

April - May - June 9

APP 310-244

Description and codes for data file - Household expenditure survey-Social assistance survey-II quarter 1997

Question	Position in record	No. of characters	Possible answer
Identification data			
Household No.	1-4	4	0001-1300
Settlement	5-10	6	400017-491063
Enumeration district	11-13	3	001-999
Ordinal No. of the household	14	1	1-5
Part A			
Ordinal No. of person	15-16	2	01-20
Relation to the head of household	17	1	0-head 1-spouse 2-child 3-parent 4- brother, sister 5- grandparents 6- grand child 7- son/daughter in- low 8-other relative 9-not related
1. Have you ever applied for social assistance benefits from the social welfare program?	18	1	1-yes 2-no
2. How did you hear about the social assistance program?	19	1	1-newspaper/tv/radio 2-employment bureau 3-neighbour/friend/relative 4-social welfare officer 5-employer 6-other

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3. When did you last apply for social assistance benefits?

month *NO APP* 20-21
year *YR APP* 22-25

2 01-12 (Jan, Feb., march ...DEC)
4 1985-1997

4. At the time you applied, did you get approval for social assistance?

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1 1=yes
2-no

5. When did you get the last payment from the Social welfare center?

month *M-LPMT* 27-28
year *YR LPMT* 29-32

2 01-12
4 1985-1997

6. What amount of social assistance benefit were you entitled to receive?

AMT ENT 33-38

6 500-30000

7. Were your benefits discontinued since you last applied?

DISCONT 39

1 1=yes
2-no

8. Are you eligible to receive social assistance benefits this month?

PRGM 40

1 1=yes
2-no

9. When were your benefits discontinued?

month *MODISE* 41-42
year *YR DISC* 43-46

2 01-12
4 1985-1997

10. Why were your benefits discontinued?

RESDISE 47

1 1-income increased
2-acquired assets
3-home visit check
4-other

11. When did you receive your last payment of social assistance?

RECEIPT 48

1 1-this month
2-last month
3-two months ago
4-three months ago
5-four or more months ago

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12. What would you do if you did not receive social assistance?	<i>COPE NPM1</i> 49	1	1-borrow money 2-spend from savings 3-sell durable goods or other assets 4-support from family members 5-work occasionally 6-other
13. What was the main reason you were denied social assistance?	<i>REF DEN</i> 50	1	1-high income 2-too many assets 3-inadequate number of documents 4-home visit check 5-other assessment by social welfare officers 6-other
14. How did you meet your monthly financial needs?	<i>MEET NEEDS</i> 51	1	1-borrow money 2-spend from savings 3-sell durable goods or other assets 4-support from family members 5-work occasionally 6-other
15. Why did you not apply for social assistance?	<i>REFS NAPP</i> 52	1	1-satisfied with current financial situation 2-did not know about the social assistance program 3-too old/sick to go to the social welfare center 4-the application form was difficult to complete 5-the document and certificates required were difficult to obtain 6-other

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Part B (repeated 6 times, 6*27=162)			
Ordinal-No. of person	53-54	2	01-20
1. Are you currently employed?	55	1	1-yes 2-no
2. When were you last employed?			
month	56-57	2	01-12
year	58-61	4	1985-1997
3. What is the amount of last monthly wage payment?	62-67	6	1000-100000 denars
4. What was the date of last monthly wage payment?			
month	68-69	2	01-12
year	70-73	4	1985-1997
5. Are you registered as unemployed in the Employment bureau?	74	1	1-yes 2-no
6. Why are you registered with the Employment bureau?			
-to get unemployment benefits	75	1	1-yes 0-no
-to get social benefits	76	1	2-yes 0-no
-to get health benefits	77	1	3-yes 0-no
-to obtain job	78	1	4-yes 0-no
-other	79	1	5-yes 0-no

Person 1 - 53-79
Person 2 - 80-106
Person 3 - 107-