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Sample Adult

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Question ID: IDN.000\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: RECTYPE

**Record Type**

Universe:

Description:

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: None

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File type identifier

10	Household
20	Person
30	Sample Adult
31	Sample Adult Cancer
40	Sample Child
60	Family
65	Paradata
70	Injury/Poisoning Episode
75	Injury/Poisoning Verbatim

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Question ID: IDN.000\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: SRVY\_YR

**Survey Year**

Universe:

Description:

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: None

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Year of National Health Interview Survey

Year	Survey Year
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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: HHX

**Household ID**

Universe:

Description:

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: Use this variable to identify individual households.

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HH identifier

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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_25.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: INTV\_QRT

**Interview Quarter**

Universe:

Description: All households

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: None

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Interview Quarter

- |   |           |
|---|-----------|
| 1 | Quarter 1 |
| 2 | Quarter 2 |
| 3 | Quarter 3 |
| 4 | Quarter 4 |
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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_30.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ASSIGNWK

**Assignment Week**

Universe:

Description: All households

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: assignment week; interview week

Notes: None

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Assignment Week

01	Week 1
02	Week 2
03	Week 3
04	Week 4
05	Week 5
06	Week 6
07	Week 7
08	Week 8
09	Week 9
10	Week 10
11	Week 11
12	Week 12
13	Week 13

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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_35.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: FMX

**Generated variable**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: family number

Notes: Use this variable in combination with HHX to identify individual families.

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Family Serial Number

01-25	Family number 1 - 25
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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_40.000

Instrument Variable Name: FPX

Final Documentation Name: FPX

**Generated variable**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: person number

Notes: Use this variable in combination with HHX and FMX to identify individual persons.

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Person Number (in family)

01-25      Person number 1 - 25

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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_65.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: WTIA\_SA

Universe:

Description:

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: Format of data has an implied decimal (XXXXXX.X). This weight does not include post stratification adjustments (age, race/ethnicity, sex) to the civilian, non-institutionalized U.S. adult population using Census population controls.

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Weight - Interim Annual

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**Question ID:** IDN.000\_70.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: WTFA\_SA

Universe:

Description:

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: This weight should be used for most sample adult analyses when using a full year of data. This weight includes post-stratification adjustments (age, race/ethnicity, sex) using Census Bureau population control totals. The sum of these weights is equal to the average of the civilian, noninstitutionalized U.S. population estimates for persons aged 18 and above for February, May, August, and November.

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Weight - Final Annual

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**Question ID:** UCF.000\_00.000

R09 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: REGION

Universe: ALL

Description: All records

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: united states; region

Notes: Data from Unit Control File (CENREG).

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Region

- 1 Northeast
  - 2 Midwest
  - 3 South
  - 4 West
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**Question ID:** UCF.000\_00.000      R15 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: STRAT\_P

Universe: ALL  
Description: All records

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Sources: None  
Recodes: None  
Keywords: None

Notes: Pseudo-stratum variable for public use file variance estimation. Created by NCHS/ORM.

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Pseudo-stratum for public use file variance estimation

001-300      001-300

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**Question ID:** UCF.000\_00.000      R16 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: PSU\_P

Universe: ALL  
Description: All records

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Sources: None  
Recodes: None  
Keywords: None

Notes: Pseudo-PSU variable for public use file variance estimation. Created by NCHS/ORM.

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Pseudo-PSU for public use file variance estimation

01-02      01-02

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**Question ID:** HHC.110\_00.000      Instrument Variable Name: SEX  
Final Documentation Name: SEX

**[Are/Is] [you/person] male or female?**

Universe: HHSTAT NE 'D'  
Description: All non-deleted persons

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Sources: None  
Recodes: None  
Keywords: None  
Notes: None

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Sex

1      Male  
2      Female

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**Question ID:** HHC.180\_00.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: HISPAN\_I

**Please give me the number of the group that represents [your/ person's] Hispanic origin or ancestry.**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons

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Sources: ORIGIN\_I; HHC.180

Recodes: None

Keywords: ethnicity; national origin; ancestry

Notes: "Other-specify" responses were assigned to specific groups where possible. Respondents who selected the generic "Hispanic/Spanish" response category were assigned "09", and in cases where the respondent refused to answer Hispanic origin or didn't know it, this variable was assigned "10" and "11", respectively. When Hispanic origin was not ascertained, this variable was also assigned "11". In cases where "Other-specify" responses were determined to be non-Hispanic, this variable was assigned "12" for not Hispanic/Spanish origin, and ORIGIN\_I was back coded to "2" or "No" (no group represented respondent's national origin). Respondents coded as "12" answered 2,7,8, or 9 in ORIGIN\_I. Data came from HHC.170 & HHC.180.

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## Hispanic subgroup detail

00	Multiple Hispanic
01	Puerto Rico
02	Mexican
03	Mexican-American
04	Cuban/Cuban American
05	Dominican (Republic)
06	Central or South American
07	Other Latin American, type not specified
08	Other Spanish
09	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, non-specific type
10	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, type refused
11	Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, type not ascertained
12	Not Hispanic/Spanish origin

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**Question ID:** HHC.200\_01.000

R13 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: RACERPI2

**Recode of full detail race groups**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons

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Sources: RACFULI2

Recodes: HRACERI2

Keywords: race; new OMB race standards

Notes: This recode contains detail for the 5 OMB race groups, and a multiple race group. This recode does not include information provided in HHC.220 for multiple race mentions (the "primary" race). "Other Race" and "Unspecified Multiple race" are no longer available as separate race responses. These response categories are treated as missing, and the race is imputed if these are the only race responses. \* Data not releasable due to respondent confidentiality or for other reasons.

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## OMB groups w/multiple race

- |    |                             |
|----|-----------------------------|
| 01 | White only                  |
| 02 | Black/African American only |
| 03 | AIAN only                   |
| 04 | Asian only                  |
| 05 | Race group not releasable*  |
| 06 | Multiple race               |
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**Question ID:** HHC.200\_01.000

R21 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: MRACRPI2

**Recode**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons

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Sources: HHC.200; HHC.220

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; old OMB race standards

Notes: This variable identifies the primary or main race reported by the respondent. Data came from HHC.200 and HHC.220. "Other Race" and "Unspecified Multiple race" are no longer available as separate race responses. These response categories are treated as missing, and the race is imputed if these are the only race responses. If only one valid race was given, that answer was copied from RACE1 to here. If more than one race was given, the response was copied from MLTRAC (HHC.220). \*Other Asian - this category includes Korean, Vietnamese, Japanese, and other Asian subgroups. \*\* Data not releasable due to respondent confidentiality or for other reasons.

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## Race coded to single/multiple race group

- |    |   |
|----|---|
| 01 | White                                   |
| 02 | Black/African American                  |
| 03 | Indian (American), Alaska Native        |
| 09 | Asian Indian                            |
| 10 | Chinese                                 |
| 11 | Filipino                                |
| 15 | Other Asian*                            |
| 16 | Primary race not releasable**           |
| 17 | Multiple race, no primary race selected |
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**Question ID:** HHC.200\_01.000      R22 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: MRACBPI2

**Recode**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons

Sources: HHC.200; HHC.220

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; old OMB race standards; bridge variable

Notes: MRACBPI2 creates a bridge between the old (MRACE\_P in 1997 and 1998) and the new OMB race standards (MRACER\_P in 1999, MRACRP\_I in 2000, 2001 and 2002, and MRACRPI2 in 2003 and beyond). Data came from HHC.200 and HHC.220. If only one valid race was given, that answer was copied from RACE1 to here. If more than one race was given, the response was copied from MLTRAC (HHC.220). When comparing NHIS health measures across years by detailed race categories, MRACBPI2 should be used. For confidentiality reasons, it is not possible to create a bridge for the API (Asian and Pacific Islander) category. \* Other race is included here for bridging purposes.

## Race coded to single/multiple race group

01	White
02	Black/African American
03	Indian (American) (includes Eskimo, Aleut)
06	Chinese
07	Filipino
12	Asian Indian
16	Other race*
17	Multiple race, no primary race selected

**Question ID:** HHC.420\_00.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: AGE\_P

**Recode**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons

Sources: AGE

Recodes: None

Keywords: age

Notes: In most cases, data on age came from HHC.120. Because age is an important variable for instrument check items and in developing the weights, all respondents must have data on age. A series of questions in the instrument from HHC.124 through HHC.165 attempted to collect data on age when age was not given in HHC.120.

## Age

00	Under 1 year
01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years

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Question ID: FID.250\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MS1-MS25

Final Documentation Name: R\_MARITL

**[Are/Is][you/person] now married, widowed, divorced, separated, never married, or living with a partner?**

Universe: AGE = All

Description: All persons aged 14 or older

Sources: MARITAL; SPOUS; AGE

Recodes: None

Keywords: marital status

Notes: None

## Marital Status

0	Under 14 years
1	Married - spouse in household
2	Married - spouse not in household
3	Married - spouse in household unknown
4	Widowed
5	Divorced
6	Separated
7	Never married
8	Living with partner
9	Unknown marital status

Question ID: AID.005\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SADULT

Final Documentation Name: PROXYSA

**\* The sample adult person is [fill: ALIAS of Sample Adult]. The next questions must be answered by this person. Probe as necessary to determine the availability of [fill: ALIAS of Sample Adult].**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: Category 3 (unknown sample adult proxy status) includes a relatively small number of cases that were unknown plus several hundred cases that were blank. Blanks were partially completed sample adult interviews, and most of the cases were category 2 rather than category 1. The number of partially completed interviews and the number of blanks on PROXYSA is higher in 2005 due to the Cancer supplement that was appended to the sample adult interview.

## Sample adult status

1	Physical or mental condition prohibits responding
2	Sample adult is able to respond
3	Unknown

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**Question ID:** AID.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PROX1

Final Documentation Name: PROX1

**\* Proxy interviews can be done for sample adults who have a mental or physical condition that prevents them from responding for themselves.**

**Is a family member or caregiver that is knowledgeable about [fill: ALIAS of Sample Adult]'s health available?**

Universe: SADULT = '1'

Description: Sample Adult's physical or mental condition prohibits responding.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: None

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Knowledgeable proxy for Sample Adult available

1 Yes

2 No

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**Question ID:** AID.015\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PROX2

Final Documentation Name: PROX2

**What is this person's relationship to [fill: ALIAS of Sample Adult]?**

Universe: PROX1 = '1'

Description: Knowledgeable proxy is available.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: None

Notes: None

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Relationship of SA proxy to SA

- 1 Relative who lives in household
  - 2 Relative who doesn't live in household
  - 3 Other caregiver
  - 4 Other
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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samadult : Adult Socio-Demographic

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Question ID: ASD.062\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: DOINGLW2

Final Documentation Name: DOINGLWA

**Corrected Employment Status Last Week**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: working; not working; looking for work

Notes: DOINGLWA is the ASD equivalent of DOINGLWP in the FSD section (and both variables replace DOINGLW1, the employment status indicator found in previous NHIS data years). For the majority of respondents, DOINGLWA and DOINGLWP will have the same values across their respective data files. However, it is possible that DOINGLWA and DOINGLWP may not be consistent. Users wishing to reconcile any discrepant values are advised to use the values of DOINGLWA rather than DOINGLWP since the information obtained from the family respondent during the FSD portion of the interview was subsequently confirmed and corrected by the sample adult during his or her ASD interview.

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Corrected employment status last week

- 1 Working for pay at a job or business
  - 2 With a job or business but not at work
  - 3 Looking for work
  - 4 Working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business
  - 5 Not working at a job or business and not looking for work
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**Question ID:** ASD.065\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WHYNOWK2

Final Documentation Name: WHYNOWKA

**[If (DOINGLWA = '2'): What is the main reason you did not work last week? [Else if DOINGLWA = '5']: What is the main reason you did not have a job or business last week?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999') and DOINGLWA = '2','5'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years whose corrected working status last week was not working at a job or business and not looking for work or with a job or business but not at work

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: not working; unemployed; retired; keeping house

Notes: WHYNOWKA is the ASD equivalent of WHYNOWKP in the FSD section (and both variables replace WHYNOWK1, the variable that supplied reason for not working in previous NHIS data years). For the majority of respondents, WHYNOWKA and WHYNOWKP will have the same values across their respective data files. However, it is possible that WHYNOWKA and WHYNOWKP may not be consistent. Users wishing to reconcile any discrepant values are advised to use the values of WHYNOWKA rather than WHYNOWKP since the information obtained from the family respondent during the FSD portion of the interview was subsequently confirmed and corrected by the sample adult during his or her ASD interview.

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## Main reason for not working last week

- |    |   |
|----|---|
| 01 | Taking care of house or family                |
| 02 | Going to school                               |
| 03 | Retired                                       |
| 04 | On a planned vacation from work               |
| 05 | On family or maternity leave                  |
| 06 | Temporarily unable to work for health reasons |
| 07 | Have job/contract and off-season              |
| 08 | On layoff                                     |
| 09 | Disabled                                      |
| 10 | Other   |
| 97 | Refused                                       |
| 98 | Not ascertained                               |
| 99 | Don't know                                    |
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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** ASD.066\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: EVERWRK

Final Documentation Name: EVERWRK

**Have you ever held a job or worked at a business?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999') and DOINGLWA = '3','5','7','9'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were NOT working at a job or business and not looking for work or looking for work last week or didn't know or refused to provide their employment status last week

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: Please see the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Ever worked

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** ASD.080\_00.000

R05 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: INDSTRN1

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA = 1, 2, 4 or EVERWRK = 1)

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, working at a non-paying job last week, or who had ever worked

Sources: INDSTRYN

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; business; industry

Notes: This is the 2-digit detailed industry recode based on the 2007 NAICS-informed codes obtained from Census. The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who are currently working. Please see the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Detailed industry classification (based on 2007 NAICS codes from Census)

All Values See NAICS Industry Recode Appendix for response categories and labels.

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**Question ID:** ASD.080\_00.000      R06 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: INDSTRN2

**Universe:** ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA = 1, 2, 4 or EVERWRK = 1)

**Description:** Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, working at a non-paying job last week, or who had ever worked

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**Sources:** INDSTRYN

**Recodes:** None

**Keywords:** work; business; industry

**Notes:** This is the 2-digit simple industry recode based on the 2007 NAICS-informed codes obtained from Census. The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who are currently working. Please see the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Simple industry classification (based on 2007 NAICS Codes from Census)

All Values      See NAICS Industry Recode Appendix for response categories and labels.

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**Question ID:** ASD.090\_00.000      R05 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: OCCUPN1

**Universe:** ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA = 1, 2, 4 or EVERWRK = 1)

**Description:** Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, working at a non-paying job last week, or who had ever worked

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**Sources:** OCCUPN

**Recodes:** None

**Keywords:** work; employment; occupation

**Notes:** This is the 2-digit detailed occupation recode based on the 2000 SOC-informed codes obtained from Census. The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who are currently working. Please see the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Detailed occupation classification (based on 2000 SOC codes from Census)

All Values      See 2000 SOC Occupation Recode Appendix for response categories and labels.

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R06 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: OCCUPN2

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA = 1, 2, 4 or EVERWRK = 1)

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, working at a non-paying job last week, or who had ever worked

Sources: OCCUPN

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment; occupation

Notes: This is the 2-digit simple occupation recode based on the 2000 SOC-informed codes obtained from Census. The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who are currently working. Please see the Survey Description Document for more information.

