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RECTYPE
Generated

Generated variable

HH = ALL*

All households*

1-2

Record Type

43,797 10 Household

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: record type

Notes: * The universe for most of the variables in this file includes responding households and households that were type 'A' non-response (HH = ALL). Type 'B' or 'C' non-responding household are not included in this file. Other variables in this file have a universe of responding households only (HH = RESPONDING) or non-responding households only (HH = TYPE A).

SRVY_YR
Generated

Generated variable

HH = ALL

All households

3-6

Processing Year

43,797 2001 2001

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: survey year

Notes: None

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HHX Generated	Generated variable
	HH = ALL
	All households
7-12	Household Serial Number

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: household number
 Notes: Use this variable to identify individual households.

INTV_QRT Generated	Generated variable
	HH = ALL
	All households
13	Interviewing Quarter
	9,519 1 Quarter 1
	11,267 2 Quarter 2
	11,558 3 Quarter 3
	11,453 4 Quarter 4

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: interview quarter
 Notes: None

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ASSIGNWK	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = ALL	
	All households	
14-15	Assignment Week	
	01 Week 1	2,616
	02 Week 2	2,619
	03 Week 3	3,474
	04 Week 4	3,591
	05 Week 5	3,548
	06 Week 6	3,511
	07 Week 7	3,548
	08 Week 8	3,417
	09 Week 9	3,454
	10 Week 10	3,561
	11 Week 11	3,502
	12 Week 12	3,492
	13 Week 13	3,464

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: assignment week; interview week
 Notes: None

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INT_M_P	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = ALL	
	All households	
16-17	Date of Interview - Month	
	01 January	2,384
	02 February	3,385
	03 March	3,784
	04 April	3,798
	05 May	3,820
	06 June	3,643
	07 July	3,883
	08 August	3,926
	09 September	3,731
	10 October	4,016
	11 November	3,747
	12 December	3,680
	98 Not ascertained	

Sources: INT_DATE
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: interview month
 Notes: None

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INT_Y_P Generated	Generated variable
	HH = ALL
	All households
18-21	Date of Interview - Year
	See note below*.

Sources: INT_DATE
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: interview year
 Notes: * 9998 = Not ascertained. A few interviews were completed in January of the following year.

LIVQRT Front Sec.	Enter appropriate type of housing unit.
	HH = ALL
	All households
22-23	Type of Living Quarters
41,148	01 House, apartment, flat, condo
27	02 HU in nontransient hotel, motel
1	03 HU-permanent in transient hotel, motel
12	04 HU in rooming house
1,948	05 Mobile home/trailer w/no permanent rooms added
260	06 Mobile home/trailer w/1+ permanent rooms added
26	07 HU not specified above
29	08 Quarters not HU in room or board house
0	09 Unit not permanent-transient hotel, motel
0	10 Unoccupied site for mobile home/trailer/tent
136	11 Student quarters in college dormitory
84	12 Group quarter unit not specified above
126	98 Not ascertained

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: housing type
 Notes: The interviewer answered this question, and it was asked at the household level. Housing unit is abbreviated as HU. Data for variable came from the Front Section of the instrument.

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NON_INTV	Recode	
Recode	HH = TYPE A	
	Non-responding type A households	
24	Category of type A non-response	
	1 Refused	3,181
	2 No one home - repeated calls	1,037
	3 Temporarily absent	294
	4 Language problem	40
	5 Other	313
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	38,932

Sources: OUTCOME

Recodes: None

Keywords: non-response; type a; household non-response

Notes: Data for this recode came from the Back Section of the instrument.

TELENUM	What is the telephone number here?	
Recode	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
25	Telephone number	
	1 Gave a telephone number	35,054
	2 No telephone service	1,044
	7 Refused	2,067
	8 Not ascertained	587
	9 Don't know	180
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	4,865

Sources: TEL_NUM

Recodes: None

Keywords: telephone number; working telephone

Notes: This question was asked at the household level, and it resides in the Front Section of the instrument.

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INSIDE	Is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working?	
Front Sec.		
	HH = RESPONDING and TELENUM ne 2	
	Responding households and households who gave a phone number, refused, not ascertained, or don't know phone number	
26	Working phone inside home	
	37,301 1 Yes	
	356 2 No	
	66 7 Refused	
	146 8 Not ascertained	
	19 9 Don't know	
	5,909 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: telephone number; working telephone

Notes: This question was asked at the household level, and it resides in the Front Section of the instrument.

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NOSERV	During the past 12 months, has your household been without telephone service for more than 1 week?	
Front Sec.	HH = RESPONDING and TELENUM ne 2 and INSIDE ne 2	
	Responding households and households who gave a phone number, refused, not ascertained, or don't know phone number and households with working phone, refused, not ascertained, or don't know if working phone	
27	Without telephone service past 12 months	
	855	1 Yes
	36,295	2 No
	137	7 Refused
	146	8 Not ascertained
	99	9 Don't know
	6,265	<Blank: Not in universe>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: telephone service

Notes: This question was asked at the household level, and it resides in the Front Section of the instrument.

