

Understanding Society User Support - Support #2002

Identification of all parents of new entrant children in the data

12/06/2023 04:16 PM - Joanna Clifton-Sprigg

Status:	Resolved	Start date:	12/06/2023
Priority:	Normal	% Done:	100%
Assignee:	Understanding Society User Support Team		
Category:	Questionnaire content		
Description			
Hi,			
I am preparing to analyse the take up of maternity/paternity leave among parents of children born into UKHLS. Having looked at the routing for question matlv & matleave, I realised that questions about these two types of leave are either asked of those coded as "newmum" or "newdad", or of females (for matleave). Newmum/newdad identifies only whether one is a biological parent of a child. What happens in case of adoption? Are adoptive parents asked maternity/paternity leave question? By law they are entitled to adoption leave which closely resembles maternity leave.			

History

#1 - 12/06/2023 04:59 PM - Understanding Society User Support Team

- Status changed from New to In Progress
- % Done changed from 0 to 10
- Private changed from Yes to No

Many thanks for your enquiry. The Understanding Society team is looking into it and we will get back to you as soon as we can. We aim to respond to simple queries within 48 hours and more complex issues within 7 working days.

Best wishes,
Understanding Society User Support Team

#2 - 12/12/2023 01:21 PM - Understanding Society User Support Team

- Status changed from In Progress to Feedback
- % Done changed from 10 to 70

Dear Joanna,

Up to and including W12 the focus was on bio kids, so only maternity/paternity leave. From W13 we updated the questionnaire to focus on all kids, so maternity/paternity/adoption, and to include shared parental leaves.

Best wishes,

UKHLS User Support

#3 - 02/23/2024 02:26 PM - Understanding Society User Support Team

- Status changed from Feedback to Resolved
- % Done changed from 70 to 100