Simple occupation classification (based on 2000 SOC codes from Census)

All Values See 2000 SOC Occupation Recode Appendix for response categories and labels.

**Question ID:** ASD.110\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WRKCAT

Final Documentation Name: WRKCATA

**FR: SHOW FLASHCARD A1.[If DOINGLWA eq <1,2,4>]: Looking at the card, which of these best describes your current job or work situation? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and [WHYNOWKA eq 03 or AGE ge 65]: Looking at the card, which of these best describes the job you held for the longest time? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and WHYNOWKA ne '03' and AGE lt '65']:** Looking at the card, which of these best describes the job you held most recently?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or EVERWRK = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or who have ever worked

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employee; class of worker

Notes: The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who were currently working.

Class of worker

- 1 Employee of a PRIVATE company for wages
- 2 A FEDERAL government employee
- 3 A STATE government employee
- 4 A LOCAL government employee
- 5 Self-employed in OWN business, professional practice or farm
- 6 Working WITHOUT PAY in a family-owned business or farm
- 7 Refused
- 8 Not ascertained
- 9 Don't know

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Question ID: ASD.112\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BUSINC

Final Documentation Name: BUSINC1A

**Is this business incorporated?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and WRKCATA = '5'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who are self-employed

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; self-employment

Notes: None

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Current job an incorporated business

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**Question ID:** ASD.120\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LOCALNO

Final Documentation Name: LOCAL1A

[If DOINGLWA eq <1,2,4>]: Thinking about this MAIN job or business, how many people work at this location? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA eq '03' or AGE ge '65')]: Thinking about your last week at the job you held the longest, how many people worked at this location? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA ne '03' and AGE lt '65')]: Thinking about your last week at the job you held most recently, how many people worked at this location?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or EVERWRK = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or who have ever worked

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment; employees

Notes: The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who were currently working.

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## Number of employees at work

01	1-9 employees
02	10-24 employees
03	25-49 employees
04	50-99 employees
05	100-249 employees
06	250-499 employees
07	500-999 employees
08	1000 employees or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: YRSWRKPA

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or EVERWRK = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or who have ever worked

Sources: WRKLNLSA

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; employment duration

Notes: The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who were currently working.

Number of years on the job

00	Less than 1 year
01-34	01-34 years
35	35 or more years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: ASD.146\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WRKLONGH

Final Documentation Name: WRKLONGH

**[If DOINGLWA eq 1,2,4]: Is this MAIN job or business the job you have held for the longest? [Else if EVERWRK eq 1 and (WHYNOWKA ne '03' and AGE lt '65')]: Was your most recently held job also the job you held the longest?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or (EVERWRK = '1' and WHYNOWKA NE '03' and (AGE LT '065' and AGE NE ' ')))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or had ever worked and were not retired and were younger than age 65

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; employment duration

Notes: None

Current/most recent job also longest held job

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ASD.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HOURPD

Final Documentation Name: HOURPDA

**[If DOINGLWA eq <1,2,4>]: Are you paid by the hour at this MAIN job or business? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA eq '03' or AGE ge '65')]: Were you paid by the hour on the job you held the longest? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA ne '03' and AGE lt '65')]: Were you paid by the hour on the job you held most recently?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or (EVERWRK = '1'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or who have ever worked

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; hourly wage

Notes: The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who were currently working.

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Paid by the hour at current/most recent job

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ASD.160\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PDSICK

Final Documentation Name: PDSICKA

[If DOINGLWA eq <1,2,4>]: Do you have paid sick leave on this MAIN job or business? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA eq '03' or AGE ge '65')]: Did you ever have paid sick leave on the job you held the longest? [Else if EVERWRK eq <1> and (WHYNOWKA ne '03' and AGE lt '65')]: Did you ever have paid sick leave on the job you held most recently?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4') or EVERWRK = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business, or who have ever worked

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; sick leave

Notes: The universe for this variable includes all persons who had ever worked as well as those who were currently working.

Paid sick leave at current/most recent job

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: ASD.170\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONEJOB

Final Documentation Name: ONEJOB

**Do you have more than one job or business?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and DOINGLWA IN ('1','2','4')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were working last week, or who were with a job or business but not at work, or who were working, but not for pay, at a family-owned job or business

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; employment

Notes: None

Have more than one job

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: ACN.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYPEV

Final Documentation Name: HYPEV

Now I am going to ask you about certain medical conditions. Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had... Hypertension, also called high blood pressure?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

Ever been told you have hypertension

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYPDIFV

Final Documentation Name: HYPDIFV

Were you told on two or more DIFFERENT visits that you had hypertension, also called high blood pressure?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HYPEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had hypertension

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

Ever had hypertension on 2+ visits

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.020\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HYPLOW

Final Documentation Name: HYPLOW

**Have you ever had low blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: low blood pressure

Notes: None

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## Ever had low blood pressure

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.021\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: HYBPCKNO

Final Documentation Name: HYBPCKNO

**About how long has it been since you had your blood pressure checked by a doctor, nurse or health professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: high blood pressure; hypertension

Notes: None

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## Time since last BP check: # of units

00	Never
01-94	1 to 94
95	95 or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.021\_02.010

Instrument Variable Name: HYBPCKTP

Final Documentation Name: HYBPCKTP

**About how long has it been since you had your blood pressure checked by a doctor, nurse or health professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (('01' &lt;= HYBPCKNO(e) &lt;= '95') or HYBPCKNO(e) IN ('97','99'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever had their blood pressure checked

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: high blood pressure; hypertension

Notes: None

Time since last BP check: Time units

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.022\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HYBPLEV

Final Documentation Name: HYBPLEV

**At that time, were you told that your blood pressure was high, normal, or low?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ('1' &lt;= HYBPCKTP(e) &lt;= '4')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had their blood pressure checked some days/weeks/months/years ago

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

Told blood pressure was high, normal, or low

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Not told        |
| 2 | High            |
| 3 | Normal          |
| 4 | Low             |
| 5 | Borderline      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.023\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: CLCKNO

Final Documentation Name: CLCKNO

**About how long has it been since you had your blood cholesterol checked by a doctor, nurse or health professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood cholesterol

Notes: None

Time since cholesterol checked: # units

00	Never
01-94	1 to 94
95	95 or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** ACN.023\_02.020

Instrument Variable Name: CLCKTP

Final Documentation Name: CLCKTP

**About how long has it been since you had your blood cholesterol checked by a doctor, nurse or health professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (('01'&lt;=CLCKNO(e)&lt;='95') or CLCKNO(e) IN ('97','99'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever had their blood cholesterol checked

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood cholesterol

Notes: None

Time since cholesterol checked: Time units

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.024\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: CLHI

Final Documentation Name: CLHI

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that your blood cholesterol level was high?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CLCKNO(e) not IN ('00')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever had their cholesterol checked

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: high blood cholesterol

Notes: None

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Told blood cholesterol level was high

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: CHDEV

Final Documentation Name: CHDEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... Coronary heart disease?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; myocardial infarction; angina

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had coronary heart disease

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ANGEV

Final Documentation Name: ANGEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... Angina, also called angina pectoris?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; angina

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had angina pectoris

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: MIEV

Final Documentation Name: MIEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ...A heart attack (also called myocardial infarction)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; myocardial infarction; heart attack

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had a heart attack

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRTEV

Final Documentation Name: HRTEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ...Any kind of heart condition or heart disease (other than the ones I just asked about)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; heart disease; heart rhythm disorders

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had a heart condition/disease

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: STREV

Final Documentation Name: STREV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...A stroke?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cerebrovascular disease; stroke; transient ischemic attack

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had a stroke

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.031\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: EPHEV

Final Documentation Name: EPHEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Emphysema?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; emphysema; chronic obstructive lung disease

Notes: None

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Ever been told you had emphysema

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.032\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: JAWP

Final Documentation Name: JAWP

**Which of the following would you say are the symptoms that someone may be having a heart attack? I am going to read a list. Please say yes or no to each one. ...Pain or discomfort in the jaw, neck or back.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: jaw pain, neck pain, back pain; heart attack knowledge

Notes: None

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Heart Attack Knowledge: Pain or discomfort in the jaw, neck or back

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.032\_02.020

Instrument Variable Name: WEA

Final Documentation Name: WEA

**Which of the following would you say are the symptoms that someone may be having a heart attack? ...Feeling weak, lightheaded or faint.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: weakness, lightheadedness; heart attack knowledge

Notes: None

Heart Attack Knowledge: Feeling weak, lightheaded or faint

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.032\_03.030

Instrument Variable Name: CHE

Final Documentation Name: CHE

**Which of the following would you say are the symptoms that someone may be having a heart attack? ...Chest pain or discomfort.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: chest pain; heart attack knowledge

Notes: None

Heart Attack Knowledge: Chest pain or discomfort

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.032\_04.040

Instrument Variable Name: ARM

Final Documentation Name: ARM

**Which of the following would you say are the symptoms that someone may be having a heart attack? ...Pain or discomfort in the arms or shoulder.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arm pain, shoulder pain; heart attack knowledge

Notes: None

Heart Attack Knowledge: Pain or discomfort in the arms or shoulder

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.032\_05.050

Instrument Variable Name: BRTH

Final Documentation Name: BRTH

**Which of the following would you say are the symptoms that someone may be having a heart attack? ...Shortness of breath.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: breathing difficulty; heart attack knowledge

Notes: None

Heart Attack Knowledge: Shortness of breath

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.033\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: AHADO

Final Documentation Name: AHADO

**If you thought someone was having a heart attack, what is the BEST thing to do right away? Please give me a number from the card.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: heart attack knowledge; what to do

Notes: None

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Best thing to do right away if having a heart attack

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Advise them to drive to the hospital     |
| 2 | Advise them to call their physician      |
| 3 | Call 9-1-1 (or another emergency number) |
| 4 | Call spouse or family member             |
| 5 | Other                                    |
| 7 | Refused                                  |
| 8 | Not ascertained                          |
| 9 | Don't know                               |
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**Question ID:** ACN.034\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: ACPR

Final Documentation Name: ACPR

**Have you ever received formal training or certification in CPR for Adults?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: CPR training

Notes: None

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Ever received formal training or certification in CPR for Adults

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.035\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: ACPRLO

Final Documentation Name: ACPRLO

**How long ago was this?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ACPR(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever received formal training or certification in CPR for adults

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: CPR training

Notes: None

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## How long ago received formal CPR training

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | 1 year or less                              |
| 2 | More than 1 year, but no more than 2 years  |
| 3 | More than 2 years, but no more than 5 years |
| 4 | More than 5 years                           |
| 7 | Refused                                     |
| 8 | Not ascertained                             |
| 9 | Don't know                                  |
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**Question ID:** ACN.080\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AASMEV

Final Documentation Name: AASMEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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## Ever been told you had asthma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.085\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AASSTILL

Final Documentation Name: AASSTILL

**Do you still have asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they have asthma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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## Still have asthma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.090\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AASMYR

Final Documentation Name: AASMYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had asthma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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## Had an asthma episode/attack past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AASMERYR

Final Documentation Name: AASMERYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had to visit an emergency room or urgent care center because of asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with asthma episode/attack in past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency

Notes: None

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Had visit to ER due to asthma past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: AASMHSP

Final Documentation Name: AASMHSP

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you stayed overnight in a hospital because of asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMYR(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who had episode of asthma in past year

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency; asthma hospital

Notes: None

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Had stayed overnight in hospital due to asthma, past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.100\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: AASMMC

Final Documentation Name: AASMMC

**After (the last time) you left the hospital, did a health professional talk with you about long term management of your asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMHS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ in hospital overnight b/c of asthma, past year

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency; asthma hospital

Notes: None

Talk with health professional about long term asthma care

- |   |                       |
|---|-----------------------|
| 1 | Yes                   |
| 2 | No                    |
| 3 | Still in the hospital |
| 7 | Refused               |
| 8 | Not ascertained       |
| 9 | Don't know            |

Question ID: ACN.100\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: AWZMSWK

Final Documentation Name: AWZMSWK

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, HOW MANY DAYS were you UNABLE to work because of your asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMYR(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who had episode of asthma in past year

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: asthma; work absence

Notes: None

# Work days missed due to asthma, past 12 mo.

- |         |                            |
|---------|----------------------------|
| 000-365 | 000-365 days               |
| 996     | Unable to do this activity |
| 997     | Refused                    |
| 998     | Not ascertained            |
| 999     | Don't know                 |

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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.040

Instrument Variable Name: AWZPIN

Final Documentation Name: AWZPIN

**Have you ever used a PRESCRIPTION inhaler?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR (e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; inhaler

Notes: None

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## Ever used prescription inhaler

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.050

Instrument Variable Name: AASMINST

Final Documentation Name: AASMINST

**Has a health professional shown you how to use your inhaler?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AWZPIN (e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever used prescription inhaler

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency; inhaler

Notes: None

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## Shown how to use inhaler

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.100\_00.060

Instrument Variable Name: AASMPMED

Final Documentation Name: AASMPMED

**DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS, have you used the kind of PRESCRIPTION inhaler THAT YOU BREATHE IN THROUGH YOUR MOUTH, that gives QUICK relief from asthma symptoms?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AWZPIN (e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever used prescription inhaler

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency; inhaler

Notes: None

Used oral inhaler, past 3 mo

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.100\_00.070

Instrument Variable Name: AASMCAN

Final Documentation Name: AASMCAN

**DURING THE PAST 3 MONTHS, did you use more than three canisters of this type of inhaler?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMPMED(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have used quick relief inhaler, past 3 mos

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency; inhaler

Notes: None

Used more than 3 canisters of mouth inhaler, past 3 mo

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.080

Instrument Variable Name: AASMED

Final Documentation Name: AASMED

**Have you EVER taken the preventive kind of ASTHMA medicine used everyday to protect your lungs and keep you from having attacks? Include both oral medicine and inhalers. This is different from inhalers used for quick relief.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing; asthma medication

Notes: None

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Ever taken preventive asthma meds

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.090

Instrument Variable Name: AASMDTP

Final Documentation Name: AASMDTP

**Are you NOW taking this medication (that protects your lungs) daily or almost daily?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AASMED(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever taken preventive asthma medicine

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing; asthma medication

Notes: None

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Now taking asthma meds

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.100

Instrument Variable Name: AASWMP

Final Documentation Name: AASWMP

**Has a doctor or other health professional EVER given you an asthma management plan?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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## Given an asthma management plan

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
- 

**Question ID:** ACN.100\_00.110

Instrument Variable Name: AASCLASS

Final Documentation Name: AASCLASS

**Have you ever taken a course or class on how to manage asthma yourself?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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## Ever taken asthma mgmt. class

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.105\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: AAS\_REC

Final Documentation Name: AAS\_REC

**Has a doctor or other health professional EVER taught you...how to recognize early signs or symptoms of an asthma episode?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

Taught to recognize asthma episode

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.105\_02.020

Instrument Variable Name: AAS\_RES

Final Documentation Name: AAS\_RES

**Has a doctor or other health professional EVER taught you...how to respond to episodes of asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

Taught how to respond to asthma episode

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ACN.105\_03.030

Instrument Variable Name: AAS\_MON

Final Documentation Name: AAS\_MON

**Has a doctor or other health professional ever taught you...how to monitor peak flow for daily therapy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing; peak flow

Notes: None

Taught how to monitor peak flow for daily therapy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.107\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: AAPENVLN

