

## Research on Ex Migrant Domestic Workers in the Philippines

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Q1 Interviewer's name ( \_\_\_\_\_ )

Q2 Date of interview

Year	Month	Day

Name of interviewee, address, mobile number preferably

#	QUESTION	ANSWER	SKIP
A1	City/town of residence		
A2	Year of birth	_____	
A3	Current marital status	Never married ..... 1 Married ..... 2 Widowed ..... 3 Divorced ..... 4 Separated ..... 5 Other ..... 6 <i><b>Specify</b></i> _____	
A4	Religion	Catholic ..... 1 Protestant ..... 2 Muslim ..... 3 Other religion ..... 4 No religion ..... 5	
A5	Level of education achieved	Illiterate/No schooling ..... 1 Completed some primary schooling ..... 2 Graduated from primary school ..... 3 Completed some high school ..... 4 Graduated from high school ..... 5 Completed some vocational/trade school ..... 6 Graduated from vocational/trade school ..... 7 Completed some college or higher ..... 8 Graduated from college or higher ..... 9	
A6	Employment status BEFORE first labour migration	Full-time paid work ..... 1 Part-time paid work ..... 2 Full-time unpaid work (ex. helping in family business including farming or fishery) ..... 3 Part-time unpaid work (ex. helping in family business including farming or fishery) ..... 4 Own business ..... 5 Did not work ..... 6	<b>6→A9</b>

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A7	Work type BEFORE first labour migration	Domestic worker (in a private home)..... 1 Care worker (in hospital or institution)..... 2 Nursing (including midwife) ..... 3 Other medical assistant job ..... 4 Factory work ..... 5 Sales ..... 6 Clerical work ..... 7 Teaching ..... 8 Farming or fishing work ..... 9 Other ..... 10 <i>Specify</i> _____	
A8	Your average monthly income BEFORE first labour migration (after tax)  <i>* not household income</i>	Below 2,000 peso .....1 2,000 – 3,999 peso .....2 4,000 – 5,999 peso .....3 6,000 –7,999 peso .....4 8,000 – 9,999 peso .....5 10,000 –19,999 peso .....6 20,000 and higher .....7	
A9	Employment status AFTER last labour migration	Full-time paid work .....1 Part-time paid work.....2 Full-time unpaid work (ex. Helping in family business including farming or fishery) .....3 Part-time unpaid work (ex. Helping in family business including farming or fishery) .....4 Own business .....5 Did not work .....6	<b>6→ A12</b>
A10	Work type AFTER last labour migration	Domestic worker (in a private home)..... 1 Care worker (in hospital or institution)..... 2 Nursing (including midwife) ..... 3 Other medical assistant job ..... 4 Factory work ..... 5 Sales ..... 6 Clerical work ..... 7 Teaching ..... 8 Farming or fishing work ..... 9 Other ..... 10 <i>Specify</i> _____	
A11	Your average monthly income AFTER last migration (after tax)  <i>* not household income</i>	Below 2,000 peso .....1 2,000 – 3,999 peso .....2 4,000 – 5,999 peso .....3 6,000 –7,999 peso .....4 8,000 – 9,999 peso .....5 10,000 –19,999 peso .....6 20,000 and higher .....7	

#	QUESTION	ANSWER	SKIP
A12	Do you have children?	Yes.....1 No.....2	2 → A16
A12a	How many children do you have?	_____	
A13	What are their ages? <i>(youngest to oldest)</i>	Child 1 _____ Child 2 _____ Child 3 _____ Child 4 _____ Child 5 _____ Child 6 _____	
A14	Who was the <b>main</b> caregiver of your child/children while you were away?	Husband..... 1 Mother..... 2 Mother-in-law..... 3 Father..... 4 Father-in-law ..... 5 Sister..... 6 Sister-in-law..... 5 Elder children(sister or brother) ..... 6 Other kin member..... 7 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
A15	Who was the <b>secondary</b> caregiver of your child/children while you were away?	Husband..... 1 Mother..... 2 Mother-in-law..... 3 Father..... 4 Father-in-law ..... 5 Sister..... 6 Sister-in-law..... 7 Elder children(sister or brother) ..... 8 Other relatives ..... 9 Other ..... 10 <i>Specify</i> _____	

