

Table 3.1 The gender of children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Gender (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	431	209	429	556	165	156	357	234	357	2894
Male	44.3	51.7	52.9	52.3	44.2	50.6	52.9	53.9	49.3	50.4
Female	55.7	48.3	47.1	47.7	55.8	49.4	47.1	46.2	50.7	49.6

Table 3.2 The gender of children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Gender (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	311	1120	310	1153	1430	1464	2894
Male	50.5	50.6	48.7	50.7	50.2	50.7	50.4
Female	49.5	49.4	51.3	49.3	49.8	49.3	49.6

Table 3.3 Relationship of the interviewee to the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1302	1078	479	2859
Mother	66	63	61	64
Father	2	3	2	2
Grandparent	20	20	22	21
Sibling	2	5	5	4
Aunt/Uncle	6	9	8	7
Other	4	1	3	3

Table 3.4 Relationship of the interviewee to the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	308	1105	304	1142	1409	1450	2859
Mother	76	61	68	62	63	65	64
Father	2	3	3	1	3	1	2
Grandparent	14	21	18	23	20	21	21
Sibling	2	3	3	4	3	4	4
Aunt/Uncle	4	7	5	9	7	7	7
Other	2	4	2	1	4	2	3

Table 3.5 Relationship of the interviewee to the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	424	209	423	552	164	153	350	231	353	2859
Mother	55	66	69	58	70	67	69	54	75	64
Father	2	1	5	2	3	1	1	1	4	2
Grandparent	27	23	16	25	9	24	13	32	13	21
Sibling	4	3	4	2	9	0	7	2	2	4
Aunt/Uncle	10	5	6	7	9	7	8	10	4	7
Other	2	2	1	6	1	2	2	1	2	3

Table 3.6 The household member mainly responsible for feeding/serving the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	309	1112	308	1148	1420	1457	2877
Father	1	1	0.7	0.3	1	0.5	0.7
Mother	73	63	66	63	63	65	64
Sibling	2	2	3	4	2	3	3
Grandma	15	21	17	23	20	21	21
Grandpa	0	0.3	0.7	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.3
Aunt	4	6	7	8	7	7	7
Uncle	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Cousin	0.3	0.5	1	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	4	5	5	1	5	2	3

* 51 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.7 The household member mainly responsible for feeding/serving the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1312	1081	484	2877
Father	0.7	1	0.4	0.7
Mother	66	64	61	64
Sibling	2	3	4	3
Grandma	21	20	23	21
Grandpa	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.3
Aunt	6	8	6	7
Uncle	0.4	0.4	0.2	0.3
Cousin	0.5	0.6	0.8	0.6
Friend	0	0	0	0
Other	4	3	4	3

* 51 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.8 The household member mainly responsible for feeding/serving the child in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	428	209	427	551	163	156	355	233	355	2877
Father	0.7	1	1	0	0	0.6	0	0.4	3	0.7
Mother	56	65	68	59	72	62	74	52	74	64
Sibling	4	1	2	3	7	0	5	1	1	3
Grandma	25	22	15	23	14	28	13	37	15	21
Grandpa	0.2	1	0	0	0.6	1	0	0	0.6	0.3
Aunt	10	7	4	9	6	6	6	6	4	7
Uncle	0.5	1	0.2	0	0	0.6	0.6	1	0	0.3
Cousin	2	0.5	0.2	0.5	0	1	0.3	1	0	0.6
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	2	1	9	5	0	0.6	2	1	3	3

* 51 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.9 The household member mainly responsible for food preparation in the house in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	309	1117	308	1147	1425	1456	2881
Father	2	2	1	1	2	1	2
Mother	75	62	67	61	63	64	63
Sibling	3	2	5	5	2	4	3
Grandma	16	23	15	22	21	20	21
Grandpa	0	0.5	1	1	1	1	1
Aunt	4	7	9	9	8	8	8
Uncle	0	0	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2
Cousin	1	0.5	2	1	1	1	1
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1	4	1	1	3	3	2