Final Documentation Name: AAPENVLN

**Has a doctor or other health professional ever advised you to change things in your home, school, or work to improve your asthma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AASSTILL(e) = '1' or AASMYR(e) = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma or had asthma attack in past 12 mos.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing; environment

Notes: None

Ever advised to change environment for asthma

- |   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| 1 | Yes                        |
| 2 | No                         |
| 3 | Was told no changes needed |
| 7 | Refused                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained            |
| 9 | Don't know                 |

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**Question ID:** ACN.107\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: AAPENVDO

Final Documentation Name: AAPENVDO

**How much of this advice did you follow? Would you say none, a little, some, most, or all?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AAPENVLN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who been told to change things because of asthma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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Follow advice to change environment for asthma

0	None
1	A little
2	Some
3	Most
4	All
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: CHRFBATIG

Final Documentation Name: CHRFBATIG

**Have you ever had ...Chronic fatigue syndrome**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Chronic fatigue, CFS

Notes: None

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Ever had chronic fatigue syndrome

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_02.020

Instrument Variable Name: THYLOW

Final Documentation Name: THYLOW

**Have you ever had ...Low thyroid function or hypothyroidism**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: low thyroid, hypothyroidism

Notes: None

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Ever had low thyroid function or hypothyroidism

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_03.030

Instrument Variable Name: CHRINFCT

Final Documentation Name: CHRINFCT

**Have you ever had ...Chronic infection**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: infection

Notes: None

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Ever had chronic infection

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_04.040

Instrument Variable Name: MULDYST

Final Documentation Name: MULDYST

**Have you ever had ...Muscular dystrophy**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: muscular dystrophy, MD

Notes: None

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## Ever had muscular dystrophy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_05.050

Instrument Variable Name: EPILEPSY

Final Documentation Name: EPILEPSY

**Have you ever had ...Epilepsy or seizures**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: epilepsy. Seizures

Notes: None

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## Ever had epilepsy or seizures

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_06.060

Instrument Variable Name: CEREBRLP

Final Documentation Name: CEREBRLP

**Have you ever had ...Cerebral palsy**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cerebral palsy

Notes: None

## Ever had cerebral palsy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_07.070

Instrument Variable Name: SPINEINJ

Final Documentation Name: SPINEINJ

**Have you ever had ...A spinal cord or neck injury**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: spinal cord injury, neck injury

Notes: None

## Ever had a spinal cord or neck injury

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_08.080

Instrument Variable Name: HEADINJ

Final Documentation Name: HEADINJ

**Have you ever had ...Injury to head or brain**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: head injury, brain injury

Notes: None

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Ever had injury to head or brain

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_09.090

Instrument Variable Name: MOVEDIS

Final Documentation Name: MOVEDIS

**Have you ever had ...Movement disorders such as Parkinson's disease, ALS, or Lou Gehrig's disease****\*ALS stands for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: movement disorder, Parkinson's, ALS

Notes: None

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Ever had movement disorders such as Parkinson's disease, ALS, or Lou Gehrig's disease

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_10.100

Instrument Variable Name: MIGRAINE

Final Documentation Name: MIGRAINE

**Have you ever had ...Migraine headaches**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: migraine

Notes: None

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## Ever had migraine headaches

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_11.110

Instrument Variable Name: RHDACHE

Final Documentation Name: RHDACHE

**Have you ever had ...Regular headaches, other than migraine**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: headache

Notes: None

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## Ever had regular headaches, other than migraine

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.108\_12.120

Instrument Variable Name: MULSCLER

Final Documentation Name: MULSCLER

**Have you ever had ...Multiple sclerosis**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: multiple sclerosis, MS

Notes: None

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## Ever had multiple sclerosis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.110\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ULCEV

Final Documentation Name: ULCEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...An ulcer? This could be a stomach, duodenal or peptic ulcer.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: digestive disease; ulcer; stomach trouble; duodenal; peptic

Notes: None

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## Ever been told you have an ulcer

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.120\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ULCYR

Final Documentation Name: ULCYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS have you had an ulcer?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ULCEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had an ulcer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: digestive disease; ulcer; stomach trouble; duodenal; peptic

Notes: None

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Had ulcer in past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.130\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANEV

Final Documentation Name: CANEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Cancer or a malignancy of any kind?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; malignant neoplasm; malignancy

Notes: None

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Ever told by a doctor you had cancer

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND1

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; bladder neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Bladder

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND2

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; blood neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Blood

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND3

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; bone neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Bone

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND4

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; brain neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Brain

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND5

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; breast neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Breast

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND6

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1' and SEX = '2'

Description: Sample Female adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; cervix neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Cervix

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND7

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; colonic neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Colon

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND8

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; esophageal neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Esophagus

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND9

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; gallbladder neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Gallbladder

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND10

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; kidney neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Kidney

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.140\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND11

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; laryngeal neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... larynx-windpipe

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.140\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND12

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; blood neoplasms; leukemia

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Leukemia

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND13

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; liver neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Liver

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND14

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; lung neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Lung

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND15

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; lymphoma neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Lymphoma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.140\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND16

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; melanoma neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Melanoma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND17

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; mouth neoplasms; tongue neoplasms; lip neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... mouth/tongue/lip

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND18

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1' and SEX= '2'

Description: Sample Female adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; ovarian neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Ovary

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND19

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; pancreatic neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Pancreas

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND20

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1' and SEX= '1'

Description: Sample Male adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; prostatic neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Prostate

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND21

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; rectal neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Rectum

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_22.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND22

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; skin neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... skin (non-melanoma)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_23.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND23

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; skin neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... skin (DK kind)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_24.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND24

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; soft tissue neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... soft tissue (muscle or fat)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND25

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; stomach neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Stomach

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.140\_26.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND26

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN('997','999')) and CANEV = '1' and SEX = '1'

Description: Sample Male adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; testicular neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Testis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_27.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND27

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; pharyngeal neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... throat - pharynx

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.140\_28.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND28

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; thyroid neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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What kind of cancer ... Thyroid

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND29

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1' and SEX = '2'

Description: Sample Female adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; uterine neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Uterus

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.140\_30.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_1-CANKIND\_3

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND30

**What kind of cancer was it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CANEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

What kind of cancer ... Other

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: CANKIND\_4

Final Documentation Name: CNKIND31

**What kind of cancer ... more than three kinds?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999') and CANEV = '1' and CNKIND\_3 ne '96' and CNKIND\_3 ne ''

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cancer; neoplasms

Notes: Since 2004, if CANKIND\_1 had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded CNKIND1-31 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

## What kind of cancer ... more than 3 kinds

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.150\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE1

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had bladder cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; bladder neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/bladder cancer

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|-------|-----------------|
| 01-84 | 1-84 years      |
| 85    | 85+ years       |
| 97    | Refused         |
| 98    | Not ascertained |
| 99    | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE2

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had blood cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; blood neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/blood cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE3

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had bone cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; bone neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/bone cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE4

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN('997','999')) and CNKIND4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had brain cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; brain neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/brain cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE5

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had breast cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; breast neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/breast cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE6

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had cervical cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; cervix neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/cervical cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE7

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND7 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had colon cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; colonic neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/colon cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.150\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE8

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had esophageal cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; esophageal neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/esophageal cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: ACN.150\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE9

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had gallbladder cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; gallbladder neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/gallbladder cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.150\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE10

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN('997','999')) and CNKIND10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had kidney cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; kidney neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/kidney cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: ACN.150\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE11

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had larynx-windpipe cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; laryngeal neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/larynx-windpipe cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE12

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had leukemia

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; blood neoplasms; leukemia

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/leukemia

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE13

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('998','999')) and CNKIND13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had liver cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; liver neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/liver cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE14

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had lung cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; lung neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/lung cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE15

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had lymphoma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; lymphoma neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/lymphoma

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE16

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had melanoma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; melanoma neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/melanoma

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE17

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had mouth/tongue/lip cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; mouth neoplasms; tongue neoplasms; lip neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/mouth/tongue/lip cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE18

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('998','999')) and CNKIND18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had ovarian cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; ovarian neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/ovarian cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE19

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('998','999')) and CNKIND19 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had pancreatic cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; pancreatic neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/pancreatic cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE20

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND20 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had prostate cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; prostatic neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/prostate cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE21

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND21 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had rectal cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; rectal neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/rectal cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_22.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE22

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND22 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had skin (non-melanoma) cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; skin neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/skin (non-melanoma) cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** ACN.150\_23.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE23

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND23 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had skin (DK what kind) cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; skin neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/skin (DK kind) cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_24.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE24

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND24 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had soft tissue (muscle or fat) cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; soft tissue neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/soft tissue cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_25.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE25

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND25 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had stomach cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; stomach neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/stomach cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_26.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE26

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND26 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had testicular cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; testicular neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/testicular cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_27.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE27

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND27 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had throat-pharynx cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; pharyngeal neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/throat/pharynx cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_28.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE28

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND28 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had thyroid cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; thyroid neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/thyroid cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ACN.150\_29.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE29

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND29 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had uterine cancer

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; uterine neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

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## Age first diagnosed w/uterine cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.150\_30.000

Instrument Variable Name: CANAGE\_1-CANAGE\_3

Final Documentation Name: CANAGE30

**How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CNKIND30 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had other type of cancer

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: onset; cancer; neoplasms

Notes: These data have not been edited for reasonableness. Some respondents appear to give information on how long ago the cancer was first diagnosed rather than their age when cancer was first diagnosed.

## Age first diagnosed w/other cancer

01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: ACN.160\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: DIBEV

Final Documentation Name: DIBEV

**[If Female, Other than during pregnancy] Have you EVER been told by a doctor or health professional that you have diabetes or sugar diabetes?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: endocrine; sugar; diabetes

Notes: None

## Ever been told that you have diabetes

1	Yes
2	No
3	Borderline
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.165\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: DIBPRE1

Final Documentation Name: DIBPRE1

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you have any of the following: prediabetes, impaired fasting glucose, impaired glucose tolerance, borderline diabetes, or high blood sugar?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and DIBEV IN ('2','3','7','9')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were never told they had diabetes, or who refused or said don't know to having been told they had diabetes or were told they had borderline diabetes

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: prediabetes

Notes: None

Ever had prediabetes or other symptoms

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: DIBAGE

Final Documentation Name: DIBAGE

**How old were you when a doctor FIRST told you that you had diabetes or sugar diabetes?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and DIBEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: age diagnosed with diabetes; age diagnosed with sugar diabetes

Notes: None

Age first diagnosed w/diabetes

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|-------|-----------------|
| 01-84 | 1-84 years      |
| 85    | 85+ years       |
| 97    | Refused         |
| 98    | Not ascertained |
| 99    | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.170\_00.000      R02 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: DIFAGE2

**Universe:** ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and DIBEV = 1  
**Description:** Sample adults aged 18+ years who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)

**Sources:** DIBAGE(i); AGE  
**Recodes:** None  
**Keywords:** Diabetes age check  
**Notes:** DIFAGE2 indicates the difference between age at diabetes onset and age. This variable was calculated by the age of onset and the current age. For persons 85 or older, this difference may be an underestimate. Unlike in 1999, there is no follow-up question to determine onset in past year. For some with 1 year difference in age, onset will be within the past year.

## Years since first diagnosed w/diabetes

00	Within past year
01-84	1-84 years
85	85+ years
96	1+ year(s) with diabetes and age is 85+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** ACN.180\_00.000      Instrument Variable Name: INSLN  
 Final Documentation Name: INSLN

**Are you NOW taking insulin?**

**Universe:** ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DIBEV='1' or DIBPRE1='1')  
**Description:** Sample adults GE 18 years who were ever told they had diabetes or prediabetic condition (other than during pregnancy)

**Sources:** None  
**Recodes:** None  
**Keywords:** insulin use; diabetes  
**Notes:** None

## NOW taking insulin

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: ACN.190\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: DIBPILL

Final Documentation Name: DIBPILL

**Are you NOW taking diabetic pills to lower your blood sugar? These are sometimes called oral agents or oral hypoglycemic agents.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (DIBEV='1' or DIBPRE1='1')

Description: Sample adults GE 18 years who were ever told they had diabetes or prediabetic condition (other than during pregnancy)

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: diabetes; sugar; oral medication

Notes: None

NOW taking diabetic pills

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.201\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHAYFYR

Final Documentation Name: AHAYFYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had... hay fever?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory condition; hay fever; allergic rhinitis (non-asthma)

Notes: None

Told that you had hay fever, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.201\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: SINYR

Final Documentation Name: SINYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...sinusitis?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory condition; sinusitis; nasal congestion

Notes: None

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Told that you had sinusitis, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.201\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: CBRCHYR

Final Documentation Name: CBRCHYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...chronic bronchitis?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory condition; chronic bronchitis

Notes: None

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Told you had chronic bronchitis, 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.201\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: KIDWKYR

Final Documentation Name: KIDWKYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had... Weak or failing kidneys? - Do not include kidney stones, bladder infections or incontinence.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: renal disease; nephritis; kidney disease

Notes: None

Told you had weak/failing kidneys, 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.201\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: LIVYR

Final Documentation Name: LIVYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had... Any kind of liver condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: liver condition; cirrhosis of liver

Notes: None

Told you had liver condition, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ACN.250\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: JNTSYMP

Final Documentation Name: JNTSYMP

The next questions refer to your joints. Please do NOT include the back or neck. DURING THE PAST 30 DAYS, have you had any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatism; musculo-skeletal disease; diseased joints

Notes: None

Symptoms of joint pain/aching/stiffness past 30 d

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.260\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP1

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness swelling

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right shoulder joint disease; right shoulder arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

Which joint affected...shoulder-right

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP2

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left shoulder joint disease; left shoulder arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...shoulder-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP3

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right elbow joint disease; right elbow arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...elbow-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP4

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left elbow joint disease; left elbow arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...elbow-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP5

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right hip joint disease; right hip arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...hip-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP6

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left hip joint disease; left hip arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...hip-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP7

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right wrist joint disease; right wrist arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...wrist-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP8

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left wrist joint disease; left wrist arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...wrist-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP9

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right knee joint disease; right knee arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...knee-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP10

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left knee joint disease; left knee arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...knee-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP11

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right ankle joint disease; right ankle arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...ankle-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP12

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left ankle joint disease; left ankle arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...ankle-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP13

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right toes joint disease; right toes arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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## Which joint affected...toes-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP14

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left toes joint disease; left toes arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...toes-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP15

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right finger/thumb joint disease; right finger/thumb arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...fingers/thumb-right

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP16

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left finger/thumb joint disease; left finger/thumb arthritis

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...fingers/thumb-left

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.260\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: JMTHP1-JMTHP17

Final Documentation Name: JMTHP17

**Which joints are affected?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JN'TSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: other joint disease; other arthritic joint

Notes: Since 2004, if JMTHP had a '97' or '99' (Refused or Don't Know) response, all of the expanded JMTHP1-17 variables were also given '7' or '9'. In 2002 and 2003, these responses were recoded to '8' (Not Ascertained).

