stolen or an attempt made to steal something that belonged to you (the respondent) or another household member?**

- 549 1  Yes - ASK 44d  
 2  No - SKIP to 45a

**44d.**

**How many times?**

550 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (44d)

**45a.**

**During the last 6 months, (other than any incidents already mentioned,) did anything which you thought was a crime happen to YOU, but you did NOT report to the police?**

- 551 1  Yes - ASK 45b  
 2  NO - If Household Respondent ASK 46, else SKIP to 71

**45b.**

**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)

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**45c.**

**CHECK  
ITEM C**

If not sure ask:

**Were you (was the respondent) attacked or threatened, or was something stolen or an attempt made to steal something that belonged to you (the respondent) or another household member?**

- 553 1  Yes - ASK 45d  
 2  No - If Household Respondent ASK 46, else SKIP to 71

**45d.**

**How many times?**

554 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (45d)  
 If Household Respondent ASK 46, else SKIP to 71

NOTES

**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S IDENTITY THEFT QUESTIONS (Ask of Household Respondent Only)**

**46.**

The next few questions are related to identity theft. They refer to episodes of identity theft discovered by you or anyone in your household during the last 6 months.

**47.**

Since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, have you or anyone in your household discovered that someone -

(a)

Used or attempted to use any existing credit cards or credit card numbers without permission to place charges on an account? .....

107 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

(b)

Used or attempted to use any existing accounts other than a credit card account - for example, a wireless telephone account, bank account or debit/check cards - without the account holder's permission to run up charges or to take money from accounts? .....

108 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

(c)

Used or attempted to use personal information without permission to obtain NEW credit cards or loans, run up debts, open other accounts, or otherwise commit theft, fraud, or some other crime?.....

109 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**48.**



How many times is box 1 (Yes) marked in 47?

1  None (no entries of Yes) - SKIP to 60  
2  One or more times - ASK 49

**49.**

Was the misuse of - (the credit card account(s)/any existing account(s) other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) one episode or more than one episode of identity theft?

110 1  One - SKIP to 53a  
2  More than one

**50.**

Did these episodes of identify theft occur separately or at the same time?

111 1  Separately - ASK 51  
2  At the same time - SKIP to 53a

**51.**

Which episode of identity theft was most recently discovered?

112 1  Existing credit card account(s)  
2  Existing accounts other than credit card accounts  
3  Personal information or new accounts

**52.**

The following questions refer only to the most recent discovery of identity theft by you or anyone in your household.

**53a.**

How did you become aware of the identity theft?

Probe: Anything else?

Enter all that apply.

113 \* 1  Block was placed on a credit card or other existing account  
2  Money missing from account or charges placed on an account  
3  Contacted by a credit bureau, collection agency, credit card company or other company about late/unpaid bills  
4  Contacted by a bank  
5  Noticed that a credit card, check book, etc. was missing  
6  Notified by a law enforcement agency  
7  Denied credit or a loan  
8  Noticed an error in a credit report  
9  Other specify - ASK 53b

} SKIP to 54

**53b.**

Please specify how you became aware of the identity theft.

Other - Specify

\_\_\_\_\_

**54.**

What was the total dollar amount of the credit, loans, cash, services, and anything else the person obtained while misusing (the credit card account(s)/any existing accounts other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s))?

114 \$ \_\_\_\_\_ .00 Amount taken  
0  None

**55.**

Has the misuse of - (the credit card account(s)/any existing accounts other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) stopped (e.g. you or a household member closed a checking account)?

115 1  Yes  
2  No  
3  Don't know

**56.**

Is the misuse of - (the credit card account(s)/any existing accounts other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) still causing problems for you or any other household member? For example, are you still spending time clearing up credit accounts or your credit report?