* 68 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.10 **The household member mainly responsible for food preparation in the house in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1313	1084	484	2881
Father	2	2	1	2
Mother	64	63	62	63
Sibling	2	4	5	3
Grandma	22	19	20	21
Grandpa	1	1	1	1
Aunt	6	10	7	8
Uncle	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.2
Cousin	1	1	1	1
Friend	0	0	0	0
Other	3	1	3	2

* 68 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.11 The household member mainly responsible for food preparation in the house in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	428	209	428	553	163	156	354	233	357	2881
Father	0.5	2	2	0.4	1	5	2	1	3	2
Mother	57	67	75	58	66	58	69	49	69	63
Sibling	4	0.5	3	5	9	0	7	0.4	1	3
Grandma	23	22	15	20	15	28	10	42	19	21
Grandpa	1	0	0.2	0	2	2	2	0	0.6	1
Aunt	11	6	5	11	8	6	8	6	5	8
Uncle	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	1	0.4	0	0.2
Cousin	2	0.5	0.2	1	0	1	0.3	0.4	0.6	1
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	2	1	0.5	6	0	0	2	1	2	2

* 68 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.12 The household member who decides on what type of food to buy for the household in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	309	1115	307	1148	1422	1457	2879
Father	9	7	5	7	6	7	7
Mother	66	56	61	49	57	53	55
Sibling	1	0.4	2	1	1	1	1
Grandma	17	28	20	34	26	30	28
Grandpa	2	1	2	2	2	2	2
Aunt	3	6	7	5	6	4	5
Uncle	0.3	0.5	1	1	1	1	1
Cousin	0.3	0.2	1	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3
Friend	0	0.1	0	0	0.1	0	0
Other	1	1	1	0.7	1	1	1

* 70 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.13 The household member who decides on what type of food to buy for the household in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1313	1084	484	2879
Father	7	6	7	7
Mother	52	57	60	55
Sibling	0.7	1	1	1
Grandma	31	27	24	28
Grandpa	2	1.5	1	2
Aunt	5	6	6	5
Uncle	1	0.6	1	1
Cousin	0.5	0.3	0.2	0.3
Friend	0	0.1	0	0
Other	1.4	0.7	0.4	1

* 70 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.14 The household member who decides on what type of food to buy for the household in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	428	209	426	552	163	156	355	234	356	2879
Father	1	5	9	4	14	8	16	3	5	7
Mother	52	58	64	51	54	50	52	38	67	55
Sibling	1	0	1	0.7	2	0	3	0	0.6	1
Grandma	34	28	17	34	24	31	21	50	17	28
Grandpa	2	2	0.7	1	2.5	4	3	2	1	2
Aunt	7	5	6	6	2.5	5	4	6	5	5
Uncle	0.7	1	1	0.5	2	0	1	0.4	0	1
Cousin	0.5	0	0.2	0.4	0	1	0	0.4	0.6	0.3
Friend	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.3	0
Other	1	0.5	0.7	2	0	0	0.3	0	2	1

* 70 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.15 The household member who decides on how much to spend on food in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	307	1112	305	1146	1417	1453	2870
Father	23	16	24	14	18	16	17
Mother	50	43	38	36	42	39	40
Sibling	0.7	0.1	0.3	1	0.1	1	0.5
Grandma	17	29	23	35	28	32	30
Grandpa	5	5	5	6	5	6	5
Aunt	2	5	7	4	5	4	4
Uncle	0.7	1	2	2	1	2	2
Cousin	0.3	0	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Friend	0	0.2	0	0	0.1	0	0.1
Other	1	2	2	0.4	2	0.6	1

* 104 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.16 The household member who decides on how much to spend on food in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1307	1081	482	2870
Father	17	17	18	17
Mother	37	42	44	40
Sibling	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.5
Grandma	32	28	27	30
Grandpa	6	5	5	5
Aunt	4	4	4	4
Uncle	2	2	1	2
Cousin	0.2	0	0	0.1
Friend	0.1	0.1	0	0.1
Other	1	1	0.2	1

