## RAND AMERICAN LIFE PANEL (MS546) IMPACTS OF COVID-19 [RIR SURVEY 1]

FW_Q1
[Not required]
Has your household income changed significantly since February 2020? (please EXCLUDE a stimulus payment from the federal government if you have received one)
<ul> <li>Yes, my household income is more (1)</li> <li>Yes, my household income is less (2)</li> <li>No, my household income is about the same (3)</li> </ul>
FW_Q2
[Not required]
How worried are you that your household income has been or will be negatively impacted the coronavirus (COVID-19) and its effects?
<ul> <li>Very worried (1)</li> <li>Somewhat worried (2)</li> <li>Not very worried (3)</li> <li>Not at all worried (4)</li> </ul>
FW_Q3
[Not required]
How worried are you that the value of your assets (including housing, savings, and other financial assets) has been or will be negatively impacted by the coronavirus (COVID-19) and its effects?
<ul> <li>Very worried (1)</li> <li>Somewhat worried (2)</li> <li>Not very worried (3)</li> <li>Not at all worried (4)</li> </ul>
FW_Q4
[Not required]
In the past month, how difficult has it been for you to cover your expenses and pay all your bills?
<ul> <li>Very difficult (1)</li> <li>Somewhat difficult (2)</li> <li>Not at all difficult (3)</li> <li>Don't know (4)</li> </ul>
If FW_Q4 equals 3 or 4 then ask FW_Q5a

Else if FW\_Q4 equals 1 or 2 then ask FW\_Q5b

## FW\_Q5a

[Not required]

Suppose now you have an emergency expense that costs \$400. Based on your current financial situation, how would you pay this expense?

	Yes (1)	No (2)
By putting it on my credit card and paying it off in full at the next statement (1)		
By putting it on my credit card and paying it off over time (2)		
With the money currently in my checking/savings account or with cash (3)		
Using a bank loan or line of credit (4)		
By borrowing from a friend or family member (5)		
Using a payday loan, deposit advance, or overdraft (6)		
By selling something (7)		
By using my stimulus payment (8)		
By asking my landlord or mortgage provider for an extension (9)		
I wouldn't be able to pay for the expense right now (10)		
Other (11)		

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FW_Q5a_other		
[Not required]		
Please specify other way you would pay this expense:		

## FW\_Q5b

[Not required]

What methods are you using or do you plan to use to cover your expenses?

	Yes (1)	No (2)
By putting it on my credit card and paying it off in full at the next statement (1)		
By putting it on my credit card and paying it off over time (2)		
With the money currently in my checking/savings account or with cash (3)		
Using a bank loan or line of credit (4)		
By borrowing from a friend or family member (5)		
Using a payday loan, deposit advance, or overdraft (6)		
By selling something (7)		
By using my stimulus payment (8)		
By asking my landlord or mortgage provider for an extension (9)		
I wouldn't be able to pay for the expense right now (10)		
Other (11)		

FW_Q5b_other
[Not required]
Please specify other method:

## FW\_Q6

[Not required]

Since February 2020, have you either received, applied for, or tried to apply for any of the following forms of income or assistance?

	Received (1)	Applied and waiting to receive (2)	Tried but was not able to apply for, or was not eligible (3)	Did not apply for (4)
Unemployment Insurance (1)				
SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance				
Program) or Food Stamps (2)				
TANF (Temporary Assistance for Needy Families)				
(3)				
Social Security (4)				
Supplemental Social Security (5)				
Any kind of government health insurance or				
health coverage plan including Medicaid, Medical				
Assistance or Medicare (6)				
Paycheck Protection Program (7)				
Other aid from the government (8)				
Assistance from a union or other association (9)				
Assistance from a church or religious organization (10)				
Assistance from another community organization				
(11)				
A food pantry (12)				
Other assistance (13)				