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Research Background

"We Hongkongers" is an initiative advocated by Hong Kong Public Opinion Program (HKPOP) of Hong Kong Public Opinion Research Institute (HKPORI), with the support of many members of the civic society. With reference to the petition website "We the People" hosted by the White House of the United States, "We Hongkongers" aims to reflect public sentiment by conducting scientific research on any issues raised by Hong Kong citizens: https://www.pori.hk/wehongkongers_factsheet_20191017_chi.

"We Hongkongers" Project officially started on 17 October 2019, in the form of intensive rolling surveys. A total of 12 reports were published as of 23 December 2019. In mid-May 2020, in response to the rapid changes in Hong Kong's political and public sentiment, HKPOP redeveloped the "We Hongkongers" Project. Coupled with the rapid development of the "HKPOP Panel" established by PORI in July 2019, PORI decided to launch the "We Hongkongers Panel Survey" to further strengthen interaction with the public and as well as collect and analyze public opinion and there are 29 reports in total. In January 2021, PORI redeveloped the "We Hongkongers" Project again to strengthen the cooperation with non-governmental organizations, civil society organizations, concern groups and professional organizations, and the results will be released in the form of mini-forums to initiate policy discussions.

This report also represents Report No. 84 under HKPOP Panel survey series, as well as Report No. 59 under the "We Hongkongers" Project Series. The research is co-organized with Care for Carers on the theme "Living Allowance for Carers".

HKPOP sent out emails to all panel members at the beginning of the survey, inviting them to fill in the questionnaire at the designated online platform. Members were allowed to make repeated submissions, while only the last submission of each individual member would be used for analysis.

Contact Information

Herewith the contact information of the “We Hongkongers” Panel Survey:

Table 1: Detailed Contact Information

Survey method	Online survey
Target population	HKPOP Panel samples, namely Hong Kong People Representative Panel (Probability-based Panel) and Hong Kong People Volunteer Panel (Non-probability-based Panel)
Weighting method	The figures are rim-weighted according to 1) gender-age distribution, educational attainment (highest level attended) distribution, economic activity status distribution of Hong Kong population and by District Councils population figures from Census and Statistics Department; 2) Voting results of District Councils Election from Registration and Electoral Office; 3) rating distribution of Chief Executive from regular tracking surveys.
Date of survey	11 June, 3pm – 16 June, 3pm
Total sample size	5,471
Response rate	5.9%
Sampling error ^[1]	Sampling error of percentages at +/-1% at 95% confidence level

[1] All error figures in this release are calculated at 95% confidence level. “95% confidence level” means that if we were to repeat a certain survey 100 times with different random samples, we would expect 95 times having the population parameter within the respective error margins calculated. Because of sampling errors, when quoting percentages, journalists should refrain from reporting decimal places, whereas one decimal place can be used when quoting rating figures.

PopPanel Composition

Regarding data collection, survey data from both the Hong Kong People Representative Panel and Hong Kong People Volunteer Panel were collected in the form of online questionnaire.

Among them, the Hong Kong People Representative Panel comes from members of the “HKPOP Panel” recruited in regular random telephone surveys. HKPOP uses “HKPOP Panel” as a framework for conducting surveys for different research projects, any eligible family member in the household may be invited to participate in a specific research.

Meanwhile, members of the Hong Kong People Volunteer Panel are recruited online. Citizens only need to self-register in HKPORI website to participate in online questionnaires.

All panel data collected will be adjusted using rim-weighting, to minimize the effects of self-selection bias or participation bias. Details are documented in the Weighting Procedure section.

Response Rate

HKPOP adopts a set of contact definition in compliance with most international standards. Historically, the social research community in Hong Kong has developed its own set of contact rates, cooperation rates, response rates, and so on. HKPOP normally reports the "success rate" for online surveys.

The calculation of the success rates in this study refers to the following tables.

Table 2: Calculation of success rate of the HKPOP Panel (by HKPOP definition)

Success rate	
=	$\frac{\text{Successful cases}}{\text{Panel size of the Hong Kong People Representative Panel}} \times 100.0\%$
=	$\frac{5,471}{93,344} \times 100.0\%$
=	5.9%

Weighting Procedure

HKPOP has continuously adopted and enhanced its weighting method over the past few decades. For this survey, HKPOP adopts a "2 by 5 by 2 by 4 by 18 by 3 by 13" weighting procedure involving seven variables, namely, gender, age, educational attainment, economic activity status, district (18 cells), voting record (3 cells) and rating of Chief Executive (13 cells). Basically, the raw data of practically all random telephone surveys conducted by HKPOP are rim-weighted by the figures obtained from the Hong Kong Census and Statistics Department and/or Registration and Electoral Office so that the marginal distribution of the sample in terms of gender, age, educational attainment and economic activity status would match with that of the general population figures from the Hong Kong Census and Statistics Department. The marginal distribution of the sample in terms of district and voting record would match that of the general population figures from the Hong Kong Census and Statistics Department and/or Registration and Electoral Office. The marginal distribution of the sample in terms of "rating of Chief Executive" would match that of the general population in HKPOP's regular tracking surveys. This rim-weighting method (sometimes called raking) is found to be the most practicable method in processing HKPOP's survey data.