* 104 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.17 The household member who decides on how much to spend on food in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	426	207	425	551	163	156	353	234	355	2870
Father	9	9	23	16	23	17	26	4	23	17
Mother	41	53	42	35	42	40	39	30	48	40
Sibling	0.2	0	0.5	0.5	2	0	1	0	0.3	0.5
Grandma	36	31	21	34	24	29	22	53	18	30
Grandpa	6	2	4	6	6	8	7	4	4	5
Aunt	5	3	6	5	2	4	3	6	3	4
Uncle	1	1	2	3	2	1	2	3	0.3	2
Cousin	0.2	0	0	0.2	0	0.6	0	0	0	0.1
Friend	0	0	0	0.2	0	0	0	0	0.3	0.1
Other	1	0	2	1	0.6	0	0.6	0	3	1

* 104 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.18 The fieldworker's impression of the child being healthy in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	298	1081	298	1087	1379	1385	2764
Yes	95.0	97.6	97.0	95.5	97.5	95.4	96.4
No*	5.0	2.4	3.0	4.5	2.5	4.6	3.6

*99 replied "No"

Table 3.19 The fieldworker's impression of the child being healthy in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1277	1035	452	2764
Yes	95.9	96.4	98.0	96.4
No*	4.1	3.6	2.0	3.6

*99 replied "No"

Table 3.20 The fieldworker's impression of the child being healthy in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	386	204	420	545	161	153	332	227	336	2764
Yes	96.4	98.5	98.3	95.2	95.7	96.7	96.4	96.9	94.6	96.4
No	3.6	1.5	1.7	4.8	4.3	3.3	3.6	3.1	5.4	3.6

*99 replied "No". The 76 reasons given are analyzed in Table 3.21

Table 3.21 **The reasons given by the fieldworker as to why the child was not considered healthy (n = 76)**

Reason	Number (n)
Big tummy	2
Rash	8
Chest Problems	2
Cold / running nose	2
Eyes / eyesight	6
Hair thin	2
Has worms	1
Kwashiorkor	5
Lethargic	1
Looks sick	2
Looks thin /deficient/wasted	18
Malnourished	7
Merasmic	3
Overweight	1
Pneumonia	1
Sores	4
Spine illness	1
Stunted	3
TB	1
Thin and had sores	3
Unhappy /weak and tired	2
Very short	1

Table 3.22 The marital status of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	306	1102	306	1101	1408	1407	2815
Unmarried	42	41	48	45	43	44	43
Married	36	47	32	37	44	37	40
Divorced	1	2	2	2	2	1	2
Separated	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Widowed	1	3	1	4	2	4	3
Living together	12	4	9	2	5	5	5
Traditional Marr.	5	2	5	8	3	7	5
Other*	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

*Other: Don't know (2), dead (14), gone (1), single parent (8)

Table 3.23 The marital status of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1277	1062	476	2815
Unmarried	47	41	39	43
Married	36	43	45	40
Divorced	2	2	1	2
Separated	1	1	2	1
Widowed	2	4	4	3
Living together	6	4	3	5
Traditional Marr.	6	4	6	5
Other*	1	1	1	1

*Other: Don't know (2), dead (14), gone (1), single parent (8)

Table 3.24 The marital status of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	425	209	428	516	160	154	334	234	355	2815
Unmarried	39	38	40	55	46	51	34	59	32	43
Married	38	37	37	38	41	32	47	24	60	40
Divorced	1	3	2	1	3	3	2	2	1	2
Separated	1	2	1	0.4	0	1	3	1	1	1
Widowed	5	5	2	3	3	1	3	4	3	3
Living together	2	11	12	2	3	7	2	7	2	5
Traditional Marr.	13	5	5	0	5	5	8	2	2	5
Other*	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	2	0.3	1

