

ROYAL NAVY AND ROYAL MARINES FAMILIES' Survey 2018

Your views are important



PLEASE HELP US TO
HELP YOU

We recognise that life as part of a Royal Navy or Royal Marines family is different to that of the civilian population and are keen to acknowledge these differences and to mitigate particular challenges where possible. This survey is recognised by the Ministry of Defence as being **the** most important piece of feedback from families and, as such, is used as the basis to develop policies and take decisions intended to improve the conditions for all Service Personnel and their families. We therefore ask that you take a little time to complete it, giving us your full and honest views.

Thank you.

*Vice Admiral Sir Jonathan Woodcock
KCB OBE, Second Sea Lord and
Deputy Chief of Naval Staff*

*Anna Wright, CEO, Naval Families
Federation*



*If you would prefer to complete the
survey online go to:
[http://go.surveycenter.com/
modfamilies2018](http://go.surveycenter.com/modfamilies2018)*

A message from the Armed Forces Covenant

The Armed Forces Covenant is a promise from the nation, that the Armed Forces community are treated fairly and face no disadvantage in accessing public and private services, with special provision made for those who have sacrificed the most, including the bereaved and injured.

The feedback we received from you in last year's Families Survey helped to shape our priorities over the past year. Many of you told us that you were still having difficulty in getting a fair deal with commercial providers, or accessing local services when you and your family had to relocate. So we worked closely with Broadband providers to waive cancellation fees for families who had to terminate their contract when relocating, and worked closely with mortgage lenders to ensure families could rent out their home when they relocated without incurring additional cost. We have continued to work hard with Local Authorities to ensure front-line staff apply Covenant policies and principles correctly and consistently throughout the UK, and have issued guidance on the support that the Armed Forces Community should receive from their Local Authority in all four of the home nations. Our website (<https://www.armedforcescovenant.gov.uk/>) will continue to be regularly updated with developments on these and other initiatives, along with case studies illustrating the support available to families.

But we know that there is still work to be done, and we need your feedback so that we know where to focus our efforts. The Families Survey is important to us because it comes direct from you, and gives you the opportunity to tell us how your partner's service impacts on family life. I encourage you to take this opportunity to share your views, and highlight any issues which are important to you.

Thank you.

*James Greenrod and Jenna Clare
Heads of Armed Forces Covenant Team*

Past actions in response to sources of feedback such as the Families Survey...

Health Education England provided a series of e-learning packages, for GPs and others providing health services, to improve service delivery, by raising awareness and understanding of the needs and challenges Service personnel, families and Veterans may face.

The Forces Help to Buy Scheme has been extended to 2018. The scheme will continue helping Service personnel to get on or stay on the property ladder. Over 8,300 Service personnel have benefited, to the value of £127million.

£68million was allocated to upgrading and improving over 4,700 family accommodation properties to the highest condition standard.

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INTRODUCTION

The Families' Survey gives you an opportunity to have your say. If you also serve in the Armed Forces please provide feedback from your experiences of being a partner of a serving member of the Royal Navy/Royal Marines.

We would be grateful if you could spend a few minutes answering this questionnaire. Your views are important to us, please answer honestly and tell us what you think!

If you would prefer to complete the questionnaire online, please go to the following link, and enter the serial number found at the back of this questionnaire or your spouse's service number

<http://go.surveycenter.com/modfamilies2018>

Please be aware that the serial number is not linked to any one individual and will not be used for tracking purposes. It is solely used to act as a safeguard to access the online survey. If you use your spouse's service number please be aware that this is only used to access the survey and your responses will not be linked to it.

The results from this will be analysed by Harris Interactive, an independent research company.

They will want to report on your views as a relevant group, but will NOT analyse the details below in such a way that you can be identified individually. Harris Interactive is a member of the Market Research Society and is bound by its Code of Conduct not to identify individual respondents' views.

Your questionnaire will never be linked back to you as an individual and Harris Interactive will not pass any completed questionnaires back to The Ministry of Defence. **Your anonymity is protected at all times and confidentiality is guaranteed.**

COMPLETING THE QUESTIONNAIRE

Please read the instructions for each question carefully. In most cases you simply put a cross in the box next to the answer.

