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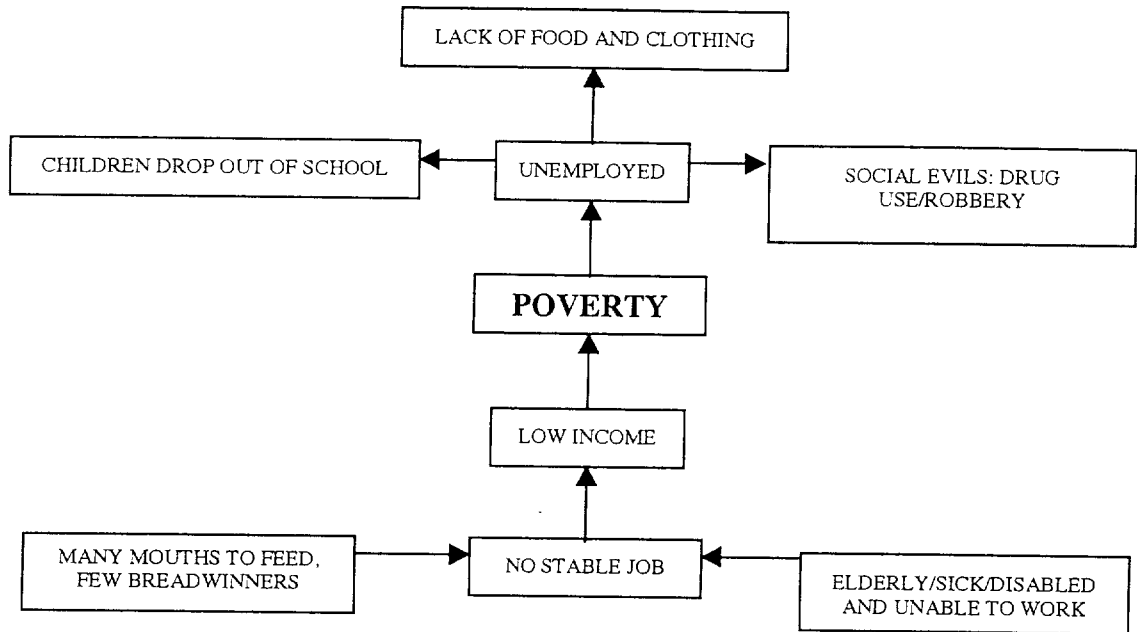
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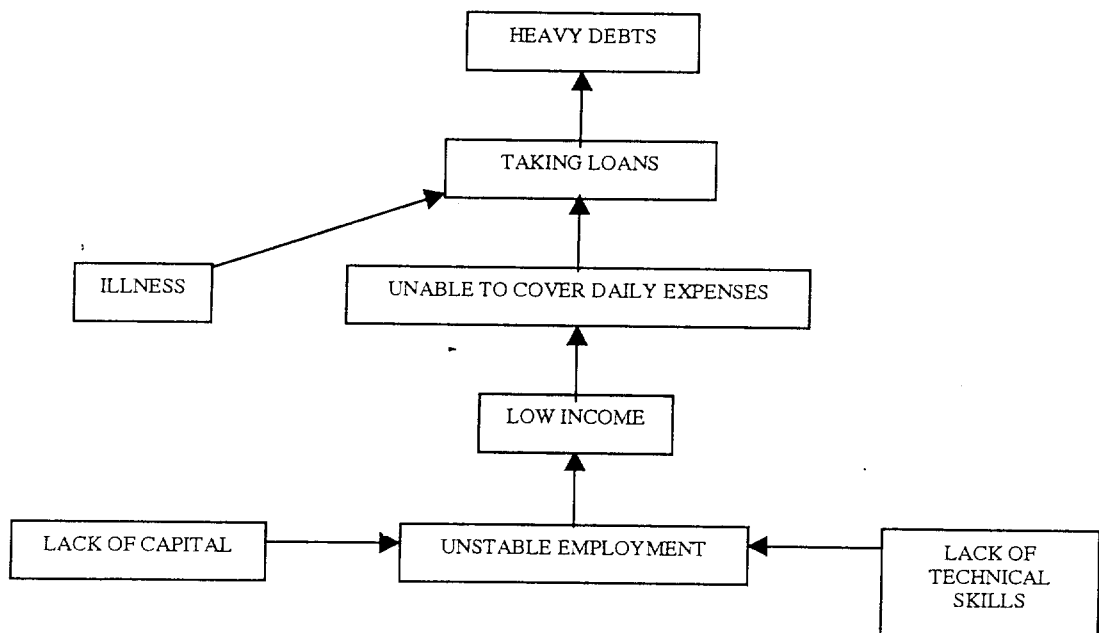