*Other: Don't know (2), dead (14), gone (1), single parent (8)

**Table 3.25 The household headship in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence:
South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	309	1115	305	1146	1420	1455	2875
Father	59	42	44	36	43	41	42
Mother	9	11	14	9	12	9	11
Sibling	0.3	0.1	0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1
Grandma	10	23	20	31	22	26	24
Grandpa	17	17	13	20	17	19	18
Aunt	0.7	1	4	1	2	1	1
Uncle	2	3	2	3	3	2	3
Cousin	0	0	0.3	0	0.1	0	0
Friend	0	0.2	0	0	0.1	0	0.1
Other	2	2	1	1	2	1	1

* 21 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

**Table 3.26 The household headship in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups:
South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1308	1084	483	2875
Father	39	43	45	42
Mother	9	11	13	11
Sibling	0.1	0.3	0	0.1
Grandma	25	23	24	24
Grandpa	21	17	13	18
Aunt	1	2	1	1
Uncle	3	2	2	3
Cousin	0.1	0	0	0
Friend	0.1	0.1	0	0.1
Other	2	1	0.6	1

* 21 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.27 The household headship in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	428	209	426	551	163	156	354	233	355	2875
Father	35	40	48	32	50	36	52	25	58	42
Mother	9	15	13	10	7	15	11	7	10	11
Sibling	0	0	0.5	0.2	0	0	0.3	0	0	0.1
Grandma	32	24	20	30	23	14	20	36	12	24
Grandpa	17	17	14	21	18	29	13	29	13	18
Aunt	2	1	1	1	0.6	3	1	1	0.3	1
Uncle	3	2	2	3	2	3	3	2	3	3
Cousin	0	0	0	0	0	0.6	0	0	0	0
Friend	0	0	0	0.2	0	0	0	0	0.3	0.1
Other	2	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4	1

* 21 (of RSA) answered more than one option. Only the first option is analyzed

Table 3.28 The employment status of father in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	295	1047	292	1000	1339	1295	2634
Unemployed	10	10	22	24	13	21	17
Self-employed	5	8	4	5	7	5	6
Wage-earner	60	48	43	37	47	42	45
Retired	0.7	1	0.3	1	1	0.7	1
Other*	6	6	7	5	6	5	6
Not applicable	18	28	24	29	27	26	27

* 151 replied "other", reasons given such as disabled, casual/part-time worker, not married/dead/elsewhere and student

Table 3.29 The employment status of father in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1205	982	447	2634
Unemployed	17	17	16	17
Self-employed	6	6	5	6
Wage-earner	46	43	45	45
Retired	0.3	1	1	1
Other*	6	5	6	6
Not applicable	26	28	27	27

* 151 replied "other", reasons given such as disabled, casual/part-time worker, not married/dead/elsewhere and student

Table 3.30 The employment status of father in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	384	185	424	502	126	148	280	232	353	2634
Unemployed	33	8	12	24	9	14	14	9	9	17
Self-employed	2	2	4	5	10	1	7	3	16	6
Wage-earner	38	45	49	42	48	51	41	34	56	45
Retired	1	0.5	1	0.2	2	1	1	1	0.6	1
Other*	7	5	5	6	10	9	6	3	4	6
Not applicable	19	39	29	23	21	23	31	50	14	27

* 151 replied "other", reasons given such as disabled, casual/part time worker, not married/dead/elsewhere and student

Table 3.31 The employment status of mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	305	1087	301	1064	1388	1369	2757
Housewife	16	15	6	12	13	13	13
Unemployed	44	43	66	60	48	56	52
Self-employed	5	6	3	4	5	4	5
Wage-earner	28	28	16	14	25	17	21
Other*	5	6	7	7	6	7	7
Don't know	3	3	3	3	3	3	3

* 180 subjects chose "other", of which most specified as part-time job and scholar/student