Specifically, the gender and age groupings used for weighting are as follows:

- Male 12-29
- Male 30-39
- Male 40-49
- Male 50-59
- Male 60 or above
- Female 12-29
- Female 30-39
- Female 40-49
- Female 50-59
- Female 60 or above

The educational attainments used for weighting are as follows:

- Secondary or below
- Tertiary or above

The economic activity statuses used for weighting are as follows:

- Working population / Others
- Home-makers / Housewives
- Students
- Retired person

The districts used for weighting are as follows:

- Central and Western
- Wan Chai
- Eastern
- Southern
- Yau Tsim Mong
- Sham Shui Po
- Kowloon City
- Wong Tai Sin
- Kwun Tong
- Tsuen Wan
- Tuen Mun
- Yuen Long
- North
- Tai Po
- Sai Kung
- Sha Tin
- Kwai Tsing
- Islands

The voting records used for weighting are as follows:

- Candidates of pro-democracy camp
- Candidates of non-pro-democracy camp
- Did not vote / blank/void vote

The "rating of Chief Executive" groupings used for weighting are as follows:

- 0 mark
- 1-9 mark(s)
- 10-19 marks
- 20-29 marks
- 30-39 marks
- 40-49 marks
- 50 marks
- 51-60 marks
- 61-70 marks
- 71-80 marks
- 81-90 marks
- 91-99 marks
- 100 marks

Quantitative Analysis Results

Quantitative analysis results of the “We Hongkongers” Panel Survey, after applying the standard weighting procedures, are as follows, all questions listed hereby are opinion questions:

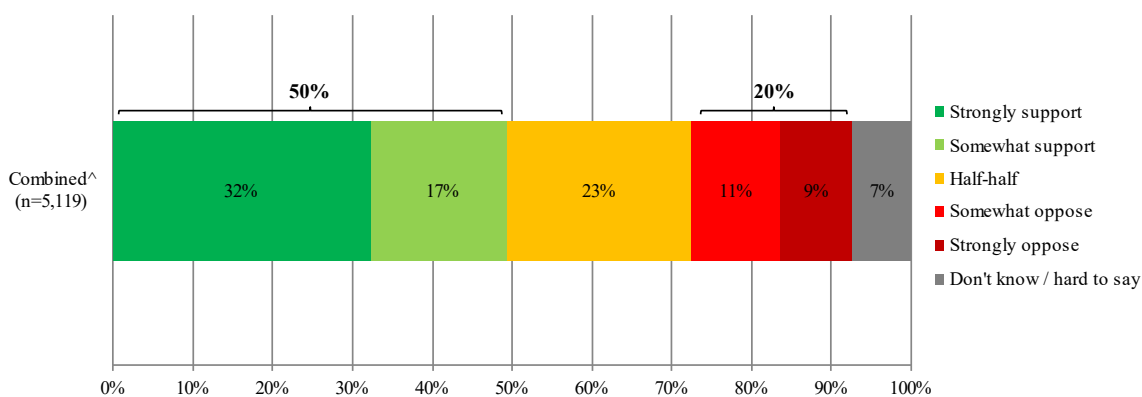
Table 3: Q1a Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1a How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Young children aged 0-2]	Combined^[2] (Base=5,119)	
Very support	32%	} Support } 50%
Somewhat support	17%	
Half-half	23%	
Somewhat oppose	11%	} Oppose } 20%
Very oppose	9%	
Don't know / hard to say	7%	
Mean^[3]	3.6	

[2] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[3] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 1: Q1a Combined chart



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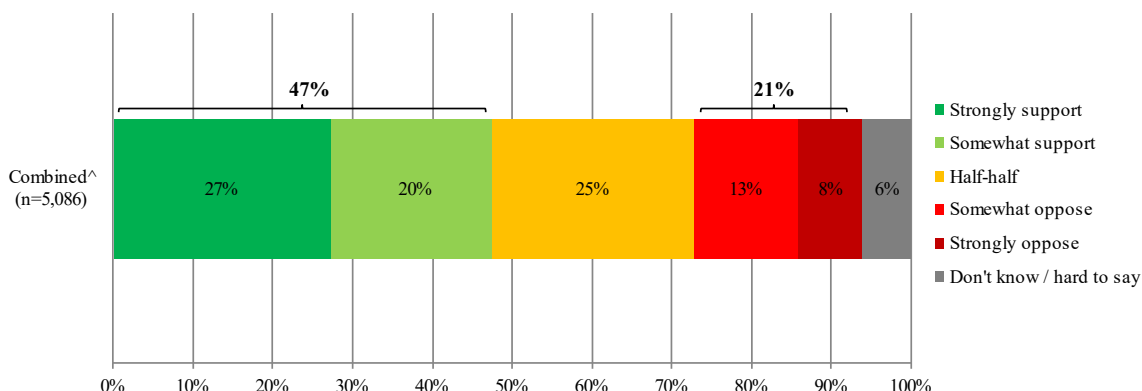
Table 4: Q1b Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1b How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Children aged 3-6]	Combined^[4] (Base=5,086)	
Very support	27%	} 47%
Somewhat support	20%	
Half-half	25%	
Somewhat oppose	13%	} 21%
Very oppose	8%	
Don't know / hard to say	6%	
Mean^[5]	3.5	