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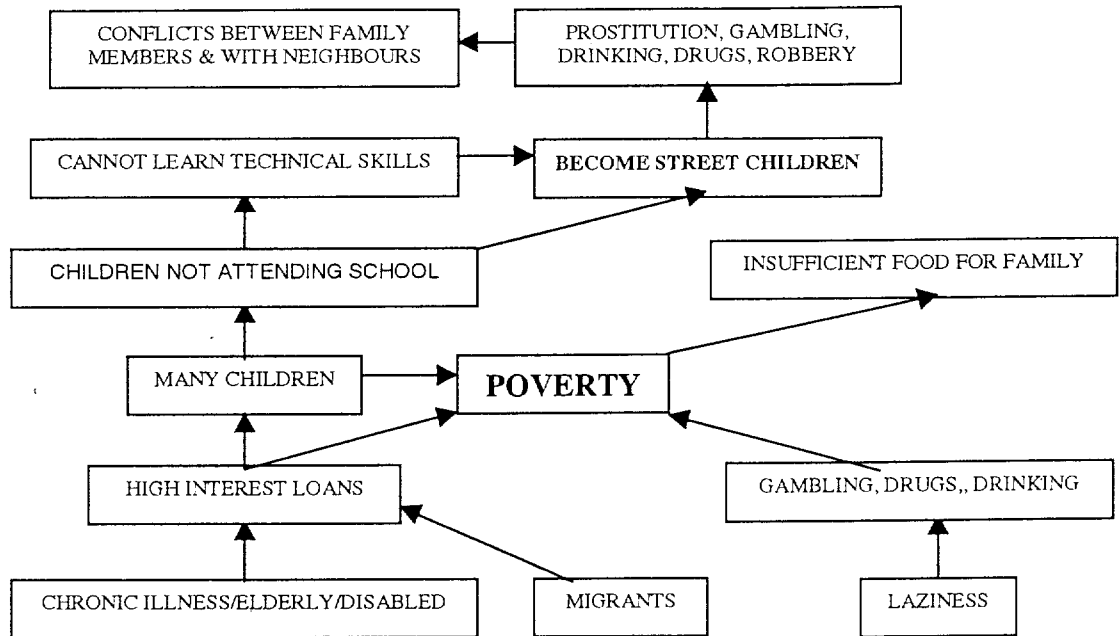
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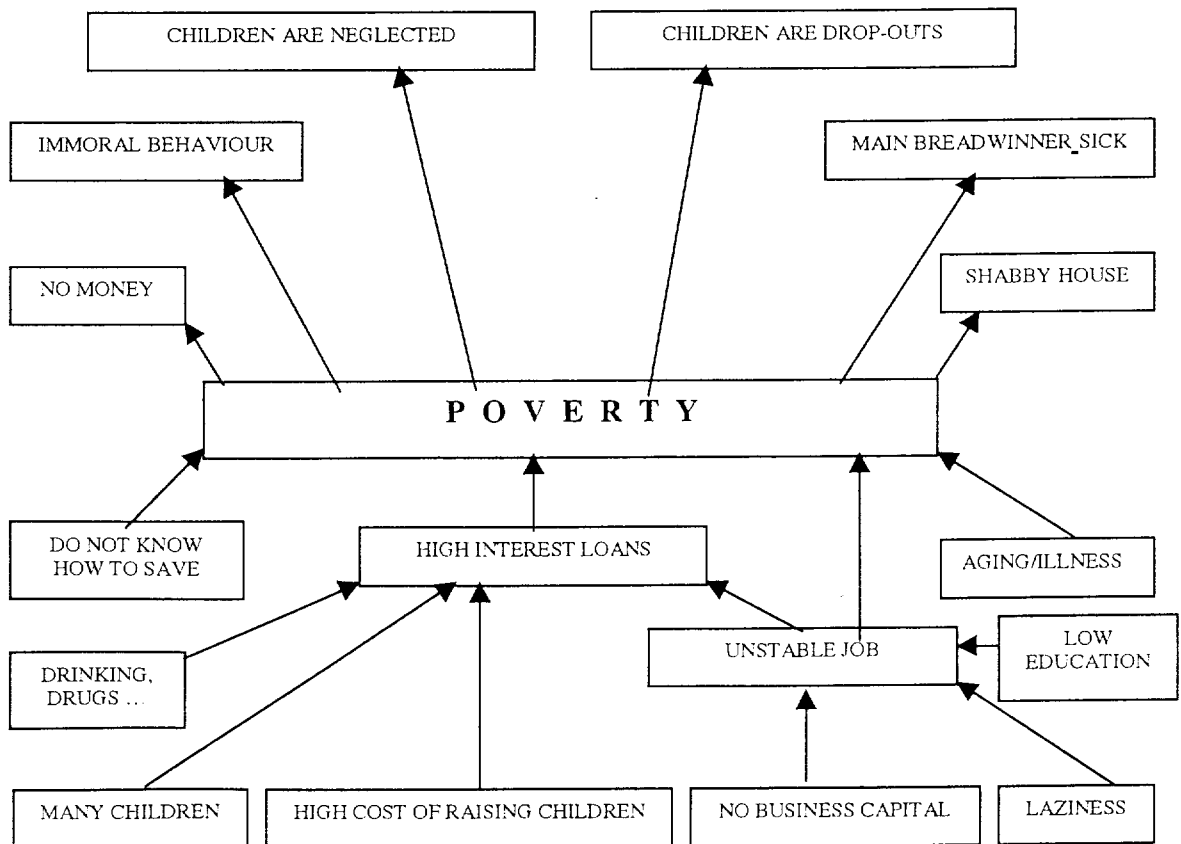
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