

The Community Life Survey 2023-24

Who should complete the questionnaire?

We are interested in the views of everyone aged 16 or over in your household. Please read the rest of the information on this page, then turn over the page to start the survey.

How do I fill in the questionnaire?

- 1. Most questions can be answered by putting a cross in the box next to the answer that applies to you, like this: ⊠
 - Or by writing in a number like this:



- 2. Some questions will ask you to: Please cross one box only and some will ask you to: Please cross all boxes that apply.
- 3. Some questions may not apply to you and you will be taken to the next one that does by following an arrow like this: Go to Q43 or a box like this: Go to Q62
- 4. Please try to answer every question that applies to you. If you cannot remember or do not know, please cross the relevant box where shown or leave the question blank.
- 5. If you change your mind about an answer you have given, completely block out the box you have crossed like this, and then put a cross in your preferred box.
- 6. Please use black or blue ink to complete the questionnaire.

Where can I get more information?

☑: communitylifesurvey@veriangroup.com

🕿: 0800 158 2952 (9am-5pm)

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www.commlife.co.uk/surveyprivacypolicy.html or by calling 0800 158 2952





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Thank you for choosing to take part in the Community Life Survey. In this first section we would like to find out a little about you and your household.

By 'your household' we mean the group of people (not necessarily related) living at your address who share cooking facilities with you and also share a living room or sitting room or dining area. The information is used to understand the experiences of different groups and will not identify you or anyone in your household.

Q1	Including you, how many adults aged 16 or over are currently living in your household? If you live by yourself, please cross 1 → Please cross one box only □ 1
Q2	What is your sex? A question about gender identity will follow Female Male Prefer not to say
Q3	Is the gender you identify with the same as your sex registered at birth? If you do not wish to answer, please cross prefer not to say Yes No - please write in gender identity Prefer not to say
Q4	What is your age?
ν-	Please write in your age below.

If age provided
Go to Q6

Prefer not to say

Q5	Wł	nat age band are you in?	?	
		16 to 19		55 to 59
		20 to 24		60 to 64
		25 to 29		65 to 69
		30 to 34		70 to 74
		35 to 39		75 to 79
		40 to 44		80 to 84
		45 to 49		85 or over
		50 to 54		Prefer not to
				say
06	100		_	
Q6		nat is your marital status		2
	_	Please cross <u>one</u> box or	_	
	Ш	Never married and never a civil partnership	lega	lly registered in
		Married Go to Q8		
		In a legally registered civil Go to Q8	part	tnership
		Separated, but still legally	maı maı	rried
		Separated, but still legally partnership	in a	civil
		Divorced		
		Formerly in a civil partner legally dissolved	ship	which is now
		Widowed		
		A surviving member of a civil partnership	legal	lly registered
		Prefer not to say		
Q7		e you living with someo usehold as a couple?	ne ii	n this
	П	Yes		
	$\overline{\Box}$	No		
	\Box	Prefer not to say		
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Q8	Но	w many children aged ເ	ınde	er 16 currently
~		e in your household?		,
)	Please cross <u>one</u> box or	ıly 🛭	<u> </u>
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		1		7
		2		8
	П	3		9
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		5		Prefer not to say
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Section 2: Contact with family and friends

The next few questions are about how often you personally contact your family members and friends. Please do not include any people you live with.

Q9 On average, how often do you? ⇒ Please cross one box only for each statement ⊠									
	More than once a day	Once a day	2 to 3 times per week	About once a week	About once a fortnight	About once a month	Less often than once a month	Never	Don't know
Meet up in person with family members or friends									
Speak on the phone or video or audio call via the internet with family members or friends									
Email or write to family members or friends									
Exchange text messages or instant messages with family members or friends									
Section 3: Your commu	nity								
The next questions are ab minutes walking distance	out you	_		ood. By	neighbo	ourhoo	d we m	nean a	few
Q10 How strongly do you feel you belong to your immediate neighbourhood? ○ Please cross one box only ☑ □ Very strongly □ Fairly strongly □ Not very strongly □ Not at all strongly □ Don't know									
Q11 Roughly how many years have you lived in your current neighbourhood? Don't know									
Q12 How often do you chat to your neighbours, more than to just say hello? Please cross one box only ☑ On most days Once or twice a week Once or twice a month Less than once a month Never Don't have any neighbours ♣ Go to Q14 Don't know									

