



Child Poverty (Scotland) Act 2017

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Targets relating to child poverty

6 Persistent poverty

- (1) A child falls within this section in a financial year if the child has lived—
 - (a) in each of the survey years, in a household in Scotland, and
 - (b) in at least 3 of the survey years, in a household whose equivalised net income for the survey year was less than 60% of median equivalised net household income for the survey year.
- (2) The survey years are—
 - (a) the calendar year that ends during the financial year, and
 - (b) the 3 previous calendar years.