If you wish to change your mind, please entirely scribble out your original answer, and then put a cross in your new choice.

Please answer all statements. However, if you feel that you cannot provide an answer, **please leave that statement blank**. If you have something else you would like to say in more detail, please use the space provided at the end of the questionnaire.

If you have any questions or need more information you can contact Lauren Robinson at Harris Interactive on a confidential free phone number – 0808 156 0607, or by email: LRobinson@harrisinteractive.co.uk

Please complete your survey by Monday 30th April 2018

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SECTION 1 – ABOUT YOU (1)

Your answers to Q1, Q2, Q3 and Q4 are vital in allowing us to ensure survey findings are applicable to the RN and RM populations. Surveys which do not include these questions cannot be counted.

Q1 Are you married to/in a civil partnership with a member of the Regular RN/RM?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No THIS SURVEY IS MEANT FOR THE SPOUSE/CIVIL PARTNER OF REGULAR SERVICE PERSONNEL ONLY.

IF RELEVANT PLEASE SEND ON TO YOUR SPOUSE/CIVIL PARTNER.

Q2 Where do you currently live?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Bath/Bristol

Rosyth

Chivenor

Taunton

Culdrose

Wittering

Faslane

Yeovilton

London

England but none of the above

Lympstone

Northern Ireland

Northwood

Scotland but none of the above

Plymouth

Wales

Poole

Outside the UK, PLEASE SPECIFY WHICH COUNTRY:

Portsmouth

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SECTION 1 – ABOUT YOU (2)

Q3 What is your spouse/civil partner's Rank?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Commodore/ Brigadier/
Chaplain of the Fleet (or above)

Warrant Officer 2

Captain (RN)/ Colonel/
Principle Chaplain

Chief Petty Officer/
Colour Sergeant

Commander/ Lieutenant Colonel

Petty Officer/ Sergeant

Lieutenant Commander/ Major/
Chaplain

Leading Rate/ Corporal

Lieutenant/Captain (RM)

Lance Corporal

Sub-Lieutenant/ 2nd Lieutenant

Able Rate/ Marine

Warrant Officer 1

Q4 Is your spouse/civil partner?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

RN

RM

Q5 Do you live separately from your spouse/civil partner during the working week?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No PLEASE GO TO **Q7**

Q6 If yes, how often do you see your spouse/civil partner?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Weekly

Fortnightly

Monthly

Less than monthly

Other

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SECTION 1 – ABOUT YOU (3)

Q7 Where is your spouse/civil partner currently stationed (if currently on duty on a ship or submarine please indicate where their base port is)?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

England

Wales

Northern Ireland

Outside the UK, PLEASE SPECIFY WHICH COUNTRY:

Scotland

Q8 What is your spouse/civil partner's Arm or Service?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

RN General

RM General Service

RN Submarine Service

RM Band Service

RN Fleet Air Arm

Q9 How old are you? PLEASE WRITE YOUR AGE IN THE BOX BELOW

Years

Q10 Are you? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Male

Female

Q11 Have you ever served in the Armed Forces? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes, I am still serving as a Regular

No, I have never served

Yes, I am still serving as a Reservist

Yes, but I am no longer serving

SECTION 1 – ABOUT YOU (4)

Q12 Are you registered to vote? (Please choose one of the following)
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes, and I had registered without difficulty

Yes, but I had some difficulty registering

No, I chose not to register PLEASE GO TO **Q14**

No, I was not able to register PLEASE GO TO **Q14**

Don't know PLEASE GO TO **Q14**

Prefer not to say PLEASE GO TO **Q14**

Q13 If yes, which registration option did you use?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

I'm registered as an ordinary/residential voter –
*registered for one year, usually via the annual
update of voters (annual canvass)*

I'm registered as a Service voter – *registered for
five years, via a service declaration*

I'm registered as an overseas voter – *registered
for one year, in the same way as a non-forces
British citizen living overseas*

Don't know

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SECTION 2 – YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT SERVICE LIFE (1)