[4] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[5] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 2: Q1b Combined chart



^ The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

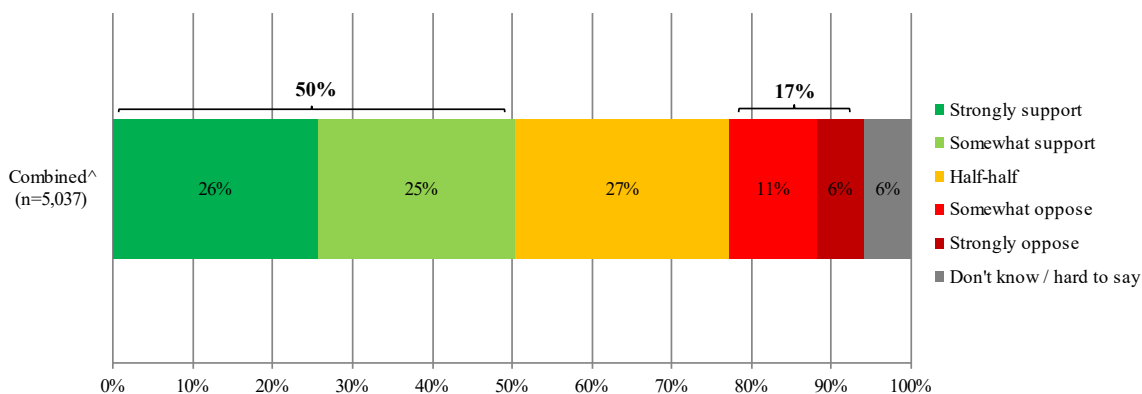
Table 5: Q1c Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1c How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Seniors aged 60-64]	Combined^[6] (Base=5,037)	
Very support	26%	} 50%
Somewhat support	25%	
Half-half	27%	
Somewhat oppose	11%	} 17%
Very oppose	6%	
Don't know / hard to say	6%	
Mean^[7]	3.6	

[6] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[7] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 3: Q1c Combined chart



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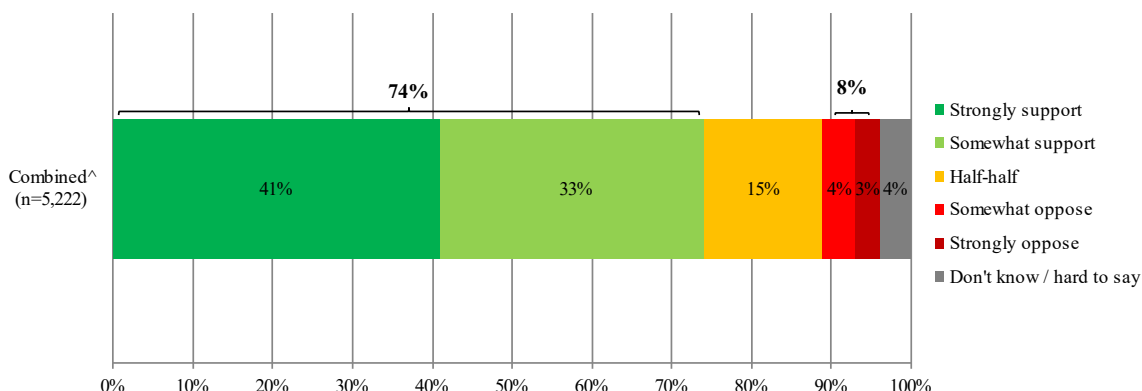
Table 6: Q1d Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1d How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Seniors aged 65 or above]	Combined^[8] (Base=5,222)	
Very support	41%	} 74%
Somewhat support } Support	33%	
Half-half	15%	
Somewhat oppose	4%	} 8%
Very oppose } Oppose	3%	
Don't know / hard to say	4%	
Mean^[9]	4.1	

[8] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[9] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 4: Q1d Combined chart