**COMPLETE HISTORY OF WORK ABROAD (earliest to latest)**

**\*\*NOTES TO INTERVIEWERS:**

- If the migrant worker travels home during the contract and returns to the same employer, this is considered one migration.
- If the migrant worker does not return home after a vacation, but continues to work for the same employer or another one, this is considered one migration.
- If the migrant worker changes employer after a vacation, this should be counted as a separate migration.
- If the migrant worker returns to the same employer after a vacation and signs a new contract, this is considered a separate migration.
- Only this section includes other types of work in abroad.

#	<b><u>HISTORY OF WORK ABROAD</u></b> (earliest to latest) Choose from the following countries: Singapore.....1 Taiwan .....2 Hong Kong.....3 Malaysia.....4 Saudi Arabia.....5 Lebanon.....6 Iraq.....7 Kuwait.....8 UAE.....9 Other.....10 <i>Specify</i> _____	Date of arrival for work		Date of Departure		Type of Work Domestic worker (private home).....1 Care worker (hospital or institution).....2 Nursing (incl. midwife)....3 Other medical assistant job.....4 Factory work.....5 Sales.....6 Clerical work.....7 Teaching.....8 Farming or fishing work.....9 Other.....10 <i>Specify</i> _____
		Month	Year	Month	Year	
A16	1 <sup>st</sup> Migration					
A17	2 <sup>nd</sup> Migration					
A18	3 <sup>rd</sup> Migration					
A19	4 <sup>th</sup> Migration					
A20	5 <sup>th</sup> Migration					
A21	6 <sup>th</sup> Migration					
A22	7 <sup>th</sup> Migration					
A23	8 <sup>th</sup> Migration					

**IF YOU HAVE WORKED ABROAD SIX TIMES OR MORE, AS THE REMAING QUESTIONS, PLEA**

**PART B. WORK HISTORY IN SINGAPORE, OR HONG KONG OR TAIWAN AS A DOMESTIC WORKER**

The following questions refer to the longest period of time that you worked in one of the following countries: Singapore, Hong Kong, or Taiwan. If you have worked for several employers during one migration, please answer for the first employer.

#	QUESTION	ANSWER	SKIP
B1	Which country did you work in for the longest period of time as a domestic worker?	Singapore..... 1 Hong Kong..... 2 Taiwan..... 3	
B2	When did you arrive in this country for work? <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
B3	When did you leave this country? <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
B4	For what reason(s) did you decide to work abroad in this country?  <i>(Select all that apply)</i> <i>*Read up each question and get "yes" or "no". In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Pay for family's living expenses ..... 1 Improve family's economic status (ex. buy land, home, invest in business) ..... 2 Earn more income than I was able to in Philippines..... 3 Pay for family member's education ..... 4 Escape conflict with family members..... 5 Escape conflict with community member(s) 6 Get experience abroad..... 7 Meet kin member/friend working or living in that country..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
B5	What was the <u>main</u> reason you chose to work in this country?	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	

B6	What was the <u>second</u> most important reason you chose to work in this country?	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
B7	What was the total amount of money you paid to work in this country? <i>This amount should include salary deductions and upfront fees but not transfer fee.</i>	_____ (peso or local currency and exchange rate at the time of migration)	
B8a	What was your total average salary per month ( <i>before deduction is taken out</i> )?	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
B8b	What was your total average money received per month (during salary deduction)?	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
B9	What was the duration of your initial contract?	..... in months <i>99 = Don't know</i> <i>98 = Don't remember</i>	
B10	Did you complete this contract?	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	2→ B12
B11	What did you do after you completed your first contract?	Renewed contract with same employer..... 1 Worked for another employer..... 2 Worked for another employer in another country ..... 3 Returned home ..... 4	Any→ B13