Q14 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't Know / Not applicable
In general, the Royal Navy/Royal Marines provides a good level of support for families of serving personnel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In general, my life is more difficult than that of friends whose partner is not in the Royal Navy/Royal Marines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I feel part of the wider Naval community	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I have friends among other Royal Navy/Royal Marines families	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I sometimes feel unsupported by the Royal Navy/Royal Marines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I feel valued by the Royal Navy/Royal Marines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

IF YOU DISAGREE TO THIS STATEMENT, HOW CAN WE MAKE YOU FEEL VALUED? PLEASE SPECIFY BELOW:

Q15 How satisfied are you with your quality of life, being married to/in a civil partnership with a member of the RN/RM?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

- Very satisfied
- Satisfied
- Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied

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SECTION 2 – YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT SERVICE LIFE (2)

Q16 Have you ever started a discussion with your partner about leaving the service in the last 2 years? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes, very often

Yes, often

Yes, occasionally

No

IF YES, PLEASE SPECIFY WHY:

Q17 How would you feel if your partner chose to leave the Royal Navy/Royal Marines? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

I would be much happier

I would be happier

I would be no different

I would be less happy

I would be much less happy

Don't know

Q18 Do you think each of the following aspects of your life would be better or worse if your partner left the Royal Navy/Royal Marines?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Much better	Better	No change	Worse	Much worse	Don't Know / Not applicable
Your career prospects	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your standard of housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your relationship with your partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your children's education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your family life	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your social life	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 2 – YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT SERVICE LIFE (3)

Q19 If you do not live in the same area as your spouse's / civil partner's work location, what is the main reason for not doing so?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

- | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Children's education | <input type="checkbox"/> | I have settled in Service Accommodation where I prefer to live | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Childcare issues | <input type="checkbox"/> | My career/employment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Continuity of my education/course | <input type="checkbox"/> | No family nearby | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I do not wish to live in the area where my spouse/civil partner works | <input type="checkbox"/> | Poor Service Family Accommodation | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| I have settled in my own home | <input type="checkbox"/> | Other | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Q20 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with each of the following?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Fairly dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Not applicable
The amount of leave given to my spouse/civil partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
That you and your spouse/civil partner's views are taken into consideration when assignments (formerly drafts or posting) are planned	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The amount of notice you are given on assignments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 2 – YOUR THOUGHTS ABOUT SERVICE LIFE (4)

Q21 In the last 12 months, how many weeks has your spouse/civil partner been away from your home/place of residence with the service? (to include those who 'weekend')

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Not been away

Up to 6 months

Up to 1 month

Up to 9 months

Up to 3 months

Up to 12 months

Not applicable

Q22 Who would you contact in an emergency if your spouse is away or out of touch? PLEASE WRITE IN THE BOX BELOW:

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SECTION 3 – HOUSING (1)

Q23 Have you moved in the last 12 months?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes, for Service reasons

Yes, for other reasons

No

Q24 How many times have you moved for Service reasons over the last 5 years?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

None

Once

Twice

Three times

More than three times

Q25 Do you own your own home?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes, I am living in it

No

Yes, but not living in it

No, but I am currently saving up
to buy a home in the future

ONLY ANSWER **Q26** IF YOU DON'T OWN YOUR OWN HOME. IF YOU DO, GO TO **Q27**

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SECTION 3 – HOUSING (2)

Q26 If you don't own your own home, which of the following statements apply to you? PLEASE PUT X IN ALL THAT APPLY

I/we don't want to own a home at this stage in my/our life/career(s)

I/we wouldn't be able to live in the home

Living in Service accommodation is better suited to my family's needs at present than home ownership

I/we had difficulties getting a mortgage

I/we want to be able to move with my spouse/civil partner when he/she is posted

I/we don't want to risk losing money

Other

I/we don't want to buy a home where we are currently located

I am expecting my spouse/civil partner to be posted overseas or to an area where I/we don't want to buy a home

I/we can't afford to buy a suitable home at the moment

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SECTION 3 – HOUSING (3)

Q27 What type of accommodation do you live in during the working week?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Service Family Accommodation (SFA)

Other accommodation

Substitute Service Family Accommodation (SSFA)