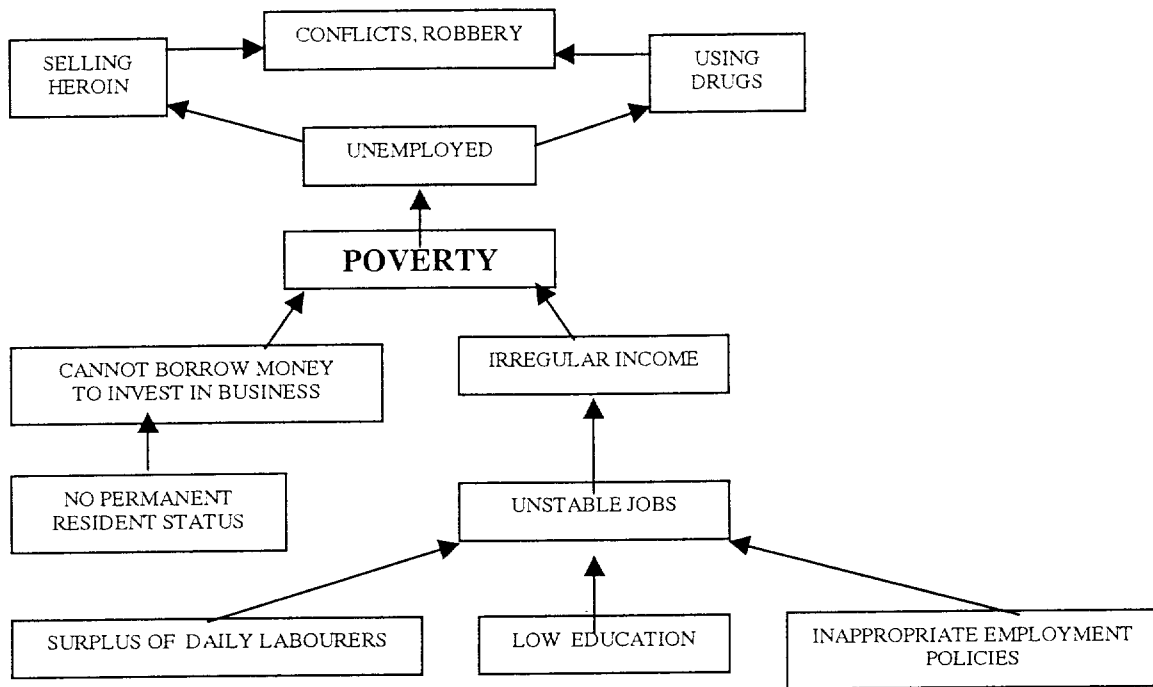
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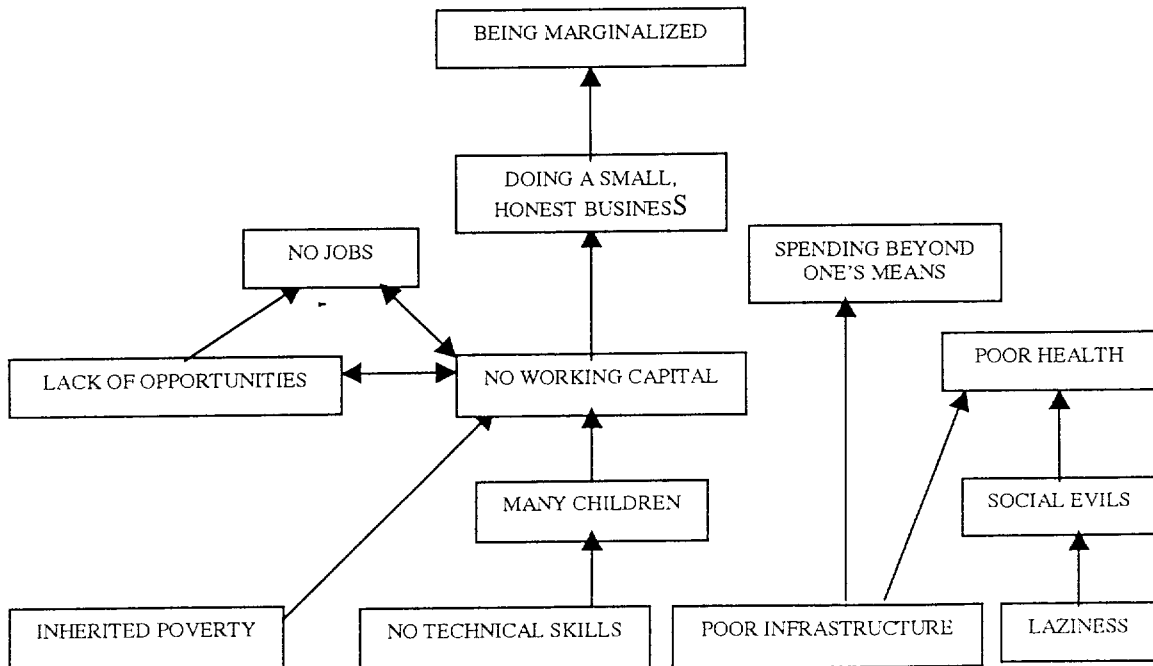
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