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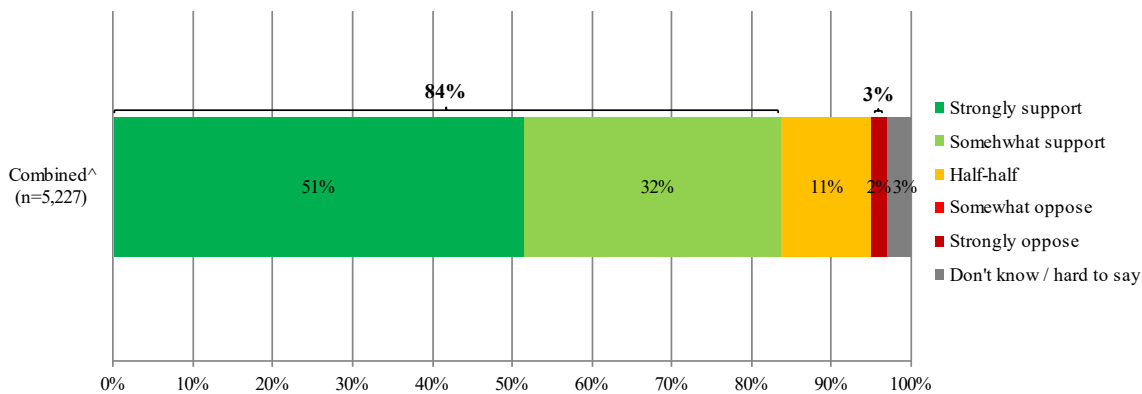
Table 7: Q1e Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1e How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Children with special educational needs]	Combined^[10] (Base=5,227)																												
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[10] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[11] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 5: Q1e Combined chart



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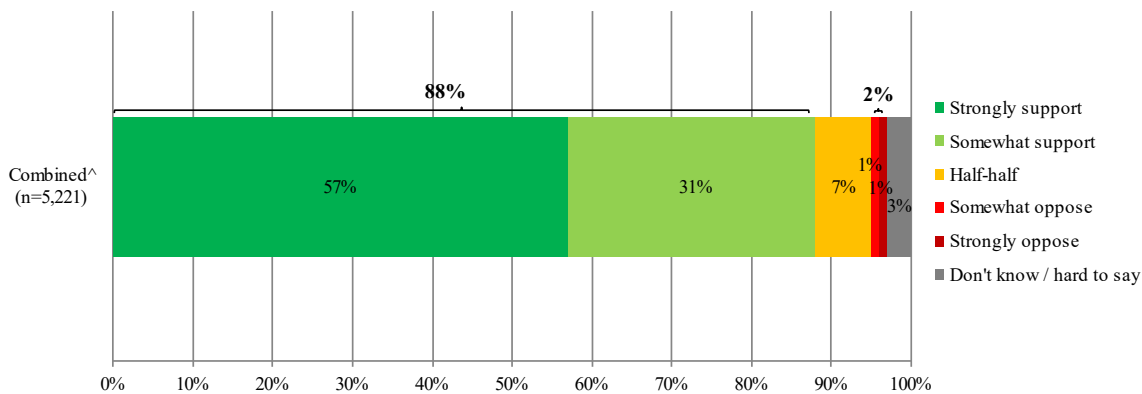
Table 8: Q1f Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1f How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [People with chronic illnesses / disabilities]	Combined^[12] (Base=5,221)	
Very support	57%	} 88%
Somewhat support	31%	
Half-half	7%	
Somewhat oppose	1%	} 2%
Very oppose	1%	
Don't know / hard to say	3%	
Mean^[13]	4.5	

[12] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[13] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 6: Q1f Combined chart



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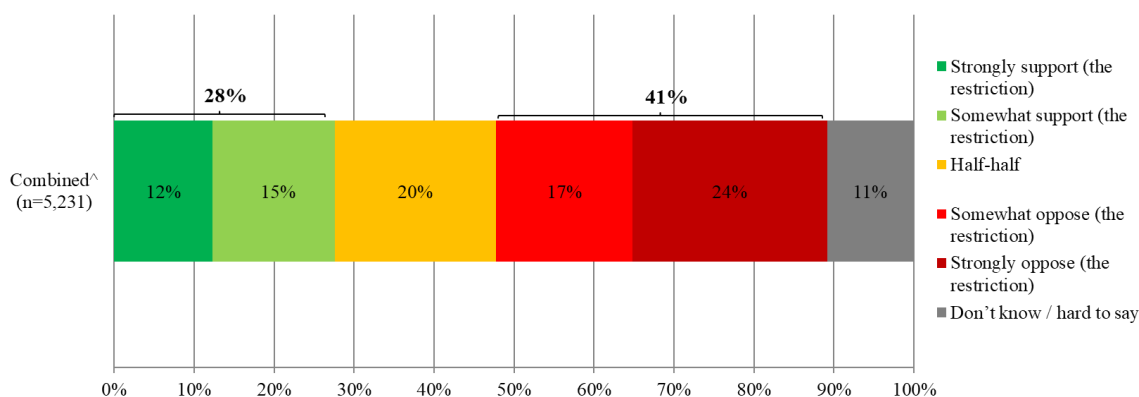
Table 9: Q2 Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q2 Currently, the government restricts recipients of Comprehensive Social Security Assistance, Old Age Living Allowance or Disability Allowance from applying for “living allowance for carers” at the same time. How much do you support or oppose this restriction?	Combined^[14] (Base=5,231)
Very support (the restriction) Somewhat support (the restriction) } Support (the restriction) Half-half Somewhat oppose (the restriction) Very oppose (the restriction) } Oppose (the restriction) Don't know / hard to say	12% 15% } 28% 20% 17% 24% } 41% 11%
Mean^[15]	2.7

[14] The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

[15] The mean value is calculated by quantifying all individual responses into 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 marks according to their degree of positive level, where 1 is the lowest and 5 the highest, and then calculate the sample mean.