Single Living Accommodation (SLA)

Substitute Service Single Accommodation (SSSA)
Formerly SSLA

Property I/we own

Privately rented accommodation

Q28 What type of accommodation would you prefer to live in during the working week? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Service Family Accommodation (SFA)

Other accommodation

Substitute Service Family Accommodation (SSFA)

Single Living Accommodation (SLA)

Substitute Service Single Accommodation (SSSA)
Formerly SSLA

Property I/we own

Privately rented accommodation

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SECTION 3 – HOUSING (4)

ONLY ANSWER **Q29** TO **Q30** IF YOU LIVE IN SERVICE FAMILY ACCOMMODATION (SFA/SSFA).
IF NOT **GO TO SECTION 4.**

Q29 If you live in SFA or SSFA, how satisfied or dissatisfied, are you with each of the following? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied	Don't Know/ Not applicable
The overall standard	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The value for money	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The response to requests for maintenance/ repair	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The quality of maintenance/ repair work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
How fairly Service accommodation is allocated	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The security of your SFA/SSFA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The cleanliness of your accommodation when moving in	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The speed at which accommodation is allocated	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 3 – HOUSING (5)

Q30 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following in relation to SFA/SSFA? PLEASE PUT X IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / Not applicable
I feel the Service expects me to live in SFA/SSFA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The frequency of drafts/assignments means it is easier to live in SFA/SSFA	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I live in SFA/SSFA because other accommodation is too expensive	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I live in SFA/SSFA because no other accommodation is available	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 4 - HEALTHCARE (1)

In this section we wish to ask about the provision of healthcare services for Service families (excluding serving persons).

If you and your spouse/ civil partner are both currently serving in the Armed Forces and have no children, please go to Q35.

Q31 In the last 12 months have you/ your children been able to access the following healthcare services?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Yes, without difficulties	Yes, but with some difficulties	No, I was unable to	No, I did not need to
Dental treatment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
GP (including Nurse/Midwife etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mental health treatment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital or specialist services (including orthodontist)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please use the text box at the end of the survey to tell us about the difficulties you may have encountered.

SECTION 4 - HEALTHCARE (2)

Please only complete this question if you have moved within the last 12 months. If you have not moved, please go to Q35.

Q32 If you/your children were undergoing a course of treatment with any of the following services at the time of your move, were you/ your children able to continue the treatment in your new location?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Yes, without difficulties	Yes, but with some difficulties	No, I was unable to continue treatment	Not applicable – not undergoing treatment
Dental treatment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
GP (including Nurse/Midwife etc)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mental health treatment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital or specialist services (including orthodontist)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q33 In the last 12 months, have you or any of your children been on a waiting list for an operation/consultant's appointment? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

PLEASE GO TO **Q35**

Q34 If yes, was the waiting time increased as a result of moving?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

Don't Know

Not applicable

Q35 Do you have any children? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF NO, PLEASE GO TO Q53

Q36 If yes, how many children do you have?

PLEASE WRITE THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN EACH BOX. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE CHILDREN IN THAT AGE GROUP, PLEASE INSERT '0'

Under 5 years

Between 5 and 11 years

Between 12 and 17 years

18 years or older, in full time education

18 years or older, not in full time education

Q37 Have you needed early years (children between 0-4 years) childcare in the last 12 months?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF NO, PLEASE GO TO Q41

Q38 If yes, have you been able to access early years (children between 0-4 years) childcare?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF YES, PLEASE GO TO Q40

Q39 If no, you could not access early years (children between 0-4 years) childcare, what difficulties did you have?

