

1988 NHIS CHILD HEALTH PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORD

The data tape for the 1988 National Health Interview Survey on child health is made up of three major sections. The first section contains the main body of the child health questionnaire along with items transferred from the sample child's person record. It includes a variable describing the number of supplemental condition records filled out for the sample child. This section is contained in tape locations 1-937 (pages 1-113).

The second section is made up of supplemental condition records. Space is allocated on the tape for 11 supplemental condition records per child, the maximum number reported. If a child did not have a supplemental condition record of a given order, the fields for that condition record were left blank. These condition records are located in tape locations 938-1531 and are described on pages 114-133. Two pages are allocated to each variable or group of variables. The first page shows the tape location(s) and frequencies for the first through fifth condition records, the second page refers to the sixth through 11th condition records.

The third section is made up of selected person-record variables for each member of the sample child's household. Space is allocated for 14 household members per child; if fewer household members existed, the extra fields were left blank. These variables appear in tape locations 1532-2287 and are described on pages 134-181. Three pages are allocated to each variable. The first page shows the tape locations and frequencies for the first through fifth household members; the second and third pages refer to household members 6-10 and 11-14, respectively.

Tape users who do not plan to use the variables in the second and/or third sections of the tape can reduce their processing time and costs by making a tape extract that deletes the unnecessary fields.

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NHIS PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORDS  
Outline of Items and Codes  
Number of Records = 17,110  
1988 CHILD HEALTH SUPPLEMENT RECORD

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
1-2	-	17,110	RECORD TYPE 90. Child Health
3-4	-	17,110	PROCESSING YEAR 88. 1988

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PROCESSING QUARTER

4,258	1. Quarter 1
4,326	2. Quarter 2
4,323	3. Quarter 3
4,203	4. Quarter 4

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HH-5

RANDOM RECODE OF PSU NUMBER

9-10

HH-5

WEEK - CENSUS CODE\*

01, 21, 41, 61, 81 ...	Week 01
02, 22, 42, 62, 82 ...	Week 02
03, 23, 43, 63, 83 ...	Week 03
04, 24, 44, 64, 84 ...	Week 04
05, 25, 45, 65, 85 ...	Week 05
06, 26, 46, 66, 86 ...	Week 06
07, 27, 47, 67, 87 ...	Week 07
08, 28, 48, 68, 88 ...	Week 08
09, 29, 49, 69, 89 ...	Week 09
10, 30, 50, 70, 90 ...	Week 10
11, 31, 51, 71, 91 ...	Week 11
12, 32, 52, 72, 92 ...	Week 12
13, 33, 53, 73, 93 ...	Week 13

\*This code represents the initial week of assignment. The interview may be re-assigned for administrative purposes. See locations 19-20 for the code which reflects the actual week assigned for conducting the interview.

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SEGMENT NUMBER

Week plus Segment Number identifies the segment

13-14

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HOUSEHOLD NUMBER

Numbered within PSU-Week-Segment

15-16 - PERSON NUMBER

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17-18 - BLANK (Record Serial Number on other record types)

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19-20 HH-5 PROCESSING WEEK CODE (Numbered within Quarter)

1,303	01. Week 1
1,375	02. Week 2
1,284	03. Week 3
1,336	04. Week 4
1,234	05. Week 5
1,353	06. Week 6
1,411	07. Week 7
1,310	08. Week 8
1,216	09. Week 9
1,324	10. Week 10
1,355	11. Week 11
1,315	12. Week 12
1,294	13. Week 13

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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22-23 HH-10c,d TYPE OF LIVING QUARTERS:

Housing Unit = (00-07)

127	00. Housing unit; kind unknown
16,031	01. House, apartment, flat
7	02. HU in nontransient hotel, motel, etc.
5	03. HU-permanent in transient hotel, motel, etc.
4	04. HU in rooming house
794	05. Mobile home or trailer with no permanent room added
111	06. Mobile home or trailer with one or more permanent rooms added
0	07. HU not specified above

Other Unit = (08-13)

0	08. Quarters not HU in rooming or boarding house
0	09. Unit not permanent in transient hotel, motel, etc.
21	10. Unoccupied site for mobile home, trailer, or tent
9	11. Student quarters in college dormitory
1	12. Other unit not specified above
0	13. Other unit; kind unknown

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24	HH-11		HAS TELEPHONE
		15,168	1. Yes, phone number given
		506	2. Yes, no phone number given
		1,328	3. No
		108	4. Unknown

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25	A-1		SEX
		8,736	1. Male
		8,374	2. Female

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
27-28	Person Column		AGE
		1,172	00. Under 1 year
		15,938	01-98. Number of years
		0	99. 99+ years of age

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29	Recode		AGE RECODE #1
		5,255	1. Under 5 years
		11,855	2. 5-17 years
		0	3. 18-24 years
		0	4. 25-44 years

0	5. 45-64 years
0	6. 65-69 years
0	7. 70-74 years
0	8. 75 years and over

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30	Recode		AGE RECODE #2
		6,193	1. Under 6 years
		9,733	2. 6-16 years
		1,184	3. 17-24 years
		0	4. 25-34 years
		0	5. 35-44 years
		0	6. 45-54 years
		0	7. 55-64 years
		0	8. 65-74 years
		0	9. 75 years and over

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31-32	Recode		AGE RECODE #3
		3,372	00-35. Months
		13,738	36. Over 3 years

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Tape			
Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes

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(34-39)	A-3		MONTH AND YEAR OF BIRTH
34-35			MONTH
			01. January
			02. February
			03. March
			04. April
			05. May
			06. June
			07. July
			08. August
			09. September
			10. October
			11. November
			12. December
			99. DK or refused
36-39			YEAR OF BIRTH
			1800-1899. 1800-1899
			1900-1989. 1900-1989
			9999. DK or refused

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L-3

MAIN RACIAL BACKGROUND - Reported

148	1. Aleut, Eskimo, or American Indian
386	2. Asian/Pacific Islander
2,924	3. Black
13,008	4. White
200	5. Other
50	6. Multiple race
394	7. Unknown

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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(43-45)

Recode

RACE RECODES

43

RECODE 1

13,642	1. White
2,929	2. Black
539	3. Other

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RECODE 2

13,642	1. White
3,468	2. Non-white

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RECODE 3

2,929	1. Black
14,181	2. Non-black

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46-47

L-4

HISPANIC ORIGIN

47	00. Multiple Hispanic
221	01. Puerto Rican
71	02. Cuban
169	03. Mexican-Mexicano
751	04. Mexican-American
13	05. Chicano
158	06. Other Latin American
196	07. Other Spanish

38	08. Spanish, DK type
374	09. Unknown if Spanish origin
15,072	10. Not Spanish origin

48	L-7		MARITAL STATUS
		12,980	0. Under 14 years
		22	1. Married - spouse in household
		2	2. Married - spouse not in household
		3	3. Widowed
		2	4. Divorced
		0	5. Separated
		3,941	6. Never married
		160	7. Unknown

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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49	L-1		VETERAN STATUS
		0	1. Non-veteran
		0	2. WW I
		0	3. WW II
		0	4. Korean War
		0	5. Vietnam veteran
		0	6. Post-Vietnam
		0	7. Other service
		0	8. Served in Armed Forces, unknown if war veteran
		0	9. Unknown if served in Armed Forces
		17,110	Blank. Under 18 years of age

50	L-1		ACTIVE GUARD/RESERVE STATUS FOR PERSONS ON ACTIVE DUTY IN ARMED FORCES
		0	0. Non-veteran
		0	1. All service in Guard/Reserve
		0	2. Some service in Guard/Reserve
		0	3. Unknown if all service in Guard/Reserve
		0	4. No active service in Guard/Reserve
		0	5. Unknown if ever active member in Guard/Reserve or served in Armed Forces
		17,110	Blank. Under 18 years of age

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51-52	L-2		EDUCATION OF INDIVIDUAL - COMPLETED YEARS
		2,049	00. Never attended; kindergarten only
		9,630	01-12. Grades 1-12
			College:
		5	13. 1 year
		0	14. 2 years
		0	15. 3 years
		0	16. 4 years
		0	17. 5 years
		0	18. 6 years or more
		171	19. Unknown
		5,255	Blank. Under 5 years of age

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
53	Recode		EDUCATION OF INDIVIDUAL RECODE
		2,049	0. None; kindergarten only
		6,855	1. 1-8 years (elementary)
		2,667	2. 9-11 years (high school)
		108	3. 12 years (high school graduate)
		5	4. 1-3 years (college)
		0	5. 4 years (college graduate)
		0	6. 5+ years (post-college)
		171	7. Unknown
		5,255	Blank. Under 5 years of age

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54-55  
FAMILY

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HIGHEST EDUCATION OF RESPONSIBLE ADULT

MEMBER (Detail)

	20	00. Never attended; kindergarten only
	8,621	01-12. Grades 1-12
		College:
	1,487	13. 1 year
	1,961	14. 2 years
	608	15. 3 years
	2,324	16. 4 years
	567	17. 5 years



1,494	18. 6 years or more
28	19. Unknown

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FAMILY

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HIGHEST EDUCATION OF RESPONSIBLE ADULT

MEMBER Recode

20	0. None; kindergarten only
577	1. 1-8 years (elementary)
1,547	2. 9-11 years (high school)
6,497	3. 12 years (high school graduate)
4,056	4. 1-3 years (college)
2,324	5. 4 years (college graduate)
2,061	6. 5+ years (post-college)
28	7. Unknown

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
57	L-8		FAMILY INCOME \$20,000 OR MORE
		5,747	1. Less than \$20,000
		11,089	2. \$20,000 or more
		274	3. Unknown
58-59	L-8		FAMILY INCOME
		105	00. Less than \$1,000
		141	01. \$ 1,000 - \$ 1,999
		166	02. 2,000 - 2,999
		215	03. 3,000 - 3,999
		244	04. 4,000 - 4,999
		261	05. 5,000 - 5,999
		263	06. 6,000 - 6,999
		260	07. 7,000 - 7,999
		228	08. 8,000 - 8,999
		246	09. 9,000 - 9,999
		316	10. 10,000 - 10,999
		212	11. 11,000 - 11,999
		286	12. 12,000 - 12,999
		236	13. 13,000 - 13,999
		238	14. 14,000 - 14,999
		347	15. 15,000 - 15,999
		252	16. 16,000 - 16,999
		288	17. 17,000 - 17,999
		347	18. 18,000 - 18,999

430	19.	19,000 - 19,999
1,538	20.	20,000 - 24,999
1,535	21.	25,000 - 29,999
1,487	22.	30,000 - 34,999
1,182	23.	35,000 - 39,999
1,096	24.	40,000 - 44,999
761	25.	45,000 - 49,999
2,489	26.	\$50,000 and over
1,941	27.	Unknown

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
60	Recode		FAMILY INCOME RECODE
		871	0. Under \$5,000
		524	1. \$ 5,000 - \$ 6,999
		734	2. 7,000 - 9,999
		1,288	3. 10,000 - 14,999
		1,664	4. 15,000 - 19,999
		1,538	5. 20,000 - 24,999
		3,022	6. 25,000 - 34,999
		3,039	7. 35,000 - 49,999
		2,489	8. \$50,000 or more
		1,941	9. Unknown
61	Generated		NHIS POVERTY INDEX*
		13,699	1. At or above poverty threshold
		2,451	2. Below poverty threshold
		960	3. Unknown
(62-63)			FAMILY RELATIONSHIP
62	A-2		TYPE OF FAMILY
		7	&. Primary individual
		5	-. Secondary individual
		17,047	0. Primary family
		51	1-9. Secondary family
63	A-2		RELATIONSHIP TO REFERENCE PERSON
		4	&. Reference person, living alone
		17	0. Reference person, 2+ persons in household

8	1. Spouse, other spouse NOT in Armed Forces and living at home
0	2. Spouse, other spouse IN Armed Forces and living at home
15,710	3. Child of reference person or spouse
1,095	4. Grandchild of reference person or spouse
0	5. Parent of reference person or spouse
259	6. Other relative
17	7. Child of military family with no eligible reference person
0	9. DK or refused

\*Based on family size, number of children under 18 years of age and family income using the 1987 poverty levels derived from the August, 1988 Current Population Survey.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
64	Recode		FAMILY RELATIONSHIP RECODE
		4	1. Living alone
		8	2. Living only with non-relative
		22	3. Living with spouse
		17,076	4. Living with relative - other
65-66	Generated		SIZE OF FAMILY* Unrelated individuals are coded 01
67	Generated		SIZE OF FAMILY RECODE
		16,996	1-8. Number of members
		114	9. 9+ members
68	A-2		PARENT/OTHER ADULT RELATIVE (under 25 years old and never married)
		11,570	1. Both parents, no other relative
		2,781	2. Mother only
		231	3. Father only
		1,013	4. Both parents and other 21+ year old adult relative
		928	5. Mother and other 21+ year old adult relative

	85	6. Father and other 21+ year old adult relative
adult	137	7. No parent, but one 21+ year old relative
	293	8. No parent, but two or more 21+ year old adult relatives
	21	9. Unknown
	22	0. Other
ever	29	Blank. Not applicable (25+ years old or married)

\*Count includes spouse in military but living at home.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
69	B-1 B-8		MAJOR ACTIVITY (18+ years old)
		0	1. Working
		0	2. Keeping house
		0	3. Going to school
		0	4. Something else
		0	5. Unknown
		17,110	Blank. Not applicable (Under 18 years)
70	G-4		HEALTH STATUS
		9,042	1. Excellent
		4,500	2. Very Good
		2,967	3. Good
		391	4. Fair
		52	5. Poor
		158	6. Unknown
71	Recode		ACTIVITY LIMITATION STATUS - (all ages)
		70	1. Unable to perform major activity
activity		622	2. Limited in kind/amount major
		263	3. Limited in other activities
		16,155	4. Not limited (includes unknowns)

72	Recode		ACTIVITY LIMITATION STATUS MEASURED BY "ABILITY TO WORK" (18-69 years)
		0	1. Unable to work
		0	2. Limited in kind/amount of work
		0	3. Limited in other activities
		0	4. Not limited (includes unknowns)
		17,110	Blank. Not applicable (under 18 years, 70+ years)

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
73	B-11		LIMITATION OF SCHOOL ACTIVITIES (5-17 years)
		43	1. Unable to attend school
		372	2. Attends special school/classes
		48	3. Needs special school/classes
		144	4. Limited in school attendance
		221	5. Limited in other activities
		11,027	6. Not limited (includes unknowns)
		5,255	Blank. Not applicable (Under 5 years or 18+ years)
74 old  needs	B-14		NEEDS HELP WITH PERSONAL CARE (5-59 years and limited, or age 60-69 years)
		30	1. Unable to perform personal care
		0	2. Limited in performing other routine needs
		798	3. Not limited in performing personal or routine needs
		0	4. Unknown
		16,282	Blank. Not applicable (Under 5 years; 5-59 years not limited; 70+ years old)
75 years)  off	D-1		EMPLOYMENT STATUS IN PAST 2 WEEKS (18+  In the Labor Force: (1-7)  Currently employed: (1-3)
		0	1. Worked in past 2 weeks
		0	2. Did not work, has job; not on lay-  and not looking for work

	0	3. Did not work, has job; looking for work
		Unemployed: (4-7)
	0	4. Did not work, has job; on lay-off
	0	5. Did not work, has job; on lay-off and looking for work
	0	6. Did not work, has job; unknown if looking or on lay-off
work	0	7. Did not work no job; looking for or on lay-off
		Not in Labor Force (18+ years): (8)
	17,110	Blank. Not applicable (Under 18 years old)

