



- **Does this need to be completed during my in-person visit?**

No. We are happy to accommodate administration of this survey in whatever mode might be most convenient for you. This might include taking the survey with an interviewer now, completing the survey online later, or completing a paper survey later.

- **What do you mean by neighborhood?**

We mean the area around where you live and around your house. It may include places you shop, religious or public institutions, or business district. It is the area where you complete basic tasks... You may consider your neighborhood as 20-minute walk from your house or about a mile.

- **Why is my neighborhood restricted to a 20-minute walk or 1 mile?**

While each individual may have their own view of how large their neighborhood is and the size of neighborhoods may differ across places, we aim for consistency across all survey respondents. However, you can answer this question in whatever way you think about your own neighborhood.

- **What is meant by a “good place to live”?**

A good place to live is a personal opinion. You should use your own definition of what this means to you.

- **Do I need to add up all the hours I spend in the neighborhood?**

We would like you to give an estimate of the portions of time you are in your neighborhood. When thinking of the time, you should consider the time you spend in your home (including sleeping time) as well as time spent outside your home but in the neighborhood (including shopping, volunteer activities, being active, etc). We know that every week may be different so think about what you would consider a typical week for you.

- **What is the difference between the two questions asking about time spent outside the home and time spent outside neighborhood (Q3 and Q4)?**

Time spent outside the house includes activities inside your neighborhood but outside your house. Time spent outside the neighborhood includes activities outside your neighborhood but not inside your neighborhood.

- **For Q7-Q45, how do I clarify if respondents ask for a definition of a subjective word (e.g., a lot, well maintained, pleasant, many)?**

It is always OK to say: We are interested in what this means to you.

- **What do you mean by “good condition” in relation to sidewalks and streets?**

While we want you think about what this means to you, some features that indicate good condition include: smooth, continuous, lack of cracks, clear of debris and plants.

- **What if some of the intersections in my neighborhood have curb cuts and some of them don't?**

If you think most (more than half) of the intersections have curb cuts, you would answer yes but if less than half of the intersections do not have curb cuts you would answer no.

- **What do you mean by walking distance?**

Everyone might have a different definition of walking distance and you can respond based on what it means to you or consider a 20-minute walk/1 mile.

- **What do you mean by wayfinding?**

Wayfinding signs provide information about direction and distance to places that people need or want to go, such as tourist locations, libraries, or other popular spots.

- **What do you mean by values?**

We mean judgment about what is important in life.

- **What if I participate in these organizations outside my neighborhood?**

If you are with people from your neighborhood when you participate in these organizations, select yes.

- **What if I participate in these organizations with people outside my neighborhood?**

If these organizations are in your neighborhood, select yes.

- **Q47-56: How do I clarify if respondents ask for a definition of a subjective word (e.g., a little, a lot)?**

It is always OK to say: We are interested in what this means to you.

- **Should I respond about changes that took place over the past 10 years?**

We are interested in changes that occurred in the past three to five years or are currently occurring.

- **Does it count as driving if someone else drives me?**

No. We are interested in whether you drive yourself.

- **Who can I follow-up with if I have questions about this survey?**

For more information about this survey or if you have questions, you can visit <https://mesa-neighborhoods.org/> or contact Jana Hirsch ([jah474@drexel.edu](mailto:jah474@drexel.edu))