116 1  Yes - SKIP to 58a  
2  No  
3  Don't know

**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S IDENTITY THEFT QUESTIONS (Asked of Household Respondent Only)**

**57a.**

**How much time did it take to resolve ALL PROBLEMS associated with the misuse of - (the credit card account(s)/any existing account(s) other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) after the misuse was discovered?**

- 1  Less than one month: ASK 57b
- 2  One or more months: ASK 57c
- 3  Don't know days or months: SKIP to 58a

**57b.**

**How many days did it take to resolve all problems associated with the misuse of (the credit card account(s)/any existing account(s) other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) after the misuse was discovered?**

117 \_\_\_\_\_ Days

**57c.**

**How many months did it take to resolve all problems associated with the misuse of (the credit card account(s)/any existing account(s) other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) after the misuse was discovered?**

118 \_\_\_\_\_ Months

**58a.**

**As a result of (any of) the misuse of (the credit card account(s)/any existing account(s) other than credit cards/personal information or new account(s)) discovered in the last 6 months, have you or anyone in your household . . .**

Enter all that apply.

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- 1  **Been turned down for a loan?**
- 2  **Had banking problems?**
- 3  **Had problems with credit card accounts?**
- 4  **Had phone or utilities cut off or been denied new service?**
- 5  **Had to pay higher interest rates on credit cards, loans, etc.**
- 6  **Been turned down for insurance or had to pay higher rates?**
- 7  **Been contacted by a debt collector or creditor?**
- 8  **Been the subject of a civil suit or judgment?**
- 9  **Been the subject of a criminal investigation, warrant, proceeding, or conviction?**
- 10  **Had some other problems?- Specify - ASK 58b**
- 11  **No problems - SKIP to 59**

SKIP to 59

**58b.**

Please specify other problems the respondent or anyone in the household experienced

Specify

**59.**

**CHECK ITEM C2**

Briefly summarize the identity theft that occurred against the respondent or another household member.

**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S VANDALISM QUESTIONS (Asked of Household Respondent Only)**

**60.**

**Now I'd like to ask about ALL acts of vandalism that may have been committed during the last 6 months against YOUR household. Vandalism is the deliberate, intentional damage to or destruction of household property. Examples are breaking windows, slashing tires, and painting graffiti on walls.**

**Since \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, has anyone intentionally damaged or destroyed property owned by you or someone else in your household?**

**(EXCLUDE any damage done in conjunction with incidents already mentioned.)**

- 557
- 1  Yes - ASK 61a
  - 2  No - SKIP to 71

**61a.**

**What kind of property was damaged or destroyed in this/these act(s) of vandalism?**

Probe: Anything else?

Enter all that apply for property that was damaged or destroyed by vandalism during reference period.

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- 1  Motor vehicle (including parts)
- 2  Bicycle (including parts)
- 3  Mailbox
- 4  House window/screen/door
- 5  Yard or garden (trees, shrubs, fence, etc.)
- 6  Furniture, other household goods
- 7  Clothing
- 8  Animal (pet, livestock, etc.)
- 9  Other - Specify - ASK 61b

SKIP to 62a

**61b.**

Please specify the kind of property damaged or destroyed in this/these act(s) of vandalism.

Specify



**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S VANDALISM SCREEN QUESTIONS (Asked of Household Respondent Only)**

**62a.**  
**What kind of damage was done in this/these act(s) of vandalism?**  
 Probe: **Anything Else?**  
 Enter all that apply for property that was damaged or destroyed by vandalism during the reference period.

- 559** \*  
 1  Broken glass: window, windshield, glass in door, mirror  
 2  Defaced: marred, graffiti, dirtied  
 3  Burned: use of fire, heat or explosives  
 4  Drove into or ran over with vehicle  
 5  Other breaking or tearing  
 6  Injured or killed animals  
 7  Other - Specify - ASK 62b
- } SKIP to 63a

**62b.**  
 Please specify the kind of damage done in this/these act(s) of vandalism.

Specify  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**63a.**  
**What was the total dollar amount of the damage caused by this/these act(s) of vandalism during the last 6 months? (Use repair costs if the property was repaired.)**  
 (EXCLUDE any damage done in incidents already mentioned.)

**560** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **00** - SKIP to 64a  
 0  No cost - SKIP to 64a  
 (If DK or RF are entered, ASK 63b)

**63b.**  
**Was the damage under \$100 or \$100 or more?**  
 (INCLUDE total amount for all incidents of vandalism during the last 6 mon.ths.)

