

## Household Roster

*This survey accompanies a measure in the SPARQTools.org [Measuring Mobility toolkit](#), which provides practitioners curated instruments for assessing mobility from poverty and tools for selecting the most appropriate measures for their programs.*

**Age:** Teen, Adult

**Duration:** 3 to 5 minutes

**Reading Level:** < 6th grade

**Number of items:** 2+

**Answer Format:** These questions are administered verbally by an interviewer. The questions have different answer formats and can be used individually.

### **Sources:**

U.S. Census Bureau (2014). *2014 SIPP Production SIPP Public Use Metadata Report*.

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<https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/sipp/questionnaires/2008/sipp-2008-panel-wave-01-core-questionnaire.pdf>

1. First I need to make a list of all the people who live or stay here at this address.

Don't forget to include: People who stay here only some of the time, non-relatives who live here, babies, and small children.

Please mention someone even if you're not sure they should be included. Let's start with you. What is your name? Please give me the names of everyone else who lives or stays here most of the time.

Record: First, Middle, Last Name

Ask: Anyone else? (*repeat until complete*)

Probe: We know we sometimes miss people when it's not totally clear where they live. Just to make sure, have I missed

...Anyone who is staying here until they find a place to live?

...Any lodgers, boarders or persons you employ who live here?

...Anyone who may have another place to live, but who stays here often or has some space or a room here?

Record: First, Middle, Last Name

2. What is [fill in each name] relationship to you?

- a. Spouse (husband/wife)
- b. Unmarried partner
- c. Child (biological, step, or adopted)
- d. Grandchild
- e. Parent (mother/father)
- f. Brother/sister
- g. Other relative of reference person (uncle, cousin, mother-in-law, father-in-law, etc.)
- h. Foster child
- i. Housemate/roommate
- j. Roomer/boarder
- k. Other non-relative

[repeat for each name on roster]