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**Men's Questionnaire: The Role of Informal Conversations**

Identification:

Sub location \_\_\_\_\_ |\_\_|  
Village/ Clan \_\_\_\_\_  
Miji Kumi \_\_\_\_\_ |\_\_| |\_\_|  
Head of Compound \_\_\_\_\_  
Respondent's Name \_\_\_\_\_ |M| |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_|  
Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ |F| |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_|  
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Interviewer \_\_\_\_\_ |\_\_| |\_\_|  
Date of Interview \_\_\_\_\_ |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_| |\_\_|

Outcome:

First Visit: Complete ... 1 Refused ... 2 Not home ... 3 Other \_\_\_\_\_ 4  
Second Visit: Complete ... 1 Refused ... 2 Not home ... 3 Other \_\_\_\_\_ 4  
Third Visit: Complete ... 1 Refused ... 2 Not home ... 3 Other \_\_\_\_\_ 4

Type of Household: Monogamous ... 1 Polygamous ... 2  
Roof Material: Thatch ... 1 Metal ... 2 Tile ... 3

Supervisor's Initials \_\_\_\_\_  
Data Entry Person's Initials \_\_\_\_\_

Q1	First I would like to ask you some questions about your family. How old are you?	Years....._____	
Q2	Where were you born?	This Village..... 1 This sub location, but another sub location..... 2 This Division, but another Sub location..... 3 Another Division of Homa Bay District..... 4 Migori District..... 5 Kisii District..... 6 Other _____ 7	
Q2A	Do you usually live here?	Yes ..... 1 No..... 2	
Q3	In which year did you marry your first wife?	Year.....19____ Doesn't know year .....9998	
Q4	How many children have your wives given birth to? Please include those who live with you, those who live elsewhere and those who have passed away.	Number of children _____	
Q5	How many of your children have died?	Number of deaths _____	

Q6A	<p>Would you like to have another child in the near future or would not like to have any more?</p> <p><b>Interviewer:</b> If the wife is pregnant, the question refers to what she wants after the child in her belly is born.</p>	<p>Have another child ..... 1</p> <p>No more children ..... 2</p> <p>Wife can't get pregnant ..... 3</p> <p>Undecided. Don't Know ..... 8</p>	<p>=&gt;Q7</p> <p>=&gt;Q7</p> <p>=&gt;Q7</p>
Q6B	<p>How long would you like to wait from now before getting another child?</p>	<p>Less than 1 year ..... 1</p> <p>1 year ..... 2</p> <p>2 years ..... 3</p> <p>More than 2 years ..... 4</p> <p>No preference, whenever ..... 5</p> <p>Don't know ..... 6</p>	
Q7	<p>Are you educated/ have you been to school?</p>	<p>Yes ..... 1</p> <p>No ..... 2</p>	<p>=&gt;Q11</p>
Q8	<p>To which level are you educated, primary, secondary, or university?</p>	<p>Primary ..... 1</p> <p>Secondary ..... 2</p> <p>University ..... 3</p>	
Q9	<p>Which class or form did you stop at and in which year?</p>	<p>Standard _____</p> <p>Form _____</p> <p>Year _____</p>	<p>=&gt;Q11</p>
Q10	<p>Where did you go to for your secondary school ?</p>	<p>Homa Bay district ..... 1</p> <p>Elsewhere in Nyanza Province ..... 2</p> <p>Nairobi/Mombassa ..... 3</p> <p>Elsewhere ..... 4</p>	

Q11	Is there anyone who owns a bicycle in your house?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
Q11 A	Do you personally own any of the following?  Land Livestock Grains for sale	Yes      No 1          2 1          2 1          2	
Q12	What do you do to earn money?  <b>INTERVIEWER:</b> If more than one, record main occupation.	Fishes ..... 1 Works on someone else's shamba ..... 2 Labourer ..... 3 Small business/selling ..... 4 Professional ..... 5 Jua kali ..... 6 Other _____ 7 Nothing ..... 8	
Q13	Do you earn a monthly salary?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
Q14	Since you were married have lived out of South Nyanza for six months or more?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	=>Q6
Q15	Have you ever lived in: Kisumu? Nairobi? Mombasa? Nakuru? Any place outside South Nyanza _____?	<u>Yes</u> <u>No</u> 1          2 1          2 1          2 1          2 1          2	