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
76	L-6		CLASS OF WORKER
		0	0. Not in labor force
		0	1. Private company
		0	2. Federal Government employee
		0	3. State Government employee
		0	4. Local Government employee
		0	5. Incorporated business
		0	6. Self-employed
		0	7. Without pay
		0	8. Never worked
		0	9. Unknown
		17,110	Blank. Under 18
77-79	L-6		INDUSTRY DETAIL CODE
		0	010-996. Code number
		17,110	Blank. Not applicable
80-81	Recode		INDUSTRY RECODE 1
			SEE APPENDIX B

82-83 Recode INDUSTRY RECODE 2  
SEE APPENDIX B

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84-86 L-6 OCCUPATION DETAIL CODE  
0 003-999. Code number  
17,110 Blank. Not applicable

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87-88 Recode OCCUPATION RECODE 1  
SEE APPENDIX C

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89-90 Recode OCCUPATION RECODE 2  
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
91	L-R		RESPONDENT
		15,926	0. Under 17
		99	1. Self-entirely
		130	2. Self-partly
		829	3. Proxy
		126	4. Unknown
92	Recode		CONDITION LIST ASSIGNED AND ASKED
		2,806	1. Condition List 1, Skin and musculoskeletal
		2,866	2. Condition List 2, Impairments
		2,855	3. Condition List 3, Digestive
		2,826	4. Condition List 4, Miscellaneous
		2,822	5. Condition List 5, Circulatory
		2,883	6. Condition List 6, Respiratory
		52	7. Unknown
93-94	G-5		HEIGHT WITHOUT SHOES (18+ years)

0	36-98. Number of inches
0	99. Unknown
17,110	Blank. Under 18 years of age

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95-97	G-5		WEIGHT WITHOUT SHOES (18+ years)
		0	050-500. Number of pounds
		0	501. Unknown
		17,110	Blank. Under 18 years of age

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98-99	Recode		TOTAL RESTRICTED ACTIVITY DAYS IN PAST TWO WEEKS
		15,188	00. None
		1,922	01-14. Days

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100-101	D-4		BED DAYS IN PAST TWO WEEKS
		15,933	00. None
		1,177	01-14. Days

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
102-103	D-2		WORK-LOSS DAYS IN PAST TWO WEEKS
		17,110	00. None
		0	01-14. Days
104-105	D-3		SCHOOL-LOSS DAYS IN PAST TWO WEEKS
		16,047	00. None
		1,063	01-14. Days
106-107	D-6		OTHER DAYS OF RESTRICTED ACTIVITY IN PAST TWO WEEKS
		16,377	00. None
		733	01-14. Days



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108-110	G-2		BED DAYS IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		8,138	000. None
		8,804	001-365. 1-365 days
		168	366. Unknown

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111	Recode		BED DAYS IN PAST 12 MONTHS - Recode
		8,138	0. None
		7,312	1. 1-7 days
		1,384	2. 8-30 days
		100	3. 31-180 days
		8	4. 181-365 days
		168	5. Unknown

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112-114	G-3		DOCTOR VISITS IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		3,212	000. None
		13,848	001-996. Visits
		0	997. 997+ visits
		50	998. Unknown

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Tape	Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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115	G-3		INTERVAL SINCE LAST DOCTOR VISIT
		35	0. Never
		13,965	1. Less than 1 year
		1,726	2. 1 to less than 2 years
		969	3. 2 to less than 5 years
		195	4. 5 years or more
		220	5. Unknown

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116-117	Generated		NUMBER OF CONDITIONS
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118-119	Generated		NUMBER OF ACUTE INCIDENCE CONDITIONS
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120-121	Generated	NUMBER OF TWO-WEEK DOCTOR VISITS
122-123	Generated	NUMBER OF SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL EPISODES IN PAST 12 MONTHS
124-126	Generated	SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL EPISODE DAYS IN PAST 12 MONTHS
127-128	Generated	NUMBER OF SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL EPISODES IN PAST 12 MONTHS EXCLUDING DELIVERY*
129-131	Generated	SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL EPISODE DAYS IN PAST 12 MONTHS EXCLUDING DELIVERY*
132-133	Generated	NUMBER OF SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL DISCHARGES IN PAST 6 MONTHS
134-136 PAST	Generated	NUMBER OF DAYS IN SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL IN 12 MONTHS FOR DISCHARGES IN PAST 6 MONTHS
137-138	Generated	NUMBER OF SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL DISCHARGES IN PAST 6 MONTHS EXCLUDING DELIVERY*

\*Based on Operation codes and reason entered hospital.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
139-141 PAST	Generated		NUMBER OF DAYS IN SHORT-STAY HOSPITAL IN 12 MONTHS FOR DISCHARGES IN PAST 6 MONTHS EXCLUDING DELIVERY*

142-171 - BLANK

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172-177 - ANNUAL BASIC WEIGHT BEFORE AGE-SEX-RACE  
ADJUSTMENT (has one implied decimal)

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178	Master Record		TYPE OF SUBSTRATUM
		2,042	0. Permit
		1,899	1. Area, oversampled for blacks
		13,169	2. Area, not oversampled for blacks

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179-181 - FULL SAMPLE STRATUM IDENTIFIER

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182	Master Record		REGION
		3,223	1. Northeast
		4,522	2. Midwest
		5,941	3. South
		3,424	4. West

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183	Master Record		GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION
			MSA Size
		7,081	1. 1,000,000 or more
		4,555	2. 250,000 - 999,999
		1,133	3. 100,000 - 249,999
		235	4. Under 100,000
		4,106	Blank. Non-MSA

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\*Based on Operation codes and reason entered hospital.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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185	Master Record		TYPE OF PSU
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9,046	1. MSA - Self-representing
3,958	2. MSA - Nonself-representing
1	4. Non-MSA - Self-representing
4,105	6. Non-MSA - Nonself-representing

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186	Recode	MSA - NON-MSA RESIDENCE
	5,388	1. MSA - Central City
	7,616	2. MSA - Not Central City
	3,886	3. Non-MSA - Nonfarm
	220	4. Non-MSA - Farm

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187-189	PSEUDO PSU CODES
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201-206	FINAL ANNUAL BASIC WEIGHT (xxxxxx) (For use in producing national estimates)
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211-219	BASE WEIGHT (xxxxx.xxxx, decimal is implied) (This is the simple probability-of-selection weight, unadjusted for nonresponse and other first-stage adjustment factors. Some tape users may wish to use this weight in variance estimation procedures. It should not be used to produce nationally representative estimates; use tape locations 201-206 instead.)
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336-337		MONTH OF INTERVIEW (imputed)
	1,243	01. January
	1,285	02. February
	1,645	03. March
	1,441	04. April
	1,427	05. May
	1,486	06. June
	1,341	07. July
	1,293	08. August
	1,679	09. September
	1,336	10. October
	1,310	11. November
	1,624	12. December
338-339		YEAR OF INTERVIEW (imputed)
	16,704	88. 1988
	406	89. 1989
340		DOES EDITED AGE OF SAMPLE CHILD = AGE ON NHIS1?
	16,053	1. Yes, ages are consistent
	853	2. No, ages are not consistent
	204	9. Exact age not reported on HIS1 and/or CHS
(341-344)		EDITED DATE OF BIRTH
341-342		MONTH OF BIRTH
		01-12
343-344		YEAR OF BIRTH
		1970-1988
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
345-347			SAMPLE CHILD AGE IN MONTHS (edited)
			000. Less than 1 month
			001-215. 1-215 months
348-349			SAMPLE CHILD AGE IN YEARS (edited)
		1,171	00. Less than 1 year
		15,939	01-17. 1-17 years

350-351 SAMPLE CHILD AGE RECODE 1 (edited)

25	00. Less than 1 month
3,365	01-35. 1-35 months
980	36. 3 years
12,740	37-50. 4-17 years

352 SAMPLE CHILD AGE RECODE 2 (edited)

6,209	1. 0-5 years
10,901	2. 6-17 years

353 SAMPLE CHILD AGE RECODE 3 (edited)

3,390	1. 0-2 years
3,724	2. 3-6 years
4,187	3. 7-11 years
5,809	4. 12-17 years

354 SAMPLE CHILD AGE RECODE 4 (edited)

4,370	1. 0-3 years
6,931	2. 4-11 years
5,809	3. 12-17 years

355 SAMPLE CHILD AGE RECODE 5 (edited)

5,270	1. 0-4 years
6,031	2. 5-11 years
5,809	3. 12-17 years

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
356-357	P1-1		RELATIONSHIP OF CHS RESPONDENT TO SAMPLE CHILD
		1,516	11. Biological Father
		36	12. Adoptive Father
		100	13. Stepfather
		2	14. Foster Father
		39	15. Father -- DK
		33	16. Father, in military service living at home
		12,946	21. Biological Mother
		246	22. Adoptive Mother
		105	23. Stepmother
		47	24. Foster Mother
		322	25. Mother -- DK
		10	26. Mother, in military service living at home
		25	31. Full Brother

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8	32. Half Brother
0	33. Stepbrother
0	34. Foster Brother
0	35. Adoptive Brother
3	36. Brother -- DK
34	41. Full Sister
11	42. Half Sister
0	43. Stepsister
0	44. Foster Sister
0	45. Adoptive Sister
6	46. Sister -- DK
0	50. Spouse of sample child
95	65. Aunt (Step)
15	66. Uncle (Step)
440	67. Grandmother
45	68. Grandfather
0	69. Child of Sample Child
23	70. Other Relative
2	71. Deleted Person
6	80. Not Related
995	99. Unknown Relationship or DK if Related

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
358-359			NUMBER OF PERSONS IN FAMILY UNIT OF SAMPLE CHILD (excluding sample child) 00. Zero persons . . . . 99. 99 persons
360-361			NUMBER OF PERSONS UNDER 18 IN FAMILY UNIT OF SAMPLE CHILD (excluding sample child) 00. Zero persons . . . . 99. 99 persons
362-363			AGE ORDER OF SAMPLE CHILD TO OTHER CHILDREN IN FAMILY UNIT UNDER 18 00. Sample child is oldest under 18 01-98. Sample child is second oldest thru 99th oldest 99. Unknown
		11,533	
		5,577	
		0	

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES			
364-365			PARENT TYPE
		10,086	01. Both biological parents
		3,553	02. Biological mother and no father
		1,518	03. Biological mother and adoptive, step, foster, DK father
		234	04. Biological father and adoptive, step, foster, DK mother
		341	05. Biological father and no mother
		224	06. Two adoptive parents
		38	07. Two foster parents
		206	08. Grandmother and grandfather
		43	09. Aunt and uncle (both 18 or over)
		356	10. Other two-parent situations
		171	11. Adoptive, step, or foster mother with no father
		203	12. Grandmother and no father or grandfather or Aunt 18+ and no father, or uncle 18+ or Sister 18+ and no father, grandfather, uncle 18+, or brother 18+ or Other related female 18+ and no male 18+
18+		0	13. Unrelated female 18+ and no male
18+		36	14. Adoptive, step, or foster father with no mother
		32	15. Grandfather and no mother or grandmother or Uncle 18+ and no mother, grandmother, or aunt 18+ or Brother 18+ and no mother, grandmother, aunt 18+, or sister
18+			or Other related male 18+ and no female 18+
18+		6	16. Unrelated male 18+ and no female
		63	17. Other



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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued			
366			FAMILY STRUCTURE RECODE 1
		10,086	1. Both biological mother and father household
		5,071	2. Biological mother only
		575	3. Biological father only
		1,378	4. No biological parent in household
367			FAMILY STRUCTURE RECODE 2
		10,086	1. Biological mother and biological father
		580	2. Biological mother and grandmother
		106	3. Biological mother and aunt (no grandmother)
		1,167	4. Biological mother and stepfather (no grandmother or aunt)
		3,218	5. Biological mother and other
including			biological mother only (no grandmother, aunt, or stepfather)
		575	6. Biological father and no biological mother
		436	7. Grandmother and no biological parent
		76	8. Aunt and no biological parent (no grandmother)
		866	9. Other
368			FAMILY STRUCTURE RECODE 3
		10,086	1. Biological mother and biological father
		1,518	2. Biological mother and step/foster/adoptive/unknown father
		3,553	3. Biological mother and no father
		234	4. Biological father and step/foster/adoptive/unknown mother
		341	5. Biological father and no mother
		273	6. Adoptive parent(s); no biological parents
		448	7. Grandparent(s); no biological/adoptive parents
		657	8. Other
369			NUMBER OF PARENTS IN HOUSEHOLD*
		1,059	0. No parents
		4,225	1. One parent

11,826 2. Two parents

\*Excluding foster parents and parents of unknown type.  
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued			
370			SEX OF PARENT IN ONE-PARENT* FAMILY
		11,826	0. Two-parent family
		3,827	1. Female sole parent in family
		398	2. Male sole parent in family
		1,059	3. No parent in family
371			NUMBER OF GRANDPARENTS IN HOUSEHOLD
		15,643	0. No grandparents
		734	1. One grandmother, no grandfather
		10	2. Two grandmothers, no grandfather
		587	3. One grandmother, one grandfather
		1	4. One grandmother, two grandfathers
		11	5. Two grandmothers, one grandfather
		0	6. Two grandmothers, two grandfathers
		124	7. One grandfather, no grandmother
		0	8. Two grandfathers, no grandmother
372			NUMBER OF AUNTS 18 YEARS OR OLDER IN HOUSEHOLD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8 aunts
		0	9. 9+ aunts
373			NUMBER OF UNCLES 18 YEARS OR OLDER IN HOUSEHOLD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8 uncles
		0	9. 9+ uncles
374			NUMBER OF "OTHER" MALE RELATIVES 18 YEARS OR OLDER
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
375			NUMBER OF "OTHER" FEMALE RELATIVES 18 YEARS OR OLDER
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+

\*Foster parents and parents of unknown type not counted as parents.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued			
376			NUMBER OF "OTHER" RELATIVES UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
377			NUMBER OF MALES 18+ NOT RELATED TO SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
378			NUMBER OF FEMALES 18+ NOT RELATED TO SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
379			NUMBER OF PERSONS UNDER 18 NOT RELATED TO SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
380			RELATED MALES, 18 YEARS OR OVER OTHER FATHER FIGURE
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
381			RELATED FEMALES 18 YEARS OR OLDER OTHER THAN MOTHER FIGURE
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
382			NUMBER OF ANY TYPE SIBLINGS
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued			
383			NUMBER OF ANY TYPE SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
384			NUMBER OF ANY TYPE SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
385			NUMBER OF ANY TYPE SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
386			NUMBER OF ANY TYPE SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
387			NUMBER OF FULL SIBLINGS
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
388			NUMBER OF FULL SIBLINGS, SAME SEX OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
389			NUMBER OF FULL SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, YOUNGER
OR			SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

390			NUMBER OF FULL SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
391			NUMBER OF FULL SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
392			NUMBER OF HALF SIBLINGS
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
393			NUMBER OF HALF SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
394			NUMBER OF HALF SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE OF SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
395			NUMBER OF HALF SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
396			NUMBER OF HALF SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

397			NUMBER OF STEP SIBLINGS
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
398			NUMBER OF STEP SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
399			NUMBER OF STEP SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
400 OLDER			NUMBER OF STEP SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
401			NUMBER OF STEP SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE OF SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
402			NUMBER OF OTHER SIBLINGS
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+
403			NUMBER OF OTHER SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+

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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

404			NUMBER OF OTHER SIBLINGS, SAME SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
	17,110	0-8.	0-8
	0	9.	9+

405			NUMBER OF OTHER SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
406			NUMBER OF OTHER SIBLINGS, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
407			TOTAL CHILDREN OTHER THAN SAMPLE CHILD UNDER 18
		17,109	0-8. 0-8
		1	9. 9+
408			NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18, SAME SEX AND OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
409			NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18, SAME SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
410			NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18, DIFFERENT SEX, OLDER THAN SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued			
411			NUMBER OF CHILDREN UNDER 18, DIFFERENT SEX, YOUNGER OR SAME AGE AS SAMPLE CHILD
		17,110	0-8. 0-8
		0	9. 9+
412			SIBSHIP IDENTITY
		6,301	0. No siblings
		8,539	1. Full only
		927	2. Half only
		688	3. Other (or DK) only
		476	4. Full and half