Chart 7: Q2 Combined chart



^ The aggregated figures come from adjusting the by-group weighted figures using ratio of “pan-democratic” vs “non-pan-democratic” collected in regular tracking survey.

Appendices

Appendix 1: Demographic profile of respondents

Gender:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Male	2,522	54.2%	892	41.7%	341	57.7%	1,579	53.1%	2,863	54.6%	2,470	48.3%
Female	2,123	45.7%	1,245	58.3%	249	42.1%	1,396	46.9%	2,372	45.3%	2,641	51.7%
Other	4	0.1%	<1	<0.1%	1	0.2%	<1	<0.1%	5	0.1%	<1	<0.1%
Total	4,649	100.0%	2,137	100.0%	591	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,240	100.0%	5,112	100.0%
Missing case(s)	0		0		0		0		0		0	

Age:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
12 - 29	660	14.2%	759	35.5%	37	6.3%	255	8.6%	697	13.3%	1,014	19.8%
30 - 39	1,089	23.4%	245	11.5%	102	17.3%	380	12.8%	1,191	22.7%	625	12.2%
40 - 49	1,145	24.6%	362	16.9%	136	23.0%	558	18.8%	1,281	24.4%	920	18.0%
50 - 59	1,107	23.8%	428	20.0%	182	30.8%	1,153	38.8%	1,289	24.6%	1,581	30.9%
60 or above	648	13.9%	343	16.1%	134	22.7%	628	21.1%	782	14.9%	971	19.0%
Total	4,649	100.0%	2,137	100.0%	591	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,240	100.0%	5,112	100.0%
Missing case(s)	0		0		0		0		0		0	

Education attainment:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Primary or below	9	0.2%	12	0.6%	2	0.3%	13	0.4%	11	0.2%	24	0.5%
Secondary	713	15.3%	867	40.6%	136	23.1%	963	32.4%	849	16.2%	1,830	35.8%
Tertiary or above	3,924	84.5%	1,255	58.8%	452	76.6%	1,998	67.2%	4,376	83.6%	3,253	63.7%
Total	4,646	100.0%	2,134	100.0%	590	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,236	100.0%	5,108	100.0%
Missing case(s)	3		3		1		<1		4		4	

Occupation:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Administrators and professionals	1,820	39.2%	262	12.3%	202	34.2%	753	25.3%	2,022	38.6%	1,015	19.9%
Clerks and service workers	1,202	25.9%	530	24.9%	144	24.4%	707	23.8%	1,346	25.7%	1,237	24.2%
Workers	107	2.3%	176	8.2%	23	3.9%	176	5.9%	130	2.5%	352	6.9%
Students	177	3.8%	265	12.5%	5	0.8%	91	3.1%	182	3.5%	357	7.0%
Home-makers / housewives	217	4.7%	369	17.3%	21	3.6%	154	5.2%	238	4.5%	523	10.2%
Others	1,118	24.1%	528	24.8%	196	33.2%	1,092	36.7%	1,314	25.1%	1,620	31.7%
Total	4,641	100.0%	2,130	100.0%	591	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,232	100.0%	5,105	100.0%
Missing case(s)	8		7		0		0		8		7	

District:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Central & Western	195	4.2%	65	3.1%	26	4.5%	45	1.5%	221	4.3%	110	2.2%
Wan Chai	107	2.3%	3	0.2%	18	3.1%	110	3.7%	125	2.4%	113	2.2%
Eastern	461	10.0%	113	5.4%	67	11.5%	307	10.4%	528	10.2%	420	8.3%
Southern	178	3.9%	105	5.0%	18	3.1%	86	2.9%	196	3.8%	191	3.8%
Yau Tsim Mong	197	4.3%	154	7.3%	25	4.3%	100	3.4%	222	4.3%	254	5.0%
Sham Shui Po	236	5.1%	90	4.3%	27	4.6%	133	4.5%	263	5.1%	222	4.4%
Kowloon City	252	5.5%	135	6.4%	34	5.8%	182	6.2%	286	5.5%	317	6.2%
Wong Tai Sin	235	5.1%	84	4.0%	29	5.0%	171	5.8%	264	5.1%	255	5.0%
Kwun Tong	346	7.5%	344	16.3%	38	6.5%	157	5.3%	384	7.4%	501	9.9%
Tsuen Wan	239	5.2%	77	3.6%	36	6.2%	155	5.2%	275	5.3%	232	4.6%
Tuen Mun	284	6.2%	163	7.7%	34	5.8%	200	6.7%	318	6.1%	363	7.2%
Yuen Long	305	6.6%	168	7.9%	46	7.9%	299	10.1%	351	6.8%	466	9.2%
North	137	3.0%	18	0.9%	15	2.6%	125	4.2%	152	2.9%	143	2.8%
Tai Po	202	4.4%	157	7.4%	28	4.8%	102	3.4%	230	4.4%	259	5.1%
Sai Kung	368	8.0%	131	6.2%	39	6.7%	319	10.8%	407	7.8%	451	8.9%
Sha Tin	521	11.3%	160	7.6%	59	10.1%	215	7.3%	580	11.2%	376	7.4%
Kwai Tsing	251	5.4%	113	5.3%	33	5.7%	207	7.0%	284	5.5%	320	6.3%
Islands	95	2.1%	33	1.5%	12	2.1%	49	1.7%	107	2.1%	82	1.6%
Total	4,609	100.0%	2,111	100.0%	584	100.0%	2,962	100.0%	5,193	100.0%	5,073	100.0%
Missing case(s)	40		26		7		12		47		38	

Political inclination:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Pro-democracy camp	2,706	58.2%	1,244	58.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2,706	51.6%	1,244	24.3%
Pro-establishment camp	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	42	7.1%	460	15.5%	42	0.8%	460	9.0%
Localist	1,943	41.8%	893	41.8%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1,943	37.1%	893	17.5%
Centrist	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	193	32.7%	845	28.4%	193	3.7%	845	16.5%
Others	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
No political inclination / politically neutral / don't belong to any camp	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	356	60.2%	1,669	56.1%	356	6.8%	1,669	32.6%
Don't know / hard to say	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Total	4,649	100.0%	2,137	100.0%	591	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,240	100.0%	5,112	100.0%
Missing case(s)	0		0		0		0		0		0	

Voted political camp:	Pro-democracy camp supporters				Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #				Total			
	Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample		Raw sample		Weighted sample	
	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%	Freq	%
Democratic	4,416	95.4%	1,179	55.8%	344	58.2%	311	10.4%	4,760	91.2%	1,490	29.3%
Non-democratic	11	0.2%	48	2.3%	110	18.6%	1,446	48.6%	121	2.3%	1,494	29.4%
Did not vote / blank vote / void vote / don't know / hard to say / refuse to answer	139	3.0%	437	20.7%	100	16.9%	859	28.9%	239	4.6%	1,295	25.5%
Not a registered voter	62	1.3%	451	21.3%	37	6.3%	359	12.1%	99	1.9%	810	15.9%
Total	4,628	100.0%	2,115	100.0%	591	100.0%	2,974	100.0%	5,219	100.0%	5,089	100.0%

*(Only for respondents aged 18 or above or refuse to answer age)

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Appendix 2: Contact Information

Total valid samples	5,471
Survey period	11-16/6/2021
Success rate	5.9%
Questionnaires sent out	93,344
Questionnaires received	6,637
Ineligible samples	49
Invalid samples	25
Incomplete samples	1092
Standard error	0.7%
Sampling error	3.9%

