**CSI Evaluation: survey of pilot sites December 2010 / January 2011: Data Dictionary – SPSS File**

This first of two surveys (second survey conducted in June 2011) targeted adult residents living in (2 pilot) sites which were part of the implementation of the Community Safety Initiative. The survey was conducted in two defined sites in the Jobstown and Bookfield / Fettercairn areas of Tallaght West in June 2011. The survey sites comprised approximately 100 dwellings each and each house was called to during the door-to-door survey.

Researchers collected multiple surveys from houses (where possible) e.g. if more than one adult was willing to participate. Researchers called at each house in the survey site. Survey participants mostly were local authority tenants and others who rented from voluntary housing associations. No names or addresses were recorded in order to ensure anonymity for residents responding to the survey.

(Missing answers for all questions are coded 999)

**Survey Question 1.** Gender: Male ­­\_\_ Female \_\_

1. Variable name = Gender (b) Variable Label = Gender (c) value codes = Male \_\_ Female \_\_

**Survey Question 2.** Age: 18 – 24 years \_\_ 25 – 44 years \_\_ 45 – 64 years \_\_ 65 years and over \_\_

1. Variable name = Age (B) Variable Label = Age range of participant (c) value codes = 1= 18 – 24 years; 2=25 – 44 years; 3= 45 – 64 years; 4= 65 years and over

**Survey Question 3.** How long have you lived at this address? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Variable name = Time (B) Variable Label = Time lived in dwelling (c) value codes = 1 = "1 year or less" 2 = "1 to 3 years" 3 = "3 to 7 years" 4 = "7 to 10 years" 5 = "10 years or over"

**Survey Question 4.** Marital Status – are you: Single \_\_ Married \_\_ Cohabitating \_\_ Separated/divorced \_\_ Widow / er \_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Marital (B) Variable Label = Marital Status (c) value codes = 1 = "single" 2 = "Married" 3 = "Cohabitating" 4 = "Separated or divorced" 5 = "widow/er" 6 = "other”

**Survey Question 5.** (a) Do you have children (0-18 years)? Yes \_\_ No \_\_

1. If yes, how many? \_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Children (B) Variable Label = Children under 18 and living at home (c) value codes = 1 = "0" 2 = "1" 3 = "2" 4 = "3" 5 = "4" 6 = "5" 7 = "6"

**Survey Question 6.** What is your nationality? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Nationality (B) Variable Label = Nation of birth (c) value codes = 1 = "Irish" 2 = "EU" 3 = "outside EU"

**Survey Question 7.** What is your housing status? (a) Renting from local authority (b) Renting from voluntary org. (c) Owner occupier (d) Renting from private source

(A)Variable name = Housing (B) Variable Label = Housing status (c) value codes = 1 = "Local authority" 2 = "Voluntary Housing Org" 3 = "Owner occupier" 4 = "Private source"

**Survey Question 8.** How safe do you feel living in this area/pilot site? Very safe \_\_ Safe \_\_ Unsafe \_\_ Very unsafe \_\_ Don’t know \_\_

(A)Variable name = Safety (B) Variable Label = Perceptions of safety (c) value codes = 1 = "very safe" 2 = "safe" 3 = "unsafe" 4 = "very unsafe" 5 = "don't know"

**Survey Question 9.** Are there any of the following community safety issues of concern to you at present?

Drugs/alcohol misuse

(A)Variable name = drugsalcohol (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? drugs and alcohol misuse (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Property Crimes: Yes ­\_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = Propertycrimes (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? property crimes (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Personal intimidation: Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = intim (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? Intimidation (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Gang Activity: Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = Gangactivity (B) Variable Label = gang activity (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Abandoned/stolen cars

(A)Variable name = carcrime (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? Abandoned or stolen cars (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Joyriding Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = joyriding (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? joyriding (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Graffiti: Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = Graffiti (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? graffiti (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Abandoned Buildings

(A)Variable name = abandonedbuildings (B) Variable Label = issues of concern to you at present? abandoned buildings (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Otherprob (B) Variable Label = any other community safety issues of concern at present? (c) value codes = none

**Survey Question 10.** Are you involved in any community/sports groups or activities in the area? Yes ­­\_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = Localactivities (B) Variable Label = involvement in local activities (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

If yes, please name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Localparticip (B) Variable Label = what local activites are you involved with (c) value codes = none