Q13 How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement:	Section 4: Your local area
Generally, I borrow things and exchange favours with my neighbours.	The next questions refer to your wider area. Please think of the area within 15 to
☐ Definitely agree	20 minutes walking distance from your home.
☐ Tend to agree	morne.
☐ Tend to disagree	Q16 Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with your local area as a place to live?
☐ Definitely disagree	Please cross one box only
	☐ Very satisfied
Q14 To what extent would you agree or disagree	Fairly satisfied
that people in your neighbourhood pull together to improve the neighbourhood?	☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
⇒ Please cross one box only	Fairly dissatisfied
☐ Definitely agree	☐ Very dissatisfied
☐ Tend to agree	O17 To subot extent do you amon or discuss that
☐ Tend to disagree	Q17 To what extent do you agree or disagree that your local area is a place where people from different backgrounds get on well together?
☐ Definitely disagree	⇒ Please cross one box only 区
☐ Nothing needs improving	☐ Definitely agree
	☐ Tend to agree
045 = 1.11	☐ Tend to disagree
Q15 Thinking about the people who live in this neighbourhood, to what extent do you	☐ Definitely disagree
believe they can be trusted?	☐ There are too few people in the local area
→ Please cross one box only	People in this area are all of the same
■ Many of the people can be trusted	background
Some of the people can be trusted	Q18 Do you think that over the past two years
☐ A few of the people can be trusted	your area has?
None of the people can be trusted	Got better to live in
■ None of the people can be trusted	Got worse to live in
☐ Just moved here	Not changed much (hasn't got better or worse)
☐ Don't know	☐ Have not lived here long enough to say
	Q19 How strongly do you feel you belong to your local area?
	☐ Very strongly
	☐ Fairly strongly
	☐ Not very strongly
	☐ Not at all strongly
	☐ Don't know

Section 5: Local politics and affairs

The next questions are about influencing political decisions and local affairs.

Q20		the last 12 months have you? Please cross <u>all</u> that apply 🗷
		Contacted a local official such as a local councillor, MP, government official, mayor, or public official working for the local council (Please do not include any contact for personal reasons, for example housing repairs or contact through work)
		Attended a public meeting, rally, or taken part in a public demonstration or protest
		Signed a paper petition or an online/e-petition
		None of these Go to Q22
Q21	hav	d over the last 12 months, how often we you done the things you selected at the evious question?
		At least once a week
		Less than once a week but at least once a month
		Less often than once a month
Q22	a c	the last 12 months, have you taken part in onsultation about local services or issues your local area through any of these ways? Please cross all that apply
		Completing a paper or online questionnaire
		Attending a public meeting
		Being involved in a face-to-face or online group
		None of these

Section 6: Activities in your local community

The following questions are about activities in your local community.

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Q23		the last 12 months, have you done any of ese things?
	me	ase include any activities you have already ntioned, but not any related to your job.
	⇒ I	Please cross <u>all</u> that apply 区
		Been a local councillor (for local authority, town, or parish)
		Been a school governor
		Been a volunteer special constable or volunteer at a higher rank
		Been a magistrate
		None of these
Q24	bed ded Plea you	d again in the last 12 months, have you en a member of any of the following cision making groups in your local area? ase include online groups and any activities a have already mentioned, but not any ated to your job.
		Please cross <u>all</u> that apply 🗷
		A group making decisions on local health services
		A decision making group set up to regenerate the local area
		A decision making group set up to tackle local crime problems
		A tenants' group decision making committee
		A group making decisions on local education services
		A group making decisions on local services for young people
		Another group making decisions on services in the local community
		None of these
Q25		what extent do you agree or disagree
		nt you personally can influence decisions ecting your local area?
		Definitely agree
		Tend to agree
		Tend to disagree

■ Definitely disagree

Q26 How important is it for you personally to feel to	hat you can in	fluence decisio	ns in your loca	al area?
☐ Very important				
Quite important				
☐ Not very important				
☐ Not at all important				
Section 7: Local facilities				
The next few questions are about facilities i	n vour local	area		
	<i>y</i>			
Q27 For each of the following, please indicate whet from your home, further away but still in your → Please give an answer for each row below. both apply. ✓	local area, or t	here is not one	in your local	area at all.
	Yes, within a 15-20 minute walk from my home	Yes, further away but still in my local area	No, not in my local area at all	Don't know/Not sure
General/grocery shop				
Pub/bar				
Park				
Library				
Restaurant/cafe				
Community centre/hall				
Sports facilities				
Health centre/GP				
Chemist or pharmacy				
Post Office		Ш	Ш	Ш
Place of worship for my faith or religion, such as a church, mosque, temple Please leave blank if you do not have a faith or religion				
Public transport links				
Q28 Generally, how satisfied are you with the local approximation Please cross one box only Please cross one box only	services and a	menities in you	ur local area?	
☐ Very satisfied				
☐ Fairly satisfied				
☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied				
Fairly dissatisfied				
☐ Very dissatisfied				

