

APPENDIX-A
HOUSEHOLD SURVEY SCHEDULE

**Mother's Empowerment and Its Impact on Children's Education: A
Study of Rural and Urban Areas of Karimganj District**

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HH SI No (RURAL)_____

HH SL No (URBAN)_____

Part A: GENERAL CHARACTERISTICS

1. Name of the Respondent (Mother): _____
2. Category: SC/ST/OBC/GEN
3. Village/Town: _____
4. G.P: _____
5. Block: _____
6. Religion: Hindu/Muslim
7. Family Type: Nuclear/Joint

8. Respondent's Family Profile :(at the time of survey, 2013)

Name	Relationship with Respondent	Age	Age at marriage	Education (in Years)	Occupation		Income (Yearly)	
					Main	Secondary	Main	Secondary

Part B: General Particulars about the Respondent

9. Is your Husband living with you? (1) Yes _____ (2) No (if No, state reason) _____

10. Job Status

(Housewife/Govt.Employee/PrivateEmployee/Agri.Lab/Agriculture/Business/Shop keeper/others (specify)):

11. Property Owned (Land/ House/Shop/Livestock/Factory/Jewellaries/Bond/Share/Fixed deposit/Inheritance/Others (specify)):

12. Your Income (Yearly): ----- Source:-----

13. Do you have Bank/Post Office Account? Yes/No

Part C: HOUSEHOLD CHARACTERISTICS

14 Total size of land owned:

16. Number of rooms in the house

17. Which of the following things are available in your house? (Mark *the things available at your home*)

1-Electric iron	5-Television	9-Air cooler	13-Air conditioner
2-Fans	6-Tape recorder	10-Refrigerator	14-Vacuum cleaner
3-Sewing machine	7-VCR/VCD/DVD	11-Cell/land phone	15-Geyser
4-Washing machine	8-Computer	12-Micro wave oven	16. Two wheeler
			17.Four wheeler

18. Which of the following facilities are available to the household?

(a) LPG/Kerosene – Yes/No

(b) Sanitary latrine (attached pucca /separate pucca / attached semi pucca/ separate semi pucca/ Kutcha)

(c) Electricity – Yes/No

(d) Source of drinking water (Pond/well/Supply/deep tube well/others (specify))(inside house/ outside house).

PART-C: RESPONDENT'S EMPOWERMENT STATUS

(I) DECISION MAKING WITH IN FAMILY

Who commonly make decision about following matters? (Give tick mark)

Sr. No.	Decision about	Decision maker			
		Wife	husband	both	others
I	Family health care				
II	Making larger household purchases such as TV				
III	Making routine household purchases				
IV	Family size				
V	Family planning services				
VI	Job of women				
VII	Going outside of home				
VIII	Family day-to-day expenditures				
IX	Spending personal income				

(II) MOBILITY OF WOMEN (FREEDOM OF MOVEMENT)

Make use of tick () in the relevant cell

Sr. No.	Place	Frequently	Sometime	Never
I	Local market for purchases			
II	Local health centre/Local doctor's Clinic			
III	Home of relatives/Home of friends			
IV	Other city or village			
V	Cinema, club, festival or village fair etc			
VI	Visiting parental home			
VII	Participate in cultural programme of village/town			
VIII	Participate in religious programmes of village/town			
IX	Participate in the meetings of women organization			

(III) POLITICAL PARTICIPATION (POLITICAL DIMENSION)

Sr. No.	Activity	Generally	Occasionally	Never
I	Do you cast your vote in election?			
II	Do you vote to the candidate of your own choice?			
III	Do you attend the speeches of election contestants?			
IV	Do you update yourself about the changing political situation?			
V	Do you discuss the problems of local people at any forum?			
VI	Do you feel contesting election yourself?			
VII	Do you think women should contest election?			

(IV) CONTROL OVER ECONOMIC RESOURCES (ECONOMIC DIMENSION)

Who have the final say in following?