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	137	5. Full and other
	27	6. Half and other
	15	7. All three kinds
413-414		MOTHER FIGURE
	350	00. No mother figure in HH
	15,157	01. Biological mother
	278	02. Adoptive mother
	218	03. Stepmother
	49	04. Foster mother
	478	05. Mother -- DK
	427	06. Grandmother
	73	07. Aunt (18 or over)
	32	08. Sister (18 or over)
	23	09. Other related female (18 or over)
	25	10. Other unrelated female (18 or over)
415-416		YEARS OF EDUCATION OF MOTHER FIGURE
	53	00. None, kindergarten only
	10,308	01-12. Grades 1-12
		College:
	1,431	13. 1 year
	1,620	14. 2 years
	486	15. 3 years
	1,716	16. 4 years
	378	17. 5 years
	678	18. 6+ years
	90	19. Unknown, no NHIS person record for mother figure
	350	21. No mother figure in HH

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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

417			LABOR FORCE STATUS OF MOTHER FIGURE*
		43	0. Under 18 years
		10,416	1. Currently employed
		693	2. Unemployed
		5,595	3. Not in labor force (18+)
		350	4. No mother figure in HH
		13	9. Unknown, no NHIS person record for mother figure
418-420			AGE OF MOTHER FIGURE IN MONTHS WHEN SAMPLE CHILD BORN
		16,713	001-780. Months
		350	998. No mother figure in HH



47 999. Unknown, no NHIS person record for mother figure

421 MARITAL STATUS OF MOTHER IN HOUSEHOLD

0	0. Under 14 years
12,951	1. Married
292	2. Widowed
1,561	3. Divorced
710	4. Separated
1,214	5. Never married
350	6. No mother in household
32	7. Unknown, no NHIS person record for mother figure

422 RELATIONSHIP OF SAMPLE CHILD TO MOTHER IN HOUSEHOLD

350	0. No mother in household
15,157	1. Biological child
278	2. Adoptive child
218	3. Step child
49	4. Foster child
478	5. Mother present-DK type
32	6. Sibling
73	7. Niece/nephew
427	8. Grandchild
48	9. Other, including unknown and not related

\*Not edited for consistency with tape location 466. This field was derived from the person record for the individual identified as the mother figure, while tape location 466 was coded in response to an explicit question on the Child Health Supplement.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

423-424 FATHER FIGURE

3,094	00. No father figure in HH
10,661	01. Biological father
330	02. Adoptive father
1,233	03. Stepfather
43	04. Foster father
566	05. Father -- DK
536	06. Grandfather
217	07. Uncle (18 or over)
270	08. Brother (18 or over)
66	09. Other related male (18 or over)

94 10. Other unrelated male (18 or over)

425-426 YEARS OF EDUCATION OF FATHER FIGURE

40	00. None, kindergarten only
7,689	01-12. Grades 1-12
	College:
1,002	13. 1 year
1,314	14. 2 years
413	15. 3 years
1,757	16. 4 years
379	17. 5 years
1,118	18. 6+ years
304	19. Unknown, no NHIS person record for father figure
3,094	21. No father figure in HH

427 LABOR FORCE STATUS OF FATHER FIGURE

4	0. Under 18 years
12,451	1. Currently employed
451	2. Unemployed
878	3. Not in labor force (18+)
3,094	4. No father figure in HH
232	9. Unknown, no NHIS person record for father figure

428-430 AGE OF FATHER FIGURE IN MONTHS WHEN SAMPLE CHILD BORN

13,758	001-997. 001-997 months
3,094	998. No father figure in HH
258	999. Unknown, no NHIS person record for father figure

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Tape	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

431 MARITAL STATUS OF FATHER IN HOUSEHOLD

0	0. Under 14 years
12,897	1. Married
65	2. Widowed
278	3. Divorced
101	4. Separated
434	5. Never married
3,094	6. No father in household
241	7. Unknown, no NHIS person record for

father figure

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RELATIONSHIP OF SAMPLE CHILD TO FATHER IN HOUSEHOLD

3,094	0.	No father in household
10,661	1.	Biological child
330	2.	Adoptive child
1,233	3.	Step child
43	4.	Foster child
566	5.	Father present-DK type
270	6.	Sibling
217	7.	Niece/nephew
536	8.	Grandchild
160	9.	Other, including unknown and not related

433-434

HIGHEST OF EDUCATION OF MOTHER FIGURE/ FATHER FIGURE

26	00.	None, kindergarten only
8,429	01-12.	Grades 1-12
		College:
1,467	13.	1 year
1,891	14.	2 years
592	15.	3 years
2,267	16.	4 years
554	17.	5 years
1,467	18.	6+ years
374	19.	Unknown
0	20.	Under 5 years of age
43	21.	No mother or father figure in HH

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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FAMILY AND HOUSEHOLD COMPOSITION RECODES - continued

435-436			NUMBER OF FAMILIES IN HOUSEHOLD 01-05.
437-438			NUMBER OF UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS 00-03.
439-440			NUMBER OF PERSONS IN HOUSEHOLD 01-19.

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NUMBER OF CONDITIONS IN HOUSEHOLD

01-99.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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SECTION P2. CHILD CARE

443-444	Check Item		RESPONDENT PERSON NUMBER
	3	16,245	01-28. Person Number
		0	88. Non Household Member
		5	98. Active Duty Military
		860	99. Unknown
445	1a		ATTENDING KINDERGARTEN/1ST GRADE
		552	1. Yes, Kindergarten
		44	2. Yes, First Grade
		1,201	3. No
		42	9. DK or Refused
		15,271	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old
(446-450) 446-447	1b		TIME KINDERGARTEN/1ST GRADE STARTS HOUR
		524	01-12. Hour
		72	99. DK, refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade
448-449			MINUTES
		212	00. None/Dash/00
		312	01-59. 1-59 minutes
		72	99. DK, refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade
450			A.M. OR P.M.
		446	1. A.M.
		59	2. P.M.
		19	3. Noon
		72	9. DK, refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(451-455) 451-452	1c		TIME KINDERGARTEN/1ST GRADE ENDS HOUR
		522	01-12. Hour
		74	99. DK, refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade
453-454			MINUTES
		184	00. None/Dash/00
		338	01-59. 1-59 Minutes
		74	99. DK, refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade
455			A.M. OR P.M.
		137	1. A.M.
		352	2. P.M.
		33	3. Noon
		74	9. DK refused, no answer
		16,514	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten/1st grade
456-458	P2-1b,c		MINUTES PER DAY SPENT IN KINDERGARTEN/FIRST GRADE
		1,201	000. Not in kindergarten/first grade
		521	001-998. One minute-998+ minutes
		117	999. Unknown, including unknown if in kindergarten/first grade
		15,271	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old
459	1d		ATTENDED KINDERGARTEN DAY CARE PROGRAM
		67	1. Yes
		435	2. No
		50	9. DK or refused, no answer
		16,558	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
460-461	1e		HOURS PER WEEK SPENT IN PROGRAM*
		61	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		0	98. 98+ Hours
		6	99. DK, refused no answer
		17,043	Blank. NA-child under 4 or 6+ years old; no/unknown if attends kindergarten; no/unknown if kindergarten day care program
attends			
462	2a		ATTENDED NURSERY/PRESCHOOL
		420	1. Yes, Nursery
		667	2. Yes, Preschool
		2,141	3. No
		85	9. DK, refused, no answer
		13,797	Blank. NA-child under 2 or 6+ years old; age 4-5 and in kindergarten/1st grade
463	2b		CHILD IN NURSERY/PRESCHOOL DAYCARE PROGRAM
		496	1. Yes
		564	2. No
		27	9. DK, refused, no answer
		16,023	Blank. NA-child under 2 or 6+ years old; age 4-5 and in kindergarten/1st grade; no/unknown if attends nursery/preschool
464-465	2c		HOURS PER WEEK SPENT IN NURSERY/PRESCHOOL (Including Day Care If Any)
		1,065	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		0	98. 98+ Hours
		22	99. DK refused, no answer
		16,023	Blank. NA-child under 2 or 6+ years old; age 4-5 and in kindergarten/1st grade; no/unknown if attends nursery/preschool
466			HAS MOTHER WORKED AT A JOB OR BUSINESS FOR PAY IN THE LAST 4 WEEKS?
		3,252	1. Yes
		2,835	2. No
		122	9. DK, refused, no answer
		10,901	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old
467-469			HOURS WORKED PER WEEK
		3,210	001-997. 1-997 hours
		0	998. 998+ hours
		42	999. DK, refused, no answer
		13,858	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old, no/unknown if mother worked in last 4 weeks

\*Not edited for reasonableness; some parents may have included time spent in

kindergarten itself.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
470		2,132	WORK ONLY WHILE CHILD AT SCHOOL
		362	0. Child under 2 or not in school/preschool
		686	1. Yes, only while in School
		72	8. No, other hours
		13,858	9. DK, refused, no answer
			Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if mother worked in last 4 weeks
471	4		CARED FOR IN ANY KIND OF REGULAR ARRANGEMENT IN PAST 4 WEEKS*
		2,818	0. Assumed yes**
		446	1. Yes
		2,833	2. No
		112	9. DK Refused, no answer
		10,901	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old
472-473			CURRENT USUAL TYPE OF CHILD CARE*
		349	01. Day care center
		296	02. Babysitter in child's Home
		872	03. In Babysitter's Home
		493	04. Father cares for child
		153	05. Mother cares for child while working at home
		49	06. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		1	07. Child cares for self
		845	08. Other relative cares for child
		4	09. Day Camp
		98	88. Other
		104	99. DK or Refused
		13,846	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown
if			has regular child care arrangement
474	5c		CARE GIVER'S RELATIONSHIP TO SAMPLE CHILD (Main Source of Care "Other Relative")
		24	1. Sibling of child
		641	2. Grandparent
		169	8. Other relative
		11	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,265	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if child care arrangement; main source
of			care not "other relative"

\*Excluding nursery/preschool and kindergarten extended day care.

\*\*Question not asked because mother/main care giver worked in last 4 weeks and

either: 1) child was not in school/preschool, or 2) mother/main care giver did not report working only when child was in school/preschool.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
475	5d		PLACE USUALLY CARED FOR (Main Source of Care "Other Relative")
		321	1. At Home
		518	2. Somewhere else
		6	9. DK Refused, no answer
		16,265	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if child care arrangement; main source of care not "other relative"
476-477			CURRENT USUAL TYPE OF CHILD CARE (Recode)
		349	01. Day care center
		296	02. Babysitter in child's Home
		872	03. In Babysitter's Home
		493	04. Father cares for child
		153	05. Mother cares for child while working at home
		49	06. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		1	07. Child cares for self
		4	09. Day Camp
		21	10. Sibling cares for child at child's home
		3	11. Sibling cares for child somewhere else
		0	12. Sibling cares for child, site unknown
		235	13. Grandparent cares for child at child's home
		403	14. Grandparent cares for child somewhere else
		3	15. Grandparent cares for child, site unknown
		63	16. Other relative cares for child at child's home
		106	17. Other relative cares for child somewhere else
		0	18. Other relative cares for child, site unknown
child		2	19. Unspecified relative cares for at child's home
child		6	20. Unspecified relative cares for somewhere else
		3	21. Unspecified relative cares for



98 child, site unknown  
 104 88. Other  
 13,846 99. DK, refused, no answer  
 Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown  
 if has regular child care arrangement

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
478-479	5e		HOURS PER WEEK USUALLY CARED FOR AT THIS PLACE
		3,104	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		21	98. 98+ Hours
		139	99. DK, Refused no answer
		13,846	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main child care arrangement
480	6a		CARED FOR IN ANY OTHER ARRANGEMENT
		568	1. Yes
		2,651	2. No
		45	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		13,846	Blank. NA-Child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main child care arrangement
481-482	6b		TYPE OF CARE BESIDES MAIN CHILD CARE ARRANGEMENT
		31	01. Day care center
		62	02. Babysitter in child's Home
		92	03. In Babysitter's Home
		149	04. Father cares for child
		2	05. Mother cares for child while working at home
		5	06. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		0	07. Child cares for self
		190	08. Other relative cares for child
		0	09. Day Camp
		29	88. Other
		8	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,542	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown
if			has main and/or secondary child
care			arrangements
483	6c		PERSON'S RELATIONSHIP (Secondary Source of Care "Other Relative")
		8	1. Sibling

137	2. Grandparent
41	8. Other Relative
4	9. DK, Refused, no answer
16,920	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main and/or secondary child care arrangements; secondary source of child care not "other relative"

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
484	6d		PLACE USUALLY CARED FOR (Secondary Source of Care "Other Relative")
		70	1. At Home
		117	2. Somewhere else
		3	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,920	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main and/or secondary child care arrangements; secondary source of child care not "other relative"
485-486	Recode		TYPE OF CARE BESIDES NURSERY/ PRESCHOOL AND USUAL TYPE OF CHILD CARE (Recode)
		31	01. Day Care Center
		62	02. Babysitter in child's Home
		92	03. In Babysitter's Home
		149	04. Father cares for child
		2	05. Mother cares for child while working at home
		5	06. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		0	07. Child cares for self
		0	08. Other relative cares for child
		0	09. Day Camp
		7	10. Sibling cares for child at child's home
		1	11. Sibling cares for child somewhere else
		0	12. Sibling cares for child, site unknown
		45	13. Grandparent cares for child at child's home
		91	14. Grandparent cares for child somewhere else
		1	15. Grandparent cares for child, site unknown
		18	16. Other relative cares for child at child's home
		23	17. Other relative cares for child somewhere else
		0	18. Other relative cares for child, site

site

child	0	19.	unknown Unspecified relative cares for
child	2	20.	at child's home Unspecified relative cares for
	2	21.	somewhere else Unspecified relative cares for child, site unknown
	29	88.	Other
	8	99.	DK, refused, no answer
if	16,542	Blank.	NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown
care			has main and/or secondary child arrangements
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
487-488	6e		HOURS USUALLY CARED FOR AT THIS PLACE PER WEEK
		521	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		1	98. 98+ Hours
		46	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,542	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main and/or secondary child care arrangements
489	7a		USED ANY OTHER CHILD CARE ARRANGEMENTS
		28	1. Yes
		525	2. No
		15	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,542	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main and/or secondary child care arrangements
490-491	7b		ADDITIONAL HOURS PER WEEK CHILD CARE USED
		25	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		0	98. 98+ Hours
		3	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		17,082	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if has main, secondary and/or other child care arrangements.
492-493	8		NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN MAIN CHILD CARE ARRANGEMENT*
		2,383	01-96. 1-96 Children
		1	97. 97+ Children
		538	98. Main source of childcare is mother/father/self
		899	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		13,289	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if child attends nursery/preschool and

no/unknown if has main child care arrangement

494-495	9		NUMBER OF ADULTS WHO SUPERVISE
		2,442	01-96. 1-96 Adults
		1	97. 97+ Adults
		538	98. Main source of childcare is mother/father/self
		840	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		13,289	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if child attends nursery/preschool and no/unknown if has main child care arrangement

\*For variables in locs. 492-496, respondent was asked about main arrangement, which they may have interpreted to include nursery/preschool and kindergarten extended day care. If response in locs. 472-473 was mother/father/self care, this was automatically coded into locs. 492-496, irrespective of whether or not child also attended nursery/preschool or kindergarten extended day care.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
496	10		MAIN CHILD CARE PERSON RECEIVED SPECIAL TRAINING
		715	1. Yes
		1,459	2. No
		538	8. Main source of childcare is mother/father/self
		1,109	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		13,289	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if child attends nursery/preschool and no/unknown if has main child care arrangement
497			WAS CHILD EVER CARED FOR IN REGULAR CHILD CARE ARRANGEMENT?
		3,821	0. Yes, current child care arrangement, including nursery/preschool and kindergarten extended day care
		480	1. Yes, former child care arrangement
		1,782	2. No
		126	9. DK, refused, no answer
		10,901	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old
498	12		WHEN CHILD LAST RECEIVED REGULAR CARE (Children With Former Child Care Only)
		352	1. Within last 12 months
		120	2. Prior to last 12 months
		8	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,630	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; child attends

nursery school and/or has main child arrangement; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement

499-501	13		TIMES CHANGED ARRANGEMENTS IN PAST YEAR
		2,793	000. None/Dash
		993	001-997. 1-997 Times
		0	998. 998+ Times
		387	999. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,937	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement; no/unknown if last child care received in past 12 months

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
502-503	14a		TYPE OF CARE USED BEFORE CHANGE
		73	01. Nursery School or Preschool
		45	02. Nursery School or Preschool with Daycare
		164	03. Daycare Center
		105	04. Babysitter in child's home
		379	05. In Babysitter's home
		23	06. Father cares for child
		11	07. Mother cares for child while working at home
		5	08. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		2	09. Summer Day Camp
		0	10. Child cares for self
		143	11. Other relative cares for child
		42	88. Other
		388	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,730	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement; no/unknown if last child care received in past 12 months; main child care arrangement did not change in past 12 months
504	14b		PERSON'S RELATIONSHIP (Care Used Before Change "Other Relative")
		4	1. Sibling of Child
		93	2. Grandparent
		40	8. Other Relative
		6	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,967	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care

if

child arrangement; no/unknown if last  
 child care received in past 12 months;  
 main child care arrangement did not  
 change in past 12 months

505 14c PLACE USUALLY CARED FOR (Care Used Before  
 Change "Other Relative")  
 46 1. At Home  
 94 2. Somewhere else  
 3 9. DK, Refused, no answer  
 16,967 Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if  
 ever had regular child care  
 arrangement; no/unknown if last

child care received in past 12 months;  
 main child care arrangement did not  
 change in past 12 months; source of  
 care used before change not "other  
 relative"

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
506-507	Recode		TYPE OF CARE USED BEFORE CHANGE
		73	01. Nursery School or Preschool
		45	02. Nursery School or Preschool with Daycare
		164	03. Daycare Center
		105	04. Babysitter in child's home
		379	05. In Babysitter's home
		23	06. Father cares for child
		11	07. Mother cares for child while working at home
		5	08. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		2	09. Summer Day Camp
		0	10. Child cares for self
		4	11. Sibling cares for child at child's home
		0	12. Sibling cares for child somewhere else
		0	13. Sibling cares for child, site unknown
		28	14. Grandparent cares for child at child's home
		64	15. Grandparent cares for child somewhere else
		1	16. Grandparent cares for child, site unknown
		13	17. Other relative cares for child at child's home
		27	18. Other relative cares for child somewhere else

site	0	19.	Other relative cares for child, unknown
child	1	20.	Unspecified relative cares for at child's home
child	3	21.	Unspecified relative cares for somewhere else
	2	22.	Unspecified relative cares for child, site unknown
	42	88.	Other
	388	99.	DK, refused, no answer
attends	15,730	Blank.	NA-child 6+ years old; child nursery school and/or has main care arrangement; no/unknown if had regular child care arrangement; no/unknown if last child care received in past 12 months; main child care arrangement did not change in past 12 months

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
508-509	14d		HOURS PER WEEK USUALLY CARED FOR AT THIS PLACE
		959	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		10	98. 98+ Hours
		411	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,730	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement; no/unknown if last care received in past 12 months; main child care arrangement did not change in past 12 months
(510-512) 510-511	15		AGE WHEN CHILD FIRST HAD CHILD CARE NUMBER OF UNITS
		355	00. Less than 1 Month
		3,491	01-98. 1-98 Months, Years
		455	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,809	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement

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TIME UNITS

355	0. Less than 1 Month
2,244	1. Months
1,247	2. Years
455	9. DK, Refused, no answer
12,809	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement

513-514	Recode	AGE IN MONTHS WHEN CHILD CARE BEGAN
355		00. Less than 1 month
3,491		01-71. 01 to 71 months
455		99. DK, refused, no answer
12,809		Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement

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1988 NHIS CHILD HEALTH PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORD

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
515-516	16a		TYPE OF CHILD CARE FIRST USED
		347	01. Nursery School or Preschool
		107	02. Nursery School or Preschool with Day Care
		394	03. Day Care Center
		420	04. Babysitter in child's Home
		1,125	05. In Babysitter's Home
		335	06. Father cares for child
		167	07. Mother cares for child while working at home
		47	08. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		1	09. Summer Day Camp
		0	10. Child cares for self
		819	11. Other Relative cares for child
		140	88. Other
		399	99. DK, Refused, No Answer
		12,809	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement
517	16b		PERSON'S RELATIONSHIP (Care First Used Relative")
"Other		17	1. Sibling of Child
		617	2. Grandparent
		175	8. Other Relative
		10	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,291	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement; main first source of child care not "other relative"



518	16c		PLACE USUALLY CARED FOR (Care First Used "Other Relative")
		285	1. At Home
		516	2. Somewhere else
		18	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,291	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement; main first source of child care not "other relative"

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1988 NHIS CHILD HEALTH PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORD

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
519-520	Recode		TYPE OF CHILD CARE FIRST USED (Recode)
		347	01. Nursery School or Preschool
		107	02. Nursery School or Preschool with Daycare
		394	03. Daycare Center
		420	04. Babysitter in child's home
		1,125	05. In Babysitter's home
		335	06. Father cares for child
		167	07. Mother cares for child while working at home
		47	08. Mother cares for child while working outside of home
		1	09. Summer Day Camp
		0	10. Child cares for self
		16	11. Sibling cares for child at child's home
		1	12. Sibling cares for child somewhere else
		0	13. Sibling cares for child, site unknown
		211	14. Grandparent cares for child at child's home
		397	15. Grandparent cares for child somewhere else
		9	16. Grandparent cares for child, site unknown
		57	17. Other relative cares for child at child's home
		118	18. Other relative cares for child somewhere else
site		0	19. Other relative cares for child, unknown
child		1	20. Unspecified relative cares for at child's home
child		0	21. Unspecified relative cares for somewhere else

		9	22. Unspecified relative cares for child, site unknown
		140	88. Other
		399	99. DK, refused, no answer
never/unknown		12,809	Blank. NA-Child 6+ years old;  if ever had regular child care arrangement
521-522	16d		HOURS PER WEEK USUALLY CARED FOR
		3,682	01-97. 1-97 Hours
		78	98. 98+ Hours
		541	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,809	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old; no/unknown if ever had regular child care arrangement
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
SECTION P3. RELATIONSHIPS AND MOBILITY			
523-524	1 (Page 91)		BIOLOGICAL MOTHER'S AGE WHEN CHILD BORN
			10-65. 10-65 Years
			99. DK, Refused, no answer
525-526	2		NUMBER OF CHILDREN BIOLOGICAL MOTHER HAS
		4,439	01. One/Sample Child Only
		12,147	02-98. 2-98 Children
		524	99. DK, Refused, no answer
527	3		BIRTH ORDER OF SAMPLE CHILD
		8,159	1. First
		4,867	2. Second
		2,031	3. Third
		824	4. Fourth
		350	5. Fifth
		381	6. Sixth or higher
		498	9. DK, Refused, no answer
528-529	4		BIOLOGICAL MOTHER'S AGE* WHEN FIRST CHILD WAS BORN
			10-65. 10-65 Years
			99. DK, Refused, no answer
530	5a		CHILD LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
		986	1. Yes
		348	2. No
		15,157	6. Biological mother in household
		619	9. DK, Refused, no answer

\*Not edited for reasonableness.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(531-534)	5b		MONTH/YEAR LAST LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
		15,157	9996. Biological mother in household
		348	9997. Never lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		619	9998. Unknown if ever lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		90	9999. Don't know, refused, no answer
531-532			MONTH
			01. January
			02. February
			03. March
			04. April
			05. May
			06. June
			07. July
			08. August
			09. September
			10. October
			11. November
			12. December
			99. Month unknown/DK, refused, no answer
533-534			YEAR
			70-89. 1970 - 1989
535-537	Recode		MONTHS SINCE LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
		14	000. Less than 1 month
		703	001-215. 1-215 months
		15,157	996. Biological mother in household
		348	997. Never lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		619	998. Unknown if ever lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		269	999. Unknown number of months

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
538-539	Recode		DURATION SINCE LAST LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
		85	01. Less than 3 months
		73	02. 3-5 months
		107	03. 6-11 months
		112	04. 1 year
		340	05-20. 2-17 years
		15,157	96. Biological mother in household
		348	97. Never lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		619	98. Unknown if ever lived with biological mother for at least 4 consecutive months
		269	99. Unknown duration.
540	6		BIOLOGICAL MOTHER VITAL STATUS
		16,233	1. Living, including biological mother in household
		105	2. Deceased
		772	9. DK or Refused
541-542	7		WHEN CHILD SEES MOTHER
		208	00. Never
		79	01. Everyday
		35	02. Almost everyday
		102	03. Several times a week
		116	04. About once a week
		142	05. Two or three times a month
		71	06. About once a month
		161	07. Several times a year
		131	08. Once a year or less
		15,157	96. Biological mother in household
		105	97. Biological mother deceased
		772	98. Unknown if biological mother alive
		31	99. DK, Refused, no answer
543	8		MARITAL STATUS BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
		1,402	0. Never Married
		11,631	1. Married
		215	2. Widowed
		1,858	3. Divorced
		804	4. Separated
		323	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive

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Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
544-545	Recode		MARITAL STATUS OF BIOLOGICAL MOTHER (Recode)
		1,244	01. Bio mother in HH and never married
		8,827	Bio mother in HH, married once and: 02. Currently married to bio father
		375	03. Currently married to someone else
		514	04. Currently separated
		1,216	05. Currently divorced
		155	06. Currently widowed
		0	07. Currently marital status unknown Bio mother in HH, married more than once, and:
		1,039	08. Currently married to bio father
		1,025	09. Currently married to someone else
		150	10. Currently separated
		325	11. Currently divorced
		42	12. Currently widowed
		0	13. Currently marital status unknown Bio mother in HH, number of marriages unknown, and:
		25	14. Currently married to bio father
		6	15. Currently married to someone else
		2	16. Currently separated
		5	17. Currently divorced
		1	18. Currently widowed
		206	19. Currently marital status unknown
		158	20. Bio mother not in HH and never married Bio mother not in HH, married once and:
		45	21. Currently married to bio father
		48	22. Currently married to someone else
		95	23. Currently separated
		203	24. Currently divorced
		9	25. Currently widowed
		0	26. Currently marital status unknown Bio mother not in HH, married more than once, and:
		0	27. Currently married to bio father
		219	28. Currently married to someone else
		39	29. Currently separated
		102	30. Currently divorced
		8	31. Currently widowed
		0	32. Currently marital status unknown Bio mother not in HH, number of marriages unknown, and:
		0	33. Currently married to bio father
		22	34. Currently married to someone else
		4	35. Currently separated
		7	36. Currently divorced
		0	37. Currently widowed
		117	38. Currently marital status unknown
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
546	9		TIMES BIOLOGICAL MOTHER MARRIED
		1,402	0. Never Married
		14,434	1-7. 1-7 Times
		2	8. 8+ Times
		395	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive
547			STATUS OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN BIOLOGICAL MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		2,122	0. Never married
		560	1. Separated
		2,621	2. Divorced
		213	3. Widowed
		6	4. Annulled
		9,891	5. Currently married and biological mother in household
		45	6. Currently married and biological mother not in household
		775	9. Unknown
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if currently married; biological mother currently married to biological father
548	10a		BIOLOGICAL MOTHER/FATHER EVER MARRIED
		13,436	1. Yes
		2,122	2. No
		675	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(549-552)	10b		MONTH/YEAR BIOLOGICAL MOTHER/FATHER MARRIED
549-550			MONTH
			01. January
			02. February
			03. March
			04. April

- 05. May
- 06. June
- 07. July
- 08. August
- 09. September
- 10. October
- 11. November
- 12. December
- 99. DK, Refused, no answer to month
- Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if ever married to biological father

551-552

- YEAR
- 00-89. 1900 - 1989
  - 99. DK, Refused, no answer
  - Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or ever if married to biological father

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11a

9,936  
560  
2,621  
213  
6  
100  
3,674

- HOW MARRIAGE ENDED
- 0. Biological mother and father currently married
  - 1. Separation
  - 2. Divorce
  - 3. Death
  - 4. Annulment
  - 9. DK, Refused, no answer
  - Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if ever married to biological father

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1988 NHIS CHILD HEALTH PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORD

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(554-557)	11b		MONTH/YEAR STOPPED LIVING WITH BIOLOGICAL FATHER (Separated/Widowed/Annulled)
554-555			MONTH <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>01. January</li> <li>02. February</li> <li>03. March</li> <li>04. April</li> <li>05. May</li> <li>06. June</li> <li>07. July</li> <li>08. August</li> <li>09. September</li> <li>10. October</li> <li>11. November</li> <li>12. December</li> <li>99. Month Unknown/DK, Refused, no</li> </ul>

answer  
 Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father or if separated, divorced or annulled from biological father

556-557

YEAR  
 00-89. 1900 - 1989  
 99. DK, Refused, no answer  
 Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father or if separated, divorced or annulled from biological father

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1988 NHIS CHILD HEALTH PUBLIC USE TAPE RECORD

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(558-561)	11c		MONTH/YEAR MARRIAGE LEGALLY ENDED (Widowed/Divorced/Annulled)
558-559			MONTH 01. January 02. February 03. March 04. April 05. May 06. June 07. July 08. August 09. September 10. October 11. November 12. December 99. Month Unknown/DK, Refused, no answer Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father or if widowed, divorced or annulled from biological father
560-561			YEAR 00-89. 1900 - 1989 99. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father or if widowed, divorced or annulled from biological father
562-564	Recode		DURATION OF MARRIAGE: BIOLOGICAL



MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER  
(including time "separated")  
8  
000. Less than one month  
12,007 001-998. 1-998 month  
1,421 999. Unknown  
3,674 Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological  
mother alive or if ever married to  
biological father

565-567 Recode

DURATION OF MARRIAGE: BIOLOGICAL  
MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER (excluding  
time "separated")  
14  
000. Less than 1 month  
12,011 001-998. 1-998+ months  
1,411 999. Unknown  
3,674 Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological  
mother alive or if ever married  
to biological father

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
568	Recode		TIMING OF MARRIAGE OF BIOLOGICAL MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		2,122	0. Never married to biological father
		10,621	1. More than 7 months before birth of sample child
		1,092	2. 0-7 months before birth of sample child
		605	3. After birth of sample child
		1,793	9. Unknown, including unknown if ever married to biological father
		877	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive
569-571	Recode		MONTHS BETWEEN MARRIAGE AND SEPARATION: BIOLOGICAL MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		7	000. Less than 1 month
		2,290	001-998. 1-998 months
		890	999. Unknown
		13,923	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father, or if ever separated/divorced/annulled from biological father
572-574	Recode		MONTHS BETWEEN MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE/ANNULMENT: BIOLOGICAL MOTHER AND BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		1	000. Less than 1 month
		1,813	001-998. 1-998 months
		813	999. Unknown

		14,483	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father, or if divorced/ annulled from biological father
575-577	Recode		MONTHS BETWEEN MARRIAGE AND DEATH OF BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		0	000. Less than 1 month
		139	001-998. 1-998 months
		74	999. Unknown
		16,897	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive, if ever married to biological father, or if widowed from biological father