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Q29	Which of these local facilities have you visited in person in the last 12 months? ⇒ Please cross all that apply ⊠		Q31	How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the shops and retailers available in your local area?
				⇒ Please cross one box only
	General/grocery shop			☐ Very satisfied Go to
	☐ Pub/bar			Fairly satisfied Q32
	Park			☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐
	Library			Fairly dissatisfied Go to
	☐ Restaurant/cafe			☐ Very dissatisfied ☐ Q33
	Community centre/hall			There aren't any shops or retailers in my local area Q34
	Sports facilities			ny ioon and
	☐ Health centre/GP		Q32	What are the reasons you are satisfied with the shops and retailers available in your local
	☐ Chemist or pharmacy			area? ◆ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply
	☐ Post Office			Easy to get to
				They have all the basic essentials I need
	Place of worship for my faith or religion, such as a church, mosque, temple			There are a wide range of goods and services to choose from
	☐ Public transport links			Reasonably priced Independent or locally run
	☐ None of these			Some other reason (please write in)
	If you chose 'Library' at Q29, please			Don't know
	answer Q30			If you answered Q32 please move on to
020				Section 8
Q30	Over the last 12 months, how often have you visited your local library?	L		
	⇒ Please cross one box only		Q33	What are the reasons you are dissatisfied with the shops and retailers available in your
	At least once a week			local area?
	Less often than once a week but at least once			→ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply □ Limited thesise
	a month			☐ Limited choice ☐ Shops keep closing down in my local area
	Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year			☐ Too many chains and not enough independent shops/retailers
	☐ Twice in the last 12 months			Too many other types of business such as hairdressers and coffee bars
	Once in the last 12 months			☐ Too many discount/charity shops
	☐ Don't know			Too expensive
	L DOLL KHOW			Difficult to get to
				Some other reason (please write in)
				Don't know

Section 8: Volunteering

The next questions are about your involvement with groups, clubs or organisations.

Q34		Have you been involved with any of the following groups, clubs or organisations during the last 12 months?									
	witl thro		that you've helped in any way, either on your own or ng that was a requirement of your job or organised								
		Children's education/schools (for example, Parent Teacher Associations, School governor, supporting fairs and fundraising, helping in school, running pupils' clubs)		Justice and Human Rights (for example, special constable, magistrate, legal advice centre, victim support, prison visiting or aftercare, justice and peace groups, community or race relations, LGBT groups, national organisations (such as Amnesty							
		Youth/children's activities (outside school) (for example, youth clubs, sports clubs, hobby or cultural groups for children)	П	International)) Local community or neighbourhood groups							
		Education for adults (for example, attending or teaching classes, mentoring, cultural groups, Students Union, College governor)	_	(for example, Tenants' / Residents' Association, Neighbourhood Watch, community group, local pressure group)							
		Sport/exercise (taking part, coaching or going to watch) (for example, sports clubs or groups (such as football, swimming, fishing, golf, keep-		Citizens' Groups (for example, Rotary Club, Lion's Club, Women's Institute (WI), Freemasons) Hobbies, Recreation/Arts/Social clubs (for							
		fit, hiking), Supporter clubs) Religion (for example, attending a place of worship (church, chapel, mosque, temple, synagogue), attending faith-based groups,		example, clubs or groups for the Arts (such as theatres, museums, amateur dramatics, orchestras), hobby or cultural groups (such as local history club, social club)							
		Saturday/Sunday school) Politics (for example, membership of, or involvement with, political groups, serving as		Trade union activity (for example, membership of, or involvement with, a trade union) Other: (please write in)							
		local councillor) Older people (for example, involved with groups, clubs or organisations for older people, such as Age UK, pensioner's clubs, visiting, transporting or representing older people)									
		Health, Disability and Social welfare (for example, medical research charities, hospital visiting, disability groups, social welfare (such as Oxfam, NSPCC, Samaritans, Citizens Advice Bureau), offering respite care, self-help groups (such as Alcoholics Anonymous))		None of these Go to Section 9							
		Safety, First Aid (for example, Red Cross, St. John Ambulance, Life Saving, RNLI, Mountain Rescue, helping after a disaster)									
		The environment , animals (for example, national organisations (such as Greenpeace, National Trust, RSPCA), local conservation groups, preservation societies)									