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Which joint affected...other joint not listed

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.270\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: JNTCHR

Final Documentation Name: JNTCHR

**Did your joint symptoms FIRST begin more than 3 months ago?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatism; musculo-skeletal disease; diseased joints; joint symptoms

Notes: None

Joint symptoms begin more than 3 months ago

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** ACN.280\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: JNTHP

Final Documentation Name: JNTHP

**Have you EVER seen a doctor or other health professional for these joint symptoms?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and JNTSYMP = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint pain/stiffness/swelling

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatism; musculo-skeletal disease; diseased joints; joint symptoms

Notes: None

Ever seen doctor or health professional for joint symptoms

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ACN.290\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ARTH

Final Documentation Name: ARTH1

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you have some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatoid arthritis; gout; lupus; fibromyalgia

Notes: None

Ever been told you had arthritis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.295\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ARTHLMT

Final Documentation Name: ARTHLMT

**Are you now limited in any way in any of your usual activities because of arthritis or joint symptoms?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (JNTSYMP = '1' or ARTH1 = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have joint symptoms or arthritis

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatoid arthritis; gout; lupus; fibromyalgia; joint symptoms; activity limitation

Notes: None

Limited due to arthritis or joint symptoms

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: ARTH1TYP1-ARTH1TYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTH1TYP1

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis

Notes: None

Ever told you had arthritis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.297\_02.010

Instrument Variable Name: ARTH1TYP1-ARTH1TYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTH1TYP2

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rheumatoid arthritis, RA

Notes: None

Ever told you had rheumatoid arthritis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ACN.297\_03.010

Instrument Variable Name: ARTHTYP1-ARTHYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTHTYP3

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: gout

Notes: None

Ever told you had gout

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.297\_04.010

Instrument Variable Name: ARTHTYP1-ARTHYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTHTYP4

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: lupus, SLE

Notes: None

Ever told you had lupus

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ACN.297\_05.010

Instrument Variable Name: ARTHTYP1-ARTHYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTHTYP5

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fibromyalgia

Notes: None

Ever told you had fibromyalgia

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.297\_06.010

Instrument Variable Name: ARTHTYP1-ARTHYP6

Final Documentation Name: ARTHTYP6

**You just mentioned that you were told by a doctor or other health professional that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia. Which of these were you told you had?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ARTH1='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who were told they had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: other joint condition

Notes: None

Ever told you had other joint condition

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.300\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAINECK

Final Documentation Name: PAINECK

The following questions are about pain you may have experienced in the **PAST THREE MONTHS**. Please refer to pain that **LASTED A WHOLE DAY OR MORE**. Do not report aches and pains that are fleeting or minor. **During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ...Neck pain?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neck pain; neck arthritis

Notes: None

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Had neck pain, past 3 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.310\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAINLB

Final Documentation Name: PAINLB

**During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ...Low back pain?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: low back pain; sciatica; intervertebral disc disorder

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINECK) for question lead-in

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Had low back pain, past 3 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.320\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAINLEG

Final Documentation Name: PAINLEG

**Did this pain spread down either leg to areas below the knees?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and PAINLB = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with low back pain in the past 3 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: back pain; lower leg pain; sciatica; inter vertebral disc disorder

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINNECK) for question lead-in

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## Pain spread down leg/below knees

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.331\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAINFACE

Final Documentation Name: PAINFACE

**During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ... Facial ache or pain in the jaw muscles or the joint in front of the ear?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: facial joint pain; jaw muscle ache; facial muscle ache

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINNECK) for question lead-in

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## Had pain in jaw/front of ear, past 3 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.331\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AMIGR

Final Documentation Name: AMIGR

**During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ... Severe headache or migraine?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: severe headache; migraine headache; head pain

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINECK) for question lead-in

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Had severe headache/migraine, past 3 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.350\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ACOLD2W

Final Documentation Name: ACOLD2W

**Did you have a head cold or chest cold that started during those TWO WEEKS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: head cold; chest cold; respiratory ailment

Notes: None

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Had a head/chest cold past 2 w

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.360\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AINTIL2W

Final Documentation Name: AINTIL2W

**Did you have a stomach or intestinal illness with vomiting or diarrhea that started during those TWO WEEKS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: digestive disease; stomach/intestinal illness; diarrhea; vomiting

Notes: None

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Had stomach prob w/vomit/diarrhea, 2 w

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.370\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PREGNOW

Final Documentation Name: PREGNOW

**Are you currently pregnant?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and ('018' &lt;= AGE &lt;= '049') and SEX = '2'

Description: Sample Female adults aged 18-49 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: pregnant; with child

Notes: None

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Currently pregnant

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.400\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRAIDNOW

Final Documentation Name: HRAIDNOW

**These next questions are about your hearing, vision, and teeth. Do you now use a hearing aid(s)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing aid

Notes: None

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Now use a hearing aid

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.410\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRAIDDEV

Final Documentation Name: HRAIDDEV

**Have you ever used a hearing aid(s) in the past?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRAIDNOW(e) IN('2','7','9')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who do not now use a hearing aid or REF/DK whether they now use a hearing aid

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing aid

Notes: None

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Ever used a hearing aid if not now using

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.420\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHEARST1

Final Documentation Name: AHEARST1

**WITHOUT the use of hearing aids or other listening devices, is your hearing excellent, good, a little trouble hearing, moderate trouble, a lot of trouble, or are you deaf?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing, hearing aid

Notes: None

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Hearing w/o hearing aid

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | Excellent                |
| 2 | Good                     |
| 3 | A little trouble hearing |
| 4 | Moderate trouble         |
| 5 | A lot of trouble         |
| 6 | Deaf                     |
| 7 | Refused                  |
| 8 | Not ascertained          |
| 9 | Don't know               |
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**Question ID:** ACN.422\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HRWORS

Final Documentation Name: HRWORS

**Is your hearing WORSE in one ear than the other?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHEARST1(e) NE '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have other than excellent hearing

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing

Notes: None

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Hearing worse in one ear

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.422\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: HRWHICH

Final Documentation Name: HRWHICH

**Which ear is worse?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRWORS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who hear worse in one ear than the other

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing, ears

Notes: None

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## Which ear is worse

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | The right ear   |
| 2 | The left ear    |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.422\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: HRRIGHT

Final Documentation Name: HRRIGHT

**Is your hearing in your RIGHT ear excellent, good, a little trouble hearing, moderate trouble, a lot of trouble, or are you deaf?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRWORS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have other than excellent hearing and hear worse in one ear than the other

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing, right ear

Notes: None

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## Hearing in right ear

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | Excellent                |
| 2 | Good                     |
| 3 | A little trouble hearing |
| 4 | Moderate trouble         |
| 5 | a lot of trouble         |
| 6 | Deaf                     |
| 7 | Refused                  |
| 8 | Not ascertained          |
| 9 | Don't know               |
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Question ID: ACN.422\_00.040

Instrument Variable Name: HRLEFT

Final Documentation Name: HRLEFT

**Is your hearing in your LEFT ear excellent, good, a little trouble hearing, moderate trouble, a lot of trouble, or are you deaf?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRWORS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have other than excellent hearing and hear worse in one ear than the other

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing, left ear

Notes: None

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Hearing in left ear

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | Excellent                |
| 2 | Good                     |
| 3 | A little trouble hearing |
| 4 | Moderate trouble         |
| 5 | A lot of trouble         |
| 6 | Deaf                     |
| 7 | Refused                  |
| 8 | Not ascertained          |
| 9 | Don't know               |
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Question ID: ACN.425\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HRTIN

Final Documentation Name: HRTIN

**IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head that lasts for 5 minutes or more?**

**\*Read if necessary.**

**Tinnitus (TIN-uh-tus) is the medical term for ringing, roaring or buzzing in the ears or head.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

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Bothered by ringing/roaring/buzzing in ears, past 12 m

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
- 
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Question ID: ACN.425\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: HRTINLNG

Final Documentation Name: HRTINLNG

**How long have you been bothered by this ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTIN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in their ears or head in the past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

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Duration of ringing/roaring/buzzing in ears

- |    |                    |
|----|--------------------|
| 01 | Less than 3 months |
| 02 | 3 to 11 months     |
| 03 | 1 to 2 years       |
| 04 | 3 to 4 years       |
| 05 | 5 to 9 years       |
| 06 | 10 to 14 years     |
| 07 | 15 or more years   |
| 97 | Refused            |
| 98 | Not ascertained    |
| 99 | Don't know         |
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Question ID: ACN.425\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: HRTINOFT

Final Documentation Name: HRTINOFT

**IN THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how often have you had this ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head? Would you say...**

**\*Read categories below.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTIN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in their ears or head in the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

How often R had ringing/roaring/buzzing, past 12 m

- |   |                                   |
|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Almost always                     |
| 2 | At least once a day               |
| 3 | At least once a week              |
| 4 | At least once a month             |
| 5 | Less frequently than once a month |
| 7 | Refused                           |
| 8 | Not ascertained                   |
| 9 | Don't know                        |

Question ID: ACN.425\_00.040

Instrument Variable Name: HRTINMUS

Final Documentation Name: HRTINMUS

**Are you bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head ONLY after listening to loud sounds or loud music?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTIN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in their ears or head in the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

Ringing/roaring/buzzing after hearing loud sounds/music

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Question ID: ACN.425\_00.050

Instrument Variable Name: HRTINSLP

Final Documentation Name: HRTINSLP

**Are you bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head when going to sleep?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTIN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in their ears or head in the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

## Ringing/roaring/buzzing when going to sleep

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ACN.425\_00.060

Instrument Variable Name: HRTNPROB

Final Documentation Name: HRTNPROB

**How much of a problem is this ringing, roaring, or buzzing in your ears or head? Would you say it is...****\*Read categories below.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTIN(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been bothered by ringing, roaring, or buzzing in their ears or head in the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus, ringing in ears

Notes: None

## How much a problem is ringing/roaring/buzzing

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | No problem         |
| 2 | A small problem    |
| 3 | A moderate problem |
| 4 | A big problem      |
| 5 | A very big problem |
| 7 | Refused            |
| 8 | Not ascertained    |
| 9 | Don't know         |

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**Question ID:** ACN.430\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AVISION

Final Documentation Name: AVISION

**Do you have trouble seeing, even when wearing glasses or contact lenses?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: vision trouble; seeing disability; visual acuity

Notes: None

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Trouble seeing even w/glasses/lenses

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ABLIND

Final Documentation Name: ABLIND

**Are you blind or unable to see at all?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AVISION = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have trouble seeing when wearing glasses/lenses

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blindness; vision impairment

Notes: None

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Blind or unable to see at all

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: VIM\_DREV

Final Documentation Name: VIM\_DREV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had  
...Diabetic retinopathy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: diabetic retinopathy, diabetes, eyesight

Notes: None

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EVER been told you had diabetic retinopathy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: VIMLS\_DR

Final Documentation Name: VIMLS\_DR

**Have you lost any vision because of diabetic retinopathy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIM\_DREV(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ told they have diabetic retinopathy

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: diabetic retinopathy, diabetes, eyesight, vision loss

Notes: None

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Lost vision because of diabetic retinopathy

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: VIM\_CAEV

Final Documentation Name: VIM\_CAEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ...Cataracts**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cataracts, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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## EVER been told you had cataracts

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.040

Instrument Variable Name: VIMLS\_CA

Final Documentation Name: VIMLS\_CA

**Have you lost any vision because of cataracts?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIM\_CAEV(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ told they have cataracts

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cataracts, eyesight, vision loss

Notes: None

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## Lost vision because of cataracts

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.045

Instrument Variable Name: VIMCSURG

Final Documentation Name: VIMCSURG

**Have you ever had cataract surgery?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIM\_CAEV(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ ever had cataracts

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cataract surgery, vision

Notes: None

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## Ever had cataract surgery

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.050

Instrument Variable Name: VIM\_GLEV

Final Documentation Name: VIM\_GLEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ...Glaucoma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: glaucoma, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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## EVER been told you had glaucoma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.060

Instrument Variable Name: VIMLS\_GL

Final Documentation Name: VIMLS\_GL

**Have you lost any vision because of glaucoma?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIM\_GLEV(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ told they have glaucoma

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: glaucoma, eyesight, vision loss

Notes: None

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## Lost vision because of glaucoma

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.070

Instrument Variable Name: VIM\_MDEV

Final Documentation Name: VIM\_MDEV

**Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ...Macular Degeneration**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: macular degeneration, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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## EVER been told you had macular degeneration

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.080

Instrument Variable Name: VIMLS\_MD

Final Documentation Name: VIMLS\_MD

**Have you lost any vision because of macular degeneration?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIM\_MDEV(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ told they have macular degeneration

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: macular degeneration, eyesight, vision loss

Notes: None

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Lost vision because of macular degeneration

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.100

Instrument Variable Name: VIMGLASS

Final Documentation Name: VIMGLASS

**Do you currently wear eyeglasses or contact lenses?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9', '')

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Currently wear eyeglasses or contact lenses?

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.110

Instrument Variable Name: VIMREAD

Final Documentation Name: VIMREAD

**Do you wear eyeglasses or contact lenses to read books or newspapers, write, or do other things that require you to see well up close, such as cooking, sewing or fixing things?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIMGLASS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ wear glasses or contacts

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Wear eyeglasses or contact lenses to read/write/cook/sew

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.120

Instrument Variable Name: VIMDRIVE

Final Documentation Name: VIMDRIVE

**Do you wear eyeglasses or contact lenses to drive, read road and street signs, watch TV, or see things in the distance?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIMGLASS(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ wear glasses or contacts

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Wear eyeglasses or contact lenses to drive/read signs/watch TV

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.130

Instrument Variable Name: AVISREH

Final Documentation Name: AVISREH

**Do you use any vision rehabilitation services, such as job training, counseling, or training in daily living skills and mobility?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AVISION(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have trouble seeing

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: vision rehabilitation services, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Use any vision rehabilitation services

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.440\_00.140

Instrument Variable Name: AVISDEV

Final Documentation Name: AVISDEV

**Do you use any adaptive devices such as telescopic or other prescriptive lenses, magnifiers, large print or talking materials, CCTV, white cane, or guide dog?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AVISION(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have trouble seeing

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: adaptive devices, magnifier, talking books, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Use any adaptive devices such as magnifiers, talking materials

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_NWS

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_NWS

**Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To read ordinary print in newspapers**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty reading

Notes: None

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Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to read newspapers

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |
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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_CLS

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_CLS

Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To do work or hobbies that require you to see well up close such as cooking, sewing, fixing things around the house or using hand tools

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty seeing close

Notes: None

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Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to see up close/cook/sew

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |

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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_NIT

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_NIT

**Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To go down steps, stairs, or curbs in dim light or at night**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty dim light

Notes: None

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Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to go down stairs in dim light

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |
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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.040

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_DRV

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_DRV

**Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To drive during daytime in familiar places**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty driving

Notes: None

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Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to drive during daytime

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |
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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.050

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_PER

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_PER

**Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To notice objects off to the side while you are walking along**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty walking

Notes: None

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Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to notice objects while walking

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |
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Question ID: ACN.441\_00.060

Instrument Variable Name: AVDF\_CRD

Final Documentation Name: AVDF\_CRD

**Even when wearing glasses or contacts lenses, or because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ...To find something on a crowded shelf**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ABLIND(e) IN ('2','7','9','')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who are not blind

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyeglasses, contact lenses, eyesight, vision, difficulty differentiating