Q16	<p>What does your eldest wife do to earn money ?</p> <p><b>INTERVIEWER:</b> If more than one, record main occupation?</p>	<p>Sell farm things ..... 1</p> <p>Works on someone else's</p> <p>Shamba ..... 2</p> <p>Small business/Selling ..... 3</p> <p>Professional ..... 4</p> <p>Other _____ 5</p> <p>Nothing ..... 6</p>																
Q18	<p>Now I would like to ask you about any groups in which you may be.</p> <p>In the past year were you in any or the following groups:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Income-generating group?</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Credit merry-go-round?</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Church group?</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Clan welfare group?</p>	<table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 60%;"></th> <th style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>Yes</u></th> <th style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>No</u></th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Income-generating group?</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Credit merry-go-round?</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Church group?</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 40px;">Clan welfare group?</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	Income-generating group?	1	2	Credit merry-go-round?	1	2	Church group?	1	2	Clan welfare group?	1	2	
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Q19	<p>I addition to luo which other language do you speak well enough to have a conversation in?</p> <p><b>INTERVIEWER:</b> Record all responses mentioned.</p>	<p>Kiswahili ..... 1</p> <p>English ..... 2</p> <p>Basuba ..... 3</p> <p>Other _____ 4</p> <p>None ..... 5</p>																
Q20	<p>How often do you go to _____</p> <p><b>INTERVIEWER:</b></p> <p>for Oyugis: Kisumu?</p> <p>for Kawadhgone: Homa bay?</p> <p>for Lwanda: Magunga?</p> <p>for Ugina: Sindo?</p>	<p>More than once a week ..... 1</p> <p>Once a week ..... 2</p> <p>At least once a month ..... 3</p> <p>Less than once a month .... 4</p> <p>Never ..... 5</p>																
Q21	<p>How many funerals have you attended in the last month?</p>	<p>Number of funerals .....</p> <p>Don't know ..... 98</p>																

Q21A	<p>Now I would like to ask you about the pros and cons of having children and the people you discuss with about the help children give to aged parents.</p> <p>If you were to choose the number of children to have in total, how many would that be?</p>	<p>Number of children _____</p> <p>As many as God Sends.....95</p> <p>As many as my wives produce (All the eggs in their bodies) ..... 96</p> <p>Other.....97</p>	
Q21B	<p>Do you hope to ever get help from your children when you grow old?</p>	<p>Yes..... 1</p> <p>No ..... 2</p>	
Q21C	<p>Among these issues which one was or is the greatest in deciding the number of children a person were to have or you would have.</p> <p>The burden of paying school fees for children?</p> <p>Fulfilling the laws of increasing the number of your people?</p> <p>The thought that most or all the children could die?</p> <p>Thinking about your wife's health?</p> <p>The hope of getting or not getting help from children when you are old.</p>	<p>Very important ..... 1</p> <p>Somewhat important..... 2</p> <p>Unimportant..... 3</p> <p>1      2      3</p> <p>1      2      3</p> <p>1      2      3</p> <p>1      2      3</p> <p>1      2      3</p>	

Q21D	Now I would like you to tell me the names of those you have chatted with about children helping their aged parents. We would like views from your friends and relatives	INTERVIEWER: Write names at the top of the columns for Q22  If fewer than 4, probe once:  Can you think of any one else?				
Q22		Total number named ..... If zero:=>Q34	1	2	3	4
Q23	I would now like you to recall your last conversation with ..... about children helping their aged parents . When was this?	Within last week ..... 1. Within last month.....2 Within last year.....3 More than a year ago.....4				
Q24	What were you doing as you discussed this?	Here at home .....01 Visiting.....02 At the market.....03 Walking somewhere.....04. Grazing cattle ,goats .....05 At shamba.....06 At a funeral.....07 At bar, leisure place.....08 At a men’s group meeting.....09 At church.....10 At a baraza.....11 Fishing, working .....12 Other.....13				
Q25	How are you related to.....	Brother.....01 Friend .....02 Father.....03 Workmate.....04 Mother.....05 Sister.....06 Wife.....07 Father-in-law.....08 Mother-in law.....09 Sister-in -law.....10 Brother -in-law.....11 Chief/Elder.....12 Other.....13				

Q26	INTERVIEWER ;Record Sex. Ask if you are uncertain.	Female.....1 Male.....2				
Q27	How often do you talk to.....?	Almost every day.....1 At least once a week.....2 At least once a month.....3 Less than once a month.....4				
Q28	Is ..... your confidant, close friend or an acquaintance.	Confidant.....1 Just a friend.....2 Acquaintance.....3				
Q29	Is ..... much older ,much younger or your age-mate?	Much older than me.....1 Age mate.....2 Much younger than me.....3				
Q30	Did .....go to secondary school ,primary or did he not go to school at all?	Secondary .....1 Primary.....2 Never went .....3 Don't know.....4				
Q31	Does..... live in your homestead, village ,Sub-location, elsewhere in South Nyanza?	In this homestead.....1 In this village.....2 In this sub -location.....3 Elsewhere in South-Nyanza.....4 Somewhere else .....5 Don't know.....8				
Q32	Do you and .....attend the same church ?	Yes.....1 No.....2				
Q33	Are you better of , same as , or worse off than.....?	Better off than me.....1 About the same as me.....2 Worse off than me.....3 Don't know.....8				
Q33A	Do you think ..... knows of someone who can not or would not like to help their parents when they grow old?	Yes.....1 No.....2 Don't know.....8				