**Survey Question 11**. Who do you think is responsible for maintaining a safe area? Council \_\_ Gardaí \_\_ Local residents \_\_ all of them together \_\_

(A)Variable name = Responsafety (B) Variable Label = responsibility for safety (c) value codes = 1 = "Council" 2 = "Gardaí" 3 = "local residents" 4 = "all of them together"

**Survey Question 12.** Have you heard of the Tallaght West Childhood Development Initiative (CDI)? Yes \_\_ No \_\_

1. Variable name = RecognitionCDI (B) Variable Label = recognition of CDI (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

If yes, how? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = knowledgeCDI (B) Variable Label = Knowledge of CDI (c) value codes = None

**Survey Question 13.** Have you heard of the Community Safety initiative (CSI)? Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = RecognitionCSI (B) Variable Label = Recognition of CSI (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

What do you know about it?

(A)Variable name = KnowledgeCSI (B) Variable Label = Knowledge of the CSI (c) value codes = none

**Survey Question 14.** Have you or other members of your family been involved in the CSI over the past 18 months?

Interviewee: Yes \_\_ No \_\_

(A)Variable name = Involvement (B) Variable Label = Involvement in CSI (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Other Family Members: Yes \_\_ No \_\_

Variable name = Involvefamily (B) Variable Label = involvement of family in CSI (c) value codes = 1 = "yes" 2 = “no”

Who? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Variable name = Involvewho (B) Variable Label = who was involved (c) value codes = 1 = "children" 2 = "Spouse" 3 = "sibling"

If yes, how?

CSI activities and events on the pilot site \_\_\_ Wider CSI events (e.g. big breakfast, children’s social awards) \_\_\_ CSI Community Forum \_\_ Restorative Practice Training \_\_\_ Other training \_\_\_Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Involvehow (B) Variable Label = How were you/they involved (c) value codes = 1 = "Pilot site activities and events" 2 = 3 = "CSI community forum" 3. "restorative practice training" 4 = "other training" 5 = "other"

If no, any particular reason why not? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A)Variable name = Involvewhynot (B) Variable Label = If not involved, any reason in particular why not (c) value codes = none

**Survey Question 15.** Overall, what has been your experience of participating in the CSI? Good \_\_ Fair \_\_ Poor \_\_

(A)Variable name = Experience (B) Variable Label = Experience of the CSI (c) value codes = 1 = "Good" 2 = "Fair" 3 = "Poor"

**Survey Question 16.** Please give your opinion regarding changes in this area/pilot site over the past 18 months since the CSI has been operating in Tallaght West, in relation to levels of the following: (On a scale of 1 to 10, 10 being the most improved, 5 being no change, and 1 being the least improved)

**Safety**

Worse No change Improved

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |

(A) Variable name = Changesafety (B) Variable Label = Change as regards safety in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Community spirit** (i.e. interaction with neighbours, do you feel a part of a community, community engagement, etc.)

(A) Variable name = ChangeComm (B) Variable Label = Change as regards community spirit in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Physical improvement** (litter, play areas, lighting, etc)

(A) Variable name = ChangePhys (B) Variable Label = Change as regards the physical environment in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Activities for young people**

(A) Variable name = ChangeYP (B) Variable Label = Change as regards activities for young people in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Anti-social behaviour**

(A) Variable name = ChangeASB (B) Variable Label = Change as regards antisocial behaviour in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Criminal activity**

(A) Variable name = ChangeCrime (B) Variable Label = Change as regards criminal activity in last 18 mths (c) value codes = 1 = "very much worse" 2 = "Much worse" 3 = "worse" 4 = "getting worse" 5 = "No change" 6 = "improving" 7 = "improved" 8 = "much improved" 9 = "significantly improved" 10 = "greatly improved"

**Survey Question 18.** In your view, what more could the CSI do to improve community safety in this area/pilot site?

(A) Variable name = Improvesafety (B) Variable Label = What could CSI do to improve safety (c) value codes = none

**Survey Question 19.** In your view, what more could the CSI do to improve community spirit in this area/pilot site?

(A) Variable name = improvecomm (B) Variable Label = what could CSI do to improve community spirit (c) value codes = none

If yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(A) Variable name = improvecomm (B) Variable Label = what could CSI do to improve community spirit (c) value codes = none