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(578-581)	12		MONTH/YEAR BIOLOGICAL MOTHER'S CURRENT MARRIAGE BEGAN (Including Current Marriage to Biological Father)
578-579			MONTH 01. January 02. February 03. March 04. April 05. May 06. June 07. July 08. August 09. September 10. October 11. November 12. December 99. Month Unknown/DK, Refused, no answer Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if currently married
580-581			YEAR 00-89. 1900 - 1989 99. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if currently married
582-584	Recode		DURATION OF CURRENT MARRIAGE FOR BIOLOGICAL MOTHER (Excluding Women Currently Married to Biological Father)
		9	000. Less than 1 month
		1,141	001-998. 1-998 months

		545	999. Unknown
		15,415	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if currently married; biological mother currently married to biological father
585-587	Recode		DURATION OF CURRENT MARRIAGE FOR BIOLOGICAL MOTHER (Including Marriages to Biological Father)
		16	000. Less than 1 month
		10,723	001-998. 1-998 months
		892	999. Unknown
		5,479	Blank. NA-no/unknown if biological mother alive or if currently married
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
588	13a		EVER LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL FATHER FOR 4 MONTHS
		2,929	1. Yes
		2,185	2. No
		10,661	5. Biological father in household
		492	6. Reported no/unknown if ever lived with father, but bio parents still married at least four months after birth of sample child
		843	9. DK, Refused, no answer
(589-592)	13b		MONTH/YEAR LAST LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		10,661	9995. Biological father in household
		492	9996. Reported no/unknown if ever lived with father, but bio parents still married at least four months after birth of sample child
		2,185	9997. Never lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		843	9998. Unknown if ever lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		411	9999. DK, Refused, no answer
589-590			MONTH
			01. January
			02. February
			03. March
			04. April
			05. May
			06. June
			07. July

- 08. August
- 09. September
- 10. October
- 11. November
- 12. December
- 99. Month Unknown/DK, Refused, no answer

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- YEAR
- 70-89. 1970 - 1989
  - 99. DK, Refused, no answer

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
593-595	Recode		MONTH SINCE LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		2	000. Less than 1 month
		2,509	001-215. 1-215 months
		10,661	995. Biological father in household
		492	996. Reported no/unknown if ever lived with father, but bio parents still married at least four months after birth of sample child.
		2,185	997. Never lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		843	998. Unknown if ever lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		418	999. Unknown number of months
596-597	Recode		DURATION SINCE LAST LIVED WITH BIOLOGICAL FATHER
		126	01. Less than 3 months
		143	02. 3-5 months
		201	03. 6-11 months
		330	04. 1 year
		1,711	05-20. 2-17 years
		10,661	95. Biological Father in household
		492	96. Reported no/unknown if ever lived with father, but bio parents still married at least four months after birth of sample child.
		2,185	97. Never lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		843	98. Unknown if ever lived with biological father for at least 4 consecutive months
		418	99. Unknown duration
598	14		BIOLOGICAL FATHER VITAL STATUS
		13,275	1. Living, including biological

	296	father in household
	3,539	2. Deceased
		9. DK, Refused, no answer

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
599-600	15		HOW OFTEN SEES FATHER
		514	00. Never
		96	01. Everyday
		60	02. Almost everyday
		231	03. Several times a week
		281	04. About once a week
		407	05. Two or three times a month
		171	06. About once a month
		437	07. Several times a year
		314	08. Once a year or less
		10,661	96. Biological father in household
		296	97. Biological father deceased
		3,539	98. Unknown if biological father alive
		103	99. DK or Refused, no answer
601	Recode		HAS CHILD LIVED AT CURRENT ADDRESS SINCE BIRTH?
		5,603	1. Yes
		10,372	2. No
		1,135	9. Unknown
(602-605) 602-603	16		MONTH/YEAR MOVED TO THIS ADDRESS
			MONTH
		5,603	00. Lived here since birth
		664	01. January
		663	02. February
		733	03. March
		757	04. April
		819	05. May
		1,129	06. June
		988	07. July
		1,154	08. August
		969	09. September
		965	10. October
		829	11. November
		702	12. December
		1,135	99. Month Unknown/DK, Refused no answer
604-605			YEAR
		5,603	00. Lived here since birth
		11,019	70-89. 1970 - 1989
		488	99. DK, Refused, no answer
606-608	Recode		NUMBER OF MONTHS CHILD HAS LIVED AT

			CURRENT ADDRESS
	222		000. Less than 1 month
	15,753		001-215. 1-215 months
	1,135		999. Unknown
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
609-610	Recode		DURATION CHILD HAS LIVED AT CURRENT ADDRESS
		198	00. Less than 1 month
		6,134	01-35. 1-35 months
		815	36. 3 to less than 4 years
			37. 4 to less than 5 years
		3,225	. .
			. .
		5,603	50. 17 to less than 18 years
		1,135	98. Lived at current address since birth
			99. Unknown
611	17		MILES MOVED LAST
		2,227	1. Less than 1 mile
		6,740	2. 1 - 50 miles
		2,158	3. 50+ miles
		5,603	8. Never moved
		382	9. DK or Refused, no answer
612-613	18		TIMES CHILD EVER MOVED
		5,603	00. None
		10,927	01-97. 1-97 times
		1	98. 98+ times
		579	99. DK, Refused, no answer
614			NUMBER OF TIMES EVER MOVED
		15,180	0-5. 0-5 times
		1,351	6. 6+ times
		579	9. Unknown
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(615-618) 615-616	19		MONTH/YEAR CHILD BEGAN LIVING WITH RESPONDENT
			0000. Since birth

8888. Doesn't live with respondent  
 9999. DK, Refused, no answer  
 Blank. NA-respondent is biological mother

or

biological father

MONTH

- 01. January
- 02. February
- 03. March
- 04. April
- 05. May
- 06. June
- 07. July
- 08. August
- 09. September
- 10. October
- 11. November
- 12. December
- 99. Month Unknown

617-618

YEAR

70-89. 1970-1989

619-621 Recode

MONTHS CHILD HAS LIVED WITH  
 RESPONDENT (Respondent Neither  
 Bio Mother Nor Bio Father)

- 9 000. Less than 1 month
- 716 001-215. 1-215 months
- 3 888. Doesn't live with respondent
- 355 998. Lived with respondent since birth
- 1,565 999. Unknown
- 14,462 Blank. NA-respondent is biological  
 mother or father

622-624 Recode

MONTHS CHILD HAS LIVED WITH  
 RESPONDENT (Neither Bio Mother  
 Nor Bio Father in HH)

- 7 000. Less than 1 month
- 512 001-215. 1-215 months
- 3 888. Doesn't live with respondent
- 232 998. Lived with respondent since birth
- 624 999. Unknown
- 15,732 Blank. NA-biological mother and/or  
 biological father in household

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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SECTION P4. BIRTH

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PLACE CHILD BORN

(Page 94)	16,506	1. Hospital
	45	2. Birthing Center
	169	3. Home
	13	4. In transit to hospital
	35	8. Other
	342	9. DK, Refused, no answer
626-627	1b	HOSPITAL NIGHTS FOR BIOLOGICAL MOTHER
	66	00. None
	15,845	01-96. 1-96 Nights
	5	97. 97+ Nights
	204	98. Birth not in or in transit to hospital/birthing center
	990	99. DK, Refused, no answer, including unknown place of birth
628-629	1c	HOSPITAL NIGHTS FOR CHILD
	84	00. None
	15,837	01-96. 1-96 Nights
	18	97. 97+ Nights
	204	98. Birth not in or in transit to hospital/ birthing center
	967	99. DK, Refused, no answer, including unknown place of birth
(630-633)	2a	BIRTH WEIGHT*
630-631		POUNDS
		00-50. 0 - 50 Pounds
		99. DK, Refused, no answer
632-633		OUNCES
		00-15. 0-15 Ounces
		99. DK, Refused
634	2b/c	WEIGH 5½ OR 9 POUNDS**
	73	1. Less than 5½ lbs.
	56	2. More than 9 lbs.
	668	3. More than 5½ and Less than 9 lbs.
	140	7. DK if more or less than 5½ lbs.
	21	8. DK if more or less than 9 lbs.
	454	9. Refused, no answer
	15,698	Blank. NA-exact weight or exact number of pounds specified

\*Not edited for reasonableness

\*\*See also tape locations 645 and 646.

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Tape	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
635-637	Recode	15,698	BIRTH WEIGHT IN OUNCES (Excluding Imputed Cases) 007-479. 7-479 ounces

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		1,412	999. Unknown
638-641	Recode		BIRTHWEIGHT IN GRAMS (Excluding Imputed Cases)
		15,698	0198-9997. 198-9997 grams
		0	9998. 9998+ grams
		1,412	9999. Unknown
642	Recode		RECODED BIRTHWEIGHT IN GRAMS (Excluding Imputed Cases) (1)
		144	1. 1500 grams or less
		1,009	2. 1501 - 2500 grams
		12,830	3. 2501 - 4000 grams
		1,715	4. 4001 grams or more
		1,412	9. Unknown
643-644	Recode		RECODED BIRTHWEIGHT IN GRAMS (Excluding Imputed Cases) (2)
		3	01. 500 grams or less
		44	02. 501- 1000 grams
		97	03. 1001 - 1500 grams
		201	04. 1501 - 2000 grams
		808	05. 2001 - 2500 grams
		2,737	06. 2501 - 3000 grams
		5,736	07. 3001 - 3500 grams
		4,357	08. 3501 - 4000 grams
		1,347	09. 4001 - 4500 grams
		325	10. 4501 - 5000 grams
		43	11. 5001 grams or more
		1,412	99. Unknown
645	Recode		BIRTHWEIGHT CATEGORIES (1)
		1,127	1. Less than 5½ lbs.
		13,842	2. 5½ - less than 9 lbs.
		1,526	3. 9 lbs. or more
		21	4. 5½ lbs. or more; unknown if more or less than 9 lbs.
		594	9. Unknown

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
646	Recode		BIRTHWEIGHT CATEGORIES (2)
		73	1. Less than 5½ lbs.
		668	2. 5½ - less than 9 lbs.
		56	3. 9 lbs. or more
		21	4. 5½ lbs. or more; unknown if more/less than 9 lbs.
		15,698	8. Exact weight specified
		594	9. Unknown
647	Recode		IS BIRTHWEIGHT IMPUTED?
		436	1. Yes, weight imputed (pounds and

		382	ounces unknown)
		15,698	2. Yes, weight imputed (pounds known, ounces unknown)
		594	3. No, exact weight provided
			4. No, no information with which to impute
648-650	Recode		BIRTHWEIGHT IN OUNCES (Including Imputed Cases)
		16,516	007-479. 7-479 ounces
		594	999. Unknown
651-654	Recode		BIRTHWEIGHT IN GRAMS (Including Imputed Cases)
		16,516	0198-9997. 198-9997 grams
		0	9998. 9998+ grams
		594	9999. Unknown
655	Recode		RECODED BIRTH WEIGHT IN GRAMS (Including Imputed Cases) (1)
		150	1. 1500 grams or less
		1,093	2. 1501 - 2500 grams
		13,502	3. 2501 - 4000 grams
		1,771	4. 4001 grams or more
		594	9. Unknown
656-657	Recode		RECODED BIRTH WEIGHT IN GRAMS (Including Imputed Cases) (2)
		4	01. 500 grams or less
		44	02. 501- 1000 grams
		102	03. 1001 - 1500 grams
		207	04. 1501 - 2000 grams
		886	05. 2001 - 2500 grams
		2,832	06. 2501 - 3000 grams
		6,230	07. 3001 - 3500 grams
		4,440	08. 3501 - 4000 grams
		1,392	09. 4001 - 4500 grams
		332	10. 4501 - 5000 grams
		47	11. 5001 grams or more
		594	99. Unknown
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
658-659	3a		MONTHS PREGNANT WHEN CHILD BORN 00-11. 0-11 Months 99. DK, Refused, no answer
660	3b		BORN WHEN EXPECTED
		3,197	1. Earlier than expected
		9,519	2. When expected
		3,547	3. Later than expected
		847	9. DK, Refused, no answer

661-662	3c		TIME BIRTH OFF SCHEDULE
			00. Less than one week
			01-20. 1-20 Weeks
			99. DK or Refused
			Blank. NA-no/unknown if child born earlier/later than expected
663-664	Recode		WEEKS EARLIER THAN EXPECTED
			01-20. 1-20 weeks
			99. Unknown
			Blank. NA-child not born earlier than expected
665-666	Recode		WEEKS LATER THAN EXPECTED
			01-08. 1-8 weeks
			99. Unknown
			Blank. NA-child not born later than expected
667-668	Recode		TIMING OF BIRTH (Recode)
		9,519	01. Born when expected
		636	02. Born 1 wk. earlier
		1,112	03. Born 2 wks. earlier
		431	04. Born 3 wks. earlier
		919	05. Born 4+ wks. earlier
		863	06. Born 1 wk. later
		1,729	07. Born 2 wks. later
		502	08. Born 3 wks. later
		372	09. Born 4+ wks. later
		99	10. Born earlier, wks. unknown
		81	11. Born later, wks. unknown
		847	99. Unknown if born earlier/later than expected

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
669	Recode	15,041	ESTIMATED GESTATIONAL AGE (Recode)
42			1. Term delivery: gestational age 36- weeks (0-4 weeks early, on time or 0-2 weeks late) or gestational age unknown but 9-10 months pregnant at delivery
		519	2. Preterm delivery: gestational age 28-35 weeks (5-12 weeks early) or gestational age unknown but 7-8 mo. pregnant at delivery.
		27	3. Very preterm delivery: gestational age 27 weeks or less (13 weeks or more early) or gestational age

unknown

		876	4.	but 5-6 months pregnant at delivery Late delivery: gestational age 43 weeks or more (3 weeks or more late) or gestational age unknown but 11 months pregnant at delivery
		647	9.	Unknown: gestational age (weeks early/late) and months pregnant at delivery both unknown
670-671	4			WEEKS PREGNANT WHEN FIRST THOUGHT PREGNANT
		4,585	01-27.	1-27 Weeks
		7	28.	28+ Weeks
		284	99.	DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank.	NA-child 6+ years old and/or biological mother not respondent
672-673	Recode			WEEKS PREGNANT WHEN FIRST THOUGHT PREGNANT (Recode 1)
		227	01.	Under 2 weeks
		1,067	02.	2-3 weeks
		1,530	03.	4-5 weeks
		810	04.	6-7 weeks
		569	05.	8-9 weeks
		66	06.	10-11 weeks
		193	07.	12-13 weeks
		22	08.	14-15 weeks
		54	09.	16-17 weeks
		4	10.	18-19 weeks
		50	11.	20+ weeks
		284	99.	Unknown
		12,234	Blank.	NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
674	Recode		WEEKS PREGNANT WHEN FIRST THOUGHT PREGNANT (Recode 2)
		2,479	1. 4 weeks or less
		1,983	2. 5-13 weeks
		104	3. 14-20 weeks
		19	4. 21-27 weeks
		7	5. 28+ weeks
		284	9. Unknown
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
675	5a		SEE OR TALK TO DOCTOR ABOUT WHETHER PREGNANT
		4,325	1. Yes
		459	2. No
		92	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or

biological mother not respondent

676	5b		WEEKS PREGNANT WHEN FIRST FOUND OUT
		1,136	1. 4 weeks or less
		2,897	2. 5-13 weeks
		228	3. 14-27 weeks
		20	4. 28 weeks or more
		459	7. Did not talk to doctor to find out if pregnant
		92	8. Unknown if talked to doctor to find out if pregnant
		44	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
677 PREGNANCY	5c		TALK TO DOCTOR AT OTHER TIME DURING
		4,658	1. Yes
		105	2. No
		113	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
678	5d		WEEKS PREGNANT WHEN FIRST SAW DOCTOR (Including to Find Out if Pregnant)
		1,168	1. 4 weeks or less
		3,142	2. 5-13 weeks
		319	3. 14-27 weeks
		39	4. 28 weeks or more
		34	7. Did not see doctor at all during pregnancy
		92	8. Unknown if saw doctor at all during pregnancy
		82	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(679-681) 679-680	6		POUNDS GAINED OR LOST POUNDS
		4,639	01-97. 1-97 pounds
		8	98. 98+ pounds
		229	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
681			GAIN/LOSS
		4,518	1. Gained
		102	2. Lost
		256	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent

682-683	Recode		POUNDS GAINED DURING PREGNANCY
		4,462	01-96. 1-96 pounds
		8	97. 97+ pounds
		102	98. Lost weight
		304	99. Unknown
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
684	7a		NEWBORN CARE RECEIVED
		591	1. Yes
		4,177	2. No
		108	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
685-686	7b		NIGHTS OF SPECIAL CARE
		41	00. None, Less than 1 Night
		541	01-95. 1-95 Nights
		4	96. 96+ Nights
		4,177	97. Did not receive new born care
		108	98. Unknown if received newborn care
		5	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
687	8		BIO MOTHER NOW HAS DIABETES
		44	1. Yes
		4,727	2. No
		105	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(688-696)	9a-c(1-3)		DID BIOLOGICAL MOTHER HAVE:
688	9a(1)		SUGAR IN URINE DURING PREGNANCY
		359	1. Yes
		4,409	2. No
		108	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
689	9b(1)		FIRST NOTICED SUGAR/URINE
		320	1. During pregnancy
		30	2. Before pregnancy
		4,409	7. Did not have sugar in urine during pregnancy
		108	8. Unknown if had sugar in urine during pregnancy

		9	9. DK or Refused
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
690	9c(1)		URINE SUGAR PRESENT 3 MONTHS AFTER BIRTH
		30	1. Yes
		286	2. No
		24	6. Child under 3 months old
		4,409	7. Did not have sugar in urine during pregnancy
		108	8. Unknown if had sugar in urine during pregnancy
		19	9. DK, or Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
691	9a(2)		HIGH BLOOD SUGAR DURING PREGNANCY
		193	1. Yes
		4,567	2. No
		116	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
692	9b(2)		FIRST NOTICED BLOOD SUGAR
		174	1. During pregnancy
		10	2. Before pregnancy
		4,567	7. Did not have high blood sugar during pregnancy
		116	8. Unknown if had high blood sugar during pregnancy
		9	9. DK or Refused
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(688-696)	9a-c(1-3)		
693	9c(2)		BLOOD SUGAR PRESENT 3 MONTHS AFTER BIRTH
		20	1. Yes
		147	2. No
		11	6. Child under 3 months old
		4,567	7. Did not have high blood sugar during pregnancy
		116	8. Unknown if had high blood sugar during pregnancy
		15	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
694	9a(3)		DIABETES DURING PREGNANCY
		117	1. Yes
		4,647	2. No

		112	9. DK, or Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
695	9b(3)		FIRST NOTICED DIABETES
		99	1. During pregnancy
		13	2. Before pregnancy
		4,647	7. Did not have diabetes during pregnancy
		112	8. Unknown if had diabetes during pregnancy
		5	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent
696	9c(3)		DIABETES PRESENT 3 MONTHS AFTER BIRTH
		23	1. Yes
		78	2. No
		8	6. Child under 3 months
		4,647	7. Did not have diabetes during pregnancy
		112	8. Unknown if had diabetes during pregnancy
		8	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. NA-child 6+ years old or biological mother not respondent

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
SECTION P7. GENERAL HEALTH STATUS			
697	1		WEAR GLASSES OR CONTACT LENSES
		2,374	1. Yes
		10,904	2. No
		442	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		3,390	Blank. Less than 3 years old
698	2		TIME SINCE LAST SAW DENTIST
		1,483	0. Never
		6,411	1. 6 Months ago or less
		2,987	2. Over 6 months to 12 months
		1,482	3. Over 12 months to 2 years
		678	4. Over 2 years to 5 years
		132	5. More than 5 years
		547	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		3,390	Blank. Less than 3 years old
699	3		TIME WEARS SEAT BELT
		1,079	0. Never
		11,888	1. All/Most of Time
		2,533	2. Some of the time
		1,122	3. Once in a while



		488	9. DK, Refused, no answer
700	4a		SMOKE CIGARETTES YEAR BEFORE BORN
		1,487	1. Yes
		3,279	2. No
		110	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent
701	4b		CONTINUE TO SMOKE DURING PREGNANCY
		808	1. Yes
		676	2. No
		3	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,623	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; no/unknown if smoked in year prior to child's
birth			
702	4c		WHEN STOPPED SMOKING BEFORE BIRTH
		67	1. Before Pregnancy
		482	2. 1st. Three Months
		120	3. Later
		7	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,434	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; no/unknown if smoked in year prior to child's birth; smoked/unknown if continued
to			
1			smoke during entire pregnancy
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
703-704	4d		CIGARETTES PER DAY SMOKED
		4	00. None, Less Than One Per Day
		1,446	01-97. 1-97 Per Day
		1	98. 98+ Per Day
		36	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,623	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; no/unknown if smoked in year prior to child's
birth			
705	Recode		CIGARETTES A DAY DURING PREGNANCY (Recode)
		4	0. None
		360	1. 5 or less
		462	2. 6-10
		118	3. 11-15
		408	4. 16-20
		49	5. 21-30
		3	6. 31-39
		47	7. 40 or more
		36	9. DK, Refused, no answer

		15,623	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; no/unknown if smoked in year prior to pregnancy
706	4e		NOW SMOKE
		1,348	1. Yes
		3,393	2. No
		135	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(707-709) 707-708	4f		HOW LONG AGO STOPPED SMOKING NUMBER OF TIME UNITS
		1,618	00. Never smoked
		831	01-97. 1-97 Days, Months, Years
		0	98. 98+ Days, Months, Years
		944	99. DK, Refused, no answer, possible never smokers*
		13,717	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; current smoker or unknown if current smoker
709			TIME UNITS
		1,618	0. Never smoked
		20	1. Days
		210	2. Months
		601	3. Years
		921	8. Possible never-smokers*
		23	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		13,717	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; current smoker or unknown if current smoker
710-711	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME OFF OF CIGARETTES (in months)
		615	00-95. Number of months
		216	96. 96+ months
		1,618	97. Never smoked
		921	98. Possible never smokers*
		23	99. DK, refused, no answer
		13,717	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; current smoker or unknown if current smoker
712	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME OFF OF CIGARETTES
		18	0. Less than 1 month
		67	1. 1 month to less than 6 months
		61	2. 6 months to less than 12 months
		92	3. 1 to less than 2 years
		233	4. 2 to less than 5 years

360	5. 5 years or more
1,618	7. Never smoked
921	8. Possible never smokers
23	9. DK, refused, no answer
13,717	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother is not the respondent; current smoker or unknown if current smoker

\*A code of 998 in locs. 707-709 represents persons who did not smoke in the year prior to child's birth, do not smoke now, and did not answer the question "how long ago did you stop smoking?"

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
713	5		FREQUENCY OF CONTACT WITH PERSONS WHO SMOKE
		796	0. Never
		1,891	1. Occasionally
		1,054	2. Often
		997	3. Always
		138	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		12,234	Blank. 6+ years and/or biological mother not the respondent
714	6a		HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS SMOKED SINCE CHILD BORN
		8,609	1. Yes
		8,076	2. No
		425	9. DK, Refused, no answer
715	6b		HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS CURRENTLY SMOKING
		6,877	1. Yes
		1,574	2. No
		158	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		8,501	Blank. No/unknown if regular smoker in household since child's birth
716	6c		TIME SINCE HOUSEHOLD MEMBER LAST SMOKED
		431	1. During the last 12 months
		1,084	2. More than 12 months ago
		59	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,536	Blank. No/unknown if regular smoker in household since child's birth; current smoker in household

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(717-723) 717	7a-g 7a	15,987 742 381	ASSESSMENT OF CHILD'S HEALTH: HEALTH IS EXCELLENT 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
718	7b	15,607 1,103 400	RESISTS ILLNESS 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
719	7c	841 15,870 399	LESS HEALTHY THAN OTHERS 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
720	7d	2,952 13,730 428	USUALLY CATCHES SOMETHING 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
721	7e	2,026 14,655 429	SOMEWHAT CLUMSY 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
722	7f	1,429 15,254 427	ACCIDENT PRONE 1. Mostly true 2. Mostly false 9. DK, Refused, no answer
723	7g	15,882 766 462	RECOVERS QUICKLY 1. Mostly True 2. Mostly False 9. DK, Refused, no answer
724	8a	2,382 14,325 403	EVER BEEN SERIOUSLY ILL 1. Yes 2. No 9. DK, Refused, no answer
725	8b	1,204 1,137 41 14,728	EVER SO SICK THOUGHT MAY DIE 1. Yes 2. No 9. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. Never or don't know if ever

seriously

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
726	Recode		HEALTH STATUS SCALE
		9,800	0. 0 points (most healthy)
		3,264	1. 1 point
		1,857	2. 2 points
		728	3. 3 points
		387	4. 4 points
		173	5. 5 points
		109	6. 6 points
		75	7. 7 points
		25	8. 8 points
		18	9. 9 points (least healthy)
		674	Blank. DK, refused, no answer
727	9a		USUAL BEDTIME
		12,604	1. Has Usual Bedtime
		2,801	2. Bedtime Varies
		534	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		1,171	Blank. Under 1 year old
(728-732) 728-729	9b		TIME USUALLY GO TO BED
			HOUR
		12,415	01-12. Hour
		189	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		4,506	Blank. Under 1 year old, no/unknown if has usual bedtime
730-731			MINUTES
		7,673	00. None/Dash/00
		4,741	01-59. 1-59 Minutes
		190	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		4,506	Blank. Under 1 year old, no/unknown if has usual bedtime
732			A.M. OR P.M.
		63	1. A.M.
		12,352	2. P.M.
		189	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		4,506	Blank. Under 1 year old, no/unknown if has usual bedtime

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
733-734	Recode		USUAL BEDTIME
		2,801	00. No usual bedtime

20	01.	Before 7 p.m.
137	02.	7 - 7:29 p.m.
323	03.	7:30 - 7:59 p.m.
1,700	04.	8 - 8:29 p.m.
1,982	05.	8:30 - 8:59 p.m.
3,550	06.	9 - 9:29 p.m.
1,589	07.	9:30 - 9:59 p.m.
1,957	08.	10 - 10:29 p.m.
542	09.	10:30 - 10:59 p.m.
467	10.	11 - 11:29 p.m.
84	11.	11:30 - 11:59 p.m.
63	12.	12 midnight or later
0	21.	7 - 7:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
0	22.	8 - 8:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
1	23.	9 - 9:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
0	24.	10 - 10:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
0	25.	11 - 11:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
534	98.	Unknown if has usual bedtime.
189	99.	Has usual bedtime but time unknown
1,171	Blank.	Under 1 year old

(735-739) 9c  
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LATEST BEDTIME WEEKDAYS (No Usual Bedtime)  
HOUR

2,384	01-12.	Hour
1,140	99.	DK, Refused, no answer
13,586	Blank.	Less than 1 year old; has known usual bedtime

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MINUTES

1,752	00.	None
630	01-59.	1-59 Minutes
1,142	99.	DK, Refused, no answer
13,586	Blank.	Less than 1 year old, has known usual bedtime

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A.M. OR P.M.

316	1.	A.M.
2,068	2.	P.M.
1,140	9.	DK, Refused, no answer
13,586	Blank.	Less than 1 year old, has known usual bedtime

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
740-741	Recode		LATEST WEEKDAY BEDTIME (No Usual Bedtime)
		0	01. Before 7 p.m.
		2	02. 7 - 7:29 p.m.
		1	03. 7:30 - 7:59 p.m.
		22	04. 8 - 8:29 p.m.
		29	05. 8:30 - 8:59 p.m.
		224	06. 9 - 9:29 p.m.

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156	07.	9:30 - 9:59 p.m.
618	08.	10 - 10:29 p.m.
248	09.	10:30 - 10:59 p.m.
626	10.	11 - 11:29 p.m.
140	11.	11:30 - 11:59 p.m.
316	12.	12 midnight or later
0	21.	7 - 7:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
0	22.	8 - 8:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
1	23.	9 - 9:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
1	24.	10 - 10:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
0	25.	11 - 11:59 p.m. (minutes unknown)
1,140	99.	DK, refused, no answer
13,586	Blank.	Under 1 year old; usual bedtime specified

742	10a	REGULAR SLEEPING ROOM
		1. One Room
15,409		2. Different Rooms
1,330		9. DK, Refused, no answer
371		
743	10b	SLEEP ALONE
		1. Alone
10,679		2. Shares
6,038		9. DK, Refused, no answer
393		

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(744-749)	10c		WHO SHARES ROOM
744			BROTHER(S)
		2,183	1. Mentioned
		3,700	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom
745			SISTER(S)
		1,986	1. Mentioned
		3,897	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom
746			OTHER CHILDREN
		128	1. Mentioned
		5,755	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom
747			FATHER
		782	1. Mentioned
		5,101	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom

748			MOTHER
		1,720	1. Mentioned
		4,163	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom
749			OTHER ADULT(S)
		218	1. Mentioned
		5,665	2. Not mentioned
		155	9. DK - entire item
		11,072	Blank. No/unknown if shares bedroom
750	Recode		USUALLY SHARES ROOM WITH SIBLING (Recode)
		6,318	0. Boy does not share room with sibling
		1,662	1. Boy with brother(s)
		422	2. Boy with sister(s)
		51	3. Boy with brother(s) and sister(s)
		283	4. Boy - unknown if shares with sibling
		6,191	5. Girl does not share room with
sibling		1,448	6. Girl with sister(s)
		405	7. Girl with brother(s)
		65	8. Girl with brother(s) and sister(s)
		265	9. Girl - unknown if shares with
sibling			
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
751	Recode		USUALLY SHARES ROOM WITH PARENT (Recode)
		7,584	0. Boy does not share room with parent
		48	1. Boy with father
		430	2. Boy with mother
		391	3. Boy with both parents
		283	4. Boy - unknown if shares
		7,193	5. Girl does not share room with parent
		573	6. Girl with mother
		17	7. Girl with father
		326	8. Girl with both parents
		265	9. Girl - unknown if shares
752	1		EVER ATTENDED SCHOOL (Including Nursery/ Preschool)
		11,298	1. Yes
		239	2. No
		303	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		5,270	Blank. Less than 5 years old
753	2		SCHOOL OR VACATION NOW
		131	0. Neither



8,672	1.	Going to School
2,417	2.	On Vacation From School
78	9.	DK, Refused, no answer
5,812	Blank.	Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school

754	Recode	AGE AND SCHOOL STATUS
5,270	1.	0-4 years
199	2.	5-6 years, not in school (including never attended school)
1,605	3.	5-6 years, in school
40	4.	5-6 years, unknown if in school (including unknown if ever attended school)
4,187	5.	7-11 years
5,809	6.	12-17 years

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
755-756	3		GRADE IN SCHOOL
		131	00. Not in school or on vacation from school
		9,927	01-16. First Grade through College Senior
		205	21. Nursery School or Preschool
		745	22. Kindergarten
		7	29. Ungraded school
		78	98. Unknown if in school or on vacation from school
		205	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		5,812	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school
757	4		KIND OF STUDENT (Currently in First Grade or Higher)
		2,977	1. One of the Best
		2,663	2. Above the Middle
		3,617	3. In the Middle
		552	4. Below the Middle
		237	5. Near the Bottom
		93	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		6,971	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; no/unknown if now in school or on vacation from school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten
758	5a		WHY STOPPED SCHOOL
		34	2. Graduated
		11	3. Health Problem
		48	4. Dropped Out
		31	8. Other
		7	9. DK, Refused, no answer

