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### **Appendix 2: Variables**

Additional information regarding variables and data is available from the SLS website and the SLS data dictionary. Below full set of categories on each variable as provided by the SLS is given.

Web site: http://sls.lscs.ac.uk/

Data dictionary: http://sls.lscs.ac.uk/variables/

Variable	SLS Variable Name	Full Category Labels
Education 2001	hlqp1	20 / No Qualifications 21 / 'O' Grade/Standard grade/GCSE/CSE etc/GSVQ/SVQ Level 1 or 2/SCOTVEC module etc 22 / Higher grade/CSYS/'A' level, etc/GSVQ/SVQ Level 3/ONC/OND etc 23 / HNC/HND/SVQ level 4 or 5 etc 24 / First degree/higher degree/Professional qualifications -88 / NCR -99 / Missing
Carstairs 1991	carquin9	1 / Least deprived 2 / 3 / 4 / 5 / Most deprived
Age	ageten9	Numerical age of person
Limiting Long Term Illness 1991	ltill9	1 / Has a health problem 2 / Does not have a health problem
Limiting Long Term Illness 2001	illp0	1 / Yes 2 / No -8 / NCR (non-resident students) -9 / Missing
Economic Activity 1991	econpot9	1 / Employees - Full time (Economically active) 2 / Employees - Part time (Economically active) 3 / Self-employed - with employees (Economically active) 4 / Self-employed - without employees (Economically active) 5 / On a Government scheme (Economically active) 6 / Waiting to start a job (Economically active) 7 / Unemployed (Economically active) 8 / Students (Economically inactive) 9 / Permanently sick (Economically inactive) 10 / Retired (Economically inactive) 11 / Looking after home/family (Economically inactive) 12 / Other economically inactive -88 / NCR Person aged under 16
Economic Activity 2001	ecop0	1 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Employee, Part-time 2 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Employee, Full-time 3 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Self-employed with employees, Part-time 4 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Self-employed with employees, Full-time 5 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Self-employed without employees, Part-time 6 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), In Employment, Self-employed without employees, Part-time

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		employed without employees, Full-time
		7 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), Unemployed, Seeking work and ready to start in 2 weeks,
		8 / Economically Active (excluding Full-time Students), Unemployed, Waiting to start a job already obtained and available to start within 2 weeks
		9 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Employee, Part-time
		10 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Employee, Full-time
		11 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Self-employed with employees, Part-time
		12 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Self-employed with employees, Full-time
		13 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Self-employed without employees, Part-time
		14 / Economically Active Full-time Students, In Employment, Self-employed without employees, Full-time
		15 / Economically Active Full-time Students, Unemployed, Seeking work and ready to start in 2 weeks
		16 / Economically Active Full-time Students, Unemployed, Waiting to start a job already obtained and available to start within 2 weeks
		17 / Economically Inactive, Retired
		18 / Economically Inactive, Student
		19 / Economically Inactive, Looking after home/family
		20 / Economically Inactive, Permanently sick/disabled
		21 / Economically Inactive, Other
		-88 / NCR (persons aged under 16 or over 74)
		-99 / Missing
Economic Activity 2011	ecop1	1 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Employee, part-time
		$2\ /$ Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Employee, full-time
		3 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Self-employed with employees, part-time
		4 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Self-employed with employees, full-time
		5 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Self-employed without employees, part-time
		6 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): In employment: Self-employed without employees, full-time
		7 / Economically active (excluding full-time students): Unemployed: Seeking work and available to start in 2 weeks or waiting to start a job already obtained
		8 / Economically active full-time students: In employment: Employee, part-time
		9 / Economically active full-time students: In employment: Employee, full-time
		10/ Economically active full-time students: In employment: Self-employed with employees, part-time
		$11/\mathrm{Economically}$ active full-time students: In employment: Self-employed with employees, full-time
		12 / Economically active full-time students: In employment: Self-employed without employees, part-time
		13 / Economically active full-time students: In employment: Self-employed without employees, full-time
		14 / Economically active full-time students: Unemployed: Seeking work and available to start in 2 weeks or waiting to start a job already obtained
		15 / Economically inactive: Retired
		16 / Economically inactive: Student
		17 / Economically inactive: Looking after home or family

		18 / Economically inactive: Long-term sick or disabled
		19 / Economically inactive: Other
		-88 / No code required
CAMSIS	n/a	http://www.camsis.stir.ac.uk/