Notes: None

Even when wearing glasses difficult for you to find something on crowded shelf

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not at all difficult                      |
| 1 | Only a little difficult                   |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult                        |
| 3 | Very difficult                            |
| 4 | Can't do at all because of eyesight       |
| 6 | Do not do this activity for other reasons |
| 7 | Refused                                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained                           |
| 9 | Don't know                                |

Question ID: ACN.442\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: AVISEXAM

Final Documentation Name: AVISEXAM

**When was the last time you had an eye exam in which the pupils were dilated? This would have made you temporarily sensitive to bright light.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eye exam, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

Last time you had an eye exam (pupils dilated)

- |   |                     |
|---|---------------------|
| 1 | Less than one month |
| 2 | 1-12 months         |
| 3 | 13-24 months        |
| 4 | More than 2 years   |
| 5 | Never               |
| 7 | Refused             |
| 8 | Not ascertained     |
| 9 | Don't know          |

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**Question ID:** ACN.442\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: AVISACT

Final Documentation Name: AVISACT

**Outside of work, do you participate in sports, hobbies, or other activities that can cause eye injury?  
This includes activities such as baseball, basketball, mowing the lawn, wood working, or working with chemicals.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sports, activities, eye injury, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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Participate in sports/other activities that can cause eye injury

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.442\_00.030

Instrument Variable Name: AVISPROT

Final Documentation Name: AVISPROT

**When doing these activities, on average, do you wear eye protection always, most of the time, some of the time, or none of the time?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AVISACT(e) = '1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ and do participate in activities that can cause eye injury

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sports, activities, eye protection, eye injury, eyesight, vision

Notes: None

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When doing these activities, on average, do you wear eye protection

- |   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| 1 | Always           |
| 2 | Most of the time |
| 3 | Some of the time |
| 4 | None of the time |
| 7 | Refused          |
| 8 | Not ascertained  |
| 9 | Don't know       |
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**Question ID:** ACN.451\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LUPPRT

Final Documentation Name: LUPPRT

**Have you lost all of your upper and lower natural (permanent) teeth?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: upper teeth loss; edentulous-upper teeth; lower teeth loss; edentulous-lower teeth

Notes: None

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## Lost all upper &amp; lower natural teeth

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.471\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: SAD

Final Documentation Name: SAD

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... so sad that nothing could cheer you up?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression; sadness; low feeling; morose; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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## So sad nothing cheers you up, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |
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**Question ID:** ACN.471\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: NERVOUS

Final Documentation Name: NERVOUS

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... nervous?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nervous; irritable; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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How often felt nervous, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |
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**Question ID:** ACN.471\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: RESTLESS

Final Documentation Name: RESTLESS

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... restless or fidgety?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: restless; fidgety; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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How often restless/fidgety, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |
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**Question ID:** ACN.471\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: HOPELESS

Final Documentation Name: HOPELESS

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... hopeless?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression, hopeless; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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How often felt hopeless, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |
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**Question ID:** ACN.471\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: EFFORT

Final Documentation Name: EFFORT

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... that everything was an effort?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: lack vitality; disinterest; stress; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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How often felt everything was an effort, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |
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Question ID: ACN.471\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: WORTHLS

Final Documentation Name: WORTHLS

**During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... worthless?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: worthless; depressed; suicidal; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

How often felt worthless, past 30 days

- |   |                      |
|---|----------------------|
| 1 | ALL of the time      |
| 2 | MOST of the time     |
| 3 | SOME of the time     |
| 4 | A LITTLE of the time |
| 5 | NONE of the time     |
| 7 | Refused              |
| 8 | Not ascertained      |
| 9 | Don't know           |

Question ID: ACN.530\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MHAMTMO

Final Documentation Name: MHAMTMO

**We just talked about a number of feelings you had during the PAST 30 DAYS. Altogether, how MUCH did these feelings interfere with your life or activities: a lot, some, a little, or not at all?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (SAD IN('1','2','3') or NERVOUS IN ('1','2','3') or RESTLESS IN ('1','2','3') or HOPELESS IN ('1','2','3') or EFFORT IN ('1','2','3') or WORTHLS IN ('1','2','3'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, at least some of the time, have felt sad, nervous, restless or fidgety, hopeless, that everything was an effort, or worthless, in the past 30 days.

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: feelings; abnormal; detrimental; emotional health; mental health

Notes: None

Feelings interfered w/life, past 30 days

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | A lot           |
| 2 | Some            |
| 3 | A little        |
| 4 | Not at all      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** ACN.535\_01.010

Instrument Variable Name: DEPRESS

Final Documentation Name: DEPRESS

**Have you ever had ...Depression**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression

Notes: None

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Ever had depression

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ACN.535\_02.020

Instrument Variable Name: GANXIETY

Final Documentation Name: GANXIETY

**Have you ever had ...Generalized anxiety**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: generalized anxiety

Notes: None

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Ever had generalized anxiety

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ACN.535\_03.030

Instrument Variable Name: PANICD

Final Documentation Name: PANICD

**Have you ever had ...Panic disorder**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: panic disorder

Notes: None

Ever had panic disorder

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS

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Instrument Variable Name: WRKLYR2

Final Documentation Name: WRKLYR3

**Did you have a job or business at any time in the PAST 12 MONTHS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: DOINGLWA; EVERWRK; WRKLYR2

Recodes: None

Keywords: unemployed; employed

Notes: None

Work status: last week, past 12 months

- |   |                                     |
|---|-------------------------------------|
| 0 | Had job last week                   |
| 1 | No job last week, had job past 12 m |
| 2 | No job last week, no job past 12 m  |
| 3 | Never worked                        |
| 7 | Refused                             |
| 8 | Not ascertained                     |
| 9 | Don't know                          |

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**Question ID:** AHS.040\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WKDAYR

Final Documentation Name: WKDAYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, that is, since {12-month ref. date}, ABOUT how many days did you miss work at a job or business because of illness or injury (do not include maternity leave)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and WRKLYR3 = '0','1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who worked during the past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health indicators; illness; injury; work loss days

Notes: None

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Number of work loss days, past 12 months

000	None
001-366	1-366 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.050\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BEDDAYR

Final Documentation Name: BEDDAYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, that is, since {12-month ref. date}, ABOUT how many days did illness or injury keep you in bed more than half of the day? (Include days while an overnight patient in a hospital)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health indicators; illness; injury; bed days

Notes: None

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Number of bed days, past 12 months

000	None
001-366	1-366 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.060\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHSTATYR

Final Documentation Name: AHSTATYR

**Compared with 12 MONTHS AGO, would you say your health is better, worse, or about the same?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health indicators; health status

Notes: None

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Health better/worse/same, compared w/ 12 months ago

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Better          |
| 2 | Worse           |
| 3 | About the same  |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHS.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SPECEQ

Final Documentation Name: SPECEQ

**Do you now have any health problem that requires you to use special equipment, such as a cane, a wheelchair, a special bed, or a special telephone?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health problem; special equipment; assistive devices

Notes: None

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Have health problem that requires special equipment

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLWALK

Final Documentation Name: FLWALK

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Walk a quarter of a mile - about 3 city blocks?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty walking; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to walk 1/4 mile w/o special equipment

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|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLCLIMB

Final Documentation Name: FLCLIMB

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Walk up 10 steps without resting?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty walking steps; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to climb 10 steps w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLSTAND

Final Documentation Name: FLSTAND

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Stand or be on your feet for about 2 hours?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty standing; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to stand 2 hours w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLSIT

Final Documentation Name: FLSIT

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Sit for about 2 hours?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty sitting; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to sit 2 hours w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLSTOOP

Final Documentation Name: FLSTOOP

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Stoop, bend, or kneel?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty stooping; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to stoop, bend or kneel w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** AHS.091\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLREACH

Final Documentation Name: FLREACH

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Reach up over your head?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty reaching; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to reach over head w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.141\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLGRASP

Final Documentation Name: FLGRASP

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Use your fingers to grasp or handle small objects?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty grasping/handling objects; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to grasp small objects w/o special equipment

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|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.141\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLCARRY

Final Documentation Name: FLCARRY

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Lift or carry something as heavy as 10 pounds such as a full bag of groceries?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty lifting/carrying; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to lift/carry 10 lbs w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.141\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLPUSH

Final Documentation Name: FLPUSH

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Push or pull large objects like a living room chair?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty pushing/pulling; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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How difficult to push large objects w/o special equipment

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|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.171\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLSHOP

Final Documentation Name: FLSHOP

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Go out to things like shopping, movies, or sporting events?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty going out; shopping; sporting events; special equipment

Notes: None

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How difficult to go out to events w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.171\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLSOCL

Final Documentation Name: FLSOCL

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Participate in social activities such as visiting friends, attending clubs and meetings, going to parties...?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty participating in social activities; special equipment

Notes: None

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How difficult to participate in social activities w/o sp eq

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: AHS.171\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: FLRELAX

Final Documentation Name: FLRELAX

**By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to...Do things to relax at home or for leisure (reading, watching TV, sewing, listening to music...)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty relaxing; special equipment

Notes: None

How difficult to relax at home w/o special equipment

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 0 | Not at all difficult    |
| 1 | Only a little difficult |
| 2 | Somewhat difficult      |
| 3 | Very difficult          |
| 4 | Can't do at all         |
| 6 | Do not do this activity |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: FLA1AR

**Recode**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: FLWALK; FLCLIMB; FLSTAND; FLSIT; FLSTOOP; FLREACH; FLGRASP; FLCARRY; FLPUSH; FLSHOP; FLSOCL; FLRELAX

Recodes: ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation

Notes: None

Any functional limitation, all conditions

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Limited in any way     |
| 2 | Not limited in any way |
| 3 | Unknown if limited     |

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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA1

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; vision problem

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Vision problem causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA2

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; hearing problem

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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**Hearing problem causes difficulty with activity**

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA3

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; arthritis; rheumatism

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Arthritis/rheumatism causes difficulty with activity

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA4

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; back/neck problem

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Back/neck problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA5

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Fract/bone/joint injury causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA6

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; other injury

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Other injury causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA7

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; heart problem

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Heart problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA8

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; stroke

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Stroke causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA9

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Hypertension causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA10

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; diabetes

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Diabetes causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA11

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity;lung/breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Lung/breathing problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA12

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; cancer

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Cancer causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA13

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; birth defect

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

Birth defect causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA14

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; mental retardation

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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**Mental retardation causes difficulty with activity**

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA15

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Other developmental problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA16

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Senility/dementia/Alzheimer's causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA17

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Depression/anxiety/emotional problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** AHS.200\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA18

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Weight problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 2 | Not mentioned   |
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| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC19\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA19; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Missing or amputated limb/finger/digit causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC20\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA23; AFLHCA24; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Musculoskeletal/connective tissue problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC21\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA21; AFLHCA32; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Circulation problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R04 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC22\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA33; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Endocrine/nutritional/metabolic problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R05 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC23\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA25-AFLHCA29; AFLHCA35; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Nervous system/sensory organ condition causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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R06 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC24\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA30; AFLHCA31; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; digestion

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Digestive system problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R07 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC25\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA20; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; genitourinary system

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Genitourinary system problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R08 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC26\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Skin/subcutaneous system problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R09 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC27\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

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**Blood or blood-forming organ problem causes difficulty with activity**

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R10 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC28\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA22; AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; benign; tumor; cyst

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Benign tumor/cyst causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R11 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC29\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; alcohol; drugs; substance abuse

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Alcohol/drug/substance abuse problem causes difficulty with activity

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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R12 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC30\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Other mental problem/ADD/Bipolar/Schizophrenia causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R13 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC31\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Surgical after-effects/medical treatment causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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## Sample Adult

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R14 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC32\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

"Old age"/elderly/aging-related problem causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R15 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC33\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Fatigue/tiredness/weakness causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R16 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: AFLHC34\_

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: AFLHCA\_S1; AFLHCA\_S2

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity; pregnancy

Notes: This variable was created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing this variable -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

Pregnancy-related problem causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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R17

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA90

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Other impairment/problem (1) causes difficulty with activity

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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R18

Instrument Variable Name: AFLHCA1-AFLHCA37

Final Documentation Name: AFLHCA91

**What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (FLWALK IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCLIMB IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTAND IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSIT IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSTOOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLREACH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLGRASP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLCARRY IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLPUSH IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSHOP IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLSOCL IN ('1', '2', '3', '4') or FLRELAX IN ('1', '2', '3', '4'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who, without using special equipment, have at least a little difficulty walking a quarter mile; walking up 10 steps w/o resting; standing/being on feet for about 2 hours; sitting for about 2 hours; stooping/bending/kneeling; reaching up over head; using fingers to grasp/handle small objects; lifting/carrying 10 pounds; pushing/pulling large objects; going out for things (shopping/movies/etc.); participating in social activities; or relaxing at home (reading/sewing, etc.)

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Other impairment/problem (2) causes difficulty with activity

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.300\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL01N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME1

**How long have you had a vision problem or problem seeing?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to vision problem

Sources: AHCL01N

Recodes: ALDURA1; ALDURB1; ALCHRC1

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of vision problem: Number of units

- |       |                 |
|-------|-----------------|
| 01-94 | 1-94            |
| 95    | 95+             |
| 96    | Since birth     |
| 97    | Refused         |
| 98    | Not ascertained |
| 99    | Don't know      |

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Question ID: AHS.300\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL01T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT1

**How long have you had a vision problem or problem seeing?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to vision problem

Sources: AHCL01T

Recodes: ALDURA1; ALDURB1; ALCHRC1

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of vision problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.300\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA1

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to vision problem

Sources: ALTIME1; ALUNIT1

Recodes: ALDURB1; ALCHRC1

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA1. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of vision problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB1

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to vision problem

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Sources: ALTIME1; ALUNIT1

Recodes: ALCHRC1

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of vision problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.300\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC1

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA1 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to vision problem

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Sources: AFLHCA1; ALDURB1

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Vision problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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**Question ID:** AHS.301\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL02N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME2

**How long have you had a hearing problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hearing problem

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Sources: AHCL02N

Recodes: ALDURA2; ALDURB2; ALCHRC2

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Duration of hearing problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.301\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL02T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT2

**How long have you had a hearing problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hearing problem

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Sources: AHCL02T

Recodes: ALDURA2; ALDURB2; ALCHRC2

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Duration of hearing problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA2

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hearing problem

Sources: ALTIME2; ALUNIT2

Recodes: ALDURB2; ALCHRC2

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA2. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of hearing problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.301\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB2

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hearing problem

Sources: ALTIME2; ALUNIT2

Recodes: ALCHRC2

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of hearing problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC2

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA2 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hearing problem

Sources: AFLHCA2; ALDURB2

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Hearing problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.302\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL03N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME3

**How long have you had arthritis or rheumatism?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to arthritis/rheumatism

Sources: AHCL03N

Recodes: ALDURA3; ALDURB3; ALCHRC3

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of arthritis/rheumatism: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHS.302\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL03T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT3

**How long have you had arthritis or rheumatism?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to arthritis/rheumatism

Sources: AHCL03T

Recodes: ALDURA3; ALDURB3; ALCHRC3

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of arthritis/rheumatism: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.302\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA3

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to arthritis/rheumatism

Sources: ALTIME3; ALUNIT3

Recodes: ALDURB3; ALCHRC3

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA3. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of arthritis or rheumatism problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB3

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to arthritis/rheumatism

Sources: ALTIME3; ALUNIT3

Recodes: ALCHRC3

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of arthritis or rheumatism problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.302\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC3

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA3 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to arthritis/rheumatism

Sources: AFLHCA3; ALDURB3

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Arthritis or rheumatism problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.303\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL04N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME4

**How long have you had a back or neck problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to back or neck problem

Sources: AHCL04N

Recodes: ALDURA4; ALDURB4; ALCHRC4

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of back or neck problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.303\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL04T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT4

**How long have you had a back or neck problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to back or neck problem

Sources: AHCL04T

Recodes: ALDURA4; ALDURB4; ALCHRC4

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of back or neck problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA4

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to back or neck problem

Sources: ALTIME4; ALUNIT4

Recodes: ALDURB4; ALCHRC4

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA4. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of back or neck problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.303\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB4

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to back or neck problem

Sources: ALTIME4; ALUNIT4

Recodes: ALCHRC4

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of back or neck problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.303\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC4

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA4 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to back or neck problem

Sources: AFLHCA4; ALDURB4

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Back or neck condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.304\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL05N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME5

**How long have you had a fracture, bone, or joint injury?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to fracture, bone/joint injury

Sources: AHCL05N

Recodes: ALDURA5; ALDURB5; ALCHRC5

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of fracture, bone/joint injury: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.304\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL05T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT5

**How long have you had a fracture, bone, or joint injury?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to fracture, bone/joint injury

Sources: AHCL05T

Recodes: ALDURA5; ALDURB5; ALCHRC5

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of fracture, bone/joint injury: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.304\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA5

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to fracture, bone/joint injury

Sources: ALTIME5; ALUNIT5

Recodes: ALDURB5; ALCHRC5

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA5. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of fracture, bone/joint injury problem (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |



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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB5

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to fracture, bone/joint injury

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Sources: ALTIME5; ALUNIT5

Recodes: ALCHRC5

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of fracture, bone/joint injury problem recode 2

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Less than 3 months |
| 2 | 3-5 months         |
| 3 | 6-12 months        |
| 4 | More than 1 year   |
| 7 | Refused            |
| 8 | Not ascertained    |
| 9 | Don't know         |
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**Question ID:** AHS.304\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC5

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA5 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to fracture, bone/joint injury

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Sources: AFLHCA5; ALDURB5

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Fracture, bone/joint injury condition status

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Chronic            |
| 2 | Not chronic        |
| 9 | Unknown if chronic |
- 
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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.305\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL06N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME6

**How long have you had the {other (if AFLHCA=5)} injury that caused your limitation?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other injury

Sources: AHCL06N

Recodes: ALDURA6; ALDURB6; ALCHRC6

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other injury: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.305\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL06T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT6

**How long have you had the {other (if AFLHCA=5)} injury that caused your limitation?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other injury

Sources: AHCL06T

Recodes: ALDURA6; ALDURB6; ALCHRC6

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other injury: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.305\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA6

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other injury

Sources: ALTIME6; ALUNIT6

Recodes: ALDURB6; ALCHRC6

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA6. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other injury problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.305\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB6

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other injury

Sources: ALTIME6; ALUNIT6

Recodes: ALCHRC6

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other injury problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC6

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA6 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other injury

Sources: AFLHCA6; ALDURB6

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Other injury condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.306\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL07N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME7

**How long have you had a heart problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA7 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to heart problem

Sources: AHCL07N

Recodes: ALDURA7; ALDURB7; ALCHRC7

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of heart problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL07T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT7

**How long have you had a heart problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA7 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to heart problem

Sources: AHCL07T

Recodes: ALDURA7; ALDURB7; ALCHRC7

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of heart problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.306\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA7

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA7 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to heart problem

Sources: ALTIME7; ALUNIT7

Recodes: ALDURB7; ALCHRC7

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA7. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of heart problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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 Final Documentation Name: ALDURB7

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA7 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to heart problem

Sources:      ALTIME7; ALUNIT7

Recodes:      ALCHRC7

Keywords:      functional limitation; heart problem

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of heart problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.306\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC7

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA7 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to heart problem

Sources:      AFLHCA7; ALDURB7

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; heart problem

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Heart problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.307\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL08N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME8

**How long have you had a stroke problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to stroke problem

Sources: AHCL08N

Recodes: ALDURA8; ALDURB8; ALCHRC8

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of stroke problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.307\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL08T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT8

**How long have you had a stroke problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to stroke problem

Sources: AHCL08T

Recodes: ALDURA8; ALDURB8; ALCHRC8

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of stroke problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA8

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to stroke problem

Sources: ALTIME8; ALUNIT8

Recodes: ALDURB8; ALCHRC8

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA8. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of stroke problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.307\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB8

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to stroke problem

Sources: ALTIME8; ALUNIT8

Recodes: ALCHRC8

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of stroke problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know



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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC8

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA8 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to stroke problem

Sources: AFLHCA8; ALDURB8

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Stroke problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.308\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL09N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME9

**How long have you had hypertension or high blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hypertension/high blood pressure

Sources: AHCL09N

Recodes: ALDURA9; ALDURB9; ALCHRC9

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of hypertension/high blood pressure problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.308\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL09T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT9

**How long have you had hypertension or high blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hypertension/high blood pressure

Sources: AHCL09T

Recodes: ALDURA9; ALDURB9; ALCHRC9

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of hypertension/high blood pressure problem: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.308\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA9

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hypertension/high blood pressure

Sources: ALTIME9; ALUNIT9

Recodes: ALDURB9; ALCHRC9

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA9. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of hypertension/high blood pressure problem (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.308\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB9

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hypertension/high blood pressure

Sources: ALTIME9; ALUNIT9

Recodes: ALCHRC9

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of hypertension/high problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.308\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC9

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to hypertension/high blood pressure

Sources: AFLHCA9; ALDURB9

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Hypertension/high blood pressure problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.309\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL10N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME10

**How long have you had diabetes?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to diabetes

Sources: AHCL10N

Recodes: ALDURA10; ALDURB10; ALCHRC10

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of diabetes: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.309\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL10T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT10

**How long have you had diabetes?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to diabetes

Sources: AHCL10T

Recodes: ALDURA10; ALDURB10; ALCHRC10

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of diabetes: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA10

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to diabetes

Sources: ALTIME10; ALUNIT10

Recodes: ALDURB10; ALCHRC10

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA10. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of diabetes (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.309\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB10

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to diabetes

Sources: ALTIME10; ALUNIT10

Recodes: ALCHRC10

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of diabetes problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC10

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA10 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to diabetes

Sources: AFLHCA10; ALDURB10

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Diabetes problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.310\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL11N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME11

**How long have you had a lung or breathing problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to lung/breathing problem

Sources: AHCL11N

Recodes: ALDURA11; ALDURB11; ALCHRC11

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of lung/breathing problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.310\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL11T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT11

**How long have you had a lung or breathing problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to lung/breathing problem

Sources: AHCL11T

Recodes: ALDURA11; ALDURB11; ALCHRC11

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of lung/breathing problem: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.310\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA11

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to lung/breathing problem

Sources: ALTIME11; ALUNIT11

Recodes: ALDURB11; ALCHRC11

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA11. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of lung/breathing problem (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |

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## Sample Adult

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB11

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to lung/breathing problem

Sources: ALTIME11; ALUNIT11

Recodes: ALCHRC11

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of lung/breathing problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.310\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC11

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA11 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to lung/breathing problem

Sources: AFLHCA11; ALDURB11

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Lung/breathing problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic



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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.311\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL12N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME12

**How long have you had cancer?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to cancer

Sources: AHCL12N

Recodes: ALDURA12; ALDURB12; ALCHRC12

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of cancer: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.311\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL12T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT12

**How long have you had cancer?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to cancer

Sources: AHCL12T

Recodes: ALDURA12; ALDURB12; ALCHRC12

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of cancer: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA12

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to cancer

Sources: ALTIME12; ALUNIT12

Recodes: ALDURB12; ALCHRC12

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA12. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of cancer (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.311\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB12

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to cancer

Sources: ALTIME12; ALUNIT12

Recodes: ALCHRC12

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of cancer recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC12

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA12 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to cancer

Sources: AFLHCA12; ALDURB12

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Cancer condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.312\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL13N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME13

**How long have you had a birth defect?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to birth defect

Sources: AHCL13N

Recodes: ALDURA13; ALDURB13; ALCHRC13

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of birth defect: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHS.312\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL13T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT13

**How long have you had a birth defect?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to birth defect

Sources: AHCL13T

Recodes: ALDURA13; ALDURB13; ALCHRC13

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of birth defect: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.312\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA13

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to birth defect

Sources: ALTIME13; ALUNIT13

Recodes: ALDURB13; ALCHRC13

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA13. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of birth defect (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB13

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to birth defect

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Sources: ALTIME13; ALUNIT13

Recodes: ALCHRC13

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of birth defect recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC13

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA13 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to birth defect

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Sources: AFLHCA13; ALDURB13

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Birth defect condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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**Question ID:** AHS.313\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL14N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME14

**How long have you had mental retardation?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to mental retardation

Sources: AHCL14N

Recodes: ALDURA14; ALDURB14; ALCHRC14

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of mental retardation: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.313\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL14T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT14

**How long have you had mental retardation?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to mental retardation

Sources: AHCL14T

Recodes: ALDURA14; ALDURB14; ALCHRC14

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of mental retardation: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA14

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to mental retardation

Sources: ALTIME14; ALUNIT14

Recodes: ALDURB14; ALCHRC14

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA14. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of mental retardation (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB14

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to mental retardation

Sources: ALTIME14; ALUNIT14

Recodes: ALCHRC14

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of mental retardation recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC14

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA14 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to mental retardation

Sources: AFLHCA14; ALDURB14

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Mental retardation condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.314\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL15N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME15

**How long have you had a developmental problem (e.g., cerebral palsy)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other developmental problem

Sources: AHCL15N

Recodes: ALDURA15; ALDURB15; ALCHRC15

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other developmental problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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Question ID: AHS.314\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL15T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT15

**How long have you had a developmental problem (e.g., cerebral palsy)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other developmental problem

Sources: AHCL15T

Recodes: ALDURA15; ALDURB15; ALCHRC15

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other developmental problem: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.314\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA15

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other developmental problem

Sources: ALTIME15; ALUNIT15

Recodes: ALDURB15; ALCHRC15

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA15. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other developmental problem (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB15

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other developmental problem

Sources: ALTIME15; ALUNIT15

Recodes: ALCHRC15

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other developmental problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.314\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC15

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA15 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other developmental problem

Sources: AFLHCA15; ALDURB15

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Other developmental problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.315\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL16N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME16

**How long have you had senility?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to senility

Sources: AHCL16N

Recodes: ALDURA16; ALDURB16; ALCHRC16

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of senility: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.315\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL16T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT16

**How long have you had senility?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to senility

Sources: AHCL16T

Recodes: ALDURA16; ALDURB16; ALCHRC16

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of senility: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA16

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to senility

Sources: ALTIME16; ALUNIT16

Recodes: ALDURB16; ALCHRC16

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA16. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of senility (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB16

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to senility

Sources: ALTIME16; ALUNIT16

Recodes: ALCHRC16

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of senility recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC16

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA16 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to senility

Sources: AFLHCA16; ALDURB16

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Senility condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL17N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME17

**How long have you had depression, anxiety, or an emotional problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to depression/anxiety/emotional problem

Sources: AHCL17N

Recodes: ALDURA17; ALDURB17; ALCHRC17

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of depression/anxiety/emotional problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHS.316\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL17T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT17

**How long have you had depression, anxiety, or an emotional problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to depression/anxiety/emotional problem

Sources: AHCL17T

Recodes: ALDURA17; ALDURB17; ALCHRC17

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of depression/anxiety/emotional problem: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.316\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA17

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to depression/anxiety/emotional problem

Sources: ALTIME17; ALUNIT17

Recodes: ALDURB17; ALCHRC17

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA17. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of depression/anxiety/emotional problem (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB17

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to depression/anxiety/emotional problem

Sources: ALTIME17; ALUNIT17

Recodes: ALCHRC17

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of depression/anxiety/emotional problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC17

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA17 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to depression/anxiety/emotional problem

Sources: AFLHCA17; ALDURB17

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Depression/anxiety/emotional problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL18N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME18

**How long have you had a weight problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to weight problem

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Sources: AHCL18N

Recodes: ALDURA18; ALDURB18; ALCHRC18

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Duration of weight problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.317\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL18T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT18

**How long have you had a weight problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to weight problem

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Sources: AHCL18T

Recodes: ALDURA18; ALDURB18; ALCHRC18

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Duration of weight problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA18

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to weight problem

Sources: ALTIME18; ALUNIT18

Recodes: ALDURB18; ALCHRC18

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA18. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of weight problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB18

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to weight problem

Sources: ALTIME18; ALUNIT18

Recodes: ALCHRC18

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of weight problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC18

**How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA18 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to weight problem

Sources: AFLHCA18; ALDURB18

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Weight problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL19N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME19

**How long have you had a missing limb (finger, toe, or digit)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC19\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to missing limb

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA19; ALDURB19; ALCHRC19

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC19\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of missing limb: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL19T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT19

**How long have you had a missing limb (finger, toe, or digit)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC19\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to missing limb

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA19; ALDURB19; ALCHRC19

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC19\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of missing limb: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA19

**How long have you had a missing limb (finger, toe, or digit)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC19\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to missing limb

Sources: ALTIME19; ALUNIT19

Recodes: ALDURB19; ALCHRC19

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA19. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of missing limb (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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 Final Documentation Name: ALDURB19

**How long have you had a missing limb (finger, toe, or digit)?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC19\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to missing limb

Sources:      ALTIME19; ALUNIT19

Recodes:      ALCHRC19

Keywords:      functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of missing limb recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.318\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC19

**How long have you had a missing limb (finger, toe, or digit)?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC19\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to missing limb

Sources:      AFLHC19\_; ALDURB19

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Missing limb condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL20N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME20

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a musculoskeletal problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC20\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to musculoskeletal problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA20; ALDURB20; ALCHRC20

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC20\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of musculoskeletal problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.319\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL20T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT20

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a musculoskeletal problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC20\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to musculoskeletal problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA20; ALDURB20; ALCHRC20

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC20\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of musculoskeletal problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA20

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a musculoskeletal problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC20\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to musculoskeletal problems

Sources: ALTIME20; ALUNIT20

Recodes: ALDURB20; ALCHRC20

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA20. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of musculoskeletal problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB20

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a musculoskeletal problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC20\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to musculoskeletal problem

Sources: ALTIME20; ALUNIT20

Recodes: ALCHRC20

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of musculoskeletal problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC20

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a musculoskeletal problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC20\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to musculoskeletal problem

Sources: AFLHC20\_; ALDURB20

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Musculoskeletal problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.320\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL21N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME21

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a circulation problem (including blood clots)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC21\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to circulation problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA21; ALDURB21; ALCHRC21

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC21\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of circulation problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL21T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT21

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a circulation problem (including blood clots)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC21\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to circulation problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA21; ALDURB21; ALCHRC21

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC21\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of circulation problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA21

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a circulation problem (including blood clots)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC21\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to circulation problem

Sources: ALTIME21; ALUNIT21

Recodes: ALDURB21; ALCHRC21

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA21. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of circulation problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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 Final Documentation Name: ALDURB21

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a circulation problem (including blood clots)?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC21\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to circulation problem

Sources:      ALTIME21; ALUNIT21

Recodes:      ALCHRC21

Keywords:      functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of circulation problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.320\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC21

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a circulation problem (including blood clots)?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC21\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to circulation problem

Sources:      AFLHC21\_; ALDURB21

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Circulation problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Question ID: AHS.321\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL22N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME22

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had endocrine problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC22\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to endocrine problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA22; ALDURB22; ALCHRC22

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC22\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of endocrine problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.321\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL22T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT22

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had endocrine problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC22\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to endocrine problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA22; ALDURB22; ALCHRC22

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC22\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of endocrine problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA22

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had endocrine problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC22\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to endocrine problem

Sources: ALTIME22; ALUNIT22

Recodes: ALDURB22; ALCHRC22

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA22. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of endocrine problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.321\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB22

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had endocrine problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC22\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to endocrine problem

Sources: ALTIME22; ALUNIT22

Recodes: ALCHRC22

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of endocrine problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC22

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had endocrine problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC22\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to endocrine problem

Sources: AFLHC22\_; ALDURB22

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Endocrine problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.322\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL23N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME23

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a nervous system condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC23\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a nervous system condition

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA23; ALDURB23; ALCHRC23

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC23\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of nervous system condition: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.322\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL23T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT23

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a nervous system condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC23\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a nervous system condition

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA23; ALDURB23; ALCHRC23

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC23\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of nervous system condition: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.322\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA23

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a nervous system condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC23\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a nervous system condition

Sources: ALTIME23; ALUNIT23

Recodes: ALDURB23; ALCHRC23

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA23. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of nervous system condition (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB23

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a nervous system condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC23\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a nervous system condition

Sources: ALTIME23; ALUNIT23

Recodes: ALCHRC23

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of nervous system condition recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.322\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC23

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a nervous system condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC23\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a nervous system condition

Sources: AFLHC23\_; ALDURB23

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Nervous system condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Question ID: AHS.323\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL24N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME24

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had digestive problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC24\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to digestive problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA24; ALDURB24; ALCHRC24

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC24\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of digestive problems: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.323\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL24T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT24

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had digestive problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC24\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to digestive problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA24; ALDURB24; ALCHRC24

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC24\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of digestive problems: Number of units

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: AHS.323\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA24

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had digestive problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC24\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to digestive problems

Sources: ALTIME24; ALUNIT24

Recodes: ALDURB24; ALCHRC24

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA24. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of digestive problems (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB24

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had digestive problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC24\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to digestive problems

Sources: ALTIME24; ALUNIT24

Recodes: ALCHRC24

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of digestive problems recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know



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 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC24

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had digestive problems?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC24\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to digestive problems

Sources:     AFLHC24\_; ALDURB24

Recodes:     ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:    functional limitation; digestion

Notes:        See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Digestive problems condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.324\_01.000 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name: AHCL25N  
 Final Documentation Name: ALTIME25

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a genitourinary problem?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC25\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a genitourinary problem

Sources:     None

Recodes:     ALDURA25; ALDURB25; ALCHRC25

Keywords:    functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes:        Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC25\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of genitourinary problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL25T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT25

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a genitourinary problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC25\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a genitourinary problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA25; ALDURB25; ALCHRC25

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC25\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of genitourinary problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.324\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA25

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a genitourinary problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC25\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a genitourinary problem

Sources: ALTIME25; ALUNIT25

Recodes: ALDURB25; ALCHRC25

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA25. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of genitourinary problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB25

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a genitourinary problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC25\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a genitourinary problem

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Sources: ALTIME25; ALUNIT25

Recodes: ALCHRC25

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of genitourinary problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.324\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC25

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a genitourinary problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC25\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a genitourinary problem

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Sources: AFLHC25\_; ALDURB25

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Genitourinary problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Question ID: AHS.325\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL26N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME26

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had skin problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC26\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to skin problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA26; ALDURB26; ALCHRC26

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC26\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of skin problems: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.325\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL26T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT26

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had skin problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC26\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to skin problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA26; ALDURB26; ALCHRC26

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC26\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of skin problems: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA26

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had skin problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC26\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to skin problems

Sources: ALTIME26; ALUNIT26

Recodes: ALDURB26; ALCHRC26

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA26. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of skin problems (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.325\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB26

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had skin problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC26\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to skin problems

Sources: ALTIME26; ALUNIT26

Recodes: ALCHRC26

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of skin problems recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC26

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had skin problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC26\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to skin problems

Sources: AFLHC26\_; ALDURB26

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Skin problems condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

Question ID: AHS.326\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL27N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME27

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a blood problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC27\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a blood problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA27; ALDURB27; ALCHRC27

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC27\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of blood problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL27T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT27

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a blood problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC27\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a blood problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA27; ALDURB27; ALCHRC27

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC27\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of blood problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA27

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a blood problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC27\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a blood problem

Sources: ALTIME27; ALUNIT27

Recodes: ALDURB27; ALCHRC27

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA27. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of blood problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB27

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a blood problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC27\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a blood problem

Sources: ALTIME27; ALUNIT27

Recodes: ALCHRC27

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of blood problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.326\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC27

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a blood problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC27\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a blood problem

Sources: AFLHC27\_; ALDURB27

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Blood problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic



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Question ID: AHS.327\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL28N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME28

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a benign tumor?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC28\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a benign tumor

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA28; ALDURB28; ALCHRC28

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC28\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of benign tumor: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.327\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL28T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT28

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a benign tumor?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC28\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a benign tumor

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA28; ALDURB28; ALCHRC28

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC28\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of benign tumor: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA28

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a benign tumor?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC28\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a benign tumor

Sources: ALTIME28; ALUNIT28

Recodes: ALDURB28; ALCHRC28

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA28. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of benign tumor (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.327\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB28

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a benign tumor?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC28\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a benign tumor

Sources: ALTIME28; ALUNIT28

Recodes: ALCHRC28

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of benign tumor recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC28

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a benign tumor?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC28\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a benign tumor

Sources: AFLHC28\_; ALDURB28

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Benign tumor condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.328\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL29N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME29

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had an alcohol or drug problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC29\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to an alcohol or drug problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA29; ALDURB29; ALCHRC29

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC29\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of alcohol or drug problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: AHCL29T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT29

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had an alcohol or drug problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC29\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to an alcohol or drug problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA29; ALDURB29; ALCHRC29

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC29\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of alcohol or drug problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.328\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA29

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had an alcohol or drug problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC29\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to an alcohol or drug problem

Sources: ALTIME29; ALUNIT29

Recodes: ALDURB29; ALCHRC29

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA29. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of alcohol or drug problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB29

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had an alcohol or drug problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC29\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to an alcohol or drug problem

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Sources: ALTIME29; ALUNIT29

Recodes: ALCHRC29

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of alcohol or drug problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.328\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC29

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had an alcohol or drug problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC29\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to an alcohol or drug problem

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Sources: AFLHC29\_; ALDURB29

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Alcohol or drug problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** AHS.329\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL30N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME30

**How long {have you/has alias} had another mental problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC30\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other mental problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA30; ALDURB30; ALCHRC30

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC30\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other mental problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.329\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL30T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT30

**How long {have you/has alias} had another mental problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC30\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other mental problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA30; ALDURB30; ALCHRC30

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC30\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other mental problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA30

**How long {have you/has alias} had another mental problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC30\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other mental problem

Sources: ALTIME30; ALUNIT30

Recodes: ALDURB30; ALCHRC30

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA30. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other mental problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.329\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB30

**How long {have you/has alias} had another mental problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC30\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other mental problem

Sources: ALTIME30; ALUNIT30

Recodes: ALCHRC30

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other mental problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC30

**How long {have you/has alias} had another mental problem?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC30\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other mental problem

Sources:     AFLHC30\_; ALDURB30

Recodes:     ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:    functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes:       See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Other mental problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.330\_01.000 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name: AHCL31N  
 Final Documentation Name: ALTIME31

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had surgical after-effects?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC31\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to surgical after-effects

Sources:     None

Recodes:     ALDURA31; ALDURB31; ALCHRC31

Keywords:    functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes:       Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC31\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of surgical after-effects: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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Question ID: AHS.330\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL31T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT31

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had surgical after-effects?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC31\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to surgical after-effects

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA31; ALDURB31; ALCHRC31

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC31\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of surgical after-effects: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.330\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA31

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had surgical after-effects?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC31\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to surgical after-effects

Sources: ALTIME31; ALUNIT31

Recodes: ALDURB31; ALCHRC31

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA31. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of surgical after-effects (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.330\_02.000      R02 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALDURB31

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had surgical after-effects?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC31\_ = '1'

Description:   Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to surgical after-effects

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Sources:        ALTIME31; ALUNIT31

Recodes:        ALCHRC31

Keywords:      functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes:          See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of surgical after-effects recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.330\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC31

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had surgical after-effects?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC31\_ = '1'

Description:   Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to surgical after-effects

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Sources:        AFLHC31\_; ALDURB31

Recodes:        ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes:          See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Surgical after-effects condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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Question ID: AHS.331\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL32N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME32

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had "old age"-related problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC32\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to "old age"-related problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA32; ALDURB32; ALCHRC32

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC32\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of "old age"-related problems: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.331\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL32T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT32

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had "old age"-related problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC32\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to "old age"-related problems

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA32; ALDURB32; ALCHRC32

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC32\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of "old age"-related problems: Number of units

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA32

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had "old age"-related problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC32\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to "old age"-related problems

Sources: ALTIME32; ALUNIT32

Recodes: ALDURB32; ALCHRC32

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA32. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of "old age"-related problems (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.331\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB32

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had "old age"-related problems?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC32\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to "old age"-related problems

Sources: ALTIME32; ALUNIT32

Recodes: ALCHRC32

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of "old age"-related problems, recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC32

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had "old age"-related problems?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC32\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to "old age"-related problems

Sources:      AFLHC32\_; ALDURB32

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

**"Old age"-related problems condition status**

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.332\_01.000 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name: AHCL33N  
 Final Documentation Name: ALTIME33

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a fatigue problem?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC33\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a fatigue problem

Sources:      None

Recodes:      ALDURA33; ALDURB33; ALCHRC33

Keywords:      functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes:      Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC33\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

**Duration of fatigue problem: Number of units**

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHS.332\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL33T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT33

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a fatigue problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC33\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a fatigue problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA33; ALDURB33; ALCHRC33

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC33\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of fatigue problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.332\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA33

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a fatigue problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC33\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a fatigue problem

Sources: ALTIME33; ALUNIT33

Recodes: ALDURB33; ALCHRC33

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA33. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of fatigue problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB33

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a fatigue problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC33\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a fatigue problem

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Sources: ALTIME33; ALUNIT33

Recodes: ALCHRC33

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Duration of fatigue problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.332\_02.000

R03 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC33

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a fatigue problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC33\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a fatigue problem

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Sources: AFLHC33\_; ALDURB33

Recodes: ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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## Fatigue problem condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.333\_01.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL34N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME34

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a pregnancy-related problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC34\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a pregnancy-related problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA34; ALDURB34; ALCHRC34

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the time variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC34\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of pregnancy-related problem: Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.333\_02.000 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL34T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT34

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a pregnancy-related problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC34\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a pregnancy-related problem

Sources: None

Recodes: ALDURA34; ALDURB34; ALCHRC34

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: This recode, which was derived from several source variables, was created from the unit variable associated with the verbatim fields that were coded to AFLHC34\_. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of pregnancy-related problem: Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know



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R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA34

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a pregnancy-related problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC34\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a pregnancy-related problem

Sources: ALTIME34; ALUNIT34

Recodes: ALDURB34; ALCHRC34

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA34. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of pregnancy-related problem (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHS.333\_02.000

R02 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURB34

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a pregnancy-related problem?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC34\_ = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a pregnancy-related problem

Sources: ALTIME34; ALUNIT34

Recodes: ALCHRC34

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of pregnancy-related problem recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.333\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC34

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had a pregnancy-related problem?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHC34\_ = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to a pregnancy-related problem

Sources:      AFLHC34\_; ALDURB34

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Pregnancy-related condition status

1	Chronic
2	Not chronic
9	Unknown if chronic

**Question ID:** AHS.335\_01.000      Instrument Variable Name: AHCL90N  
 Final Documentation Name: ALTIME90

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA90}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA90 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (1)

Sources:      AHCL90N

Recodes:      ALDURA90; ALDURB90; ALCHRC90

Keywords:      functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:      Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other N.E.C. problem (1): Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AHS.335\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL90T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT90

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA90}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA90 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (1)

Sources: AHCL90T

Recodes: ALDURA90; ALDURB90; ALCHRC90

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other N.E.C. problem (1): Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 6 | Since birth     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHS.335\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALDURA90

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA90}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA90 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (1)

Sources: ALTIME90; ALUNIT90

Recodes: ALDURB90; ALCHRC90

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA90. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other N.E.C. problem (1) (in years)

- |       |                         |
|-------|-------------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year        |
| 01-84 | 01-84 years             |
| 85    | 85+ years               |
| 96    | Unknown number of years |
| 97    | Refused                 |
| 98    | Not ascertained         |
| 99    | Don't know              |

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**Question ID:** AHS.335\_02.000      R02 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALDURB90

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA90}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA90 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (1)

Sources:      ALTIME90; ALUNIT90

Recodes:      ALCHRC90

Keywords:      functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other N.E.C. problem (1) recode 2

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Less than 3 months |
| 2 | 3-5 months         |
| 3 | 6-12 months        |
| 4 | More than 1 year   |
| 7 | Refused            |
| 8 | Not ascertained    |
| 9 | Don't know         |

**Question ID:** AHS.335\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC90

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA90}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA90 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (1)

Sources:      AFLHCA90; ALDURB90

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:      functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Other N.E.C. problem (1) condition status

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Chronic            |
| 2 | Not chronic        |
| 9 | Unknown if chronic |

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**Question ID:** AHS.336\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL91N

Final Documentation Name: ALTIME91

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA91}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA91 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (2)

Sources: AHCL91N

Recodes: ALDURA91; ALDURB91; ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other N.E.C. problem (2): Number of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
96	Since birth
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCL91T

Final Documentation Name: ALUNIT91

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA91}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA91 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (2)

Sources: AHCL91T

Recodes: ALDURA91; ALDURB91; ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: See the Survey Description Document for more information.

Duration of other N.E.C. problem (2): Time unit

1	Day(s)
2	Week(s)
3	Month(s)
4	Year(s)
6	Since birth
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALDURA91

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA91}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA91 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (2)

Sources:      ALTIME91; ALUNIT91

Recodes:      ALDURB91; ALCHRC91

Keywords:      functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:      Since birth (see previous variable) was converted to person's age. Persons with known time unit equal to "years" but unknown number of years were coded as "96" on ALDURA91. See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other N.E.C. problem (2) (in years)

00	Less than 1 year
01-84	01-84 years
85	85+ years
96	Unknown number of years
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000      R02 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALDURB91

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA91}?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA91 = '1'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (2)

Sources:      ALTIME91; ALUNIT91

Recodes:      ALCHRC91

Keywords:      functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:      See the Survey Description Document for more information.