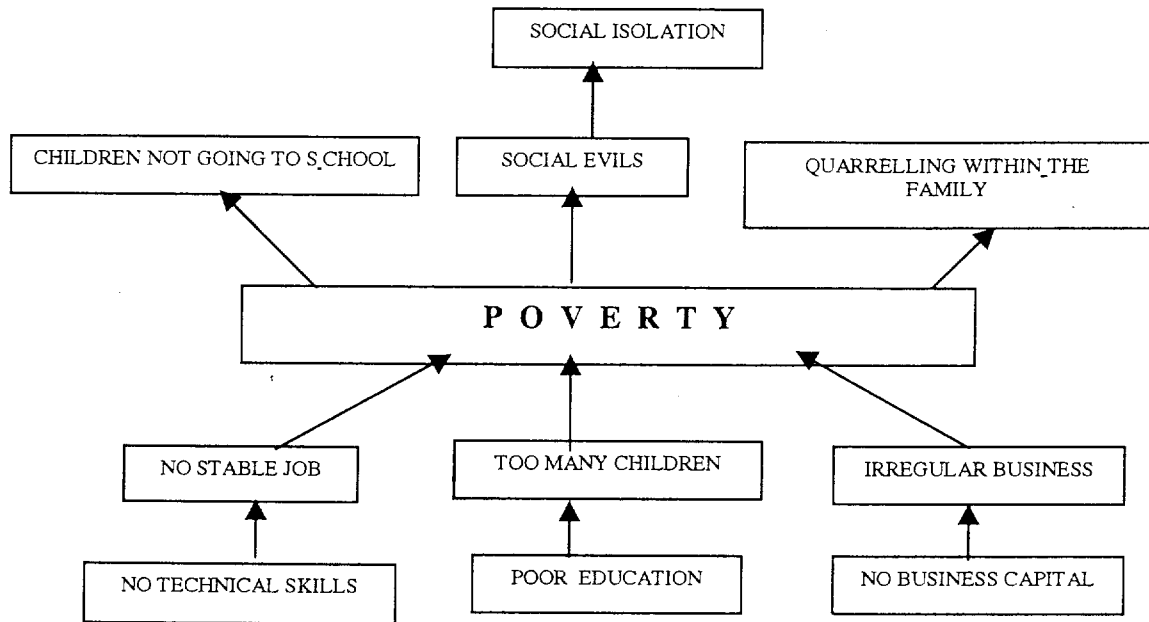
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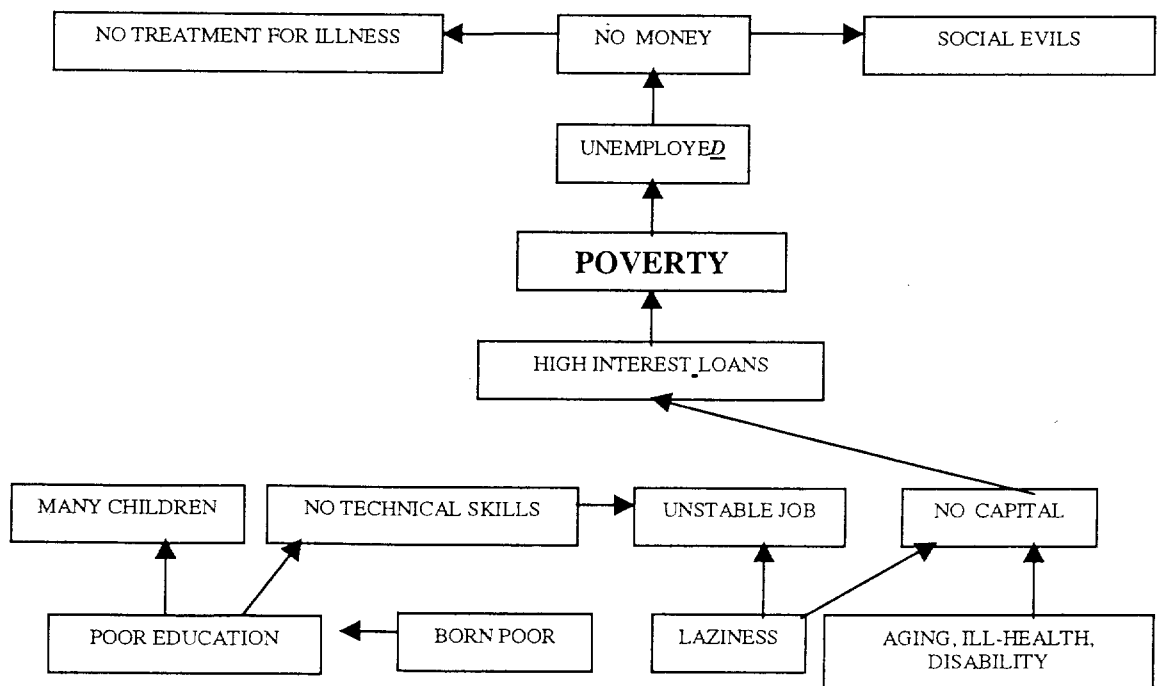
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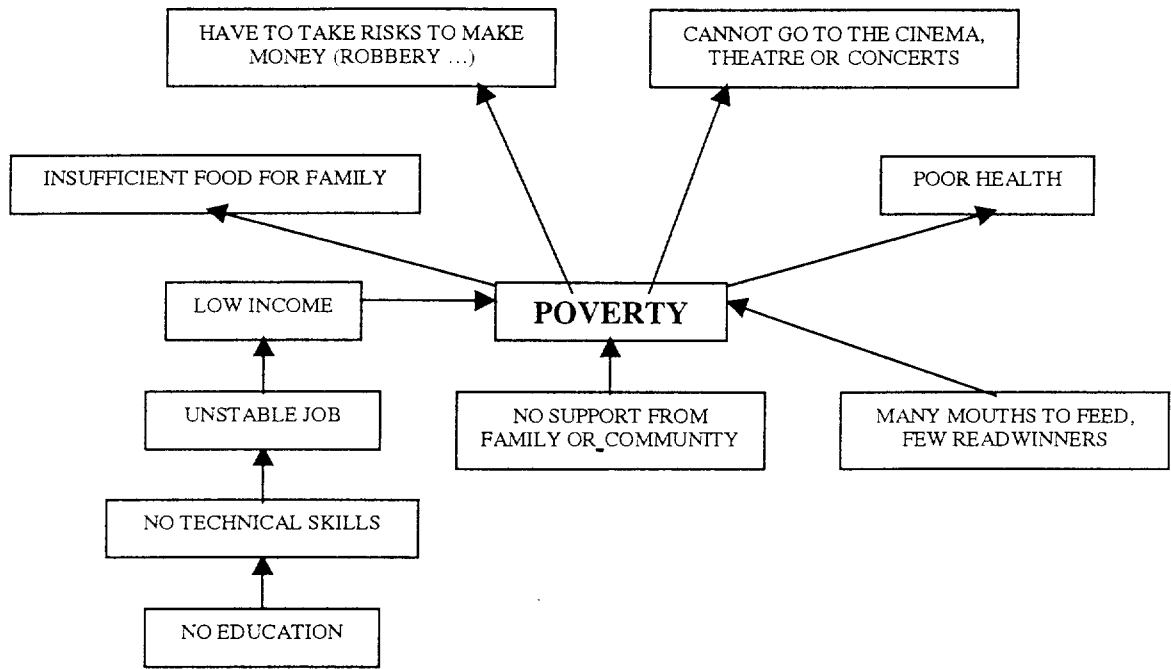