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HOWLNGWK	For how long was your household without telephone service in the past 12 months?	
Recode	HH = RESPONDING and TELENUM = 2 or INSIDE = 2 or NOSERV = 1	
	Responding households without telephone service	
28-29	Number of weeks w/o telephone service	
	245 00 One week or less	
	58 01 More than one week, up to two weeks	
	193 02 More than two weeks, up to three weeks	
	1,636 03-51 See note below*.	
	32 97 Refused	
	2 98 Not ascertained	
	89 99 Don't know	
	41,542 <Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: HOWLONG1; HOWLONG2

Recodes: None

Keywords: no telephone service; weeks without telephone

Notes: * Interpretation of each value for this variable follows the logic of the value labels provided for values '01 and '02'. Thus, '03' is interpreted as more than three weeks, up to four weeks. A value of '51' is interpreted as more than 51 weeks, up to 52 weeks. This question was asked at the household level, and it resides in the Front Section of the instrument. This recode was developed from the combination of HOWLONG1 and HOWLONG2.

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NOWAF_HH		Is {Person} now on full-time active duty with the armed forces?
HHC recode		HH = RESPONDING and AGE = > 15 and < 65
		Responding households and any household w/persons 16 to 64 years
30		Armed Forces member in HH
	253	1 Armed Forces member in HH
	32,921	2 No Armed Forces member in HH*
	10,623	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: active duty; armed forces
 Notes: * This includes refusals, not ascertains, and don't knows. Data is recoded from HHC.310; this variable indicates whether there is an active duty Armed Forces member present in the household.

ACPT_FAM		Generated variable
Generated		HH = RESPONDING
		Responding households
31-32		Number of families responding in HH
	38,932	01-30
	4,865	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: number of families; responding families
 Notes: This variable is a count of the number of families who responded in the household.

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REJ_FAM	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
33-34	Number of families not responding in HH	
	38,932	00-29
	4,865	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: number of families; non-responding families
 Notes: This variable is a count of the number of families who did not respond in the household.

ACPT_PER	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
35-36	Number of persons responding in HH	
	38,932	01-30
	4,865	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: number of persons; responding persons
 Notes: This variable is a count of the number of persons who responded in the household.

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REJ_PER	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
37-38	Number of persons not responding in HH	
	38,932 00-29	
	4,865 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: number of persons; non-responding persons
 Notes: This variable is a count of the number of persons who did not respond in the household.

ACPTCHLD	Generated variable	
Generated	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
39-40	Number of children that responded in HH*	
	38,932 00-29	
	4,865 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: number of children; responding children
 Notes: * Children did not respond for themselves, but data collected on children came from an adult proxy respondent. This variable, then, is a count of the number of children in the household for which there was data.

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LNG_INTV	In which language was the interview conducted?	
Front Sec.		
	HH = RESPONDING	
	Responding households	
41	Language of interview	
	1 English	33,303
	2 Spanish	1,801
	3 English and Spanish	865
	4 Other	141
	8 Not ascertained	2,822
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	4,865

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: interview language

Notes: The interviewer answered this question, and it was asked at the household level.

REGION

UCF

ALL

All records

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Region

	1	Northeast	8,401
	2	Midwest	9,524
	3	South	15,800
	4	West	10,072

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: united states; region

Notes: Data from Unit Control File.

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MSASIZEP	Recode	
UCF Recode		
	ALL	
	All records	
43	Geographic Distribution - MSA size	
	5,350	1 5,000,000 or more
	5,315	2 2,500,000 - 4,999,999
	11,284	3 1,000,000 - 2,499,999
	5,188	4 500,000 - 999,999
	4,947	5 250,000 - 499,999
	3,808	6 Under 250,000
	7,905	7 Non-MSA

Sources: MSA_SIZE
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: msa size
 Notes: Data from Unit Control File.

WTIA_HH	Generated variable	
Generated		
	ALL	
	All records	
44-49	Weight - Interim Annual	

Sources: None
 Recodes: None
 Keywords: interim weight
 Notes: Format of data has an implied decimal (XXXXX.X). In general, this weight reflects probability of selection for the household. It does not include non-response or post-stratification adjustments.

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WTFA_HH	Generated variable
Generated	
	HH = RESPONDING
	Responding households
50-55	Weight - Final Annual

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: final weight; annual; household weight

Notes: In general, this weight includes probability of selection and adjustment for non-response. This weight does not include post-stratification adjustments to Census control totals for number of civilian, non-institutionalized households. Type 'A' non-response households have a zero weight for this variable.

STRATUM	Generated variable
Generated	
	ALL
	All records
56-58	Stratum for variance estimation

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: variance estimation

Notes: Variable used in variance estimation; consult documentation on variance estimation using NHIS data for specific information.

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PSU	Generated variable
Generated	
	ALL
	All records
59	PSU for variance estimation

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: variance estimation

Notes: Variable used in variance estimation; consult documentation on variance estimation using NHIS data for specific information.
