

Slovakian Republic ISSP 2002 - Family and Changing Gender Roles III

Questionnaire

To begin, we have some questions about women.

Show card 1

To what extent do you agree or disagree...?

- 1 - Strongly agree
- 2 - Agree
- 3 - Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 4 - Disagree
- 5 - Strongly Disagree
- 6 - Can't choose

- 1) A working mother can establish just as warm and secure relationship with her children as a mother who does not work.
- 2) A pre-school child is likely to suffer if his or her mother works.
- 3) All in all, family life suffers when the woman has a full-time job.
- 4) A job is all right, but what most women really want is a home and children.
- 5) Being a housewife is just as fulfilling as working for pay.
- 6) Having a job is the best way for a woman to be independent person.

Show card 1

And to what extent do you agree or disagree...?

- 1 - Strongly agree
- 2 - Agree
- 3 - Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 4 - Disagree
- 5 - Strongly Disagree
- 6 - Can't choose

- 7) Both the man and woman should contribute to the household income.
- 8) A man's job is to earn money; a woman's job is to look after the home and family.
- 9) Men ought to do a larger share of household work than they do now.
- 10) Men ought to do a larger share of childcare than they do now.

Do you think that women should work outside the home full-time, part-time or not at all under the following circumstances?

- 1 - Work Full-time
- 2 - Work Part-time
- 3 - Stay at home
- 4 - Can't choose

- 11) After marrying and before there are children.
- 12) When there is a child under school age.

- 13) After the youngest child starts school.
- 14) After the children leave home.

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- 1 - Strongly agree
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- 4 - Disagree
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- 6 - Can't choose

- 15) Married people are generally happier than unmarried people.
- 16) It is better to have a bad marriage than no marriage at all.
- 17) People who want children ought to get married.
- 18) One parent can bring up a child as well as two parents together.
- 19) It is all right for a couple to live together without intending to get married.
- 20) It's a good idea for a couple who intend to get married to live together first.
- 21) Divorce is usually the best solution when a couple can't seem to work out their marriage problems.

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- 6 - Can't choose

- 22) Watching children grow up is life's greatest joy.
- 23) People who have never had children lead empty lives.
- 24) Working women should receive paid maternity leave when they have a baby.
- 25) Families should receive financial benefits for child care when both parents work.

Please answer the following questions if you are currently living with your spouse or a partner. Otherwise go to q. 41

Show card 2

- 26) How do you and your spouse/partner organize the income that one or both of you receive?
Please choose the option that comes closest.
 - 1 - I manage all the money and give my spouse/partner his/her share.
 - 2 - My spouse/partner manages all the money and gives me my share
 - 3 - We pool all the money and each take out what we need
 - 4 - We pool some of the money and keep the rest separate.
 - 5 - We each keep our own money separate.

Show card 3

In your household who does the following things...?

- 1 - Always me
- 2 - Usually me
- 3 - About Equal or Both Together

- 4 - Usually my spouse/partner
- 5 - Always my spouse/partner
- 6 - Is Done by a Third Person
- 7 - Can't choose

- 27) Does the laundry
- 28) Makes small repairs around the house
- 29) Cares for sick family members
- 30) Shops for groceries
- 31) Does the household cleaning
- 32) Prepares the meals
- 33) On average, how many hours a week do you personally spend on household work, not including childcare and leisure time activities?
- 34) And what about your spouse/partner? On average, how many hours a week does he/she spend on household work, not including childcare and leisure time activities?

Show card 4

- 35) Which of the following best applies to the sharing of household work between you and your spouse/partner?
 - 1 - I do much more than my fair share of the household work
 - 2 - I do a bit more than my fair share of the household work
 - 3 - I do roughly my fair share of the household work
 - 4 - I do a bit less than my fair share of the household work
 - 5 - I do less more than my fair share of the household work
- 36) How often do you and your spouse/partner disagree about the sharing of household work?
 - 1 - Several times a week
 - 2 - Several times a month
 - 3 - Several times a year
 - 4 - Less often/rarely
 - 5 - Never
 - 6 - Can't choose
- 37) Who usually makes / made the decisions about how to bring up your children?
 - 1 - Mostly me
 - 2 - Mostly my spouse/partner
 - 3 - Sometimes me / sometimes my spouse/partner
 - 4 - We decide /decided together
 - 5 - Someone else
 - 6 - Does not apply

When you and your spouse/partner make decisions about the following, who has the final say?

