The role of parents in their adult children’s housing and residential locations

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APPENDIX

NETHERLANDS KINSHIP PANEL STUDY
In Chapter 2 of this study, information from the Netherlands Kinship Panel Study (NKPS) was used. The NKPS is a multi-actor, multi-method panel study on solidarity in family relationships in the Netherlands. Thus far, two waves have been conducted. The data were collected through extensive face-to-face interviews in 2002 – 2004 (Wave 1) and 2006 – 2007 (Wave 2). The analyses in Chapter 2 are based on data from the first wave only. Not all questions that were covered in the original questionnaire are listed below. A complete overview of questions included in the NKPS data can be found in (Dykstra et al., 2005). Listed below are only those questions that were used in Chapter 2 of this study. The numbers correspond with those in the original questionnaires (Dykstra et al., 2005). Instructions for the interviewer are printed in *italics*, whereas information for the user is printed in **bold and italics**.

### A. BACKGROUND

**AA101**

*INTERVIEWER: Enter the respondent’s sex.*

1. male
2. female

**AA102**

What is your date of birth?

- *Enter the date of birth [dd-mm-yyyy]*

### B. PARENTAL HOME

**AB505**

What is the highest level of education that your father completed with a diploma?

*INTERVIEWER: Show Card 2.*

1. did not complete elementary school
2. elementary school only
3. lower vocational
4. lower general secondary
5. intermediate general secondary
6. upper general secondary
7. intermediate vocational
8. higher vocational
What is the highest level of education that your mother completed with a diploma?

INTERVIEWER: Show Card 2.

1. did not complete elementary school
2. elementary school only
3. lower vocational
4. lower general secondary
5. intermediate general secondary
6. upper general secondary
7. intermediate vocational
8. higher vocational
9. university
10. post-graduate
11. does not know

Were you living in the Netherlands when you were 15 years old?

1. yes
2. no ⇒ question B602B

Where in the Netherlands were you living when you were 15 years old?

INTERVIEWER: Use the official spelling; e.g. ‘s-Gravenhage instead of Den Haag.

- Code the place of residence with the aid of the City LookUp.
  ⇒ question B602.

In which country were you living when you were 15 years old?

- Code the country with the aid of the Country LookUp
AB602 Did your parents own the home in which you were living at the time or did your parents rent the home?

INTERVIEWER: If the respondent was not living with his/her parents at the time, we are interested in the home he/she was living in.

1 they owned the home
2 they rented the home
3 don’t know
4 lived in an institution, care facility

C. PARTNERS, PARENTS-IN-LAW AND CHILDREN

AC101 Do you have a partner at the moment, that is to say, someone with whom you have had a relationship for at least three months?

INTERVIEWER: The word ‘partner’ includes a husband or wife.

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C401

AC104 Does your partner live with you here?

INTERVIEWER: We are interested in the respondent’s opinion, that is to say whether he/she considers him/herself to be living with someone.

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C110

AC105 Does your partner always form part of this household, or does he/she live elsewhere some of the time?

1 always lives here ⇒ question C114
2 lives elsewhere some of the time

AC114 In which year did your relationship begin?

INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year.

- Enter year
AC115  This question is asked only if the respondent is living with a partner (whether married or not).

In which year did you start living together?

INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year.

- Enter year

AC116  Are you married to this partner?

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C118A

AC117  In which year did you get married?

INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year.

- Enter year

AC301  Do you and your partner have children together?

INTERVIEWER: We are interested only in own children, not adopted children.

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C304

AC302  How many did you have together?

INTERVIEWER: Also count deceased children.

- Enter the number of children

At this point, a number of characteristics from the X-module are asked about the children, namely questions X101 tot X705D. See the X-module for details. Then continue with question C304.

AC304  Have you and your partner adopted children?

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C401
AC305 How many children did the two of you adopt?
- Enter the number of children

AC401 Have you lived with a (different) partner before, whether married or not?
1 yes, I’ve lived with a partner before / I’ve been married before
2 no I’ve not lived with a partner before / I’ve not been married before
⇒ question C501

AC402 How often have you lived with a partner before, whether married or not?
INTERVIEWER: We are interested in the number of different partners with whom the respondent has lived in the past.
- Enter number of times

Questions C403 to C419 are repeated for all partners mentioned under C402.