PLEASE WRITE IN THE BOX BELOW:

SECTION 5 – CHILDCARE AND CHILDREN'S EDUCATION (2)

Q40 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the following aspects of your local early years (children between 0-4 years) childcare facilities?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied
Access (e.g. distance, transportation, waiting lists)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Opening hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q41 Do you have any children of school age?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF NO, PLEASE GO TO Q53

Q42 If yes, please tell us the number of children you have at each type of school.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE ANY CHILDREN AT THAT TYPE OF SCHOOL PLEASE INSERT '0'

State school	<input type="checkbox"/>	Service school	<input type="checkbox"/>
Independent day school	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other	<input type="checkbox"/>
Independent boarding school	<input type="checkbox"/>		

SECTION 5 – CHILDCARE AND CHILDREN'S EDUCATION (3)

Q43 Have you needed childcare for school age children in the last 12 months? (e.g. breakfast/after school clubs, child-minder pickups, school holiday clubs)

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF NO, PLEASE GO TO Q45

Q44 How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the following aspects of your local childcare for school age children?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied
Availability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Opening hours	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q45 Do you receive CEA (Continuity of Education Allowance)?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

Q46 Did any of your child(ren) change school in the last 12 months?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ALL THAT APPLY

Yes, for Service Reasons

Yes, for other reasons

No (PLEASE GO TO Q51)

Q47 If any of your children changed school in the last 12 months, was this move at the normal point of entry (i.e. within the school application period for the beginning of Reception, Year 7 or Year 12 or equivalent)?

Yes

No

Q48 Which of the following best describes your child's school allocation?

PLEASE ONLY TICK ONE BOX

My child was allocated a place at their first choice of school

My child was allocated a place at one of their 3 preferred choices (but not their first choice)

My child was not allocated a place at one of their 3 preferred choices

Other

Please use the text box at the end of the survey to tell us of any other comments.

Q49 If your child was not allocated a place at the school of their choice, did you appeal?

Yes

No

(PLEASE GO TO Q51)

Q50 If you did appeal, how satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the following?

PLEASE PUT X IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied
The appeals process	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The outcome of the appeal	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q51 Did you experience any difficulties with your children's schooling in the last 12 months?

Yes

No IF NOT, PLEASE GO TO Q53

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SECTION 5 – CHILDCARE AND CHILDREN'S EDUCATION (4)

Q52 If yes, did you experience any of the following difficulties?
PLEASE PUT X IN ALL THAT APPLY

- | | | | |
|---|--------------------------|--|--------------------------|
| Insufficient transportation to school | <input type="checkbox"/> | Children could not attend the same school together | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Distance to school | <input type="checkbox"/> | Obtaining support for Special Educational Needs (SEN) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Getting a place at the school of your choice | <input type="checkbox"/> | School admission application period did not coincide with notification of assignment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Getting enough information about schools in your area | <input type="checkbox"/> | Local Authority was unsupportive | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Not enough places at your local school | <input type="checkbox"/> | Continuing your children's education without a gap | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Unsuitable educational standard of your local school | <input type="checkbox"/> | Differences in syllabus | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | | Other difficulty | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Please use the text box at the end of the survey to tell us of any other difficulties.

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SECTION 6 – TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT (1)

Q53 What is your current employment status?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ALL THAT APPLY

In full-time employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q54	Not employed – not seeking employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55
In part-time employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q54	In full-time education/personal development	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55
Self employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q54	In part-time education	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55
Homemaker/parent at home	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55	My immigration status means that I am unable to work	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55
Not employed – seeking employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55	Not applicable	<input type="checkbox"/>	Go to Q55

Q54 If you have a job, how satisfied are you with the following:

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Don't Know	Not applicable
Your job overall	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
That your qualifications match your job	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
That your job matches your skills and experience	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 6 – TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT (2)

Q55 Have you been looking for a job in the last 12 months?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

IF NO, PLEASE GO TO Q58

Q56 If yes, did you have any difficulty finding suitable employment?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

GO TO **Q58**

Q57 If you experienced difficulty finding suitable employment, was it because of any of the following? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ALL THAT APPLY

A lack of relevant qualifications

Access to affordable and quality childcare

Your employment history (i.e. changing jobs frequently)

Partner unable to assist with care responsibilities

Being overseas with your spouse/civil partner

Extended family live too far away to assist with childcare

Having a spouse who is often away

Other

Having a spouse in the Armed Forces

Q58 In the last 12 months, have you, or anyone in your family been able to:
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Yes, without difficulty	Yes, but with some difficulty	No, I was unable to	No, I did not need to
Access Further or Higher Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Continuing a course previously started	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 6 – TRAINING & EMPLOYMENT (3)