- 1 - Mostly me
- 2 - Mostly my spouse/partner
- 3 - Sometimes me / sometimes my spouse/partner
- 4 - We decide together
- 5 - Someone else

- 38) Choosing shared weekend activities
- 39) Buying major things for the home

Show card 5

- 40) Considering all sources of income, between you and your spouse/partner, who has the higher income?
 - 1 - My spouse/partner has no income
 - 2 - I have a much higher income

- 3 - I have a higher income
- 4 - We have about the same income
- 5 - My spouse/partner has a higher income
- 6 - My spouse/partner has a much higher income
- 7 - I have no income
- 8 - Don't know

Show card 6

To what extent do you agree or disagree...?

- 1 - Strongly agree
 - 2 - Agree
 - 3 - Neither Agree Nor Disagree
 - 4 - Disagree
 - 5 - Strongly Disagree
 - 6 - Doesn't apply
 - 7 - Can't choose
- 41) There are so many things to do at home, I often run out of time before I get them all done.
- 42) My life at home is rarely stressful.
- 43) There are so many things to do at work, I often run out of time before I get them all done.
- 44) My job is rarely stressful.

Show card 7

How often has each of the following happened to you during the past three months?

- 1 - Several times a week
 - 2 - Several times a month
 - 3 - Once or twice
 - 4 - Never
 - 5 - Doesn't apply/no job
- 45) I have come home from work too tired to do the chores which need to be done.
- 46) It has been difficult for me to fulfil my family responsibilities because of the amount of time I spent on my job.
- 47) I have arrived at work too tired to function well because of the household work I had done.
- 48) I have found it difficult to concentrate at work because of my family responsibilities.
- 49) If you were to consider your life in general, how happy or unhappy would you say you are, on the whole?
- 1 - Completely happy
 - 2 - Very happy
 - 3 - Fairly happy
 - 4 - Neither happy nor unhappy
 - 5 - Fairly unhappy
 - 6 - Very unhappy
 - 7 - Completely unhappy
 - 8 - Can't choose
- 50) All things considered, how satisfied are you with your (main) job?
- 1 - Completely satisfied
 - 2 - Very satisfied
 - 3 - Fairly satisfied
 - 4 - Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
 - 5 - Fairly dissatisfied

- 6 - Very dissatisfied
- 7 - Completely dissatisfied
- 8 - Doesn't apply/no job
- 9 - Can't choose

51) All things considered, how satisfied are you with your family life?

- 1 - Completely satisfied
- 2 - Very satisfied
- 3 - Fairly satisfied
- 4 - Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- 5 - Fairly dissatisfied
- 6 - Very dissatisfied
- 7 - Completely dissatisfied
- 8 - Can't choose

52) Did your mother ever work for pay for as long as one year, after you were born and before you were 14?

- 1 - Yes, she worked for pay
- 2 - No
- 3 - Don't know

Please answer questions 53 to 60 if you have ever had children. Otherwise go to question 61.

Did you work outside the home full-time, part-time, or not at all. . .

- 1 - Worked full-time
- 2 - Worked Part-time
- 3 - Stayed home
- 4 - Does not apply

53) After marrying and before you had children?

54) And what about when a child was under school age?

55) After the youngest child started school?

56) And how about after the children left home?

What about your spouse/partner at that time - did he or she work outside the home full-time, part-time, or not at all. . .

- 1 - Worked full-time
- 2 - Worked Part-time
- 3 - Stayed home
- 4 - Does not apply

57) After marrying and before you had children?

58) And what about when a child was under school age?

59) After the youngest child started school?

60) And how about after the children left home?

Do you think that women should work outside the home full-time, part-time or not at all, when a couple has not yet had a child?

- 1 - Work full-time
- 2 - Work part-time

- 3 - Stay at home
- 4 - Can't choose

62) How many children have you ever had?

Now we will change the topic.

Show card 1

To what extent do you agree or disagree...?

- 1 - Strongly agree
 - 2 - Agree
 - 3 - Neither Agree Nor Disagree
 - 4 - Disagree
 - 5 - Strongly Disagree
 - 6 - Can't choose
- 63) After joining EU, unemployment of mothers with small children in Slovakia will raise, because of greater competition.
- 64) After joining EU the economical growth in Slovakia will raise.
- 65) After joining EU will incomes to households in Slovakia drop.
- 66) After Slovakia joins EU, Slovaks will have more opportunities to work and study in other EU countries.
- 67) After Slovakia joins EU, the social care about family will raise from state.
- 68) After Slovakia joins EU, living conditions of people in pre-retired and retired age will worsen in Slovakia.