B12	<b>What was the main reason you did not complete the contract?</b>	Insufficient salary/income ..... 1 Failure to receive full or partial salary/income..... 2 Problems with working conditions (not salary related) ..... 3 Emergency at home ..... 4 Too homesick ..... 5 Health problems - voluntary return..... 6 Health problems - forced return(to agency or the Philippines) by employer..... 7 Forced return - other reason(s) ..... 8 Ran away from employer because of problems ..... 9 Termination of contract..... 10 Other ..... 11 <i>Specify</i> _____	
B13	<b>Did you change employers while in this country?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>2→ B15</b>
B14	<b>How often?</b>	_____	
B15	<b>Did you make new friends during your stay in this country?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
B16	<b>Did you attend any skill training programs while in that country?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>1→ B18</b>
B17	<b>Why not?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply) *Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	I was not interested..... 1 My employer did not give me the time off... 2 I wanted to save money ..... 3 Other ..... 4 <i>Specify</i> _____	<b>Any→ B21</b>
B18	<b>Did you find the skill training program useful when you returned to the Philippines?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
B19	<b>What skill training program(s) did you take?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Caregiving/support worker..... 1 Cooking and/or Baking ..... 2 Sewing ..... 3 Esthetics(hair and/or nail care)..... 4 Aromatherapy/Massage therapy or Reflexology . 5 English language ..... 6 Mandarin language..... 7 Computer ..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
B20	<b>Did you make any friends while attending the skill training program(s)?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	

B21	When you were away from the family, did any of your family experience the following? <i>Check answer.</i>	Yes	No	Not applicable <i>(do not mark in darkened areas)</i>		
	a. Serious accident					
	b. Critical illness					
	c. Death					
	d. Bad attitudinal change of your children (e.g. ran away, poor school performance)			(No children)		
	e. Bad attitudinal change of spouse/boyfriend			(No spouse/boyfriend)		
	f. Other <i>Specify</i> _____					
B22	How would you rate your experience in this country on the following dimensions:	Very bad/failure	Bad	Acceptable	Good	Very good/Successful
	a. Salary	1	2	3	4	5
	b. Savings	1	2	3	4	5
	c. Employer	1	2	3	4	5
	d. Experience with immigration in the working country	1	2	3	4	5
	e. Experience with Ministry in the working country who is in charge of migrant domestic workers	1	2	3	4	5
	f. Experience with middleman(recruiter/agency)	1	2	3	4	5
	g. Experience with local people	1	2	3	4	5
B23	How would you rate your overall experience in this country?	1	2	3	4	5

**PART C. WORK EXPERIENCE IN SINGAPORE, HONG KONG, TAIWAN**

The following questions relate to the EMPLOYER you worked for the longest as a domestic worker while in Singapore or Hong Kong, or Taiwan (country chosen in PART B).



#	QUESTION	ANSWER	SKIP
C1	How did you get your job in this country?	Agency in the Philippines..... 1 Agency in working country ..... 2 Recruited by friend or relative..... 3 Recruited directly by employer..... 4	
C2	What was the average number of hours you worked per day?	_____ <i>average # hours/day</i>	
C3	On average, how often did you have a day off?	Once a week..... 1 Twice a month ..... 2 Once a month..... 3 No day off..... 4	4→ C5
C4	When did you start getting a day off?	Before salary deduction period was over..... 1 After salary deduction period was over ..... 2 No deduction period/not applicable ..... 3	
C5	What type of living accommodations did you have?	Private room ..... 1 Sharing room with other workers..... 2 Sharing room with person(s) you are caring for..... 3 <i>Specify person</i> _____ Other..... 4 <i>Specify</i> _____	
C6	What were you work responsibilities?  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Taking care of children..... 1 Taking care of elderly and sick/disabled ..... 2 Helping with children’s homework..... 3 Shopping for groceries/household items ..... 4 Cleaning house ..... 5 Cleaning car..... 6 Cooking ..... 7 Laundry..... 8 Other..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
C7	Did you work outside the employer’s home?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	2→ C10
C8	Did you feel you had the choice to refuse this work?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
C9	What was the job that you did?	Domestic work ..... 1 Working in employer’s business ..... 2 Other..... 3 <i>Specify</i> _____	
C10	Did your employer allow you to buy or keep your own mobile phone?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	2→ C12