Q35 In the last 12 months, have you given unpaid help to any of the groups, clubs or organisations you've just selected in any of	Section 9: Unpaid help to other people				
the following ways? ⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply	The next section asks about any unpaid				
Raising or handling money/taking part in sponsored events	help you as an individual may have given to other people, that is apart from any help given through a group, club				
☐ Leading a group/member of a committee	or organisation. This could be help for a				
Getting other people involved	friend, neighbour or someone else but not a relative .				
 Organising or helping to run an activity or event 	Q37 In the last 12 months, have you done any of				
☐ Visiting people	these things, unpaid, for someone who was not a relative?				
Pofrianding or montoring popula	⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply				
☐ Befriending or mentoring people☐ Giving advice/information/counselling	Keeping in touch with someone who has difficulty getting out and about (visiting in				
Secretarial, admin or clerical work	person, telephoning or e-mailing) Doing shopping, collecting pension or paying				
Providing transport/driving	bills				
Representing	Cooking, cleaning, laundry, gardening or other routine household jobs				
☐ Campaigning	Decorating, or doing any kind of home or car repairs				
Other practical help (for example, helping out	☐ Babysitting or caring for children				
at school, shopping) Any other help	 Sitting with or providing personal care (for example, washing, dressing) for someone who is sick or frail 				
☐ None of these ⇒ Go to Section 9	Looking after a property or a pet for someone who is away				
	☐ Giving advice				
Q36 Over the last 12 months, how often have you helped these groups, clubs or organisations?	☐ Writing letters or filling in forms				
⇒ Please cross one box only	Representing someone (for example, talking to a council department or to a doctor)				
At least once a week	Transporting or escorting someone (for example, to a hospital or on an outing)				
Less than once a week but at least once a month	☐ Anything else				
Less than once a month	☐ None of these ⇒ Go to Section 10				
	Q38 Over the last 12 months, about how often have you done any of these things?				
	⊃ Please cross <u>one</u> box only ⊠				
	☐ At least once a week				
	Less than once a week but at least once a month				
	☐ Less than once a month				

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Section 10: Attitudes to local area

For the next questions please think generally about your local area.

Q39 How attractive or		your local are	ea?				
Please cross one box only ☑ —							
☐ Very attractive							
Somewhat attra	☐ Somewhat attractive						
☐ Neither attractiv	e not unattracti	ve					
Somewhat una	ttractive						
☐ Very unattractiv	e						
⇒ Please cross on	Q40 How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? Please cross one box per row After you have crossed the last row, please go to the next question as directed						
	Definitely agree	Tend to agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Tend to disagree	Definitely disagree	Don't know	
In five years' time I would like to still be living in my local area							
I would recommend my local area to others as a good place to live							
I am proud to live in my local area							
	Go to	Q41	Go to Q43	Go to	Q42	Go to Q43	
It is a safe area and Because of the There are good There is a good	that apply sense of common to live in green and nature are respectful activities and fun the culture, heritage schools transport links range of shops son (please write	nunity here al spaces here and friendly unities nings to do and history of	the local area	in my local are	ea'		



If you answered Q41 please move on to Q43

		involved in your local area
Q42	What are the main reasons you disagree that 'I am proud to live in my local area'	involved in your local area.
	⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply	Q44 How strongly do you agree or
	☐ There is a lack of community here	the following statement: When people in this area get inv
	☐ Safety concerns	local community, they really can way that their area is run.
	☐ There is a lack of green and natural spaces here	☐ Definitely agree
	Some people here can be disrespectful or troublesome	☐ Tend to agree
	☐ There is a lack of good work or job opportunities	☐ Neither agree nor disagree☐ Tend to disagree
	☐ There is a lack of activities and fun things to do	☐ Definitely disagree
	☐ The area is run down	Q45 Have you been involved in any
	☐ The area lacks culture, history or heritage	following activities in the last
	☐ The schools are poor	Please only include those activities unpaid. Please don't include any
	☐ There is a lack of good transport links	you signed a petition but took no
	☐ There is a lack of shops or local facilities	action. Please cross <u>all</u> that apply I
	Some other reason (please write in)	Trying to set up a new service.
		local residents
		Trying to stop the closure of a
	☐ No reason in particular	☐ Trying to stop something else my local area
Q43	How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the green and natural spaces in your local area?	Running local services on a vo (for example, childcare, youth community centres)
	Please cross one box only ⊠	Organising a community ever
	☐ Very satisfied	a street party)
	☐ Fairly satisfied	Another local issue: (Please crewrite in the space provided)
	☐ Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied	
	Fairly dissatisfied	☐ None of these ᢒ Go to Secti
	☐ Very dissatisfied	046.0.1
	☐ There are no green or natural spaces in my local area	Q46 On how many occasions in the months have you spent time h any of these activities?
		⇒ Please cross <u>one</u> box only B
	☐ Don't know	On one occasion only
		On two or three occasions
		☐ On four or five occasions