Now we will ask you some questions for statistical purposes.

- 69) Marital status:
- 1 - Married
 - 2 - Widowed
 - 3 - Divorced
 - 4 - Separated, but married
 - 5 - Single, never married

If respondent stated variant 1 in Q69, in following question sign variant 3 (doesn't apply, living with spouse)

- 70) Do you live in common household with your life-partner?
- 1 - Yes
 - 2 - No
 - 3 - Doesn't apply, lives with spouse
- 71) Please state, how long did you attend school. count all years of daily study, also uncompleted schools. Don't forget elementary school. In case, you completed evening or distance education (eg. secondary school graduation, or university) count also these years. (Don't count vocational or requalification courses)
- 93 - vocational student
 - 94 - high school student
 - 95 - university student
 - 96 - other student:.....
 - 97 - never attended school
 - 98 - don't know
- 72) Are you employed:
- 1 - Employed full-time

- 2 - Employed part-time (half or more)
- 3 - Employed part-time (less than half or temporary reduction of working time in company)
- 4 - Helping family member
- 5 - Unemployed
- 6 - Student
- 7 - Retired
- 8 - Housewife, home duties
- 9 - Permanently disabled
- 10 - Other not in labour force:.....

If respondent stated in previous question 72 variant 1 - 4, in following question enter the amount of hours stated by respondent. If respondent stated in previous question 72 variant 5-10, in following question enter code 97 (economically inactive) !

73) What is the amount of hours which you usually work per week?

97 - economically inactive

98 - Don't know

99 - Refused

74) Please state title of your main occupation. Describe it please in detail: what is scope of employment, what are your responsibilities, etc. Please use two and more words, don't use abbreviations or initials. If you are not presently employed (eg. you are retired, unemployed, etc.), state your last

occupation:

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9997 - never been employed

9998 - don't know, inadequately described

9999 - refusal

75) Presently you work: (if you are presently not employed, state your last employment)

1 - Work for government, municipality

2 - Work for public owned firm, national industry

3 - Don't work for government, neither for public owned firm and is not self employed

4 - Self employed

5 - Never been employed

76) Do you have in your main occupation employees, or are you responsible for work of other people? (if you are presently not employed, state your last employment)

1 - Yes

2 - No

3 - Never been employed

4 - Don't know

5 - Refused

77) In your main occupation are you entrepreneur/selfemployed or employee?(if you are presently not employed, state your last employment)

1 - entrepreneur/selfemployed

2 - employee

3 - never been employed

If respondent stated in previous question answer 1, in following question 78 enter the number of employees stated by respondent. If respondent stated in previous question variant 2 or 3, in Q78 enter code 99997!

78) Do you have any employees? If yes, state their amount (if you are presently not employed, state your last employment)
99997 - work for someone else, never been employed

79) Are you a member of trade union?
1 - Yes
2 - No, but in the past was
3 - Never been

If respondent is not married, or doesn't live in household with life-partner, in following question 80 enter code 11!

80) Your spouse/partner is employed:
1 - Full-time
2 - Part-time (half or more)
3 - Part-time (less than half or temporary reduction of working time in company)
4 - Helping family member
5 - Unemployed
6 - Student
7 - Retired
8 - Housewife, household duties
9 - Permanently disabled
10 - other not labour force:.....
11 - doesn't have spouse/partner

81) How many hours does your spouse/partner usually work per week?
97 - doesn't have spouse/partner, economically inactive
98 - don't know
99 - refused

82) Please state title of your spouse's/partner's main occupation. Describe it please in detail: what is scope of employment, what are his/her responsibilities, etc. Please use two and more words, don't use abbreviations or initials. If he/she is not presently employed (eg. he/she is retired, unemployed, etc.), state his/her last occupation:

.....
9997 - doesn't have spouse/partner, he/she has never been employed
9998 - don't know, inadequately described
9999 - refusal

83) Your spouse/partner is presently working: (If he/she is not presently employed (eg. he/she is retired, unemployed, etc.), state his/her last occupation)
1 - Work for government, municipality
2 - Work for public owned firm, national industry
3 - Don't work for government, neither for public owned firm and is not self employed
4 - Self employed
5 - doesn't have spouse/partner, he/she has never been employed

84) What is your spouse's/partner's highest achieved level of education?
1 - Incomplete primary

- 2 - Complete primary
- 3 - Incomplete vocational/secondary
- 4 - Vocational/secondary without graduation
- 5 - Vocational/secondary with graduation
- 6 - Incomplete college/university
- 7 - Bachelor
- 8 - College/university
- 9 - Doesn't have spouse/partner

What is the total average net income of your household per month in Slovak crowns? Count incomes of all members of your household, all social benefits, allowances and complementary incomes after taxation (midpoints).