- 561** 1  Under \$100  
 2  \$100 or more  
 3  Don't know

**64a.** **CHECK ITEM F1**  
 If unsure, ASK,  
**In the vandalism just mentioned, were you (was the respondent) attacked or threatened, or was something stolen or an attempt made to steal something that belonged to you (the respondent) or another household member? (other than any incident(s) already mentioned)**

- 562** 1  Yes - ASK 64b  
 2  No - SKIP to 65

**64b.**  
**How many times?**

**563** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Number of times (64b)

**64c.**  
**What happened?**

Briefly describe incident(s)  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

NOTES

**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S HATE CRIME SCREEN QUESTIONS (Asked of the Household Respondent Only)**

<p><b>65.</b></p> <p>Hate crimes or crimes of prejudice or bigotry occur when (an offender/offenders) target(s) people because of one or more of their characteristics or religious beliefs.</p> <p>Do you have any reason to suspect the vandalism just discussed was a hate crime or crime of prejudice or bigotry?</p>	<p>586 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 66a                  2 <input type="checkbox"/> No                  3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know } SKIP to 71</p>
<p><b>66.</b></p> <p>An offender/Offenders can target people for a variety of reasons, but we are only going to ask you about a few today. Do you suspect the offender(s) targeted you because of...</p> <p>(a) Your race? 564 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>(b) Your religion? 565 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>(c) Your ethnic background or national origin (for example, people of Hispanic origin)? ..... 566 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>(d) Any disability (by this I mean physical, mental, or developmental disabilities) you may have? .... 567 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>(e) Your gender? 568 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>(f) Your sexual orientation? 569 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know</p> <p>If "Yes," SAY - (by this we mean homosexual, bisexual, or heterosexual)</p>	
<p><b>67a.</b></p> <p>Some offenders target people because they associate with certain people or the (offender perceives/offenders perceive) them as having certain characteristics or religious beliefs.</p> <p>Do you suspect you were targeted because of...</p> <p>Your association with people who have certain characteristics or religious beliefs (for example, a multiracial couple)?</p>	<p>587 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 67b                  2 <input type="checkbox"/> No                  3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know } SKIP to 67c</p>
<p><b>67b.</b></p> <p>Please specify why the respondent suspects they were targeted because of their association with people who have certain characteristics or religious beliefs.</p>	<p>588 _____                  _____</p>
<p><b>67c.</b></p> <p>The offender(s)'s perception of your characteristics or religious beliefs (for example, the offender(s) thought you were Jewish because you went into a synagogue)?</p>	<p>589 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 67d                  2 <input type="checkbox"/> No                  3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know } SKIP to 68</p>
<p><b>67d.</b></p> <p>Please specify why the respondent suspects they were targeted because of the offender(s)'s perception of their characteristics or religious beliefs.</p>	<p>590 _____                  _____</p>
<p><b>68.</b> <b>CHECK ITEM F2</b> Are one or more boxes marked "Yes" in 66a - 66f OR 67a or 67c?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 69a  <input type="checkbox"/> No - SKIP to 71</p>
<p><b>69a.</b></p> <p>Do you have any evidence that this vandalism was a hate crime or crime of prejudice or bigotry?</p>	<p>591 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - SKIP to 70a                  2 <input type="checkbox"/> No                  3 <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know } ASK 69b</p>
<p><b>69b.</b></p> <p>Did the offender(s) say something, write anything, or leave anything behind at the crime scene that would suggest you were targeted because of your characteristics or religious beliefs?</p>	<p>1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 70a                  2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - SKIP to 71</p>

**HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENT'S HATE CRIME SCREEN QUESTIONS (Asked of Household Respondent Only)**

**70.**

The next questions ask about the evidence you have that makes you suspect this vandalism was a hate crime or a crime of prejudice or bigotry. As I read the following questions, please tell me if any of the following happened:

**(a)**

Did the offender(s) make fun of you, make negative comments, use slang, hurtful words, or abusive language?