16,979 Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in or unknown if in school or on vacation from school

759 5b

WHEN STOPPED SCHOOL  
 89 1. Less Than 12 Months  
 30 2. 12 Months - Less Than 2 Years  
 8 3. 2+ Years  
 4 9. DK, Refused, no answer  
 16,979 Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in or unknown if in school or on vacation from school

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
760-761	6		ABSENCE DUE TO ILLNESS (Attended Grades 1+ in Past Year)
		2,796	00. None/Dash
		7,292	01-97. 1-97 Days
		6	98. 98+ Days
		140	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		6,882	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; unknown if now in school or on vacation from school; stopped going to school 12+ or unknown number of months ago; now in nursery school/preschool/ kindergarten
762	7a		REPEATED GRADES
		1,664	1. Yes
		8,574	2. No
		110	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		6,762	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/ kindergarten
(763-766) 763-764	7b		GRADES REPEATED
			FIRST REPEAT
		208	00. Kindergarten
		1,378	01-12. First Through Twelfth Grade
		78	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/ kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade
765-766			SECOND REPEAT

13	00.	Kindergarten
201	01-12.	First Through Twelfth Grade
28	99.	DK, Refused, no answer
16,868	Blank.	Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade; no second repeat reported

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(767-771)	7c		WHY REPEATED
767			ACADEMIC FAILURE
		614	1. Mentioned
		983	2. Not mentioned
		67	9. DK - entire item
		15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade
768			IMMATURE/ACTED TOO YOUNG
		523	1. Mentioned
		1,074	2. Not mentioned
		67	9. DK - entire item
		15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade
769			FREQUENTLY ABSENT
		89	1. Mentioned
		1,508	2. Not mentioned
		67	9. DK - entire item
		15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade
770			MOVED INTO MORE DIFFICULT SCHOOL
		77	1. Mentioned
		1,520	2. Not mentioned
		67	9. DK - entire item
		15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade

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	OTHER
489	1. Mentioned
1,108	2. Not mentioned
67	9. DK - entire item
15,446	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; never/unknown if ever repeated a grade

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
772	8a	805 9,489 54 6,762	EVER SUSPENDED/EXPELLED 1. Yes 2. No 9. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten
773-774	8b	0 777 1 27 16,305	SUSPENSION/EXPULSION FREQUENCY 00. None/Dash/Never 01-97. 1-97 Times 98. 98+ Times 99. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; or no/unknown if ever suspended or expelled
(775-777)	8c		WHEN LAST SUSPENDED/EXPELLED
775-776		781 0 24 16,305	NUMBER OF TIMES UNITS 01-97. 1-97 Days, Weeks, Months, Years 98. 98+ Days, Weeks, Months, Years 99. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; or no/unknown if ever suspended or expelled
777		36 71 332 342 24 16,305	TIME UNITS 1. Days 2. Weeks 3. Months 4. Years 9. DK, Refused, no answer Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery

school/preschool/kindergarten; or  
no/unknown if ever suspended or  
expelled

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
778-779	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME SINCE LAST EXPELLED/SUSPENDED (in months)
		781	00-97. Number of months
		0	98. 98+ months
		24	99. DK, refused, no answer
		16,305	Blank. Under 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school, yes/unknown if ever in nursery school, preschool or kindergarten, not/unknown if ever expelled or suspended.
780	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME SINCE LAST EXPELLED/SUSPENDED
		99	1. Less than 1 month
		215	2. 1-5 months
		100	3. 6-11 months
		193	4. 1 to less than 2 years
		156	5. 2 to less than 5 years
		18	6. 5 or more years
		24	9. DK, refused, no answer
		16,305	Blank. Under 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school, yes/unknown if ever in nursery school, preschool or kindergarten, not/unknown if ever expelled or suspended.
781	8d		HEALTH/BEHAVIOR REASONS
		9	1. Health
		744	2. Behavior
		39	8. Other
		13	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		16,305	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten; or no/unknown if ever suspended or expelled
782	9a		OTHERS DISCUSS PROBLEMS
		1,834	1. Yes
		8,452	2. No
		62	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		6,762	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school; now in nursery school/preschool/kindergarten

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(783-785) 783-784	9b		WHEN LAST DISCUSSED
			NUMBER OF TIME UNITS
		1,777	01-97. 1-97 Days, Weeks, Months, Years
		0	98. 98+ Days, Weeks, Months, Years
		57	99. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,276	Blank. Less than 5 years old,
no/unknown			if ever attended school, now in nursery school/preschool/ kindergarten or no/unknown if ever called to discuss child's problems
785	Recode		TIME UNITS
		53	1. Days
		196	2. Weeks
		827	3. Months
		701	4. Years
		57	9. DK, Refused, no answer
		15,276	Blank. Less than 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school, now in nursery school/preschool/ kindergarten or no/unknown if ever called to discuss child's problems
786-787	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME SINCE LAST CONFERENCE (in months)
		1,757	00-97. Number of months
		20	98. 98+ months
		57	99. DK, refused, no answer
		15,276	Blank. Under 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school, yes/unknown if ever in nursery school, preschool or kindergarten, never/unknown if ever called to a conference to discuss child's problems.
788	Recode		LENGTH OF TIME SINCE LAST CONFERENCE
		214	1. Less than 1 month
		526	2. 1-5 months
		284	3. 6-11 months
		336	4. 1 to less than 2 years
		311	5. 2 to less than 5 years
		106	6. 5 or more years
		57	9. DK, refused, no answer
		15,276	Blank. Under 5 years old, no/unknown if ever attended school, yes/unknown if ever in nursery school, preschool or kindergarten, never/unknown if ever called to a conference to

discuss child's problems.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
SECTION P9. DEVELOPMENT, LEARNING, BEHAVIOR			
789	1a		EVER HAD DELAY IN DEVELOPMENT
		630	1. Yes
		16,102	2. No
		378	9. DK or Refused
790	1b		EVER HAD LEARNING DISABILITY
		862	1. Yes
		12,456	2. No
		402	9. DK or Refused
		3,390	Blank. Child under 3 years
791	1c		EVER HAD EMOTIONAL/BEHAVIORAL PROBLEM
		833	1. Yes
		12,465	2. No
		422	9. DK or Refused
		3,390	Blank. Child under 3 years
792	Recode		PROBLEM PROFILE (Recode)*
		13,699	0. No problem
		275	1. Delay in growth or development only (ages 3+)
		133	2. Delay in growth/development (ages 0-2)
		542	3. Learning disability only
		1,411	4. Emotional/behavioral problem only
		92	5. Delay and learning disability
		52	6. Delay and emotional/behavioral problem
		148	7. Learning disability and emotional/behavioral problem
		68	8. All three problems
		690	9. Unknown

\*Based on tape locations 789-791, 835 and 837.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(793-834)	2a-h		CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT DELAYS
(793-806)	2a(1)		DELAY IN DEVELOPMENT
(793-795)			AGE WHEN FIRST NOTICED
793-794			NUMBER OF TIME UNITS
		155	00. Since Birth
		421	01-98. 1-98 Months, Years
		54	99. DK or Refused
		16,480	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay
795			TIME UNITS
		155	0. Since Birth
		156	1. Months
		265	2. Years
		54	9. DK or Refused
		16,480	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay
796	2b(1)		EVER RECEIVED TREATMENT
		297	1. Yes
		279	2. No
		54	9. DK or Refused
		16,480	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay
797	2c(1)		RECEIVED TREATMENT PAST 12 MONTHS
		161	1. Yes
		136	2. No
		0	9. DK or Refused
		16,813	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay; never/unknown if ever treated/ counseled
798-800	2d(1)		TIMES SAW DOCTOR PAST 12 MONTHS
		6	000. None/Never Saw Doctor/Dash
		134	001-997. 1-997 Times
		0	998. 998+ Times
		21	999. DK or Refused
		16,949	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay; never/unknown if ever treated/ counseled; no/unknown if treated
or			counseled in the past 12 months
801	2e(1)		SCHOOL TIME MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		135	0. Not In School
		17	1. Yes
		418	2. No
		60	9. DK or Refused
		16,480	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(793-834)	2a-h		CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT DELAYS - (CONTINUED)
(793-806)	2a(1)		DELAY IN DEVELOPMENT - (CONTINUED)
802-804	2f(1)		SCHOOL DAYS MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		0	000. None/No Days Missed/Dash
		17	001-260. 1-260 Days
		0	999. DK or Refused
		17,093	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay; not in school; or no/unknown if missed any school days
805	2g(1)		ATTEND SPECIAL CLASSES PAST 12 MONTHS
		106	1. Yes
		328	2. No
		61	9. DK or Refused
		16,615	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay, not in school
806	2h(1)		TAKING MEDICINE PAST 12 MONTHS
		36	1. Yes
		535	2. No
		59	9. DK or Refused
		16,480	Blank. No/unknown if developmental delay
(807-820)			LEARNING DISABILITY
(807-809)	2a(2)		AGE WHEN FIRST NOTICED
807-808			NUMBER OF TIME UNITS
		38	00. Since Birth
		771	01-98. 1-98 Months, Years
		53	99. DK or Refused
		16,248	Blank. Under 3 years or not/unknown if learning disabled
809			TIME UNITS
		38	0. Since Birth
		35	1. Months
		736	2. Years
		53	9. DK or Refused
		16,248	Blank. Under 3 years or not/unknown if learning disabled
810	2b(2)		EVER RECEIVED TREATMENT
		642	1. Yes
		167	2. No
		53	9. DK or Refused
		16,248	Blank. Under 3 years or not/unknown if learning disabled

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(793-834)	2a-h		CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT DELAYS - (CONTINUED)
(807-820)			LEARNING DISABILITY (CONTINUED)
811	2c(2)		RECEIVED TREATMENT PAST 12 MONTHS
		415	1. Yes
		227	2. No
		0	9. DK or Refused
		16,468	Blank. Under 3 years or not/unknown if learning disabled; never/unknown if ever treated/counseled
812-814	2d(2)		TIMES SAW DOCTOR PAST 12 MONTHS
		30	000. None/Never Saw Doctor/Dash
		325	001-997. 1-997 Times
		0	998. 998+ Times
		60	999. DK or Refused
		16,695	Blank. Under 3 years or no/unknown if learning disabled; never/unknown if ever treated/counseled; no/ unknown if treated/counseled in the past 12 months
815	2e(2)		SCHOOL TIME MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		20	0. Not In School
		30	1. Yes
		751	2. No
		61	9. DK or Refused
		16,248	Blank. Under 3 years; not/unknown if learning disabled
816-818	2f(2)		SCHOOL DAYS MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		1	000. None/No Days Missed/Dash
		26	001-260. 1-260 Days
		3	999. DK or Refused
		17,080	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if learning disabled; not in school; no/unknown if missed any school days
819	2g(2)		ATTEND SPECIAL CLASSES PAST 12 MONTHS
		545	1. Yes
		240	2. No
		57	9. DK or Refused
		16,268	Blank. Under 3 years or not/unknown if learning disabled; not in school

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(793-834)	2a-h		CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT DELAYS - (CONTINUED)
820	2h(2)		TAKING MEDICINE PAST 12 MONTHS
		60	1. Yes
		742	2. No
		60	9. DK or Refused
		16,248	Blank. Under 3 years; not/unknown if learning disabled
(821-834)			EMOTION/BEHAVIOR PROBLEM
(821-823)			AGE WHEN FIRST NOTICED
821-822	2a(3)		NUMBER OF TIME UNITS
		21	00. Since Birth
		759	01-98. 1-98 Months, Years
		53	99. DK or Refused
		16,277	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems
823			TIME UNITS
		21	0. Since Birth
		52	1. Months
		707	2. Years
		53	9. DK or Refused
		16,277	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems
824	2b(3)		EVER RECEIVED TREATMENT
		548	1. Yes
		232	2. No
		53	9. DK or Refused
		16,277	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems
825	2c(3)		RECEIVED TREATMENT PAST 12 MONTHS
		335	1. Yes
		212	2. No
		1	9. DK or Refused
		16,562	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems; never/unknown if ever treated/counseled
826-828	2d(3)		TIMES SAW DOCTOR PAST 12 MONTHS
		3	000. None/Never Saw Doctor/Dash
		308	001-997. 1-997 Times
		0	998. 998+ Times
		24	999. DK or Refused
		16,775	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems; never/unknown if ever treated/counseled; no/unknown if treated/counseled in past 12 months

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(793-834)	2a-h		CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT DELAYS - (CONTINUED)
(821-834)			EMOTION/BEHAVIOR PROBLEM - (CONTINUED)
829	2c(3)		SCHOOL TIME MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		33	0. Not In School
		163	1. Yes
		575	2. No
		62	9. DK or Refused
		16,277	Blank. Under 3; no/unknown if emotional/ behavior problems
830-832	2f(3)		SCHOOL DAYS MISSED PAST 12 MONTHS
		3	000. None/No Days Missed/Dash
		144	001-260. 1-260 Days
		16	999. DK or Refused
		16,947	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems; not in school; no/unknown if missed any school days
833	2g(3)		ATTEND SPECIAL CLASSES PAST 12 MONTHS
		189	1. Yes
		549	2. No
		62	9. DK or Refused
		16,310	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems; not in school
834	2h(3)		TAKING MEDICINE PAST 12 MONTHS
		62	1. Yes
		707	2. No
		64	9. DK or Refused
		16,277	Blank. Under 3 years; no/unknown if emotional/behavior problems
835	3a		EVER SEEN PSYCHIATRIST OR COUNSELOR
		705	1. Yes
		10,791	2. No
		462	9. DK or Refused
		5,152	Blank. Under 3 years old or had/unknown if had developmental delay, learning disability, or emotional/behavior problem

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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836	3b		LAST TIME SAW THIS PERSON
		374	1. More Than 12 Months Ago
		317	2. Within Past 12 Months
		14	9. DK or Refused
		16,405	Blank. Under 3 years or had/unknown if had developmental delay, learning disability, or emotional/behavior problem; never/unknown if ever saw doctor/counselor for emotional, mental or behavior problem
837	3c		FELT NEEDED HELP PAST 12 MONTHS
		188	1. Yes
		10,967	2. No
		486	9. DK or Refused
		5,469	Blank. Under 3 years or had/unknown if had developmental delay, learning disability or emotional/behavior problems; never/unknown if ever saw a doctor or counselor for emotional, mental or behavior problem; saw doctor/counselor in past 12 months
838	Recode		EMOTIONAL/BEHAVIORAL PROBLEM SUMMARY*
		10,521	0. No problem
		388	1. Problem, but never treated
		586	2. Problem, treated more than 12 months ago
		652	3. Problem, treated within past 12 months
		15	4. Problem, treated but timing unknown
		53	5. Problem, unknown if treated
		1,505	9. Unknown if problem
		3,390	Blank. Under 3 years of age

\*Based on tape locations 791, 824-825 and 835-837.

