



Gaza Welfare Panel Survey Round 1

Section One: Identification Data (PECS 2023 Sample)

<i>For the researcher: Fill in the data from the sample list.</i>		
ID00	Household Serial Number in Sample	
ID1	Governorate Code	
ID2	Locality Code	

QC1	Household Identification Information						
1	Name of Head of Household						
2	Landline Telephone Number	□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □					
3	Mobile Telephone Number	□ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □					

Section Two: (Information for the Researcher): Interview Procedure

1. Record the phone number and time of each call attempt until a response is received, as indicated in the list.
2. Introduce the PCBS and the purpose of the call, and ask to speak with the head of the household or any adult family member.
3. Interview Procedure:

“Hello, my name is (**your name**). We are from the Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics conducting a survey on the social and economic conditions of Palestinian households in Gaza Strip following the outbreak of conflict in October 2023 . You were selected for this survey because you participated with us in the *Household Expenditure and Consumption Survey, 2023*, which made it easier to contact you using the phone number you provided during your participation in that survey.”

This interview will take approximately 20-30 minutes. All the information we obtain will remain strictly confidential and anonymous. If you choose not to answer any question or wish to stop the interview, please let us know."

4. According to the table below, specify the respondent's reaction based on the options in questions C5 and C6.
5. If the respondent agrees, proceed to Section Three according to the questions and their sequence.

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Section Three: Household Members Data

D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6	D7
Line No. of Individual	Full Name as per Last Visit Record Researcher: "First, I would like to verify if the individuals we recorded during the last visit are still residing with you in the same dwelling (living with the family)." (Inquire about the following questions...) After that, inquire if there are any new members who have joined the household. After adding the new names?	Is (name) still living/residing with the family? 1. Yes → D5 2. No	If no, why is (name) no longer living with the same family? 1. Abroad (for any reason except studying) 2. Abroad for studying 3. Separated to form a new family (marriage) 4. Deceased 5. Deceased as a result of violence 6. Migrated 7. Imprisoned (by Israeli forces) 8. Divorced 9. Missing 10. Moved with family to a new dwelling 11. Returned to original family 12. (Displacement) Moved to live with another family 13. Other (specify) if the answer was 3,4,5,6,8,10,11,12 ..<move to next member	What is the gender of (name)? <i>(New members)</i> 1. Male 2. Female	Age in completed years <i>(New members)</i>	What is (name)'s relationship to the head of household? 1. Head of household 2. Wife/Husband 3. Son/Daughter 4. Father/Mother 5. Brother/Sister 6. Grandfather/Grandmother 7. Grandson/Granddaughter 8. Daughter-in-law/Son-in-law 9. Other relatives 10. Others
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Section Four: Conflict and Displacement

D0	IS THE RESPONDENT FROM THE HOUSEHOLD	1. YES MOVE TO D1 2. NO MOVE TO D01	
D01	THE name of the respondent.....	D02: the relation of the respondent to the household: 1. Close familial relationship 2. Near relationship 3. Neighbors 4. Others d02_4_txt: specify others	
D1	Number of the individual responding according to the household members list	Individual Number	
D2	Name of the individual responding to the questionnaire according to the household members list	Name:	
H1	Place of residence before the conflict	Name of locality:	
H2	Current place of residence	Name of locality:	
H3	Type of dwelling the family resided in before the conflict	1.Villa 2.House 3.Apartment 4.Independent room 5.Tent 6.Barracks/Caravan/Hut 7.Other (specify):	
H4	Type of dwelling the family is currently residing in	1.Original dwelling before the conflict 2.Home of a family member or friends 3.Barracks and storage places of industrial and commercial establishments 4.Independent tent/barracks or within a group of tents spread in public squares, streets, or agricultural lands 5.Internal shelter center (schools: governmental, private, UNRWA, or universities and institutes) 6.Internal shelter center (international organizations' headquarters) 7.Internal shelter center (hospitals) 8.Internal shelter center (charitable clubs and associations) 9.Other (specify):	
H5	Since the beginning of the ongoing conflict (October 2023), has your original place of residence been damaged (partially or completely) by Israeli forces?	1.Yes, partial destruction 2.Yes, total destruction 3.No 4.Don't know/No answer	
H6	Has your current place of residence been bombed by the Israeli forces?	1.Yes 2.No → Go to H7 3.Don't know/No answer → Go to H7	
H6_1	Number of times it was bombed THE CURRENT RESIDENCE	Number of times:	

H6_2	Number of times it was bombed THE CURRENT RESIDENCE OR PREVIOUS	Number of times:	
H7	Since the conflict began (October 2023), have all members of this household moved to another place even for at least one night? <i>(If H4 answer is option 1)</i>	1.Yes 2.No → Go to H10 3.Don't know/No answer → Go to H10	
H8	How many times have all members of this family been displaced since the start of the ongoing conflict (October 2023)?"	Number of times:	
H10	Since the conflict began (October 2023), has anyone who was not a member of this household before the conflict come to live with your family?	1.Yes 2.No → Proceed to the next section 3.Don't know/No answer → Proceed to the next section	
H11	How many people have come to live with your family?	Number of persons	