592 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(b)**

Were any hate symbols present at the crime scene to indicate the offender(s) targeted you for a particular reason (for example, a swastika, graffiti on the walls of a temple, a burning cross, or written words)?

593 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(c)**

Did a police investigation confirm the offender(s) targeted you (for example, did the offender(s) confess a motive, or did the police find books, journals, or pictures that indicated the offender(s) (was/were) prejudiced against people with certain characteristics or religious beliefs)?

594 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(d)**

Do you know if the offender(s) (has/have) committed similar hate crimes or crimes of prejudice or bigotry in the past?

595 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(e)**

Did the vandalism occur on or near a holiday, event, location, gathering place, or building commonly associated with a specific group (for example, at the Gay Pride March or at a synagogue, Korean church, or gay bar)?

596 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(f)**

Have other hate crimes or crimes of prejudice or bigotry happened to you or in your area/ neighborhood where people have been targeted?

597 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**(g)**

Do your feelings, instincts, or perception lead you to suspect this vandalism was a hate crime or crime of prejudice or bigotry, but you do not have enough evidence to know for sure?

598 1  Yes 2  No 3  Don't know

**RESPONDENT'S CHECK ITEMS D, E, AND G**

**71.**

**CHECK ITEM D**

Who besides the respondent was present when the screen questions were asked? (If telephone interview, mark box 1 only or box 11 only.)

555 11  Telephone interview - SKIP to 73.  
\* **Personal interview** - Mark all that apply.  
12  No one besides respondent present  
13  Respondent's spouse  
14  HHL member(s) 12+, not spouse  
15  HHL member(s) under 12  
16  Nonhousehold member(s)  
17  Someone was present - Can't say who  
18  Don't know if someone else present

If a Proxy interview, ASK 72, else SKIP to 73.

**72.**

**CHECK ITEM E**

Did the person for whom this interview was taken help the proxy respondent answer any screen questions?

556 1  Yes  
2  No  
3  Person for whom interview taken not present

**73.**

**CHECK ITEM G**

Is one or more crimes reported in 36b, 37b, 39b, 40b, 41b, 42b, 43b, 44d, 45d, or 64b?

Yes - SKIP to CRIME INCIDENT Report (INCIDENTINTRO)  
 No - SKIP to 74

**RESPONDENT'S EMPLOYMENT QUESTIONS**

All incident reports must be completed before asking this series of questions.