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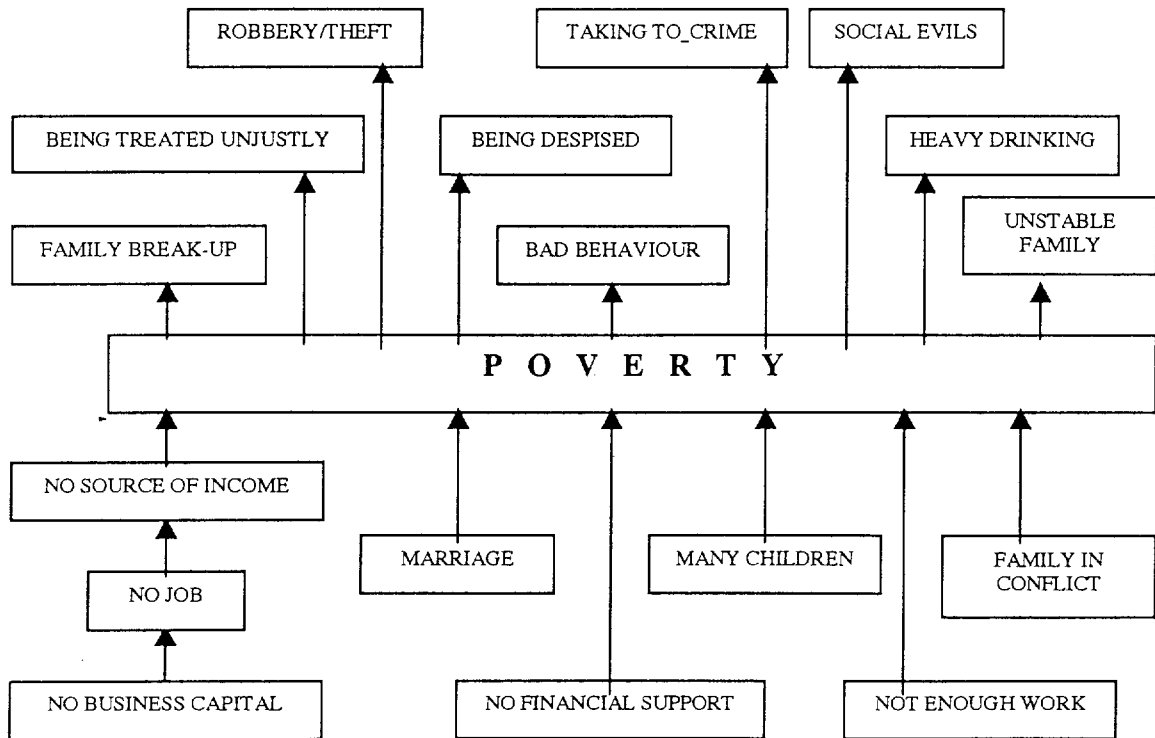
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YOUNG PEOPLE'S GROUP: DISTRICT 6