The next questions are about getting

Q44	How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement:
	When people in this area get involved in their local community, they really can change the way that their area is run.
	☐ Definitely agree
	☐ Tend to agree
	☐ Neither agree nor disagree
	☐ Tend to disagree
	☐ Definitely disagree
Q45	
	following activities in the last 12 months?
	Please only include those activities that were unpaid. Please don't include anything where you signed a petition but took no further action.
	⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply
	Trying to set up a new service/amenity for local residents
	☐ Trying to stop the closure of a service/amenity
	☐ Trying to stop something else happening in my local area
	Running local services on a voluntary l basis (for example, childcare, youth services, parks, community centres)
	Organising a community event (for example, a street party)
	Another local issue: (Please cross the box and write in the space provided)
	☐ None of these ᢒ Go to Section 12
046	On how many occasions in the last 12
Q40	months have you spent time helping with any of these activities?
	⇒ Please cross one box only ⊠
	On one occasion only
	On two or three occasions
	On four or five occasions
	☐ More frequently

Section 12: Local arts and culture

The next questions refer to arts and cultural facilities, groups and events in your local area. Some examples include:

- Facilities such as cinemas, theatres, museums, art galleries, studios, music venues
- Groups or classes such as book clubs, theatre or dance groups, choir or music groups, art or craft classes, film clubs, video games clubs
- Events such as street festivals, musical festivals, carnivals

Q47	Are there opportunities to take part in arts and cultural activities, groups and events in your local area?						
	Yes, lots	Go to					
	Yes, some	Q48					
	── No, none	Go to					
	☐ Don't know	Section 13					

Q48	you gro	er the last 12 months, how often have u taken part in arts and cultural activities, oups and events in your local area? Please cross one box only
		At least once a week
		Less often than once a week but at least once a month
		Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year
		Twice in the last 12 months
		Once in the last 12 months
		Not in the last 12 months
		Don't know

Section 13: Local heritage and sports

The next question refers to heritage sites and places of historic interest. Some examples include:

- Ancient monuments or archaeological sites with historic significance (such as a burial site or castle)
- A place that you visited specifically for its historic nature (such as a local historic town, coastline or countryside)
- A building or place with historic or artistic features (such as a public garden, country house, place of worship attended as a visitor, historic civic buildings)
- A place connected with industrial or other local history (such as an old factory, mine or railway, shipwrecks, historic sports venue visited for its heritage)

and	d places of historic interest in your lo	
	Yes, lots	Go to
	Yes, some	Q50
	No, none	Go to
	Don't know	Q51
	are	

Q50 Over the last 12 months, how often have you visited heritage sites and places of historic interest in your local area? For places of historic interest please only include places that you visited specifically for their historic nature. ⇒ Please cross one box only ✓	Q53 Are there opportunities to take part in sport teams, clubs or classes or exercise at sports facilities in your local area? Yes, lots
Less often than once a week but at least once	☐ Don't know Q55
a month Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year	Q54 How often do you take part in sport teams, clubs or classes or exercise at sports facilities in your local area?
☐ Twice in the last 12 months	→ Please cross one box only ✓ At least once a week
Once in the last 12 months	Less often than once a week but at least once a month
☐ Not in the last 12 months ☐ Don't know	Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year
Dontkilow	☐ Twice in the last 12 months
Q51 Are there opportunities to visit museums or	Once in the last 12 months
galleries in your local area?	☐ Not in the last 12 months
☐ Yes, lots	☐ Don't know
Yes, some Q52	
No, none Go to	Q55 Are there opportunities to watch people participate in sports activities or events in your local area?
☐ No, none ☐ Don't know ☐ Go to Q53	
☐ Don't know Q53	participate in sports activities or events in your local area?
	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? Yes, lots Yes, some Q56
Don't know Q53 Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? Yes, lots Yes, some On to Q56 No, none Don't know
Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries in your local area?	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? Yes, lots Yes, some One of the control of the
Don't know Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries in your local area? → Please cross one box only At least once a week Less often than once a week but at least once a month	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? Yes, lots Yes, some On to Q56 No, none Don't know
Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries in your local area? ⇒ Please cross one box only At least once a week Less often than once a week but at least once	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Yes, lots ☐ Yes, some ☐ No, none ☐ Don't know ☐ Don't know ☐ Go to Section 14 Q56 How often do you watch people participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Please cross one box only ☑
Don't know Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries in your local area? ⇒ Please cross one box only At least once a week Less often than once a week but at least once a month Less often than once a month but at least 3	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Yes, lots ☐ Yes, some ☐ No, none ☐ Don't know ☐ Don't know ☐ Go to Section 14 Q56 How often do you watch people participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Please cross one box only ☑ ☐ At least once a week ☐ Less often than once a week but at least once
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Don't know Q52 How often do you visit museums or galleries in your local area? → Please cross one box only At least once a week Less often than once a week but at least once a month Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year Twice in the last 12 months	participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Yes, lots ☐ Yes, some ☐ No, none ☐ Don't know ☐ Don't know ☐ Offer do you watch people participate in sports activities or events in your local area? ☐ Please cross one box only ☑ ☐ At least once a week ☐ Less often than once a week but at least once a month ☐ Less often than once a month but at least 3 or 4 times a year
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Section 14: Wellbeing

The next questions ask about your feelings on aspects of your life. They are included to help measure people's wellbeing and the information produced will not identify you or anyone in your household.