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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SECTION P10. HEALTH SERVICES

839	1		TIME SINCE LAST VISIT TO DOCTOR FOR ROUTINE CARE
		190	0. Never
		7,139	1. Less Than 6 Months
		4,173	2. 6 Months, Less Than 1 Year

		2,863	3. 1 Year, Less Than 2 Years
		1,676	4. 2 Years, Less Than 5 Years
		485	5. 5 Or More Years
		584	9. DK or Refused
840	2		USUAL PLACE FOR ROUTINE CARE
		15,143	1. Yes
		1,300	2. No
		477	9. DK or Refused
		190	Blank. Never visited a doctor
841-842	3		KIND OF ROUTINE CARE PLACE
		18	01. Home
		11,990	02. Doctor's Office/Private Clinic
		56	03. Company Or School Clinic
		739	04. Hospital Outpatient Clinic
		14	05. Migrant Clinic
		569	06. Other Clinic
		18	07. Hospital Emergency Room
		763	08. Community, Neighborhood, or Family Health Center
		44	09. Walk-In/Emergency Care Center
		63	10. Rural Health Center
		699	11. HMO/Prepaid Group
		144	88. Other Place
		26	99. DK or Refused
		1,967	Blank. Never visited a doctor; no/unknown
if			has usual place for routine health care
843	4		USUAL PLACE FOR SICK CARE
		15,584	1. Yes
		1,086	2. No
		440	9. DK or Refused
844	5		SAME PLACE FOR ROUTINE AND SICK CARE
		13,463	1. Same Place
		1,626	2. Somewhere Else
		495	9. DK or Refused
		1,526	Blank. No/unknown if has usual place for sick care

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
845-846	6		KIND OF SICK CARE PLACE
		15	01. Home
		12,144	02. Doctor's Office Or Private Clinic
		39	03. Company Or School Clinic
		840	04. Hospital Outpatient Clinic
		9	05. Migrant Clinic
		350	06. Other Clinic

		544	07. Hospital Emergency Room
		466	08. Community, Neighborhood, Or Family Health Center
		122	09. Walk-In/Emergency Care Center
		21	10. Rural Health Center
		690	11. HMO/Prepaid Group
		111	88. Other Place
		233	99. DK or Refused
		1,526	Blank. No/unknown if has usual place for sick care
847	7a		PARTICULAR MEDICAL PERSON SEEN
		1,355	1. Yes
		1,766	2. No
		319	9. DK or Refused
		13,670	Blank. No/unknown if has usual place for sick care; doctor's office or clinic used for sick care
private			
848	7b		PERSON KNOWS HEALTH HISTORY
		1,103	1. Yes
		184	2. No
		68	9. DK or Refused
		15,755	Blank. No/unknown if particular place for sick care; doctor's office or clinic used for sick care; or no/ unknown if particular medical person seen
private			
849	8		MAIN REASON FOR NO SICK CARE PLACE
		55	1. Has two or more usual doctors or places depending on what is wrong
		420	2. Has not needed a doctor
		40	3. Previous doctor no longer available
		42	4. Have not been able to find the right doctor
		227	5. Recently moved to area
		109	6. Other reason
		198	8. DK, refused reason but no particular source
		435	9. DK or Refused reason and unknown if has a particular source
		15,584	Blank. Has usual place for sick care
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
850	9a		MEDICAID IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		1,739	1. Yes
		14,909	2. No
		462	9. DK or Refused

851	9b		MEDICAID COVERAGE IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		341	1. Yes
		14,505	2. No
		525	9. DK or Refused
		1,739	Blank. Medicaid used during past 12 months
852	9c		AFDC IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		1,752	1. Yes
		14,814	2. No
		544	9. DK or Refused
853	10		COVERED BY HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN
		12,671	1. Yes
		3,938	2. No
		501	9. DK or Refused
854	11a		IN HEAD START PROGRAM
		1,569	1. Yes
		14,997	2. No
		544	9. DK or Refused
855	11b		WHICH HEAD START PROGRAM
		1,273	1. Center Base
		120	2. Home Base
		176	9. DK or Refused
		15,541	Blank. No/unknown if ever enrolled in Head Start
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX
856	1		CHANGES IN MOOD
		972	1. Often True
		4,316	2. Sometimes True
		6,140	3. Not True
		412	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
857	2		COMPLAINS ABOUT LOVE
		418	1. Often True
		2,051	2. Sometimes True
		8,960	3. Not True
		411	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX - (CONTINUED)
858	3		HIGH STRUNG
		740	1. Often True
		2,452	2. Sometimes True
		8,218	3. Not True



		430	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
859	4		CHEATS OR TELLS LIES
		320	1. Often True
		2,494	2. Sometimes True
		8,593	3. Not True
		433	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
860	5		FEARFUL OR ANXIOUS
		476	1. Often True
		2,537	2. Sometimes True
		8,386	3. Not True
		441	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
861	6		ARGUES TOO MUCH
		1,509	1. Often True
		3,939	2. Sometimes True
		5,948	3. Not True
		444	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
862	7		CAN'T CONCENTRATE
		898	1. Often True
		2,436	2. Sometimes True
		8,075	3. Not True
		431	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
863	8		EASILY CONFUSED
		250	1. Often True
		1,068	2. Sometimes True
		10,082	3. Not True
		440	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
864	9		BULLIES, CRUEL OR MEAN
		153	1. Often True
		1,233	2. Sometimes True
		10,020	3. Not True
		434	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years

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Tape	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX - CONTINUED
865	10		DISOBEDIENT AT HOME
		285	1. Often True
		3,013	2. Sometimes True

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		8,112	3. Not True
		430	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
866	11		DISOBEDIENT AT SCHOOL
		152	1. Often True
		1,540	2. Sometimes True
		9,674	3. Not True
		474	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
867	12		MISBEHAVING
		327	1. Often True
		1,468	2. Sometimes True
		9,598	3. Not True
		447	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
868	13		TROUBLE GETTING ALONG WITH CHILDREN
		109	1. Often True
		1,008	2. Sometimes True
		10,297	3. Not True
		426	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
869	14		TROUBLE GETTING ALONG WITH TEACHERS
		127	1. Often True
		975	2. Sometimes True
		10,273	3. Not True
		465	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
870	15		ACTS WITHOUT THINKING
		517	1. Often True
		3,574	2. Sometime True
		7,305	3. Not True
		444	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX - (CONTINUED)
871	16		FEELS WORTHLESS
		189	1. Often True
		1,390	2. Sometimes True
		9,813	3. Not True
		448	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years

872	17		NOT LIKED BY OTHERS
		72	1. Often True
		681	2. Sometimes True
		10,637	3. Not True
		450	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
873	18		ONE TRACK MIND
		363	1. Often True
		1,746	2. Sometimes True
		9,261	3. Not True
		470	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
874	19		CAN'T SIT STILL
		896	1. Often True
		2,683	2. Sometimes True
		7,806	3. Not True
		455	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
875	20		STUBBORN, SULLEN OR IRRITABLE
		634	1. Often True
		3,838	2. Sometimes True
		6,918	3. Not True
		450	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
876	21		VERY STRONG TEMPER
		696	1. Often True
		2,502	2. Sometimes True
		8,203	3. Not True
		439	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX - (CONTINUED)
877	22		UNHAPPY, SAD OR DEPRESSED
		136	1. Often True
		1,753	2. Sometimes True
		9,507	3. Not True
		444	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
878	23		WITHDRAWN
		105	1. Often True
		765	2. Sometimes True
		10,408	3. Not True

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		562	9. DK or Refused
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years
879	24		BREAKS THINGS
		32	1. Often True
		306	2. Sometimes True
		5,308	3. Not True
		385	9. DK or Refused
		11,079	Blank. Under 5 years or 12+ years
880	25		CLINGS TO ADULTS
		291	1. Often True
		974	2. Sometimes True
		4,411	3. Not True
		355	9. DK or Refused
		11,079	Blank. Under 5 years or 12+ years
881	26		CRIES TOO MUCH
		127	1. Often True
		614	2. Sometimes True
		4,934	3. Not True
		356	9. DK or Refused
		11,079	Blank. Under 5 years or 12+ years
882	27		DEMANDS ATTENTION
		506	1. Often True
		1,584	2. Sometimes True
		3,581	3. Not True
		360	9. DK or Refused
		11,079	Blank. Under 5 years or 12+ years
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(856-887)	1-32		BEHAVIOR INDEX - (CONTINUED)
883	28		DEPENDENT ON OTHERS
		147	1. Often True
		718	2. Sometimes True
		4,761	3. Not True
		405	9. DK or Refused
		11,079	Blank. Under 5 years or 12+ years
884	29		OTHERS OUT TO GET HIM/HER
		52	1. Often True
		328	2. Sometimes True
		5,104	3. Not True
		325	9. DK or Refused
		11,301	Blank. Under 12 years
885	30		HANGS WITH TROUBLE MAKERS
		107	1. Often True

		544	2. Sometimes True
		4,873	3. Not True
		285	9. DK or Refused
		11,301	Blank. Under 12 years
886	31		SECRETIVE
		303	1. Often True
		1,487	2. Sometimes True
		3,736	3. Not True
		283	9. DK or Refused
		11,301	Blank. Under 12 years
887	32		WORRIES TOO MUCH
		315	1. Often True
		1,442	2. Sometimes True
		3,761	3. Not True
		291	9. DK or Refused
		11,301	Blank. Under 12 years
888	Recode		INDEX OF BEHAVIOR PROBLEMS (for "often true" only)
		8,163	0. No problems
		2,149	1. 1 or 2 problems
		1,049	2. 3-6 problems
		289	3. 7-10 problems
		114	4. 11-14 problems
		56	5. 15-18 problems
		20	6. 19+ problems
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years of age

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
889	Recode		INDEX OF BEHAVIOR PROBLEMS (for "sometimes true" only)
		2,446	0. No problems
		2,178	1. 1 or 2 problems
		3,529	2. 3-6 problems
		2,197	3. 7-10 problems
		1,046	4. 11-14 problems
		331	5. 15-18 problems
		113	6. 19+ problems
		5,270	Blank. Under 5 years of age
890	Recode		INDEX OF BEHAVIOR PROBLEMS (for "don't knows" only)
		10,555	0. No "don't know" answers
		527	1. 1 "don't know" answers
		89	2. 2 "don't know" answers
		30	3. 3 "don't know" answers

50	4.	4 "don't know" answers
152	5.	5 "don't know" answers
8	6.	6 "don't know" answers
429	7.	7+ "don't know" answers
5,270	Blank.	Under 5 years of age

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
SECTION P5. CHILDHOOD CONDITIONS			
891	2a	17,080 30	NOW HAVE MISSING EXTREMITIES 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
892	2b	16,937 173	NOW HAVE PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT OF BACK, SIDE, FOOT OR LEG 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
893	2c	17,023 87	NOW HAVE PERMANENT IMPAIRMENT OF FINGERS, HAND, ARM 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
(894-902) 894	3	14,893 2,217	EVER HAVE - GROUP B CONDITIONS REPEATED TONSILLITIS 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
895		12,872 4,238	FREQUENT EAR INFECTIONS 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
896		15,974 1,136	FOOD OR DIGESTIVE ALLERGY 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
897		16,598 512	FREQUENT DIARRHEA 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
898		16,827 283	OTHER BOWEL TROUBLE 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
899		17,082 28	DIABETES 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes
900		17,076 34	SICKLE CELL ANEMIA 0. No/Unknown 1. Yes

901			ANEMIA
		16,714	0. No/Unknown
		396	1. Yes
902			ASTHMA
		16,018	0. No/Unknown
		1,092	1. Yes
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
903-908	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP C CONDITIONS
903			MONONUCLEOSIS
		16,871	0. No/Unknown
		239	1. Yes
904			HEPATITIS
		17,065	0. No/Unknown
		45	1. Yes
905			MENINGITIS
		17,010	0. No/Unknown
		100	1. Yes
906			BLADDER OR UT INFECTION
		16,468	0. No/Unknown
		642	1. Yes
907			RHEUMATIC FEVER
		17,083	0. No/Unknown
		27	1. Yes
908			PNEUMONIA
		15,975	0. No/Unknown
		1,135	1. Yes
(909-910)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP D CONDITIONS
909			HAY FEVER
		15,906	0. No/Unknown
		1,204	1. Yes
910			RESPIRATORY ALLERGY
		16,167	0. No/Unknown
		943	1. Yes
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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(911-914)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP E CONDITIONS
911			DEAFNESS
		16,525	0. No/Unknown
		260	1. Yes, one ear
		325	2. Yes, both ears
912			BLINDNESS
		16,963	0. No/Unknown
		37	1. Yes, one eye
		110	2. Yes, both eyes
913			CROSS EYES
		16,944	0. No/Unknown
		166	1. Yes
914			TROUBLE SEEING
		16,931	0. No/Unknown
		179	1. Yes
(915)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP F CONDITIONS
915			ECZEMA OR ANY KIND OF SKIN ALLERGY
		15,797	0. No/Unknown
		1,313	1. Yes
(916-918)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP G CONDITIONS
916			EPILEPSY
		16,959	0. No/Unknown
		151	1. Yes
917			SEIZURES WITH FEVER
		16,787	0. No/Unknown
		323	1. Yes
918			FREQ./SEVERE HEADACHES
		16,338	0. No/Unknown
		772	1. Yes
(919-921)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP H CONDITIONS
919			STAMMERING/STUTTERING
		16,813	0. No/Unknown
		297	1. Yes
920			OTHER SPEECH DEFECT
		16,713	0. No/Unknown
		397	1. Yes
921			ENURESIS
		16,401	0. No/Unknown
		709	1. Yes



Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
(922-926)	3		EVER HAVE - GROUP I CONDITIONS
922			ARTHRITIS
		16,956	0. No/Unknown
		154	1. Yes
923			CONDITION AFFECTING BONE, ETC.
		16,791	0. No/Unknown
		319	1. Yes
924			CEREBRAL PALSY
		17,067	0. No/Unknown
		43	1. Yes
925			CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE
		17,027	0. No/Unknown
		83	1. Yes
926			OTHER HEART DISEASE
		16,813	0. No/Unknown
		297	1. Yes
927	3		ANY OTHER CONDITIONS THAT REQUIRED SURGERY IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		16,899	0. No/Unknown
		24	1. CNS and sense organs
		42	2. Skin and subcutaneous tissue
		7	3. Musculoskeletal and connective
tissue		0	4. Circulatory
		17	5. Digestive
		15	6. Genitourinary
		0	7. Blood and other blood-forming organs
		48	8. Respiratory system
		58	9. Other
928	3(a)		ANY OTHER CONDITIONS THAT LASTED 3 MONTHS OR MORE
		16,790	0. No/Unknown
		34	1. CNS and sense organs
		36	2. Skin and subcutaneous tissue
		12	3. Musculoskeletal and connective
tissue		4	4. Circulatory
		25	5. Digestive
		12	6. Genitourinary
		12	7. Blood and other blood-forming organs
		60	8. Respiratory system
		125	9. Other

Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
929	3(b)		ANY OTHER CONDITIONS THAT LASTED 3 MONTHS OR MORE
		17,077	0. No/Unknown
		10	1. CNS and sense organs
		19	2. Skin and subcutaneous tissue
tissue		7	3. Musculoskeletal and connective
		1	4. Circulatory
		8	5. Digestive
		3	6. Genitourinary
		2	7. Blood and other blood-forming organs
		46	8. Respiratory system
		7	9. Other

930	3(c)		ANY OTHER CONDITIONS THAT LASTED 3 MONTHS OR MORE
		17,017	0. No/Unknown
		9	1. CNS and sense organs
		18	2. Skin and subcutaneous tissue
tissue		6	3. Musculoskeletal and connective
		1	4. Circulatory
		5	5. Digestive
		4	6. Genitourinary
		2	7. Blood and other blood-forming organs
		46	8. Respiratory system
		2	9. Other

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
INJURIES IN PAST 12 MONTHS (SUMMARY)			
931	1a		ACCIDENT, INJURY, POISONING (AIP) IN PAST 12 MONTHS
		2,355	1. Yes
		14,412	2. No
		343	9. DK, Refused, no answer
932-933	1b		NUMBER OF AIP'S PAST 12 MONTHS
		2,350	01-97. 1-97 AIPS
		0	98. 98 + AIPS

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14,755                    99. DK, Refused, no answer  
Blank. NA-No/unknown if AIP in  
past 12 months

934-935      Recode                    TOTAL NUMBER OF AIPS CODED  
00-99.    Zero-99 AIPS coded

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Tape Locations	Item No.	Frequency	Items and Codes
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SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITION RECORDS (SUMMARY)

936-937      Recode                    NUMBER OF CONDITIONS FOR WHICH  
CONDITION RECORDS EXISTS  
00-99.    0-99 Conditions

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