Q59 In the last 12 months, have you or your family accompanied your spouse/civil partner on overseas assignment? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

GO TO **Q61**

Q60 If yes, were you able to... PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Yes, without difficulty	Yes, with difficulty	No, I was not able to	No, I did not need to
Obtain paid employment overseas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Access Service-provided information before moving overseas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q61 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't Know / Not applicable
My career is as important as that of my partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Royal Navy/Royal Marines limits the career choices I can make	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I have had to make sacrifices to support my partner's career	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I have been treated unfairly by employers because my partner is in the Royal Navy/Royal Marines	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 7 – DEPLOYMENT (1)

Q62 Do you know where to go for Service-provided welfare support and information while your spouse/civil partner is on an operational tour?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Yes

No

Not applicable

Q63 What is your view of operational tours?

Too often

About right

Not often enough

Frequency

Too long

About right

Too short

Length

Q64 How confident are you in your ability to manage your finances while your spouse/civil partner is away on long term deployment (i.e. more than 6 months)? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Very confident

Quite confident

Not very confident

Not at all confident

Not applicable

SECTION 7 – DEPLOYMENT (2)

Q65 **When was your spouse/civil partner's last operational tour?**
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

- | | |
|-------------------------------|---|
| Currently on operational tour | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| In the last 12 months | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 1-2 years ago | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3-5 years ago | <input type="checkbox"/> GO TO Q68 |
| More than 5 years ago | <input type="checkbox"/> GO TO Q68 |
| Not applicable | <input type="checkbox"/> GO TO Q69 |

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SECTION 7 – DEPLOYMENT (2)

Q66 How satisfied were you with the following **BEFORE** your spouse/civil partner's most recent operational tour? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Did not use
The welfare support you used (e.g. information, padre, support staff, SSAFA officer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Direct contact and support from your spouse/civil partner's Chain of Command/Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Facilities and events to meet with other spouses and families	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q67 How satisfied were you with the following **DURING** your spouse/civil partner's most recent operational tour? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Did not use
The welfare support you used (e.g. information, padre, support staff, SSAFA officer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Direct contact and support from your spouse/civil partner's Chain of Command/Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Facilities and events to meet with other spouses and families	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lines of communication with your spouse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 7 – DEPLOYMENT (3)

Q68 How satisfied were you with the following AFTER your spouse/civil partner had returned from his/her most recent operational tour?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very satisfied	Satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	Dissatisfied	Very dissatisfied	Did not use
The welfare support you used (e.g. information, padre, support staff, SSAFA officer)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Direct contact and support from your spouse/civil partner's Chain of Command/Unit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Facilities and events to meet with other spouses and families	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 8 – COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPORT (1)

Q69

Below is a list of support services. We would like to know which, if any, you have heard of, which of these you have used and if you have used them, how satisfied or dissatisfied, you are with them.

Have you...

A. Heard of any of the following? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ALL THAT APPLY

B. Used any of the following? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ALL THAT APPLY

C. How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the following aspects of the RN/RM support services? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW.

C. (ONLY ANSWER IF USED THIS SERVICE)

	<u>A.</u> Heard of this	<u>B.</u> Used it	Very satisfied	Fairly satisfied	Neither satisfied nor dis- satisfied	Fairly dis- satisfied	Very dis- satisfied
The Operational Welfare Package (OWP)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Welfare and social work support and advice (RN & RM Welfare)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community Centres	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pre-school provision, playgroup, crèche, etc	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
NPFS/Royal Marine HIVE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Joint Service Housing Advice Office (JSHAO)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family support groups for families of deployed units (FAFDU)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Joint Casualty and Compassionate Centre (JCCC)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Naval Families Federation (NFF)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Children's Education Advisory Service (CEAS)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any Other Type of Support Services. PLEASE SPECIFY WHICH:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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SECTION 8 – COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPORT (2)