C11	<b>When did your employer allow you to start to use it?</b>	Before deduction period ..... 1 After deduction period ..... 2 No deduction period/not applicable ..... 3	
C12	<b>Did you suffer from the following circumstances while employed?</b>  <i>(select all that apply)</i>  <b>PROBE: What else?</b>  <i>*Read up each question and get "yes" or "no". In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Verbal abuse ..... 1 Physical abuse ..... 2 Sexual abuse ..... 3 Not allowed to see a doctor when ill ..... 4 Failure to receive salary (no salary at all)..... 5 Failure to receive salary on time..... 6 Failure to receive expected amount of salary ..... 7 Change of employer without prior notice .. 8 Illegal deployment ..... 9 Other ..... 10 <i>Specify</i> _____ Did not suffer any negative/bad circumstances ..... 11	<b>11→ Part D</b>
C13	<b>If you had any of the above problems, did you ever contact any of the following organizations or people?</b>  <i>(select all that apply)</i>	Police..... 1 Religious association ..... 2 Embassy/consulate ..... 3 Ministry who is in charge of migrant domestic workers ..... 4 Employment agency from working country ..... 5 Employment agency from Phillipines..... 6 Non-governmental organization ..... 7 Friends..... 8 Families in the Phillipines ..... 9 Did not contact anyone ..... 10	

**PART D-> G OTHER DOMESTIC WORK MIGRATIONS IN SINGAPORE OR HONG KONG OR TAIWAN (REFER TO HISTORY ABROAD CHART A17->A23)**

<b>D</b>			
<b>MIGRATION 2</b>			
<b>#</b>	<b>QUESTION</b>	<b>ANSWER</b>	<b>SKIP</b>
D1	<b>Which country did you work in?</b>	Singapore..... 1 Hong Kong..... 2 Taiwan..... 3	
D2	<b>When did you arrive in this country for work?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
D3	<b>When did you leave this country?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	

D4	<p><b>For what reason(s) did you decide to work abroad in this country?</b></p> <p><i>(Select all that apply)</i></p> <p><i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i></p>	Pay for family’s living expenses ..... 1 Improve family’s economic status (ex. buy land, home, invest in business) ..... 2 Earn more income than I was able to in Philippines..... 3 Pay for family member’s education ..... 4 Escape conflict with family members..... 5 Escape conflict with community member(s) 6 Get experience abroad..... 7 Meet kin member/friend working or living in that country..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
D5	<p><b>What was the <u>main</u> reason you chose to work in this country?</b></p>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
D6	<p><b>What was the <u>second</u> most important reason you chose to work in this country?</b></p>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
D7	<p><b>What was the total amount of money you paid to work in this country? <i>This amount should include salary deductions and upfront fees but not transfer fee.</i></b></p>	_____ (peso or local currency and exchange rate at the time of migration)	
D8a	<p><b>What was your total average salary per month (<i>before deduction is taken out</i>)?</b></p>	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
D8b	<p><b>What was your total average money received per month (during salary deduction)?</b></p>	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
D9	<p><b>What was the duration of your initial contract?</b></p>	..... in months <i>99 = Don’t know</i> <i>98 = Don’t remember</i>	