Table 3.32 The employment status of mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1251	1046	460	2757
Housewife	13	13	12	13
Unemployed	55	50	47	52
Self-employed	4	4	6	5
Wage-earner	18	23	27	21
Other*	7	6	6	7
Don't know	3	4	2	3

* 180 subjects chose "other", of which most specified as part-time job and scholar/student

Table 3.33 The employment status of mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	399	207	427	481	153	151	350	234	355	2757
Housewife	3	13	8	13	10	16	8	33	21	13
Unemployed	63	50	56	57	58	53	59	33	31	52
Self-employed	4	3	4	3	8	1	4	2	12	5
Wage-earner	20	20	25	17	18	14	19	18	34	21
Other*	7	12	6	6	4	9	9	6	2	7
Don't know	3	3	2	4	2	8	1	8	0.3	3

* 180 subjects chose "other", of which most specified as part-time job and scholar/student

Table 3.34 The education level of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	307	1080	297	1062	1377	1369	2746
None	16	4	8	14	5	14	10
Primary school	41	15	28	30	17	33	25
Std 6-8	23	28	34	26	30	26	28
Std 9-10	11	33	20	23	30	20	25
Tertiary	3	15	4	3	13	3	8
Don't know	6	4	7	4	5	4	5

Table 3.35 **The education level of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1244	1045	457	2746
None	7	12	11	10
Primary school	23	27	28	25
Std 6-8	31	25	24	28
Std 9-10	28	23	23	25
Tertiary	7	8	10	8
Don't know	4	5	4	5

Table 3.36 The education level of the mother in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	403	206	427	465	159	151	347	234	354	2746
None	9	9	5	12	16	23	13	11	3	10
Primary school	29	37	20	27	18	20	25	25	23	25
Std 6-8	30	29	32	25	23	26	21	33	27	28
Std 9-10	21	16	29	22	35	19	29	26	30	25
Tertiary	6	3	8	8	6	1	11	1	15	8
Don't know	5	6	5	6	2	11	2	4	1	5

Table 3.37 The education level of the caregiver in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	252	948	254	799	1202	1051	2253
None	16	10	8	21	10	20	14
Primary school	22	16	18	21	16	21	19
Std 6-8	13	17	15	15	16	15	16
Std 9-10	5	13	7	11	11	10	11
Tertiary	2	5	1	2	4	2	3
Don't know	42	39	51	30	42	33	38

Table 3.38 **The education level of the caregiver in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1028	844	381	2253
None	12	16	16	14
Primary school	20	18	18	19
Std 6-8	17	15	14	16
Std 9-10	10	12	10	11
Tertiary	3	4	3	3
Don't know	39	36	38	38

**Table 3.39 The education level of the caregiver in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province:
South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	323	176	364	428	84	136	189	227	326	2253
None	19	10	6	16	29	30	17	19	3	14
Primary school	18	26	13	17	8	27	19	32	13	19
Std 6-8	17	11	15	9	17	20	20	29	14	16
Std 9-10	8	7	12	7	14	13	25	14	6	11
Tertiary	1	0.6	4	2	7	1	11	0.4	5	3
Don't know	37	46	50	50	25	8	8	6	59	38

Table 3.40 **The monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	308	1111	306	1132	1417	1440	2857
None	1	2	9	5	4	4	4
R100 – R500	32	22	35	42	25	40	33
R500 - R1000	29	22	25	26	23	27	25
R1000 – R3000	21	25	15	11	23	13	18
R3000 – R5000	2	8	2	1	7	2	4
Over R5000	2	9	0.3	0.6	7	1	4
Don't know	12	11	14	13	12	13	13

Table 3.41 **The monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1299	1079	479	2857
None	4	5	2	4
R100 – R500	32	32	33	33
R500 - R1000	24	25	26	25
R1000 – R3000	19	17	20	18
R3000 – R5000	4	4	4	4
Over R5000	3	5	6	4
Don't know	14	12	9	13