85)

What is your total average net income per month in CZK? Count net income from your main, supplementary job, incomes from agriculture, entrepreneurship, or retirement pay, social benefits or other income.

86)

87) How many members including yourself are there in your household (aged 18 and over)?

88) How many persons aged 6-17 years live in your household?

89) How many persons younger than 6 years live in your household?

90) How many members including yourself are there in your household?

Show card 8

91) In politics, terms "left" and "right" are often used. Where would you place yourself on the scale of left to right?

1 - Far left

2 - Left

3 - Centre

4 - Right

5 - Far right

6 - other

7 - refused

8 - don't know

92) On 20th and 21st of September 2002 Parliamentary elections were held in Slovakia. Did you cast your vote?

1 - Yes

2 - No

Show card 9

93) Which party, coalition, movement did you vote for?

1 - Green Party of SK (SZS)

2 - Slovak Democratic and Christian Union (SDKÚ)

3 - Democratic Rights of Citizens Party (SDPO)

4 - Party of Democratic Left (SDL)

5 - SMER

6 - Movement for Democratic SK (HZDS)

7 - Conservative Citizen Party (OKS)

8 - Movement for Democracy (HZD)

9 - Politic Movement of Roma in SK - ROMA (ROMA)

- 10 - Communist Party (KSS)
- 11 - Party of Hungarian Coalition (SMK)
- 12 - Christian Democratic Movement (KDH)
- 13 - Democratic Party (DS)
- 14 - People's party (ĽS)
- 15 - Association of Slovak labourers (ZRS)
- 16 - Left bloc (ĽB)
- 17 - Alliance of New Citizen (ANO)
- 18 - Běčko - Revolutionary labour Party (B-RRS)
- 19 - Woman and family (ŽAR)
- 20 - Social Democratic Alternative (SDA)
- 21 - Slovak National Unity (SNJ)
- 22 - Independent Civic Party of Unemployed (NOSNP)
- 23 - Slovak National Party (SNS)
- 24 - Labourer's Party ROSA (ROSA)
- 25 - Roma Civic Initiative of SK (ROISR)
- 26 - The Real Slovak National Party (PSNS)
- 27 - didn't vote

94) What is your religious affiliation?

- 1 - Roman-catholic
- 2 - Protestant
- 3 - Greek-catholic
- 4 - Russian Orthodox
- 5 - Jewish
- 6 - other.....
- 7 - no religion
- 8 - don't know

95) How often do you attend religious ceremonies, services?

- 1 - more than once weekly
- 2 - once weekly
- 3 - two, three times a month
- 4 - once a month
- 5 - few times a year
- 6 - once a year
- 7 - less often
- 8 - never
- 9 - can't choose
- 10 - refused

Show card 10

96) Our society comprises of different groups or social classes. What social class would you rank yourself to?

- 1 - highest position
- 2 - 9
- 3 - 8
- 4 - 7
- 5 - 6
- 6 - 5
- 7 - 4
- 8 - 3

- 9 - 2
- 10 - lowest position

- 97) How would you characterise place where you live?
- 1 - Larger city
 - 2 - Suburbs of a larger city
 - 3 - Middle large or small town/city
 - 4 - Village
 - 5 - Farm

DEMOGRAPHIC SIGNS:

- 98) Sex:
- 1 - Male
 - 2 - Female
- 99) How old are you?
- 100) Nationality:
- 1 - Slovak
 - 2 - Hungarian
 - 3 - other:.....
- 101) Highest level of education:
- 1 - Incomplete primary
 - 2 - Complete primary
 - 3 - Incomplete secondary
 - 4 - Secondary without graduation
 - 5 - Secondary with graduation
 - 6 - Incomplete college/university
 - 7 - Bachelor
 - 8 - Complete college/university
- 102) At present you are:
- 1 - labourer in private or state sector
 - 2 - employee in private or state sector
 - 3 - self-employed (eg. in industry, business, civil engineering, travelling, agriculture, etc)
 - 4 - member of agricultural cooperative
 - 5 - unemployed
 - 6 - retired (pensioned)
 - 7 - other (eg. housewife, student, ...)
- 103) Number of interviewer: