Healthy People 2010 Operational Definition

23-6. Increase the proportion of Healthy People 2010 objectives that are tracked regularly at the national level.

National Data Source National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), CDC.

State Data Source Not applicable.

Healthy People 2000

Objective

Not applicable.

Changes since the 2000 Publication

Revised baseline (see Comments).

Measure Percent.

Baseline (Year) 44 (2004)

Target 100

Target-Setting Method Total coverage.

For a discussion of target-setting methods, see Part

A, section 4.

Numerator Number of measurable Healthy People 2010

objectives or lettered subobjectives that are tracked

nationally at least every 3 years.

Denominator Number of measurable Healthy People 2010

objectives and lettered subobjectives.

Population Targeted Not applicable.

Questions Used To Obtain the National

Baseline Data

Not applicable.

Expected Periodicity Annual.

Comments Measurable Healthy People 2010 objectives and

lettered subobjectives that have baseline data are

used to obtain the data for this objective.

The original baseline was revised from 82 percent (2000) to 44 percent (2004). The original baseline data were based on expected periodicity using the published Tracking Healthy People document. The

revised baseline is based on data tracked in DATA2010. The target of 100 percent did not

change.

See Appendix A for focus area contact information.