

Appendix 2

Questionnaire Changes 2008 to 2021

Table A1

Changes to Alcohol's Harm to Other Survey from 2008 to 2021

<i>Domain (Survey Section)</i>	<i>Construct</i>	<i>Change to 2021 survey</i>
Respondent Characteristics (Section A, K and L)	Gender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey options amended to “woman”, “man”, “non-binary” or “other”
	Age	
	Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Post-graduate diploma/degree, Master’s Degree, Doctorate” option in 2008 was split up into two options
	Occupational category	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Unemployed and looking for work” was split up into two options in Specific occupation list expanded to include many occupations in a searchable list <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow-up question about main tasks in occupation added
	Labour force participation status	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Additional question added “Which of the following best describes your current job situation? (1) Have a job, currently working paid hours; (2) Have a job, but not currently working any paid hours; (3) Do not have a paid job
	Country of Birth	
	Ethnic ancestry	
	Contribution to household income	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change in income brackets to match median salaries in 2021
	Alcohol consumption	
	Housing situation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two questions added about (1) dwelling type, and; (2) dwelling tenure.
	Situational Drinking Norms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addition of the Situational Drinking Norms statement battery
	Household level characteristics (Section A and L)	Relationships within household
Children in household		
Household income		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change in income brackets to match median salaries in 2021
Distance from respondent's home to licensed venues		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed two questions about kilometres to nearest licenced venue (e.g., bar, bottle shop)
Neighbourhood level Characteristics (Section K)	Postcode - SEIFA	
	Neighbourhood cohesiveness	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two questions added: (1) How many neighbours – people on your block, for instance – do you have some kind of friendship with – where you might ask them to take in your mail if you’re away, for instance?; (2) Do you feel comfortable walking around your block when it’s dark?
Heavy drinkers in respondent's life (Section D)	Household members	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decreased number of loops to identify known drinker – from eight loops in 2008 to two loops in 2021
	Relatives	
	Partners or Ex-partners	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Questions about relationship to known drinkers separated out
	Other known persons	
	Co-workers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added 1 to 10 scale about extent all known people’s drinking negatively affected respondent
	Friends	

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Heavy drinker most affecting the respondent (Section D and F)	Relationship to respondent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two questions about relationship to Most Harmful Drinker and whether they live with respondent combined into one question in 2021
	Gender	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey options amended to “woman”, “man”, “non-binary” or “other”
	Age	
	Alcohol consumption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two additional questions asked clarifying and confirming identified heavy drinkers alcohol consumption patterns in past 12 months
Adverse effects from identified problematic known drinker(s) (Section E)	Harm items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Three additional harm items added relating to (1) being insulted; (2) having financial trouble, and; (3) having family/relationship difficulties Follow-up questions added to two harms relating to (1) property damage; and (2) traffic accidents. Additional questions relate to frequency of occurrence and associated financial costs. Response frame changed from reporting frequency of harm to dichotomous “Yes” or “No” Harms asked in relation to identified most heavy known harmful drinker in 2008, whereas in 2021 harms asked in relation to all harmful drinkers
	Caring responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Caring responsibilities asked in relation to identified most heavy known harmful drinker in 2008, whereas in 2021 harms asked in relation to all harmful drinkers Follow up question probing number of hours spent caring on most recent occasion, rather than number of hours, days and weeks spent caring overall in 2008 survey. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Additional question probing how many hours caring episode took away from paid work. Removed one question: “Was there less money for household expenses because of their drinking?”
	Negative impact pre-COVID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two questions added regarding whether respondent was negatively affected by the drinking of known-others pre-COVID
Adverse effect on care of children (Section G and E)	Harm items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Response frame changed from reporting frequency of harm to dichotomous “Yes” or “No” Item added regarding having enough money for the things needed by the (child/children) Added 1 to 10 scale about extent of harm to children
	Caring responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow up question probing number of hours spent caring on most recent occasion, rather than number of hours, days and weeks spent caring overall in 2008 survey. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Additional question probing how many hours caring episode took away from paid work.

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	Perpetrators relationship to the children	
Adverse effects from co-workers (<u>Section H</u>)	Co-worker specific harm items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Response frame changed from reporting frequency of harm to dichotomous “Yes” or “No” Two harm items added regarding (1) sexual harassment; and (2) sexual assault. Added 1 to 10 scale about extent of harm from co-workers
	Negative impact pre-COVID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Two questions added regarding whether respondent was negatively affected by the drinking of co-workers pre-COVID
Adverse effects from strangers (<u>Section I</u>)	Stranger specific harm items	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow-up questions added to two harms relating to (1) property damage; and (2) traffic accidents. Additional questions relate to frequency of occurrence and associated financial costs Two harm items about (1) feeling unsafe waiting for or using public transport, and (2) feeling unsafe in a public place, combined into one item in 2021 survey Item about trouble or noise because of drinkers at a licensed venue removed
	Negative impact pre-COVID	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two questions added regarding whether respondent was negatively affected by a stranger’s drinking pre-COVID
Health and welfare (<u>Section B, C, J and E</u>)	Personal Wellbeing Index	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PWI subscales removed – singular life satisfaction scale retained
	EQ-5D	
	Tobacco use	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One question added on whether respondent smokes tobacco regularly
	Financial stress	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Three questions added regarding whether respondent (1) can raise \$2000 in a week; (2) sought assistance from welfare organisations, and; (3) sought financial help from family and friends
Service Use (<u>Section J</u>)	Calling police Accessing hospital and/or medical Counselling / professional advice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Follow up question probing number of hours spent on counselling / treatment / police contact on most recent occasion, rather than number of hours, days and weeks spent on service use overall over all in 2008 survey. Additional question probing how many hours counselling / treatment / police contact took away from paid work. Additional question probing insurance cost of most recent episode
	Family and friend support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Additional question added regarding whether respondent received family / friend support as a result of AHTO

Added in 2021

Removed in 2021