<p><b>74.</b> <span style="background-color: #e91e63; color: white; padding: 2px 5px; font-weight: bold;">CHECK ITEM H</span> Is the respondent 16 years or older?</p>	<p>1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 75a 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - SKIP to 80</p>
<p><b>75a.</b> <b>Did you have a job or work at a business LAST WEEK? (Do not include volunteer work or work around the house.)</b>  (If farm or business operator in household, ask about unpaid work.)</p>	<p>576 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - SKIP to 76a 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - ASK 75b</p>
<p><b>75b.</b> Ask OR Verify - <b>Did you have a job or work at a business DURING THE LAST 6 MONTHS?</b></p>	<p>577 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 75c 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - SKIP to 80</p>
<p><b>75c.</b> <b>Did that (job/work) last 2 consecutive weeks or more?</b></p>	<p>578 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - ASK 76a 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No - SKIP to 80</p>
<p><b>76a.</b> Ask OR Verify - <b>Which of the following best describes your job?</b>  <b>Were you employed in the...</b>  Read each category until respondent says "yes", then enter appropriate precode.</p>	<p>11 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Medical Profession?</b> - SKIP 76c 12 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Mental Health Services Field?</b> - SKIP to 76e 13 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Teaching Profession?</b> - SKIPto 76g 14 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Law Enforcement or Security Field?</b> - SKIP to 76i 15 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Retail Sales?</b> - SKIPTo 76k 16 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Transportation Field?</b> - SKIP to 76m 17 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Something else?</b> - Specify - ASK 76b</p>
<p><b>76b.</b> Please specify the job not covered in answer categories 11-16 in 76a.</p>	<p>Specify -SKIP to 77 _____</p>
<p><b>76c.</b> Employed in the Medical Profession: <b>As a --.</b>  <b>Read each category</b></p>	<p><b>Medical Profession</b> 579 11 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Physician?</b> 12 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Nurse?</b> 13 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Technician?</b> 14 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other Medical Profession?</b> - Specify - ASK 76d } - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76d.</b> Please specify employed in the medical profession as a -</p>	<p>Specify - SKIP to 77 _____</p>
<p><b>76e.</b> Employed in the Mental Health Services Field:  <b>Are YOUR duties -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p><b>Mental Health Services Field</b> 15 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Professional (Social worker/psychiatrist)?</b> 16 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Custodial care?</b> 17 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Some other Mental Health Services Profession?</b> - Specify - ASK 76f } - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76f.</b> Please specify duties in the mental health services field.</p>	<p>Specify - SKIP to 77 _____</p>
<p><b>76g.</b> Employed in the Teaching Profession:  <b>WERE YOU employed in a -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p><b>Teaching Profession</b> 18 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Preschool?</b> 19 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Elementary?</b> 20 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Junior high or middle school?</b> 21 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>High school?</b> 22 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>College or university?</b> 23 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Technical or industrial school?</b> 24 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Special education facility?</b> 25 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other teaching profession?</b> - Specify - ASK 76h } - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76h.</b> Please specify employed in the teaching profession as a -</p>	<p>Specify - SKIP to 77 _____</p>
<p><b>76i.</b> Employed in the Law Enforcement or Security Field:  <b>WERE YOU employed as a -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p><b>Law Enforcement or Security Field</b> 26 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Law enforcement officer?</b> 27 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Prison or jail guard?</b> 28 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Security guard?</b> 29 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Law enforcement profession?</b> Specify - ASK 76j } - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76j.</b> Please specify employed in the law enforcement or security field as a -</p>	<p>Specify - SKIP to 77 _____</p>

**RESPONDENT'S EMPLOYMENT QUESTIONS CONTINUED**

<p><b>76k.</b> Employed in Retail Sales:  <b>WERE YOU employed as a -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p><b>Retail Sales -</b> 30 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Convenience or liquor store clerk?</b> 31 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Gas station attendant?</b> 32 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Bartender?</b> 33 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other retail sales profession?</b> Specify - ASK 76l</p> <p align="right">} - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76l.</b>  <b>Please specify employed in retail sales as a -</b></p>	<p align="center">Specify - SKIP to 77 _____</p>
<p><b>76m.</b>  Employed in the Transportation Field:  <b>WERE YOU employed as a -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p><b>Transportation Field -</b> 34 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Bus driver?</b> 35 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Taxi cab driver?</b> 36 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Other transportation Field profession?</b> Specify - ASK 76n</p> <p align="right">} - SKIP to 77</p>
<p><b>76n.</b>  Please specify employed in the transportation field as a -</p>	<p align="center">Specify _____</p>
<p><b>77.</b>  Ask OR Verify -  <b>Is your job with -</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p>580 1 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A private company, business, or individual for wages?</b> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>The Federal government?</b> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A State, county, or local government?</b> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Yourself (Self-employed) in your own business, professional practice, or farm?</b> If TEACHINGJOB = 22 SKIP to 79, else ASK 78.</p>
<p><b>78.</b>  <b>Are you employed by a college or university?</b></p>	<p>581 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Yes 2 <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>
<p><b>79.</b>  <b>While working at your job, do you work mostly in --</b>  Read each category.</p>	<p>582 1 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>A city?</b> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Suburban area?</b> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Rural area?</b> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Combination of any of these?</b></p>
<p><b>80.</b> <b>CHECK ITEM I</b> Is this the last household member to be interviewed?</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes - If Household Respondent finish collecting income and telephone information, then END interview. Otherwise end interview.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> No - GO TO question 33a for the next respondent. See note below before interviewing next household member.</p>

FIELD REPRESENTATIVE -- (Read to the Household Respondent Only.) If there are any household members under 18, tell the Household Respondent that you will be asking the **same** questions you just asked him/her.