There are no right or wrong answers. For each of these questions please give an answer on a scale of 0 to ten, where 0 is 'not at all' and 10 is 'completely'.

Q57	Overall, h			_	th your	life now	adays?					
	Please	cross <u>o</u>	ne box o	oniy 🗷								
	Not at all satisfied										Completel satisfied	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Prefer not to say
Q58	Overall, to			_	eel the t	hings yo	u do in y	our life	are wor	thwhile	?	
	Not at all worthwhile										Complete worthwhil	
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Prefer not to say
Q59	Overall, h Please Not at all happy	-			yesterda	ny?					Complete happy	у
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Prefer not to say
O60	Overall, h	ow an	cious did	vou fee	el vestero	dav?						
	⊃ Please											
	Not at all anxious										Completel anxious	у
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Prefer not to say

Q66 To what extent, if at all, is anti-social Q61 How often do you feel that you lack companionship? behaviour a problem in your local area? ☐ Often ☐ A very big problem Some of the time ☐ A fairly big problem ☐ Hardly ever or never ■ Not a very big problem ■ Not a problem at all Prefer not to say Q62 How often do you feel left out? Q67 Which, if any, of the following are a problem in your local area? Often ⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply Some of the time People hanging around or loitering ☐ Hardly ever or never ☐ Street drinking or drunken behaviour Prefer not to say ☐ Vandalism, criminal damage or graffiti Q63 How often do you feel isolated from others? Inconsiderate behaviour such as using a ☐ Often football in inappropriate areas, cycling/ skateboarding in pedestrian areas or ☐ Some of the time inappropriate use of fireworks. ☐ Hardly ever or never Loud music or other loud noise Prefer not to say ☐ Drugs or evidence of drugs Q64 How often do you feel lonely? Public harassment, intimidation or abuse ☐ Often/always Litter or rubbish (including fly tipping) or dog Some of the time fouling Occasionally □ Nuisance neighbours ☐ Hardly ever ☐ Vehicle related anti-social behaviour such ☐ Never as abandoned vehicles, speeding cars or motorcycles, car revving. Prefer not to say Begging Section 15: Anti-social behaviour People committing inappropriate or indecent sexual acts in public or sex work For the next questions please think generally about your local area. Problems with out of control or dangerous dogs Q65 Have you personally experienced or Some other type of anti-social behaviour witnessed any sort of anti-social behaviour in (please write in) your local area in the last 12 months? Anti-social behaviour is any behaviour that causes people nuisance, annoyance, alarm or distress. This can include behaviours that are aggressive or intimidating or that impact upon a person's quality of life. ☐ Yes ☐ None of these

☐ No

Section	16: A	bout y	/ou
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The following questions are about you and your circumstances.

acc	commodation?	this
	Own it outright	Go to Q70
	Own with a mortgage or loan	Q/U
	Part own and part rent (shared ownership)	
	Rent it (with or without housing benefit)	Go to Q69
	Live here rent-free	
	Don't know	Go to Q70
	acc	ownership) Rent it (with or without housing benefit) Live here rent-free

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Q69	Wł	no is your landlord?
)	Please cross <u>one</u> box only 区
		The local authority/council /ALMO
		A housing association, RSL, charitable trust or Local Housing Company
		Employer (organisation) of a household member
		Another organisation
		Relative/acquaintance of any current household member from before this tenancy started
		Employer (individual) of a household member
		Another individual private landlord
		Don't know