Appendix 3: Quantitative analyses

Q1a Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1a How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Young children aged 0-2]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages (Base=2,084)	Percentages (Base=2,931)	Percentages (Base=5,015)
Strongly support	37.0%	28.9%	32.3%
Somewhat support	18.1%	16.7%	17.3%
Half-half	24.2%	22.6%	23.3%
Somewhat oppose	8.7%	13.1%	11.3%
Strongly oppose	6.5%	10.0%	8.6%
Don’t know / hard to say	5.4%	8.7%	7.3%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	3.7	3.5	3.6
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	4.0	3.0	4.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	53	44	96
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+39.9%	+22.5%	+29.8%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q1b Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1b How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Children aged 3-6]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages	Percentages	Percentages
	(Base=2,078)	(Base=2,893)	(Base=4,971)
Strongly support	32.6%	23.6%	27.3%
Somewhat support	19.6%	19.9%	19.8%
Half-half	25.1%	25.3%	25.2%
Somewhat oppose	9.1%	16.1%	13.2%
Strongly oppose	6.5%	9.1%	8.0%
Don't know / hard to say	7.1%	6.1%	6.5%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	3.7	3.3	3.5
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	4.0	3.0	4.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	59	82	140
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+36.6%	+18.3%	+26.0%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q1c Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1c How much do you support or oppose the government setting up "living allowance for carers" to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Seniors aged 60-64]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages (Base=2,052)	Percentages (Base=2,830)	Percentages (Base=4,881)
Strongly support	28.3%	23.6%	25.6%
Somewhat support	21.7%	27.0%	24.8%
Half-half	28.0%	26.2%	26.9%
Somewhat oppose	9.9%	11.4%	10.7%
Strongly oppose	6.1%	6.3%	6.2%
Don't know / hard to say	6.0%	5.5%	5.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	3.6	3.5	3.5
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	4.0	4.0	4.0
Refuse to answer	86	145	230
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+34.0%	+32.9%	+33.4%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q1d Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1d How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Seniors aged 65 or above]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages	Percentages	Percentages
	(Base=2,137)	(Base=2,938)	(Base=5,074)
Strongly support	41.4%	41.2%	41.3%
Somewhat support } Support	29.8%	35.1%	32.9%
Half-half	15.0%	14.3%	14.6%
Somewhat oppose	5.4%	3.5%	4.3%
Strongly oppose } Oppose	3.7%	2.9%	3.3%
Don't know / hard to say	4.7%	2.9%	3.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	4.0	4.1	4.1
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	4.0	4.0	4.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	1	37	37
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+62.1%	+69.9%	+66.6%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q1e Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1e How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [Children with special educational needs]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages	Percentages	Percentages
	(Base=2,137)	(Base=2,921)	(Base=5,058)
Strongly support	53.9%	49.7%	51.5%
Somewhat support } Support	28.5%	35.2%	32.4%
Half-half	12.8%	8.9%	10.5%
Somewhat oppose	1.0%	0.1%	0.4%
Strongly oppose } Oppose	1.2%	3.5%	2.5%
Don't know / hard to say	2.7%	2.6%	2.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	4.4	4.3	4.3
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	5.0	5.0	5.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	<1	54	54
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+80.3%	+81.4%	+80.9%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q1f Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q1f Q1e How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need? [People with chronic illnesses / disabilities]	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages	Percentages	Percentages
	(Base=2,136)	(Base=2,944)	(Base=5,079)
Strongly support	58.1%	56.8%	57.3%
Somewhat support } Support	28.6%	32.8%	31.0%
Half-half	8.6%	5.5%	6.8%
Somewhat oppose	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%
Strongly oppose } Oppose	1.1%	1.4%	1.3%
Don't know / hard to say	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	4.5	4.5	4.4
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	5.0	5.0	5.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	2	30	32
Net value (Support - Oppose)	+84.6%	+87.5%	+86.3%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Q2 Survey results; Survey period: 11-16/6/2021

Q2 Currently, the government restricts recipients of Comprehensive Social Security Assistance, Old Age Living Allowance or Disability Allowance from applying for “living allowance for carers” at the same time. How much do you support or oppose this restriction?	Pro-democracy camp supporters	Non-pro-democracy camp supporters #	Total
	Percentages	Percentages	Percentages
	(Base=2,135)	(Base=2,974)	(Base=5,110)
Strongly support	7.6%	15.6%	12.3%
Somewhat support } Support	11.4% } 19.0%	18.1% } 33.7%	15.3% } 27.6%
Half-half	16.3%	23.0%	20.2%
Somewhat oppose	18.5%	16.0%	17.1%
Strongly oppose } Oppose	31.9% } 50.4%	18.9% } 34.9%	24.3% } 41.4%
Don't know / hard to say	14.3%	8.4%	10.9%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Mean values	2.4	3.0	2.7
Standard error of mean	<0.1	<0.1	<0.1
Median	2.0	3.0	3.0
<i>Refuse to answer</i>	2	0	2
Net value (Support - Oppose)	-31.4%	-1.2%	-13.8%

Including pro-establishment camp supporters, centrist supporters, no political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp

Appendix 4: Survey questionnaire (11-16/6/2021)

We Hongkongers & Community Health Survey

Hong Kong Public Opinion Research Institute is politically neutral. We welcome different opinions. All personal data will be kept strictly confidential. You can fill in the questionnaire again to express your latest views. When we need to work on the data, your last submission will be used. For enquiries, please email us at panel@pori.hk.

Last updated: xxxx-xx-xx

Tentative next update: xxxx-xx-xx

***Required**

Eligibility Confirmation

Are you a Hong Kong resident aged 12 or above? *

- Yes
- No

(New member) Please first register as a HKPOP Panel member at

<https://www.pori.hk/panel.html?lang=en> *

- Already registered as a member earlier (Please go to the survey platform by clicking on the designated hyperlink sent to you by email)
- Have just registered as a member
- Not yet registered as a member, and will register after completing the survey (Please note: Your response will be removed if you have not yet successfully registered as a member at the time of data analysis)

(New member) Email used / will be used in registration: *

We Hongkongers Series

How much do you support or oppose the government setting up “living allowance for carers” to provide cash assistance to family members who are caring for the following categories of people and are in financial need?