Q70 How would you rate the following?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very good	Good	Adequate	Poor	Very poor	Don't Know / Not applicable
The information available to individuals whose spouse/civil partners are away on deployment/exercises	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The support given by the RN/RM to individuals whose spouse/civil partners are away	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The amount of contact with spouse/civil partners when they are away on deployment/exercises	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q71 How do you prefer the Royal Navy/Royal Marines to communicate with you?
PLEASE PUT A **1** IN THE BOX THAT MATCHES YOUR FIRST PREFERENCE AND A **2** FOR YOUR SECOND CHOICE

By telephone	<input type="checkbox"/>	In person	<input type="checkbox"/>
By post	<input type="checkbox"/>	Through your spouse/civil partner	<input type="checkbox"/>
By email	<input type="checkbox"/>	I do not wish to receive any communication	<input type="checkbox"/>
Via social media	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Q72 Taking into consideration all things which you think are important, how favourable or unfavourable is your overall opinion of the Royal Navy?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

Very favourable

Favourable

Neutral

Unfavourable

Very unfavourable

SECTION 8 – COMMUNICATIONS AND SUPPORT (3)

Q73 What is your perception of the role of the Royal Navy today?
PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

- I am unaware of the role of the Royal Navy
- I am aware of the role of the Royal Navy but do not fully understand their role
- I understand the role of the Royal Navy
- I understand and am supportive of the role of the Royal Navy
- I am very supportive and I promote the role of the Royal Navy

SECTION 9 – ARMED FORCES COVENANT (1)

Q74 Which of these best sums up your awareness of the Armed Forces Covenant? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

- I've never heard of it
- I've heard of it but know nothing about it
- I've heard of it and know a little about it
- I've heard of it and know a lot about it

For details of the Covenant go to:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/policies/armed-forces-covenant>

Q75 How advantaged or disadvantaged do you feel when you compare yourself to the general public on these key Covenant issues? PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

	Very advantaged	Advantaged	Neither advantaged nor disadvantaged	Disadvantaged	Very disadvantaged	Not applicable / Don't know
Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Healthcare	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family life	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Childcare	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Access to commercial products and services (i.e. insurance, mobile broadband, financial products and services)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q76 Are there any other areas in which you feel particularly advantaged when compared to the general public? PLEASE WRITE IN THE BOX BELOW:

SECTION 9 – ARMED FORCES COVENANT (2)

Q77 Are there any other areas in which you feel particularly disadvantaged when compared to the general public? PLEASE WRITE IN THE BOX BELOW:

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SECTION 9 – ARMED FORCES COVENANT (3)

Q78 How positive or negative do you feel about the following aspects of Service family life?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ON EACH ROW

	Very positive	Positive	Neither positive nor negative	Negative	Very Negative	Not applicable
Effect on my career	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effect on my children	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
RN/RM provided facilities (housing, Messes, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effect on relationship with my spouse /civil partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Number of house moves	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Household income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Knowing other military families	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community support for my family (Chaplaincy, Community Support Officer, Coffee Shop etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Amount of separation from spouse / civil partner	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prospects of buying own home	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Opportunities for travel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pride in my spouse/civil partner being in the Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Job security	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION 9 – ARMED FORCES COVENANT (4)

Q79

If you have any other comments about the Royal Navy/ Royal Marines please add them here.

PLEASE WRITE YOUR RESPONSE BELOW:

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SECTION 10 – WELLBEING

As a part of measuring national well-being we are interested to understand how satisfied you are with life in general. The questions below are not linked to the Service but to your life in general.

Q80 Overall, how satisfied are you with life nowadays?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

0 – Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 - Completely
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q81 Overall, how happy did you feel yesterday?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

0 – Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 - Completely
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q82 Overall, how anxious did you feel yesterday?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

0 – Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 - Completely
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q83 Overall, to what extent do you feel the things you do in your life are worthwhile?

PLEASE PUT **X** IN ONE BOX ONLY

0 – Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 - Completely
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Thank you very much for taking the time to complete this questionnaire – your views really do count and are important.

If you would prefer to complete the questionnaire online, please go to the following link, and enter the serial number below:

<http://go.surveycenter.com/modfamilies2018>

Serial number:

Please be aware that the serial number is not linked to any one individual and will not be used for tracking purposes. It is solely used to act as a safeguard to access the online survey.

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