Q70	Have you used the internet, at home or elsewhere, in the last 12 months?						
	⊃ I	Please cross <u>one</u> box only 🗵					
		Yes					
	Ш	No					
Q71		nat is your ethnic group?					
		Please cross <u>one</u> box only 🗷 ·.					
	Wh						
	Ц	English or Welsh or Scottish or Northern Irish or British					
		Irish					
		Gypsy or Irish Traveller					
		Any other White background					
	Miz	xed / Multiple ethnic groups					
		White and Black Caribbean					
		White and Black African					
		White and Asian					
		Any other mixed or multiple ethnic background					
	Asi	an / Asian British					
		Indian					
		Pakistani					
		Bangladeshi					
		Chinese					
		Any other Asian background					
	Bla	ck / African / Caribbean / Black British					
		African					
	Ξ	Caribbean					
		Any other Black or African or					
	ш	Caribbean background					
	Otl	ner Ethnic Group					
		Arab					
		Any other ethnic group					
		Don't know					
		Prefer not to say					
	-	you selected any 'other' ethnicity at 11, please answer Q72. If not, go to 13.					
Q72	Ple	ase tell us your ethnic group					

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Q/3 Are you a citizen of any of the following?	Q// Does your condition or illness reduce your ability to carry out day-to-day activities?
Citizenship means you are entitled to a passport issued by that country	Yes, a lot
⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply	Yes, a little
The United Kingdom (Great Britain and Northern Ireland)	☐ Not at all
Republic of Ireland	
Any other member state of the European	☐ Prefer not to say
Union	6 () 47 10 1 1 1
☐ Any other country elsewhere in the world ☐ Don't know	Section 17: Work and employment
Prefer not to say	The next questions are about your work
	and employment
Q74 What is your religion?	Q78 What is your current working status?
→ Please cross one box only ☑	⇒ Please cross one box only
☐ No religion	☐ Working full time (30+hours a week)
Christian (including Church of England, Catholic, Protestant and all other Christian	- Warding mort times (loss than 20 having
denominations)	☐ Working part time (less than 30 hours a week)
☐ Buddhist	On government supported training Go to
☐ Hindu	Q79
☐ Jewish	☐ Unemployed and available for work
☐ Muslim	On maternity or paternity leave
Sikh	Retired and not working at all
☐ Any other religion	
☐ Don't know	Full-time education at school, college Go to
☐ Prefer not to say	or University Q88
	Looking after home or family
Q75 How is your health in general?	Goto
☐ Very good	Permanently sick or disabled Q79
Good	☐ Doing something else
Fair	
☐ Bad ☐ Very bad	☐ Don't know
☐ Prefer not to say	Prefer not to say
Q76 Do you have any physical or mental health	Q79 Are you at present at school or 6th form
conditions or illnesses lasting or expected to	college or enrolled on any full-time or part-
last for 12 months or more?	time education course excluding leisure classes?
☐ Yes ☐ No ⇒ Go to Section 17	☐ Yes
Don't know	☐ No
Prefer not to say	L
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If you are currently in full-time or part-time employment please go to Q80.

If you **are currently** on government supported training, on maternity/paternity leave, retired, in full-time education, or permanently sick or disabled, please go to Q88.

If neither of the above applies to you, please go to Q86.

Q80	In which of these places do you work in your current job? If you have more than one job, please think about the main one. Please cross all that apply ☑ At or from home At one or more workplaces, for example office, shop, hospital or school On the move, for example moving goods or carrying out services Somewhere else (please write in)
	If you work at one or more fixed workplaces (e.g. office, shop, hospital or school), please go to Q81. If you work on the move (e.g. moving goods or carrying out services) or somewhere else, but not at one or more fixed workplaces, please go to Q82. If you only work at or from home, please go to Q83.
Q81	How far away from your home is your workplace? If you have more than one workplace please think about the one you travel to most often. Within a 15-20 minute walk from my home Further away but still in my local area Not in my local area
Q82	How far away from your home do you usually travel when working? Within a 15-20 minute walk from my home Further away but still in my local area Not in my local area
Q83	How far away from your home is the company you work for based? Within a 15-20 minute walk from my home Further away but still in my local area Not in my local area
Q84	How many hours in total do you usually work in a week in your job? Please include both paid and unpaid hours. If you have no usual hours, please give an average. O-10 hours 11-20 hours 21-30 hours 31-40 hours 41-50 hours Don't know