AC403_1 – In which year did you start living with this partner?
AC403_7 INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is converted into a year.
- Enter year

AC404_1 – Did you ever marry this partner?
AC404_7 1 yes
2 no

AC406_1 – Did you split up or did your partner die?
AC406_7 1 split up
2 partner died

AC407_1 – In which year did that happen?
INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is converted into a year.
- Enter year

Did you and this partner have children together?

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C408B

How many children have you had together?

- Enter number of children

Did you and this partner adopt children?

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question C410

If the respondent has had, or adopted children with this partner, continue with question C411; if not, go on to question C416.

I would also like to ask you a few questions about the child / the children you have had with this partner. (I'll start with the eldest.)

At this point, a number of characteristics from the X-module are asked about the children and adoptive children, namely questions X101 to X705D. See the X-module for details.

Have you ever owned or co-owned a home? You may also count the home you live in now.

1 yes
2 no ⇒ question L205
AL202  In which year did you first become an owner or co-owner of a home?

INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age at the time, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year.

- Enter the year

M. WORK, EDUCATION AND INCOME

In single-person households, the respondent is automatically considered the head of the household. In multi-person households, female respondents are only considered the head of household if there is no male partner in the household, and no parents. Male respondents in multi-person households are automatically considered the head of household unless one or both parents still live in the household.

AM104  What is the highest level of education that you completed with a diploma?

INTERVIEWER: Show Card 2.

1 did not complete elementary school
2 elementary school only
3 lower vocational
4 lower general secondary
5 intermediate general secondary
6 upper general secondary
7 intermediate vocational
8 higher vocational
9 university
10 post-graduate (e.g. notary practice, medical finals, PhD)

AM201  Do you currently have a paid job? A few hours per week or temporary work also count.

1 yes
2 no
AM202  Can you indicate which situation applies most to you, using Show Card 12?

1  working
2  unemployed or job seeking
3  homemaking
4  prolonged sick leave or occupationally disabled
5  studying, at school
6  retired (early)
7  other

AM401  This question is put only to respondents who do not have a paid job at the moment (M201=2).

Have you ever had a paid job? We are not referring to holiday jobs or a job on the side while you were studying, etc.

1  yes
2  no ⇒ question M501

AM402  In which year did you get your first job? We are not referring to holiday jobs or a job on the side while you were studying, etc.

INTERVIEWER: The respondent may also give his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year. If the respondent has only had a holiday job, etc, enter a 0.

- Enter the year

X. ALTER CHARACTERISTICS

Questions are asked about a number of relationships. After the variable name, on the dots, the following codes, referring to these relationships, are inserted:

F = father; M = mother; C1 to C9 = child 1 to 9; D1 to D3 = child 10 to 12; GC = grandchild; FL = father-in-law; ML = mother-in-law; FP = father’s partner; MP = mother’s partner; H1 to H4 = household member 1 to 4; E1 to E4 = ex-partner 1 to 4; S1 to S9 = sibling 1 to 9; T1 to T9 = sibling 10 to 18; U1 to U4 = sibling 19 to 22.

Questions X451 to X453 and X1001 to X1007 are specific to children.
AX101  What is the first name of {name, description}?

INTERVIEWER: Write the first name in full.
- Write the first name in full

AX301  What is {his / her} year of birth?

INTERVIEWER: You may also enter his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year. If the respondent does not know the year of birth, ask for the best possible estimate.
- Enter year

AX401  Is {name, description} still alive?

1  yes ⇒ question X501
2  no
3  don’t know ⇒ end of module X

AX402  In which year did {name, description} die?

INTERVIEWER: You may also enter his/her age, in which case the age is automatically converted into a year.
- Enter year ⇒ end of module X

AX501  Does {name, description} live here in this household or not?

INTERVIEWER: If the respondent is not sure, the person is considered to live in the same household if he/she lives in the household for an average of at least two days a week.

1  in this household ⇒ question X701
2  elsewhere

X701  Does {name, description} always form part of this household, or does he/she live elsewhere some of the time?

1  always lives here ⇒ question X1002
2  lives elsewhere some of the time