INTERVIEWER: Write the person's name in the appropriate row in the table on the last page of the questionnaire => Q23



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Q34	Now I would like to ask you some questions about family Planning. Have you tried any family planning methods? What we say here confidential.	Yes.....1 No.....2	=>Q37
Q35	When did you start using a Family Planning method?	Within the last year.....1 1 to 4 years ago.....2 Five or more years ago...3 Don't know .....8	
Q36	At the moment ,does any of your wife/wives practice family planning?	Yes.....1=>38 No.....2	
Q37	Do you intend to delay or prevent pregnancy in the near future?	Yes.....1=>42 Not.....2=>42 Uncertain.....3=>42	
Q38	Which method do you use?	Pill.....01 Vaginal method ( foam , Jelly, diaphragm) .....02 Condom.....03 IUD (coil).....04 Injection.....05 Rhythm , counting days....06 Tubal ligation .....07 Vasectomy .....08 Norplant.....09 Withdrawal.....10 Traditional Luo .....11 Other .....12	=>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40 =>Q40
Q39	Do you get this from those who distribute them in the village?	Yes .....1 No .....2	
Q40	Did you talk with anyone who had used this method about it before you started using it?	Yes.....1 No .....2	

Q41	Who was it ? I would only like to know how you are related to them and not their names?	Mother.....01 Sister .....02 Mother-in-law .....03 Sister-in -law/co-wife.....04 Friend.....05 Male relative .....06 Other relative .....07 Nyamrerwa/herbalist .....08 Nurse/doctor .....09 CBD worker.....10 Other .....11	
Q42	Some women feel there is nothing wrong with their using Family Planning though their husbands disapprove of it; have you heard of any such woman who uses family planning without her husband’s knowledge?	Yes .....1 No .....2 Uncertain.....3	
Q42A	Have you heard of a permanent method of family planning for men called Vasectomy?	Yes .....1 No.....2	=>Q43
Q42B	How did you learn about it?  INTERVIEWER : Record all responses mentioned	Radio.....01 Newspaper, magazine.....02 Poster.....03 Pamphlet.....04 Baraza.....05 CBD worker.....06 Nurse /doctor.....07 Television.....08 Friend.....09 Relative.....10 Acquaintance.....11 Outdoor cinema.....12	
Q42C	Could you have told anyone about this?	Yes.....1 No.....2	=>Q42E

Q42D	Who did you tell?	Brother.....01 Friend .....02 Father .....03 Work mate .....04 Mother .....05 Wife .....06 Sister-in-law .....07 CBD/nurse.....08 Other male relative.....09 Other female.....10 Teacher/clergyman.....11 Chief/Elder.....12 Other.....13	
Q42E	After hearing about Vasectomy ,have you tried to find out more about it?	Yes .....1 No .....2	=> Q42G
Q42F	Who did you ask?	Brother .....01 Friend .....02 Father .....03 Workmate .....04 Mother .....05 Wife .....06 Sister-in-law .....07 CBD/Nurse .....08 Other male relative.....09 Other female .....10 Teacher /Clergyman.....11 Chief / elder.....12 Other.....13	
Q42G	Do you know or have you heard of someone who has had vasectomy?	Yes .....1 No .....2	

Q43	Now we would like to know about the conversations you have had with your friends and relatives about family planning .Some may and others may not agree with it; would you mind telling me their names? All these will be secret.	INTERVIEWER : Write names at the top of the columns for Q44.  If respondent names his wife ,do not write it down ,ask for someone else.  If fewer than 4 ,probe once :can you think of anyone else.				
Q44		Total number named ..... If zero :=>Q66	5	6	7	8
Q45	I would like you to recall your last conversation with..... On family Planning. When was it?	Within the last week.....1 Within the last month.....2 Within the last year.....3 More than a year ago .....4				
Q46	When you had this conversation ,what were you doing?	Here at home .....01 Visiting .....02 At the market .....03 Walking somewhere .....04 Grazing cattle, goats.....05 At the shamba .....06 At a funeral.....07 At a bar .....08 At men’s group meeting .....09 At work .....10 At church.....11 At a baraza.....12 Other.....13				
Q47	Is among those you had talked with about children helping their aged parents?	Yes .....1 INTERVIEWER: If yes =>Q57.  No .....2				