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Q85 The next questions are about he How much of the time do you					olies to v	our ioh?	
⇒ Please cross one box per ro		or the foil	ownig stat	ements ap	ones to y	oui job.	
	All of the time	Most of the time	Some of the time	Hardly ever	Never	Don't know	Prefer not to say
I find my job fulfilling							
I enjoy the type of job I do							
I feel productive when I am working							
I find purpose in my job							
If you answered Q85, please	move or	to Q88					
Q86 These are things which some p following statements apply to		e said ma	kes it diffic	cult for the	n to find	work. Whic	h of the
⇒ Please cross <u>all</u> that apply D	-						
☐ There aren't many jobs where	☐ There aren't many jobs where I live						
☐ I haven't got the skills or qualifications I need to get a job or training place							
☐ I don't know how to go abou	t finding a	job or train	ing place				
☐ There aren't enough available courses locally to me							
☐ I haven't had enough advice or support to find a job or training place							
☐ If I was in a job or studying, I would be worse off financially compared to now							
☐ I would need to move away from my local area to find a job I would enjoy							
There are not any interesting job opportunities where I live							
☐ There isn't enough public transport where I live for me to get to and from work							
☐ Childcare is too expensive for me to work							
☐ Not many of my friends are w	orking or s	tudying					
☐ I haven't been able to find suitable childcare so I can work or study							
☐ I'm not interested in getting a job or studying							
☐ None of these							
Q87 When you think about getting	a job in tl	ne future,	how confi	dent do yo	u feel abo	out:	
⇒ Please cross <u>one</u> box per ro	w 🗷						
		Ve	ery confident	Fairly confid	IDDT	lot very onfident	Not at all confident
Contacting people for advice about getti	ng a job						
Going for a job interview							
Convincing someone you are the best person for a job							
Being prepared to start a new job							

Q88 How confident would you feel in each of the following situations? Please cross one box per row Please cross one box per row						
	Very confident	Fairly confident	Neither confident nor unconfident	Not very confident	Not at all confident	Don't know
Meeting new people						
Working with other people in a team						
Being the leader of a team						
Explaining my ideas clearly						
Speaking in public						
Seeing things from other people's viewpoints						
Expressing myself to others						
Speaking up in a group of people I don't know well						
If you have a partner, pl	ease on to C	189 otherwi	ise an to 090)		
ii you have a partier, pr	case go to q	os, otherwi	ise go to QSC	,		
Q89 What is your partner's cu	rrent working	status?				
	⇒ Please cross <u>one</u> box only ⊠					
☐ Working full time (30+hours a week)						
Working part time (less than 30 hours a week)						
☐ On government supported training						
Unemployed and available	☐ Unemployed and available for work					
On maternity or paternit	On maternity or paternity leave					
Retired and not working at all						
Full-time education at so	Full-time education at school, college or University					
Looking after home or f	Looking after home or family					
Permanently sick or disa	Permanently sick or disabled					
☐ Doing something else	-					
☐ Prefer not to say						
Q90 Have you achieved a qual HND or HNC, NVQ level 4				xample degr	ee, foundatio	n degree,
Yes Go to Section 18	3					
— Na						
□ No						

Q93 Which of these statements best describes your current financial situation? ⇒ Please cross one box only ☐ I am saving a lot ☐ I am saving a little ☐ I am just manging to make ends meet ☐ I am having to draw on savings ☐ I am running into debt ■ Don't know Prefer not to say Q94 Next a question about how you feel about your life. Overall, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with each of the following... ⇒ Please cross one box per row Neither **Fairly** Prefer not to Fairly Very Don't know Very satisfied satisfied nor satisfied dissatisfied dissatisfied say dissatisfied Your income Your job Your health Q95 As a thank you for returning a completed version of this questionnaire, a £10 shopping voucher will be posted to your address within 15 working days. In order for us to address the voucher to you personally, please enter your full name in the boxes below. First name Last name

Section 19: Future research

Q96	This survey is conducted by Verian, an independent social research organisation. We may like to contact you again, with questions relating to this survey or to help with other connected research for the Government or a charity. Would it be okay for us to contact you within the next two years?					
	This will involve us keeping a secure record of your name, postal address and telephone number for two years. Your contact details will not be used for any other purposes and will be destroyed after two years. If you answer 'yes', you are giving your permission for us to re-contact you within the next two years to discuss taking part in follow-up research. You are not agreeing to take part in any research.					
	☐ Yes					
	□ No					
Q97	If follow up research related to this survey was being conducted on behalf of the government or a charity would you be willing for Verian to securely pass your name, contact details and information from this survey to another research organisation, so they could contact you within the next two years? This will involve us keeping a secure record of your name, postal address and telephone number for two years. Your contact details will only be shared for valid research purposes and will be destroyed after two years. If you answer 'yes', you are giving your permission to be re-contacted to discuss taking part in follow-up research within the next two years by another research organisation. You are not agreeing to take part in any research. Yes • Go to Q98					
	□ No ⇒ Go to Q99					
008	Please enter your telephone number in case we want to contact you for any follow up research.					
Q96	Telephone number:					
Q99	Finally, before submitting your response to this survey, please sign your name to confirm that you answered the questions as accurately as possible and that the answers reflect your own personal views. I confirm that I answered the questions as accurately as possible and that the answers reflect my own personal views.					
	D D M M Y Y					
	Signature Date					
	Thank you for completing the questionnaire.					
	Please return it to us in the envelope provided.					