D10	<b>Did you complete this contract?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>2→ D12</b>
D11	<b>What did you do after you completed your first contract?</b>	Renewed contract with same employer..... 1 Worked for another employer..... 2 Worked for another employer in another country ..... 3 Returned home ..... 4	<b>Any→ D13</b>
D12	<b>What was the main reason you did not complete the contract?</b>	Insufficient salary/income ..... 1 Failure to receive full or partial salary/income..... 2 Problems with working conditions (not salary related) ..... 3 Emergency at home ..... 4 Too homesick ..... 5 Health problems - voluntary return..... 6 Health problems - forced return(to agency or the Philippines) by employer..... 7 Forced return - other reason(s) ..... 8 Ran away from employer because of problems ..... 9 Termination of contract..... 10 Other ..... 11 <i>Specify</i> _____	
D13	<b>Did you change employers while in this country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>2→ D15</b>
D14	<b>How often?</b>	_____	
D15	<b>Did you make new friends during your stay in this country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	
D16	<b>Did you attend any skill training programs while in that country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>1→ D18</b>
D17	<b>Why not?</b> <i>(Select all that apply)</i> <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	I was not interested..... 1 My employer did not give me the time off... 2 I wanted to save money ..... 3 Other ..... 4 <i>Specify</i> _____	<b>Any→ D21</b>
D18	<b>Did you find the skill training program useful when you returned to the Philippines?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	

D19	<b>What training program(s) did you take?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Caregiving/support worker..... 1 Cooking and/or Baking ..... 2 Sewing ..... 3 Esthetics(hair and/or nail care)..... 4 Aromatherapy/Massage therapy or Reflexology . 5 English language ..... 6 Mandarin language..... 7 Computer ..... 8 Other ..... 9 Specify_____					
D20	<b>Did you make any friends while attending the skill training program(s)?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2					
D21	<b>When you were away from the family, did any of your family experience the following?</b> <i>Check answer.</i>	Yes	No	<b>Not applicable</b> <i>(do not mark in darkened areas)</i>			
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	e. Bad attitudinal change of spouse/boyfriend			(No spouse/boyfriend)			
	f. Other <i>Specify_____</i>						
D22	<b>How would you rate your experience in this country on the following dimensions:</b>	Very bad/ failure	Bad	Accept- able	Good	Very good/ Successful	
	a. Salary	1	2	3	4	5	
	b. Savings	1	2	3	4	5	
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	e. Experience with Ministry in the working country who is in charge of migrant domestic workers	1	2	3	4	5	
	f. Experience with middleman(recruiter/agency)	1	2	3	4	5	

	<b>g. Experience with local people</b>	1	2	3	4	5	
D23	<b>How would you rate your overall experience in this country?</b>	1	2	3	4	5	

<b>E</b>			
<b>MIGRATION 3</b>			
<b>#</b>	<b>QUESTION</b>	<b>ANSWER</b>	<b>SKIP</b>
E1	<b>Which country did you work in?</b>	Singapore..... 1 Hong Kong..... 2 Taiwan..... 3	
E2	<b>When did you arrive in this country for work?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
E3	<b>When did you leave this country?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
E4	<b>For what reason(s) did you decide to work abroad in this country?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Pay for family’s living expenses ..... 1 Improve family’s economic status (ex. buy land, home, invest in business) ..... 2 Earn more income than I was able to in Philippines..... 3 Pay for family member’s education ..... 4 Escape conflict with family members..... 5 Escape conflict with community member(s) 6 Get experience abroad..... 7 Meet kin member/friend working or living in that country..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
E5	<b>What was the <u>main</u> reason you chose to work in this country?</b>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	

E6	What was the <b>second most important reason</b> you chose to work in this country?	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
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E9	What was the duration of your initial contract?	..... in months <i>99 = Don't know</i> <i>98 = Don't remember</i>	
E10	Did you complete this contract?	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	2→ E12
E11	What did you do after you completed your first contract?	Renewed contract with same employer..... 1 Worked for another employer..... 2 Worked for another employer in another country ..... 3 Returned home ..... 4	Any→ E13
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E13	Did you change employers while in this country?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2	2→ E15	
E14	How often?	_____		
E15	Did you make new friends during your stay in this country?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2		
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	d. Bad attitudinal change of your children (e.g. ran away, poor school performance)			(No children)
	e. Bad attitudinal change of spouse/boyfriend			(No spouse/boyfriend)