**Table 3.42 The monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province:
South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	420	208	426	551	162	156	348	232	354	2857
None	7	3	5	4	5	0.6	5	1	2	4
R100 – R500	49	49	24	36	22	35	27	45	9	33
R500 - R1000	24	26	21	25	27	28	22	33	23	25
R1000 – R3000	8	9	21	14	27	23	20	13	34	18
R3000 – R5000	1	0	5	3	6	2	6	0.4	12	4
Over R5000	1	0	6	3	3	1	3	0	14	4
Don't know	10	13	17	15	11	10	18	8	6	13

Table 3.43 **The number of household members contributing to the total monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999**

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	304	1092	288	1088	1380	1392	2772
1 person	57	53	70	66	57	64	61
2 persons	35	33	19	25	30	27	29
3-4 persons	7	12	9	7	11	7	9
5-6 persons	0.3	1	1	1	1	1	1
More than 6	0.7	0.7	0.4	1	0.7	1	1

Table 3.44 The number of household members contributing to the total monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1263	1038	471	2772
1 person	61	60	58	61
2 persons	27	29	32	29
3-4 persons	9	9	7	9
5-6 persons	1	1	1	1
More than 6	1	1	0.6	1

Table 3.45 The number of household members contributing to the total monthly household income in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	394	205	417	539	149	153	332	233	350	2772
1 person	64	71	65	60	63	69	62	64	36	61
2 persons	28	21	27	28	23	24	27	24	45	29
3-4 persons	7	4	7	12	6	7	6	10	16	9
5-6 persons	0.3	2	0.2	0.6	2	0	2	2	2	1
More than 6	0	1	0.7	0.2	5	0	3	0	0.6	1

Table 3.46 The amount of money spent on food weekly in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by area of residence: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Area of Residence						
	Com/rcial Farms	Formal Urban	Informal Urban	Tribal	Urban	Rural	RSA
Number (n)	304	1096	297	1116	1393	1420	2813
R0 – R50	18	13	23	36	16	32	24
R50 – R100	25	17	26	18	19	20	19
R100 – R150	14	12	13	9	12	10	11
R150 – R200	10	13	8	6	12	7	9
R200 – R250	5	7	7	2	7	3	5
R250 – R300	4	7	3	3	6	3	5
R300 – R350	1	4	1	1	3	1	2
R350 – R400	1	4	3	1	4	1	3
Over R400	3	7	1	3	6	3	4
Don't know	18	16	14	21	16	21	18

Table 3.47 The amount of money spent on food weekly in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by age groups: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Age groups			
	1 - 3 Years	4 - 6 Years	7 - 9 Years	RSA
Number (n)	1276	1061	476	2813
R0 – R50	25	24	21	24
R50 – R100	19	18	21	19
R100 – R150	10	12	12	11
R150 – R200	8	10	9	9
R200 – R250	5	5	5	5
R250 – R300	5	4	5	5
R300 – R350	2	2	2	2
R350 – R400	3	2	3	3
Over R400	3	5	6	4
Don't know	20	17	17	18

Table 3.48 The amount of money spent on food weekly in children aged 1 – 9 years nationally and by province: South Africa 1999

Response (%)	Province									
	EC	FS	G/TENG	KZN	M/GA	NC	NP	NW	WC	RSA
Number (n)	417	206	412	541	158	155	339	231	354	2813
R0 – R50	27	11	18	30	28	26	41	26	5	24
R50 – R100	12	31	23	21	23	17	20	16	14	19
R100 – R150	9	8	12	14	19	6	4	8	18	11
R150 – R200	9	15	11	6	10	6	3	10	14	9
R200 – R250	4	5	7	4	1	6	1	6	11	5
R250 – R300	8	5	4	4	3	4	1	0.4	11	5
R300 – R350	3	2	3	0.2	0	2	0.3	0	7	2
R350 – R400	5	2	1	2	1	3	0.3	1	6	3
Over R400	9	1	4	2	4	3	1	1	11	4
Don't know	15	20	16	19	11	28	28	32	3	18