APPENDIX 2: WEALTH RANKING

Better off Households

WOMEN'S CRITERIA	No.	MEN'S CRITERIA	No.
Having a stable and high-income job	28	Having a stable and/or high-income job	32
Having all amenities: TV, video, fridge, motorcycles ...	26	Having all amenities: TV, video, fridge, motorcycles ...	31
Having a solid house with more than 1 floor	14	Having a solid/beautiful/good house	19
Having own profitable business/shop	10	Children having good education	9
Children having advanced education	6	Having one's own/a big business	5
Being able to afford excursions, leisure activities and health care	6	Leading a comfortable life, with family living in harmony	3
Planning family size/having few children	4	Being able to participate in social/ cultural activities in the neighbourhood	2
All adult family members having a job	3	Having money coming from abroad	2
Being educated	3	Having inherited property and capital	2
Having a house to rent out	3		
Having money coming from abroad	2		
Being comfortable & able to save money	2		
Having beautiful clothes to wear	2		
Being a loan shark	2		

Average Households

WOMEN'S CRITERIA	No.	MEN'S CRITERIA	No.
Having stable job and income/enough for daily needs/500,000-600,000 dong per person per month	21	Having a stable job and income/enough for daily needs/around 1 million dong per person per month	28
Having small/black & white TV, cassette player, old motorcycle or bicycles	18	Having all the basic household amenities	14
Owning a (reasonably good) house	8	Having a solid house	13
Providing children with a good education	8	Children going to school	8
Being a government employee	4	Being able to repay/having no debts	6
Not needing to take loans	4	Family living in harmony	4
Being a small trader	4	Having all working instruments (sewing machine, motorcycle ...)	2
Having the will but not the skill to do business	3		

Poor Households

WOMEN'S CRITERIA	No.	MEN'S CRITERIA	No.
Having poor & unstable job/income	23	Having a poor & unstable job/income	22
Living in a very modest/thatched house	10	Living in a very modest/thatched house	17
Not having enough rice/(nutritious) food to eat/buying rice 1 kg at a time	9	Children not going to school/dropouts	15
Having (too) many children	8	Having very few household amenities	8
Having no TV, radio or bicycle	8	Having (too) many children	8
Some children not going to school/being unable to afford children's education	8	Falling into the trap of prostitution, gambling, alcoholism and/or drugs	5
Having no (technical) work skills	4	Not knowing how/unable to save money	5
Having low education	3	Having large family, only 1 or 2 earners	4
Having to rent a house	2	Driving a cyclo, scavenging or selling lottery tickets or other small items	4
Elderly people living without children	2	Not enough money to feed the family	3
Having to work hard always	2	Having a low level of education	2
Only one parent working	2	Having no technical skills	2

Very Poor Households

WOMEN'S CRITERIA	No.	MEN'S CRITERIA	No.
Being in debt to loan sharks/unable to repay loans/unable to get further loans	13	Being unemployed/having no proper job/irregular work and income	23
Children not going to school	13	Children cannot attend school	11
Not having enough food to eat	11	Living in a slum, with a roof that leaks	11
Having no house/must rent or share	9	Having nothing in the house	10
Living in house with thatched roof/on stilts, with roof that leaks	9	Being old and lonely/having no children	8
Having irregular work and low income	9	Having no house/must rent	7
Having (too) many children	8	Having (too) many children	7
Having nothing of value in the house	7	Having health problems/unable to work	6
Being old and lonely	4	Being heavily in debt/refused loans	6
Likely to fall into the trap of prostitution, gambling, alcoholism and/or drugs	3	Having no money for living expenses/ medical expenses/wedding/business ...	6
Being ignorant/lacking work skills	3	Not having enough food to eat	4
Being in poor health/unable to afford medical expenses	2	Likely to fall into the trap of prostitution, gambling, alcoholism and/or drugs	3
Having insufficient clothing	2	Lack of education/know-how	2
		Family members quarrelling	2