	<b>f. Other</b> <i>Specify</i> _____					
<b>E22</b>	<b>How would you rate your experience in this country on the following dimensions:</b>	<b>Very bad/failure</b>	<b>Bad</b>	<b>Acceptable</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Very good/Successful</b>
	<b>a. Salary</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>b. Savings</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>c. Employer</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>d. Experience with immigration in the working country</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>e. Experience with Ministry in the working country who is in charge of migrant domestic workers</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>f. Experience with middleman(recruiter/agency)</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>g. Experience with local people</b>	1	2	3	4	5
<b>E23</b>	<b>How would you rate your overall experience in this country?</b>	1	2	3	4	5

<b>F</b>	<b>MIGRATION 4</b>		
<b>#</b>	<b>QUESTION</b>	<b>ANSWER</b>	<b>SKIP</b>
<b>F1</b>	<b>Which country did you work in?</b>	Singapore..... 1 Hong Kong..... 2 Taiwan..... 3	
<b>F2</b>	<b>When did you arrive in this country for work?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
<b>F3</b>	<b>When did you leave this country?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	

F4	<p><b>For what reason(s) did you decide to work abroad in this country?</b></p> <p><i>(Select all that apply)</i></p> <p><i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i></p>	Pay for family’s living expenses ..... 1 Improve family’s economic status (ex. buy land, home, invest in business) ..... 2 Earn more income than I was able to in Philippines..... 3 Pay for family member’s education ..... 4 Escape conflict with family members..... 5 Escape conflict with community member(s) 6 Get experience abroad..... 7 Meet kin member/friend working or living in that country..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
F5	<p><b>What was the main reason you chose to work in this country?</b></p>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
F6	<p><b>What was the second most important reason you chose to work in this country?</b></p>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
F7	<p><b>What was the total amount of money you paid to work in this country? <i>This amount should include salary deductions and upfront fees but not transfer fee.</i></b></p>	_____ (peso or local currency and exchange rate at the time of migration)	
F8a	<p><b>What was your total average salary per month (<i>before deduction is taken out</i>)?</b></p>	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
F8b	<p><b>What was your total average money received per month (during salary deduction)?</b></p>	_____ (Peso or local currency)	
F9	<p><b>What was the duration of your initial contract?</b></p>	..... in months <i>99 = Don’t know</i> <i>98 = Don’t remember</i>	

F10	<b>Did you complete this contract?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>2→ F12</b>
F11	<b>What did you do after you completed your first contract?</b>	Renewed contract with same employer..... 1 Worked for another employer..... 2 Worked for another employer in another country ..... 3 Returned home ..... 4	<b>Any→ F13</b>
F12	<b>What was the main reason you did not complete the contract?</b>	Insufficient salary/income ..... 1 Failure to receive full or partial salary/income..... 2 Problems with working conditions (not salary related) ..... 3 Emergency at home ..... 4 Too homesick ..... 5 Health problems - voluntary return..... 6 Health problems - forced return(to agency or the Philippines) by employer..... 7 Forced return - other reason(s) ..... 8 Ran away from employer because of problems ..... 9 Termination of contract..... 10 Other ..... 11 <i>Specify</i> _____	
F13	<b>Did you change employers while in this country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>2→ F15</b>
F14	<b>How often?</b>	_____	
F15	<b>Did you make new friends during your stay in this country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	
F16	<b>Did you attend any skill training programs while in that country?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	<b>1→ F18</b>
F17	<b>Why not?</b> <i>(Select all that apply)</i> <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	I was not interested..... 1 My employer did not give me the time off... 2 I wanted to save money ..... 3 Other ..... 4 <i>Specify</i> _____	<b>Any→ F21</b>
F18	<b>Did you find the skill training program useful when you returned to the Philippines?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2	