Section Five: Medical Services

HS1	Since the conflict began (October 2023), has anyone in your family been seriously injured?	1.Yes 2.No 3.Don't know/No answer	
HS2	Since the conflict began (October 2023), have any family members, including yourself, needed medical care for any reason?	Yes No → Proceed to the next section Don't know/No answer → Proceed to the next section	
HS3	Regarding the last medical service needed by any family member, including yourself, what was the reason for needing this service?	1.Management of a chronic condition (diabetes, hypertension, kidney diseases, cancer, etc.) 2.New episode of infectious disease (diarrhea, respiratory infection, other infectious diseases) 3.Maternal services 4.Child health and nutrition 5.Mental health and psychosocial support 6.Injury or trauma or any other direct effect of violence 7.Other (specify): 8.Don't know 9.Refused to answer	
HS4	Were you able to access medical services for the last medical need?	1.Yes 2.No → Proceed to the next section 3.Don't know/No answer → Proceed to the next section	

HS5	What are the main reasons that prevented access to medical services? <i>[Do not read the options. Specify up to three choices]</i> 1.No healthcare staff available, or no female staff 2.Medications not available 3.High cost 4.Health facilities are too busy/overcrowded 5.Required health facilities are too far 6.Lack of transportation 7.Roads are blocked, damaged, or destroyed 8.Access to required health facilities is unsafe 9.Required health facilities are unsafe 10.Required health facilities are closed 11.Required health facilities are damaged or destroyed 12.Other (specify) 88.Don't know 99.Refused to answer	First choice:	☐ ☐
		Second choice:	☐ ☐
		Third choice:	☐ ☐

Section Six: Assistance

C1	Before the conflict, Are you or any of your family members benefiting from any of the following social protection programs?		Yes No → if all answers to C1 WERE NO, Proceed to C3	☐
	1. Food coupons	☐	5. Aid from UNRWA	☐
	2. Free medical treatment	☐	6. Transfers from family/friends abroad	☐
	3. Cash transfers from the government	☐	7. Transfers from family/friends inside Palestine	☐
	4. Compensation for families of those deceased as a result of violence	☐	8. Other (specify):	☐
C1_a	Since the conflict began, have the usual assistance you were getting before stopped		Yes no	
C2	As a result of the ongoing conflict (October 2023), have you received additional assistance besides what you usually receive?		Yes IF AT LEAST ONE = 1 GO TO C4 No IF ALL C2 =2 MOVE TO FS1	☐
	1. Food coupons	☐	5. Aid from UNRWA	☐
	2. Free medical treatment	☐	6. Transfers from family/friends abroad	☐
	3. Cash transfers from the government	☐	7. Transfers from family/friends inside Palestine	☐
	4. Compensation for families of those deceased as a result of violence	☐	8. Other (specify):9. external assistance (parachute, trucks	☐

C3	Since the conflict began (October 2023), have you received any of the following assistances?		Yes No → IF ALL ANSWERS TO C3=2 Proceed to the next section	☐
	1. Food coupons	☐	5. Aid from UNRWA	☐
	2. Free medical treatment	☐	6. Transfers from family/friends abroad	☐
	3. Cash transfers from the government	☐	7. Transfers from family/friends inside Palestine	☐
	4. Compensation for families of those deceased as a result of violence	☐	8. Other (specify):9. externa assistances (parachute, trucks	☐
C4	How important is the assistance that you or your family have received since the beginning of the conflict (October 2023)? <i>(For the researcher: If all options in C1=1 or C3=1)</i>	1. Without this assistance, the family would not have been able to manage their livelihood. 2. It enabled the family to manage their livelihood with great difficulty. 3. It was a helpful factor and provided regular additional income for the family. 4. It helped alleviate distress during difficult times. 5. The family could have managed without it. 6. The assistance does not significantly contribute to covering the family's living expenses.		☐

Section Seven: Coping Strategies

FS1	During the past four weeks, how many times was there no food of any kind to eat at the place of residence due to a lack of resources to buy food? <i>(If the answer is option 1 or 99, end the interview)</i>	1. Never 2. Rarely (1-2 times) 3. Sometimes (3-10 times) 4. Often (more than 10 times) 98 Don't know 99 Refused to answer
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FS2	Over the past four weeks, when there was no food available at the residence due to a lack of resources to buy food, what was the household's main strategy to deal with the food shortage at home?	1. Eating less preferred food 2. Reducing the number of meals per day 3. Reducing and rationing meal portions 4. Restricting adult consumption 5. Restricting women's consumption 6. Borrowing food or money to buy food 7. Skipping entire days without eating 8. Collecting unfamiliar wild foods, such as leaves 9. Selling more animals or personal belongings 10. Consuming stored seeds for planting 11. Sending family members to live elsewhere 12. Other (please specify) 13. Charity kitchens 98. Don't know 99. Refused to answer
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Interview Result

QC3	Interview result	1.Completed 2.Partially completed 3.Family refused to cooperate 4.Could not reach the family	☐
QC4	Thank you very much for your time. The answers you provided are very important to us. With your consent, we would like to contact you again after 3 months for a follow-up survey.	Yes No → End the interview	☐
QC5	If you agree, is there another phone number we can reach you through?		
Qc6	Is there any households share with you your residence (	Yes no	
Qc6_1	If yes with that households agree to make interview in next rounds	Yes no	
Qc6_2	The name		
Qc6_3	The mobile		