	Strongly support	Somewhat support	Half-half	Somewhat oppose	Strongly oppose	Don’t know / hard to say
Young children aged 0-2						
Children aged 3-6						
Seniors aged 60-64						

Seniors aged 65 or above						
Children with special educational needs						
People with chronic illnesses / disabilities						

Currently, the government restricts recipients of Comprehensive Social Security Assistance, Old Age Living Allowance or Disability Allowance from applying for "living allowance for carers" at the same time. How much do you support or oppose this restriction?

- Strongly support (the restriction)
- Somewhat support (the restriction)
- Half-half
- Somewhat oppose (the restriction)
- Strongly oppose (the restriction)
- Don't know / hard to say

Community Health

How likely do you think it is that you will contract novel coronavirus pneumonia over the next one month?

(Please select the closest answer)

- 0% chance (Certainly not)
- 0.001% chance (1 in 100,000)
- 0.01% chance (1 in 10,000)
- 0.1% chance (1 in 1,000)
- 1% chance (1 in 100)
- 5% chance (1 in 20)
- 10% chance (1 in 10)
- 15% chance
- 20% chance
- 25% chance
- 30% chance
- 35% chance
- 40% chance
- 45% chance
- 50% chance
- 60% chance
- 70% chance
- 80% chance
- 90% chance
- 100% chance (Certainly will)

- Don't know / hard to say
- Other: _____

How satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the government's performance in handling novel coronavirus pneumonia?

- Very much satisfied
- Somewhat satisfied
- Half-half
- Somewhat dissatisfied
- Very much dissatisfied
- Don't know / hard to say

Other Opinions

Please rate on a scale of 0 to 100 your extent of support to the Chief Executive Carrie Lam, with 0 indicating absolutely not supportive, 100 indicating absolutely supportive and 50 indicating half-half. How would you rate the Chief Executive Carrie Lam?

- _____
- Don't know / hard to say

Generally speaking, how satisfied or dissatisfied are you with the current in Hong Kong?

(Randomise the three conditions)

	Very much satisfied	Somewhat satisfied	Half-half	Somewhat dissatisfied	Very much dissatisfied	Don't know / hard to say
Political condition						
Economic condition						
Livelihood condition						

Other Opinions

Do you have any survey question to suggest for our surveys?

(If you do not have any suggestion, please leave this space blank.)

Do you have any message you want us to forward to your District Councillor or other locally known persons you name here? (Please provide their identities and your contacts)

(The request you make here is not part of our study. We simply want to assist people who want to send a message to current or former District Councillor, new or senior community leaders, persons in charge of community organisations, and so on. If you do not have any suggestion, please leave this space blank.)

Personal Information

(Registered member) This section is about personal information. If you have already provided relevant information in this survey series and have nothing to add or update, you may skip these questions. We will use the past data you provided in this survey series for analysis.

- I have already provided my personal information, and has nothing to add or update (skip questions on personal information)
- Provide / update personal information now

Gender

- Male
- Female
- Other

Age

- _____ years old
- 12 - 14
- 15 - 17
- 18 - 19
- 20 - 24
- 25 - 29
- 30 - 34
- 35 - 39
- 40 - 44
- 45 - 49
- 50 - 54
- 55 - 59
- 60 - 64
- 65 - 69
- 70 or above

Educational attainment

(The highest level attended, regardless of whether you have completed the course, including what you are attending)

- Primary or below
- Lower secondary (Secondary 1 to 3)
- Upper secondary (Secondary 4 to 7 / DSE / Yi Jin)
- Tertiary: non-degree course (including diploma / certificate / sub-degree course)
- Tertiary: bachelor degree course
- Tertiary: postgraduate school or above

Occupation

(Owner / self-employed / freelance / part time / civil servant are not valid answers, please answer according to the job nature or content)

- Administrator and professional
- Clerical and service worker
- Production worker
- Student
- Home-maker / housewife
- Retired person
- Unemployed / between jobs / other non-employed
- Other: _____

Which of the following best describes your political inclination?

(Randomise the four camps)

- Localist
- Pro-democracy camp
- Centrist
- Pro-establishment camp
- Other: _____
- No political inclination / politically neutral / do not belong to any camp
- Don't know / hard to say

Area of residence

- Central & Western District
- Wan Chai
- Eastern District
- Southern District
- Yau Tsim Mong
- Sham Shui Po
- Kowloon City
- Wong Tai Sin
- Kwun Tong
- Tsuen Wan
- Tuen Mun
- Yuen Long
- North District
- Tai Po
- Sai Kung
- Sha Tin
- Kwai Tsing

- Islands

Which candidate did you vote for in the 2019 District Council Election?

- Candidate of pro-democracy camp, including localist
- Candidate of non-pro-democracy camp, including pro-establishment camp and centrist
- Don't know / hard to say
- Blank / void vote
- Did not vote (was a registered voter of the election)
- Did not vote (was not a registered voter of the election)

End of Questionnaire

Thank you for completing the survey. For enquiries, please email us at panel@pori.hk.