APPENDIX 3: DIFFICULTIES AND CONCERNS

	Difficulties	Interests and Concerns
Poorest (74 households)	83 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not enough money for everyday living (24) • Not enough money to repair the house (12) • In debt (9) • Unemployed (8) • Unstable job, low income (7) 	80 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have enough for everyday living (19) • Have a stable job and stable income (15) • Repairing the house (10) • Borrow money for trade (9) • How to pay the loan and getting out of debt (8) • Children can study (7)
Poor (147 households)	159 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not enough money for everyday living (38) • Not enough money to repair the house (26) • Unstable job, low income (18) • In debt (14) • Not enough money for trading (14) • Not healthy (13) • Children cannot study, have no money to pay (8) 	155 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Repairing the house (29) • Have a stable job and stable income (24) • Have enough for everyday living (21) • Children can study (17) • How to pay the loan and getting out of debt (14)
Average (93 households)	73 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Unstable job, low income (16) • Not enough money for everyday living (14) • In debt (9) • Have no permanent place to live (5) • Unemployed (5) • Not healthy (5) • House is under water when it rains (5) 	91 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children can study (18) • Have a stable job and stable income (17) • Social problems: prostitution, drug use... (9) • Have enough for everyday living (8) • Pollution, area is flooded during rains (7)
Better-off (97 households)	47 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lack of clean water or electricity (6) • In debt (5) • Not enough money for everyday living (4) • Hot healthy (4) 	84 responses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social problems: prostitution, drug use... (17) • Children can study (12) • Pollution, area is flooded during rains (9) • Have a stable job and stable income (7) • Children are obedient and study well (7)

APPENDIX 4: RANKING OF INSTITUTIONS HELPING THE POOR

DISTRICT 8

POORER WOMEN'S GROUP, WARD 10, DISTRICT 8

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Head of household unit & Quarter's Steering Committee	state	10	10	8	8	1
Ward People's Committee	state	7	8	8	6	2
HEPR programme	state	8	7	6	5	3
Local business	private	6	5	5	0	4
Youth Association	mass	5	3	5	4	5

MIGRANTS' GROUP, WARD 10, DISTRICT 8

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Head of household unit & quarter's Steering Committee	state	9	9	8	8	1
Ward People's Committee	state	8	8	8	7	2
The community/ neighbours	community	7	8	7	7	3

BETTER-OFF MEN'S GROUP, WARD 10, DISTRICT 8

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Lending banks	state	8	7	7	5	1
Red Cross Association	mass	8	8	8	8	2
Blind Association	mass	10	5	10	6	3
Mr. Tran Quang Vu	private	8	8	8	8	4
Giang Loi Coffin enterprise	private	10	10	10	10	4
Women's Union	mass	5	5	5	4	6
Kha Mieu Dam pagoda	religious	7	5	5	5	7

DISTRICT 6

ELDERLY PERSON'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR	state	6.5	5.5	9	7.5	1
Fatherland Front	mass	7	8	9	9	2
Women's Union	mass	5	6	7.5	7.5	3
Local businesses	private	7	8	10	0	4

POORER WOMEN'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Head of household unit	state	10	10	10	9	1
HEPR programme	state	8.5	8.5	6.5	6.5	2
Women's Union	mass	7.5	6.5	7	6.5	2
Pagodas/temples	religious	10	10	10	5	4
Local businesses/benefactors	private	10	8	7.5	5	5

POORER MEN'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR	state	10	10	8	10	1
Women's Union	mass	9	9	9	9	1
Veteran's Association	mass	7	8	7	8	3
Fatherland Front	mass	8	6.5	6.5	6.5	4
Pagodas/temples	religious	9	8	6	6	5
Local businesses/benefactors	private	9	9	6	7	6

YOUNG PERSON'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Head of household unit	state	10	10	10	10	1
Hui group	private	10	9	9	9	1
Women's Union	mass	8	8	8	8	1
HEPR	state	8	6	7.5	8	4
Self-help group	private	8	7	6	6	4

BETTER-OFF WOMEN'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR programme	state	10	10	10	10	1
Women's Union	mass	5.5	8	9	10	2
Fatherland Front	mass	6	10	8	8	2
Phuoc Thien Association	private	7	10	10	10	4
Elderly Persons' Association	mass	7	7	10	0	5
Veteran's Association	mass	6	10	10	0	5
Pagodas/temples	religious	7.5	8	10	6	6
Local businesses	private	7.5	6	8	0	7

BETTER-OFF MEN'S GROUP, DISTRICT 6

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST TRUSTED	MOST PROMPT	MOST EFFECTIVE	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Fatherland Front	mass	9	9	8	6	1
HEPR programme	state	8	9	8	8	2
Women's Union	mass	8	9	8	6	3
Local businesses/benefactors	private	8	10	8	0	4
Pagodas/temples	religious	8	8	7	0	5