F19	<b>What training program(s) did you take?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Caregiving/support worker..... 1 Cooking and/or Baking ..... 2 Sewing ..... 3 Esthetics(hair and/or nail care)..... 4 Aromatherapy/Massage therapy or Reflexology . 5 English language ..... 6 Mandarin language..... 7 Computer ..... 8 Other ..... 9 Specify_____					
F20	<b>Did you make any friends while attending the skill training program(s)?</b>	Yes..... 1 No ..... 2					
F21	<b>When you were away from the family, did any of your family experience the following?</b> <i>Check answer.</i>	Yes	No	<b>Not applicable</b> <i>(do not mark in darkened areas)</i>			
	a. Serious accident						
	b. Critical illness						
	c. Death						
	d. Bad attitudinal change of your children (e.g. ran away, poor school performance)			(No children)			
	e. Bad attitudinal change of spouse/boyfriend			(No spouse/boyfriend)			
	f. Other <i>Specify_____</i>						
F22	<b>How would you rate your experience in this country on the following dimensions:</b>	Very bad/ failure	Bad	Accept- able	Good	Very good/ Successful	
	a. Salary	1	2	3	4	5	
	b. Savings	1	2	3	4	5	
	c. Employer	1	2	3	4	5	
	d. Experience with immigration in the working country	1	2	3	4	5	
	e. Experience with Ministry in the working country who is in charge of migrant domestic workers	1	2	3	4	5	
	f. Experience with middleman(recruiter/agency)	1	2	3	4	5	

	<b>g. Experience with local people</b>	1	2	3	4	5	
<b>F23</b>	<b>How would you rate your overall experience in this country?</b>	1	2	3	4	5	

<b>G</b>	<b>MIGRATION 5</b>		
<b>#</b>	<b>QUESTION</b>	<b>ANSWER</b>	<b>SKIP</b>
<b>G1</b>	<b>Which country did you work in?</b>	Singapore ..... 1 Hong Kong..... 2 Taiwan..... 3	
<b>G2</b>	<b>When did you arrive in this country for work?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
<b>G3</b>	<b>When did you leave this country?</b> <i>Estimate an approximate date if actual date cannot be recalled.</i>	a. Month ..... b. Year .....	
<b>G4</b>	<b>For what reason(s) did you decide to work abroad in this country?</b>  <i>(Select all that apply)</i>  <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	Pay for family’s living expenses ..... 1 Improve family’s economic status (ex. buy land, home, invest in business) ..... 2 Earn more income than I was able to in Philippines..... 3 Pay for family member’s education ..... 4 Escape conflict with family members..... 5 Escape conflict with community member(s) 6 Get experience abroad..... 7 Meet kin member/friend working or living in that country..... 8 Other ..... 9 <i>Specify</i> _____	
<b>G5</b>	<b>What was the main reason you chose to work in this country?</b>	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	

G6	What was the second most important reason you chose to work in this country?	Relatively high salary ..... 1 No upfront agency fee..... 2 Relatively low agency fee ..... 3 Short waiting period..... 4 Increase work experience ..... 5 Recruiter introduction to an agency..... 6 Informal introduction to specific employer . 7 Other ..... 8 <i>Specify</i> _____	
G7	What was the total amount of money you paid to work in this country? <i>This amount should include salary deductions and upfront fees but not transfer fee.</i>	_____ (peso or local currency and exchange rate at the time of migration)	
G8a	What was your total average salary per month ( <i>before deduction is taken out</i> )?	_____ ( <i>Peso or local currency</i> )	
G8b	What was your total average money received per month (during salary deduction)?	_____ ((local currency) <i>Do not include salary deduction is this amount</i>	
G9	What was the duration of your initial contract?	..... in months <i>99 = Don't know</i> <i>98 = Don't remember</i>	
G10	Did you complete this contract?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	2→ G12
G11	What did you do after you completed your first contract?	Renewed contract with same employer ..... 1 Worked for another employer..... 2 Worked for another employer in another country ..... 3 Returned home ..... 4	Any→ G13
G12	What was the main reason you did not complete the contract?	Insufficient salary/income ..... 1 Failure to receive full or partial salary/income..... 2 Problems with working conditions (not salary related) ..... 3 Emergency at home ..... 4 Too homesick ..... 5 Health problems - voluntary return..... 6 Health problems - forced return(to agency or the Philippines) by employer..... 7 Forced return - other reason(s) ..... 8 Ran away from employer because of problems ..... 9 Termination of contract..... 10 Other ..... 11 <i>Specify</i> _____	