Sr. No.	Topic	Wife	Husband	Both	Other
I	Routine household spending				
II	Purchasing jewelry/bonds/shares				
III	Purchasing gifts for relatives				
IV	Control the saving for use				
V	Purchasing clothes and make up articles				
VI	Own and control household valuable				
VII	Sale or exchange of land/house/livestock				
VIII	Education/expense of children				
IX	Purchasing daily food				
X	Purchase of land				

(V) HUSBAND'S COOPERATION (RELATION WITH HUSBAND)

Sr. No.	Action	Generally	Occasionally	Never
I	Husband deals with you politely			
II	Husband helps in Household Work			
II	Husband shares the problems with you			
III	Husband respects your parents			
IV	Husband appreciates your household work			
V	Husband takes care of you			
VI	Husband gives importance to your opinions			
VII	Husband trusts you			
VIII	Husband ignore your mistakes			
IX	Husband helps you with childcare			
X	Husband allows you to go outside home			

(VI) WOMEN'S WILLINGNESS FOR CHANGE

1. To what extent you are agreed with following statements

Sr. No.	Statement	To great extent	To some extent	Not at all
I	Women have a right to spend their life according to their will			
II	Higher education is necessary for women			
III	Women should be allowed to go for job out side their home			
IV	Women should be allowed to join women associations or organizations			
V	Husband should share the household work with his wife			

**(VII) DECISION MAKING BY MOTHER REGARDING CHILDREN'S
EDUCATION**

Sr. No.	Topics	To great extent	To average extent	To some Extent	Not at all
I	Selection of schools/colleges for male children				
II	Selection of schools/colleges for female children				
III	Selection of course of study of the male children				
	Selection of course of study of the female children				
IV	For school/colleges related matter, do you accompany male children to school/colleges?				
V	For school/colleges related matter, do you accompany female children to school/colleges?				
VI	Decision regarding higher education of male children				
VII	Decision regarding higher education of female children				
VIII	Decision regarding marriage of male children				
IX	Decision regarding marriage of female children				
X	Decision regarding choice between marriage and higher education of male children				
XII	Decision regarding choice between marriage and higher education of female children				

Signature of the collector

APENDIX-B

SEMINAR/WORKSHOP PERTICIPATED

Sl. No.	Seminar /Conference/ Workshop	Organizer	Presented/ Participated	Research Paper
1.	13 th Annual Conference of North Eastern Economic Association.(NEEA) 16-18 November, 2011	Assam University Silchar	Participated	
2.	Socio-Economic Status of Marginalised Communities in Barak Valley with Special Reference to Schedule Caste Groups. 30-31, August, 2013	UGC, National Seminar, NIIT, Silchar	Presented	Mother's empowerment and Children's Schooling: A comparative Study of SC and OBC Households in Karimganj District.
3.	15 th Annual conference of North Eastern Economic Association (NEEA) 15-16, November, 2013.	Department of economics Mizoram University Canhril, Mizoram	Presented	Education of Mother and Its Impact on Children's educational attainments: A Household Level Study of Karimganj District.
4.	51 st Annual conference of The Indian Econometrics Society (TIES) December 12-14, 2014	Department of Economics, Punjabi University Patiala	Presented	Educational Attainments of Children through Mother's Decision Making Power and Mobility: A case Study of Karimganj District
5.	16 th Annual conference of North Eastern Economic Association (NEEA) 8-9 January 2015	Department of Economics, Tripura University	Presented	Identification of Factors Influencing Mother's Decision Making Abilities.
6.	Development Strategies, Issues and Challenges in North-East India with Reference to the Southern	UGC, National Seminar UGC, NEC	Presented	Women Empowerment and Economic Development: A

	Part of Assam, 14-15 February, 2015.	and ICSSR		Case Study of karimganj District.
7.	Research with Special focus on Human Development 16-22 September, 2011	Equal Opportunity Cell Assam University, Silchar	Participated	
8.	National Workshop (Econometric Application on Cross Section and Time Series Analysis) 13-19 February, 2012	ICSSR and Dept. of Economics AUS	Participated	
9.	Research Methodology in Social Sciences 6-15 March, 2013	ICSSR and Dept. of Economics AUS	Participated	
10.	Workshop on Time Series Econometrics 6-10 July, 2015	Indian Econometric Society with partial support from ICSSR (NERC) Shillong, Dept of Humanities and Social Sciences Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati	Participated	
11.	Workshop on Dimensions on Quality Of Higher Education and Allied Quantitative Techniques 26-28 November, 2015	SQC and OR Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata and Dept of Statistics, AUS	Participated	