BINH THANH DISTRICT

ELDERLY PERSON'S GROUP, WARD 21, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST IMPORTANT
Ward People's Committee	state	1
HEPR Programme	state	2
Thi Nghe Church	religious	3
Chau Lam Pagoda	religious	4

ELDERLY PERSON'S GROUP, WARD 12, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR Programme	state	1
Quarter's Steering Committee	state	2
Women's Union	mass	3
Funeral services club	mass	4

MIGRANTS' GROUP, WARD 21, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
Ward health centre	state	2	1
Chau Lam Pagoda & Thi Nghe Church	religious	1	2
Women's Union	mass	3	3
HEPR Programme	state	4	4

POORER WOMEN'S GROUP, WARD 12, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR Programme	state	1	1
Quarter's Steering Committee	state	1	2
Ward People's Committee	state	-	3

POORER WOMEN'S GROUP, WARD 21, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR Programme	state	3	1
Private moneylenders	private	1	2
Self-help group	community	2	3

POORER MEN'S GROUP, WARD 21, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR Programme	state	2	1
Ward People's Committee: roof repair programme	state	-	2
Ward People's Committee: alleyway repair programme	state	-	3
Chau Lam Pagoda & Thi Nghe Church	religious	1	4
Private moneylenders	private	3	5

YOUNG PERSON'S GROUP, WARD 12, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST IMPORTANT
Binh Hoa project	NGO & state	1
Local benefactor	private	2
Cao Dai shrine	religious	3
Red Cross	mass	4

POORER MEN'S GROUP, WARD 12, BINH THANH DISTRICT

NAME OF INSTITUTION	TYPE OF INSTITUTION	MOST PARTICIPATIVE	MOST IMPORTANT
HEPR Programme	state	-	1
Funeral services club	community	1	2
Ward health centre	state	-	3
Binh Hoa project	NGO & state	1	4
SCF UK	NGO & state	2	5

APPENDIX 5: PPA FIELD RESEARCHERS

District 6

Name	Organisation	Responsibility in the team
Nguyen Thi Hai	Social Development and Research Consultancy (SDRC)	Team leader
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Tran Dinh Te	Collaborator of ENDA	Field researcher
Nguyen Van Lai	Social Work Centre – VNVA	Field researcher
Le Huy Hoang	Mekong River Commission-Rural Extension for Aquaculture Development in Mekong Delta	Part-time Field researcher
Vo Thi Kim Sa	School for Training of Agriculture and Rural Development Workers	Field researcher
Thai Thi Kim Lien	District 6 HEPR	Field researcher
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Phan Thi Kim Bach	Women’s Union, Ward 14	Field researcher
Phan Thi Hong Hoa	Women’s Union, Ward 14	Field researcher
Duong Thi Kim Lien	HEPR, Ward 14	Field researcher
Bui Van Thuong	HEPR, Ward 8	Field researcher
Nguyen Xuan Trung	Ward 8	Field researcher
Nguyen Duc Thanh	Ward 8	Field researcher

District 8

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Nguyen Van Buom	Youth Research Institute	Co-team leader
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Ha Minh Tri	CARE Vietnam	Field researcher
Phan Van Te	HEPR of Ho Chi Minh City	Field researcher
Le Thi Hanh	SDRC	Field researcher
Dao Xuan Dieu Minh	Collaborator of SDRC	Field researcher
Pham Thi Men	Free-lance social worker	Field researcher
Vuong Ngoc Tuong	HEPR, District 8	Field researcher
Ly Ngoc Nghia	People’s Committee, Ward 10	Field researcher
Huynh Ngoc Tuan	HEPR, Ward 10	Field researcher
Tran Van Nen	Ward 10	Field researcher
Nguyen Thanh Hoang	Ward 10	Field researcher
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Pham Thanh Hai	HEPR, Ward 14	Field researcher
Huynh Thanh Dien	Ward 14	Field researcher
Hua Van Hai	Ward 14	Field researcher

District Binh Thanh

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Nguyen Thi Hai	SCF UK	Field researcher
Tran Thi Thanh Tam	Collaborator of Nhi Xuan III care location	Field researcher
Nguyen Thi Nhan	Ho Chi Minh City Open University	Field researcher
Nguyen Thi Ngan Hoa	Ho Chi Minh City Institute of Social Sciences	Field researcher
Nguyen Thi Thu Thuy	Child Welfare Foundation	Field researcher
Lam Thi Hoang Oanh	HEPR Binh Thanh District	Field researcher
Pham Duc Thanh	People's Committee, Ward 21	Field researcher
Le Van Thinh	HEPR Ward 21	Field researcher
Phan Thi Thanh Danh	Fatherland Front, Ward 21	Field researcher
Pham Thi Hong Hoa	People's Committee Ward 21	Field researcher
Nguyen The Bao	HEPR Ward 12	Field researcher
Tran Thi Bao Cham	People's Committee	Field researcher
Huynh Thi Thuy Hanh	Youth Union, Ward 12	Field researcher
Doan Thi Suong	Ward 12	Field researcher