Q48	How are you related to .....?	Mother.....01 Sister.....02 Mother-in-law.....03 Sister-in -law.....04 Co-wife.....05 Friend .....06 Brother .....07 Brother- in-law.....08 CBD/Nyamrerwa.....09 Nurse.....10 Other .....11				
Q49	INTERVIEWER:RECORD SEX. Ask if you are not sure.	Female.....1 Male .....2				
Q50	How often do you talk to .....?	Almost everyday .....1 At least once a week.....2 At least once a month.....3 Less than once a month.....4				
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Q52	Is .....much younger , much older or your age-mate?	Much older than me .....1 Age mate.....2 Much younger .....3				
Q53	Has .....been to secondary ,Primary or did he never attend school at all?	Secondary .....1 Primary .....2 Never went to school .....3 Don't know .....8				
Q54	Does .....live in your homestead compound, village, sub-location or somew here else in south Nyanza?	In this compound.....1 In this village .....2 In this sub-location .....3 Elsewhere in Nyanza .....4 Don't know.....8				

Q55	Does attend the same church as you?	Yes .....1 No .....2				
Q56	Is.....economically better off , same as you or worse off than you	Better off than me .....1 About the same as me.....2 Worse off than me .....3 Don't know.....8				
Q57	Do you think .....agrees or disagrees with Family Planning?	Disapproves .....1 Approves .....2 Don't know.....8				
Q58	Do you think .....does or does not practice Family Planning?	Uses Family Planning .....1 Does not use fp.....2 =>Q61 Don't know .....8 =>Q62				
Q59	Which Family Planning method do you think .....uses?	Pill .....01 Vaginal method (foam, jelly ,diaphragm) .....02 Condom.....03 IUD (coil).....04 Injection .....05 Counting ,Safe days .....06 Tubal litigation.....07 Vasectomy.....08 Norplant .....09 Withdrawal .....10 Traditional Luo .....11 Other .....12 Don't know .....98				

Q60	Did .....tell you he practices Family Planning?	Yes .....1 Q62 No .....2				
Q61	Did .....tell you he /she does not practice Family Planning?	Yes.....1 No .....2				
Q62	Did you tell .....that you or your wife practices Family Planning ,Does he also practice it or did you not talk to him?	Told him/her are using .....1 Told him /her not using .....2 Didn't discuss it .....3				
Q63	Did you tell ..... which method you use?	Yes.....1 No.....2				
Q64	Has .....advised you to practice or not to practice family planning?	Advised to use .....1 Advised not to use.....2 No advice given .....3				
Q65	Have you advised .....to practice or not to practice Family Planning ?	Advised to use .....1 Advised not to use .....2 No advice given .....3				

INTERVIEWER: Write this person's name in the appropriate row in the table on the last page of the questionnaire. =>Q45

Q66	<p>Who among the following have you talked with about Family Planning ?</p> <p>Mother  Father  Sister  Mother-in-law  Sister-in-law  Brother  Brother-in-law  Other male  Friend  Workmate  Nyamrerwa/herbalist  Nurse/doctor  CBD  School teacher/spouse  Clergyman/spouse  Wife of chief/Elder  Unmarried woman  Non-luo</p>	<p>Yes .....1  No .....2  Not applicable .....3</p> <p>1            2            3</p>	
Q67	<p>Now I would like to ask you about your wife's view on Family Planning .Have you ever talked with her about it?</p>	<p>Yes .....1  No .....2</p>	=>69
Q68	<p>How often have you talk about Family Planning with your wife ?</p>	<p>Not in the past year.....1  One or two times.....2  Three or more times.....3</p>	
Q69	<p>Have you ever been visited by those who offer advice on family planning?</p>	<p>Yes.....1  No .....2</p>	=>71
Q70	<p>Did you tell anyone about this visit?</p>	<p>Yes .....1  No .....2</p>	



Q71	Have you heard about family planning from The radio Outdoor cinema Newspaper.	Yes 1 1 1	No 2 2 2	If all No=>7 3
Q72	Did you talk with anyone about this issue?	Yes.....1 No .....2		
Q73	Do you know a place where you can go for advice on family planning ?	Yes .....1 No .....2	=Q>75	
Q74	In case you do not know who would you ask?	Brother.....01 Friend.....02 Father.....03 Work mate.....04 Mother.....05 Wife .....06 Sister-in-law.....07 CBD/nurse.....08 Other female .....09 Teacher/clergyman.....11 Chief/Elder.....12 Other .....13		
Q75	Have ever heard about family planning at the clinic?	Yes .....1 No .....2	=>Q77	
Q76	Have you talked to anyone about you practicing family planning	Yes .....1 No .....2		

Q77 Are NAME ON ROW and NAME ON COLUMN just confidants, just friends, acquaintances or do they not know each other?

Confidants.....1

Acquaintances.....3

Just friends.....2

Don't know each other.....4

Don't know.....8

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