G13	Did you change employers while in this country?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2	2→ G15	
G14	How often?	_____		
G15	Did you make new friends during your stay in this country?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2		
G16	Did you attend any skill training programs while in that country?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2	1→ G18	
G17	Why not? <i>(Select all that apply)</i> <i>*Read up each question and get “yes” or “no”. In case of yes, please tick.</i>	I was not interested..... 1 My employer did not give me the time off... 2 I wanted to save money ..... 3 Other ..... 4 <i>Specify</i> _____	Any→ G21	
G18	Did you find the skill training program useful when you returned to the Philippines?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2		
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G20	Did you make any friends while attending the skill training program(s)?	Yes..... 1 No..... 2		
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	a. Serious accident			
	b. Critical illness			
	c. Death			
	d. Bad attitudinal change of your children (e.g. ran away, poor school performance)			(No children)
	e. Bad attitudinal change of spouse/boyfriend			(No spouse/boyfriend)

	<b>f. Other</b> <i>Specify</i> _____					
<b>G22</b>	<b>How would you rate your experience in this country on the following dimensions:</b>	<b>Very bad/failure</b>	<b>Bad</b>	<b>Acceptable</b>	<b>Good</b>	<b>Very good/Successful</b>
	<b>a. Salary</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>b. Savings</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>c. Employer</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>d. Experience with immigration in the working country</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>e. Experience with Ministry in the working country who is in charge of migrant domestic workers</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>f. Experience with middleman(recruiter/agency)</b>	1	2	3	4	5
	<b>g. Experience with local people</b>	1	2	3	4	5
<b>G23</b>	<b>How would you rate your overall experience in this country?</b>	1	2	3	4	5

**PART H. FINAL QUESTIONS**

#	QUESTION	ANSWER			
H1	<b>Do you feel that working abroad improved the economic situation of your family?</b>	Yes ..... 1 No.....2			
H2	<b>Overall, how would you assess the impact of your work overseas on your relationships with family?</b>	<b>Worse</b> (more conflict than before)	<b>Same</b> (no change as compared to before)	<b>Better</b> (more harmony than before)	<b>Not applicable</b>
	<b>a. Spouse</b>	1	2	3	4.No spouse
	<b>b. Children</b>	1	2	3	4.No children
	<b>c. Natal parents</b>	1	2	3	4.Parents died
	<b>d. Parents-in-law</b>	1	2	3	4.No parents - in-law



e. Siblings	1	2	3	4.No siblings
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#	QUESTION	ANSWER	SKIP
H3	Do you feel that having worked abroad improved your chances of finding employment at home?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	
H4	If you were given the opportunity, would you go abroad to work again?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	2 → H8
H5	Why?		
H6	Where would you like to go? (List in order of preference)	1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____	
H7	What kind of work would you like to do abroad?	Domestic worker (in a private home) ..... 1 Care worker (in hospital or institution) ..... 2 Nursing (including midwife) ..... 3 Other medical assistant job ..... 4 Factory work ..... 5 Sales ..... 6 Clerical work ..... 7 Teaching ..... 8 Farming or fishing work ..... 9 Other ..... 10 <i>Specify</i> _____	
H8	Were there any countries that you tried to migrate to for work but were unsuccessful?	Yes ..... 1 No ..... 2	2 → H10
H9	Please indicate countries and main reason for not going?	Country1 _____ Reason _____ _____ Country2 _____ Reason _____ _____	
H10	How would you rate your overall experience as a migrant worker?	Very bad/failure ..... 1 Bad ..... 2 Acceptable ..... 3 Good ..... 4 Very good/successful ..... 5	