## Duration of other N.E.C. problem (2) recode 2

1	Less than 3 months
2	3-5 months
3	6-12 months
4	More than 1 year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALCHRC91

**How long {have you/has ALIAS} had {problem in AFLHCA91}?**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AFLHCA91 = '1'

Description:   Sample adults aged 18+ years with difficulty due to other impairment/problem (2)

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Sources:      AFLHCA91; ALDURB91

Recodes:      ALCNDRT; ALCHRONR

Keywords:     functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes:        See the Survey Description Document for more information.

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**Other N.E.C. problem (2) condition status**

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Chronic            |
| 2 | Not chronic        |
| 9 | Unknown if chronic |
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**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000      R04 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALCNDRT

**Recode**

Universe:     ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and FLA1AR = '1'

Description:   All sample adults reporting some limitation of activity

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Sources:      ALCHRC1-34, ALCHRC90, ALCHRC91

Recodes:      ALCHRONR

Keywords:     functional limitation; chronic condition

Notes:        None

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**Chronic condition recode for individual w/ functional limitation**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | At least one chronic condition causes functional limitation   |
| 2 | No chronic condition causes functional limitation             |
| 9 | Unknown if any chronic condition causes functional limitation |
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**Question ID:** AHS.336\_02.000

R05 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: ALCHRONR

**Recode**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: All sample adults

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Sources: ALCNDRT; FLA1AR

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; chronic condition

Notes: None

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Overall functional limitation recode by condition status

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 0 | Not limited in any way (including unknown if limited) |
| 1 | Limited; caused by at least one chronic condition     |
| 2 | Limited; not caused by chronic condition              |
| 3 | Limited; unknown if condition is chronic              |
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**Question ID:** AHB.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SMKEV

Final Documentation Name: SMKEV

**Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your ENTIRE LIFE?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: SMKSTAT2

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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Ever smoked 100 cigarettes

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHB.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SMKREG

Final Documentation Name: SMKREG

**How old were you when you FIRST started to smoke fairly regularly?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who ever smoked 100 cigarettes

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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## Age first smoked fairly regularly

06-84	6 - 84 years
85	85 years or older
96	Never smoked regularly
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.030\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SMKNOW

Final Documentation Name: SMKNOW

**Do you NOW smoke cigarettes every day, some days or not at all?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKEV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who ever smoked 100 cigarettes

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Sources: None

Recodes: SMKSTAT2

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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## Smoke freq: everyday/some days/not at all

1	Every day
2	Some days
3	Not at all
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.030\_00.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: SMKSTAT2

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      SMKEV; SMKNOW

Recodes:      None

Keywords:      smoke; smoking status; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes:      Some day smokers are persons who said they smoked some days, including those who reported smoking zero days in the past 30 days.

## Smoking Status: Recode

1	Current every day smoker
2	Current some day smoker
3	Former smoker
4	Never smoker
5	Smoker, current status unknown
9	Unknown if ever smoked

**Question ID:** AHB.040\_01.000      Instrument Variable Name: SMKQTNO  
Final Documentation Name: SMKQTNO

**How long has it been since you quit smoking cigarettes?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = '3'

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years who quit smoking

Sources:      None

Recodes:      SMKQTY

Keywords:      smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes:      (1) CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age. (2) Years are topcoded at 70 and truncated at AGE\_P minus SMKREG.

## Time since quit: # of units

01-94	1 - 94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHB.040\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: SMKQ'TTP

Final Documentation Name: SMKQ'TTP

**How long has it been since you quit smoking cigarettes?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = '3'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who quit smoking

Sources: None

Recodes: SMKQTY

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age.

Time since quit: time period

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Day(s)          |
| 2 | Week(s)         |
| 3 | Month(s)        |
| 4 | Year(s)         |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AHB.040\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: SMKQTY

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = '3'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who ever smoked 100 cigarettes but don't smoke now

Sources: SMKQ'TNO; SMKQ'TTP; AGE; SMKREG

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: 1) CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age. (2) Truncated at AGE\_P minus SMKREG.

Time since quit smoking (in years)

- |       |                  |
|-------|------------------|
| 00    | Less than 1 year |
| 01-69 | 1-69 years       |
| 70    | 70+ years        |
| 97    | Refused          |
| 98    | Not ascertained  |
| 99    | Don't know       |

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**Question ID:** AHB.050\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CIGSDA1

Final Documentation Name: CIGSDA1

**On the average, how many cigarettes do you now smoke a day?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who are current every day smokers

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Sources: None

Recodes: CIGSDAY

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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## Number cigs per day (daily smokers)

01-94	1 - 94 cigarettes
95	95+ cigarettes
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.060\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CIGDAMO

Final Documentation Name: CIGDAMO

**On how many of the PAST 30 DAYS did you smoke a cigarette?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = 2

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who are current some day smokers

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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## Number days smoked in past 30 days

00	None
01-30	1-30 days
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHB.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CIGSDA2

Final Documentation Name: CIGSDA2

**On the average, when you smoked during the PAST 30 DAYS, about how many cigarettes did you smoke a day?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = '2' and (( '01' <=CIGDAMO<='30') or CIGDAMO = 97-99)

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who are current some day smokers and smoked 1-30 days in past month or number of days was refused, not ascertained, or not known

Sources: None

Recodes: CIGSDAY

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

Number cigs per day (some day smokers)

01-94	1-94 cigarettes
95	95+ cigarettes
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.070\_00.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: CIGSDAY

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = 1 or [SMKNOW = 2 and CIGDAMO = 01-30, 97-99]

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who smoked everyday or smoked some days, and smoked 1-30 days or (Ref/NA/DK number of days} in the past 30 days

Sources: CIGSDA1; CIGSDA2

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: Denominator EXCLUDES persons who said they smoked some days in Q.# AHB.030, but said they smoked zero days in the past 30 days in Q.# AHB.060.

Number of cigarettes a day (all current smokers)

01-94	1-94 cigarettes
95	95+ cigarettes
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AHB.080\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CIGQTYR

Final Documentation Name: CIGQTYR

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you stopped smoking for more than one day BECAUSE YOU WERE TRYING TO QUIT SMOKING?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SMKNOW = 1, 2

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who are every day or someday smokers

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: None

Tried quit smoking 1+ days, past 12 m

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.090\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: VIGNO

Final Documentation Name: VIGNO

**How often do you do VIGOROUS leisure-time physical activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause HEAVY sweating or LARGE increases in breathing or heart rate?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGFREQW

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: None

Freq vigorous activity: # of units

000	Never
001-995	1-995 time(s)
996	Unable to do this type activity
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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Question ID: AHB.090\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: VIGTP

Final Documentation Name: VIGTP

**How often do you do VIGOROUS leisure-time physical activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause HEAVY sweating or LARGE increases in breathing or heart rate?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGFREQW

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: None

Freq vigorous activity: Time units

0	Never
1	Per day
2	Per week
3	Per month
4	Per year
6	Unable to do this activity
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.090\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: VIGFREQW

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: VIGNO, VIGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: None

Freq vigorous activity (times per wk)

00	Less than once per week
01-28	1-28 times per week
95	Never
96	Unable to do vigorous activity
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.100\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: VIGLNGNO

Final Documentation Name: VIGLNGNO

**About how long do you do these vigorous leisure-time physical activities each time?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIGTP = 1, 2, 3, 4

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who do vigorous activities

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Sources: None

Recodes: VIGMIN

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: None

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Duration vigorous activity: # units

001-995	1-995
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.100\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: VIGLNGTP

Final Documentation Name: VIGLNGTP

**About how long do you do these vigorous leisure-time physical activities each time?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIGTP = 1, 2, 3, 4

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who do vigorous activities

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Sources: None

Recodes: VIGMIN

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: None

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Duration vigorous activity: Time unit

1	Minutes
2	Hours
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Final Documentation Name: VIGMIN

Universe:      ASTATFLG=1, (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and VIGTP = 1-4  
Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years who participate in vigorous activities for at least 10 min

Sources:      VIGLNGNO; VIGLNGTP  
Recodes:      None  
Keywords:      physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise  
Notes:      None

Duration vigorous activity (in minutes)

010-720	10-720 minutes
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHB.110\_01.000      Instrument Variable Name: MODNO  
Final Documentation Name: MODNO

**How often do you do LIGHT OR MODERATE leisure-time physical activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause ONLY LIGHT sweating or a SLIGHT to MODERATE increase in breathing or heart rate?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))  
Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      None  
Recodes:      MODFREQW  
Keywords:      physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity  
Notes:      None

Freq moderate activity: # of units

000	Never
001-995	1-995 time(s)
996	Unable to do this type activity
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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Question ID: AHB.110\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: MODTP

Final Documentation Name: MODTP

How often do you do **LIGHT OR MODERATE** leisure-time physical activities for **AT LEAST 10 MINUTES** that cause **ONLY LIGHT** sweating or a **SLIGHT to MODERATE** increase in breathing or heart rate?

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: MODFREQW

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity

Notes: None

Freq moderate activity: Time units

0	Never
1	Per day
2	Per week
3	Per month
4	Per year
6	Unable to do this activity
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: MODFREQW

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: MODNO; MODTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity

Notes: None

Freq light/moderate activity (times per wk)

00	Less than once per week
01-28	1-28 times per week
95	Never
96	Unable to do light or moderate activity
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.120\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: MODLNGNO

Final Documentation Name: MODLNGNO

**About how long do you do these light or moderate leisure-time physical activities each time?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and MODTP = 1, 2, 3, 4

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who do light or moderate activities

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Sources: None

Recodes: MODMIN

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: None

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Duration moderate activity: # of units

001-995	1-995
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.120\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: MODLNGTP

Final Documentation Name: MODLNGTP

**About how long do you do these light or moderate leisure-time physical activities each time?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and MODTP = 1 - 4

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who do light or moderate activities

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Sources: None

Recodes: MODMIN

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: None

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Duration moderate activity: Time unit

1	Minutes
2	Hours
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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 Final Documentation Name: MODMIN

**About how long do you do these light or moderate activities each time?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and MODTP = 1 - 4  
 Description:    Sample adults aged 18+ years who participate in light/moderate activities for at least 10 min

Sources:      MODLNGNO; MODLNGTP  
 Recodes:      None  
 Keywords:     physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise  
 Notes:        None

## Duration light/moderate activity (in minutes)

010-720	10-720 minutes
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHB.130\_01.000      Instrument Variable Name: STRNGNO  
 Final Documentation Name: STRNGNO

**How often do you do leisure-time physical activities specifically designed to STRENGTHEN your muscles such as lifting weights or doing calisthenics? (Include all such activities even if you have mentioned them before.)**

Universe:      ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))  
 Description:    Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      None  
 Recodes:      STRFREQW  
 Keywords:     physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening  
 Notes:        Duration was not asked for this activity.

## Strength activity freq: # of units

000	Never
001-995	1-995 time(s)
996	Unable to do this type activity
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: STRNGTP

Final Documentation Name: STRNGTP

**How often do you do leisure-time physical activities specifically designed to STRENGTHEN your muscles such as lifting weights or doing calisthenics? (Include all such activities even if you have mentioned them before.)**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: STRFREQW

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening

Notes: Duration was not asked for this activity.

Strength activity freq: Time units

0	Never
1	Per day
2	Per week
3	Per month
4	Per year
6	Unable to do this activity
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.130\_02.000

R01 RECODE

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: STRFREQW

**How often do you do physical activities specifically designed to STRENGTHEN your muscles such as lifting weights or doing calisthenics? (Include all such activities even if you have mentioned them before.)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: STRNGNO; STRNGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening

Notes: Duration was not asked for this activity.

Freq strength activity (times per wk)

00	Less than once per week
01-28	1-28 times per week
95	Never
96	Unable to do strength activity
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.140\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALC1YR

Final Documentation Name: ALC1YR

**In ANY ONE YEAR, have you had at least 12 drinks of any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCSTAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking;

Notes: None

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Ever had 12+ drinks in any one year

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AHB.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALCLIFE

Final Documentation Name: ALCLIFE

**In your ENTIRE LIFE, have you had at least 12 drinks of any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC1YR = '2', '7'-'9')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have not had 12 drinks in any one year or don't know if they did or refused to answer or NA

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCSTAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking; lifetime

Notes: None

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Had 12+ drinks in ENTIRE LIFE

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: AHB.160\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALC12MNO

Final Documentation Name: ALC12MNO

**In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1)

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had at least 12 drinks in any one year or at least 12 drinks in their entire life

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR; ALCSTAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR].

Freq drank alcohol pst yr: # of units

000	Never
001-365	1-365 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.160\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALC12MTP

Final Documentation Name: ALC12MTP

**In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1)

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had at least 12 drinks in any one year or at least 12 drinks in their entire life

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR; ALCSTAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR].

Freq drank alcohol pst yr: Time unit

0	Never/None
1	Week
2	Month
3	Year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.160\_02.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALC12MWK

**In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had at least 12 drinks in any one year or at least 12 drinks in entire life

Sources:      ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP

Recodes:      ALCSTAT

Keywords:      alcohol consumption; drinking frequency

Notes:      Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR].

Freq drank alcohol: Days per week

00	Less than one day per week
01-07	1-7 days per week
95	Did not drink in past year
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHB.160\_02.000      R02 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALC12MYR

**In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had at least 12 drinks in any one year or at least 12 drinks in entire life

Sources:      ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP

Recodes:      ALCSTAT

Keywords:      alcohol consumption; drinking frequency

Notes:      (1) Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR]. (2) Values calculated from responses of 31 days per month were truncated to 365 days per year.

Freq drank alcohol: Days in past year

000	Never/none
001-365	1-365 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know



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Question ID: AHB.170\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALCAMT

Final Documentation Name: ALCAMT

**In the PAST YEAR, on those days that you drank alcoholic beverages, on the average, how many drinks did you have?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC12MTP = 1-3

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who drank at least once in the past year

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Sources: None

Recodes: ALCSTAT

Keywords: alcohol; drinking; amount; quantity

Notes: None

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Average # drinks on days drank

01-94	1-94 drinks
95	95+ drinks
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.170\_00.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: ALCSTAT

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources:      ALC1YR; ALCLIFE; ALC12MYR; ALCAMT; SEX

Recodes:      None

Keywords:      alcohol; drinking

Notes:      Lifetime abstainer: <12 drinks in lifetime; Former infrequent: 12+ drinks in lifetime but never as many as 12 in 1 yr and none in past yr; Former regular: 12+ drinks in lifetime, 12+ drinks in 1 yr, but none in past yr; Former unknown frequency: 12+ drinks in lifetime, none in past year, don't know if 12+ in any 1 yr; Current infrequent: 12+ drinks in lifetime, 12+ drinks in 1 yr, and 1-11 drinks in past yr; Current light: 12+ drinks in lifetime, 12+ drinks in 1 yr, and <=3 drinks per week in past yr; Current moderate: 12+ drinks in lifetime, 12+ drinks in 1 yr and (male) >3 drinks per week up to 14 drinks per week OR (female) >3 drinks per week up to 7 drinks per week; Current heavier: 12+ drinks in lifetime, 12+ drinks in 1 yr and (male) >14 drinks per week in past year OR (female) >7 drinks per week in past yr. (Average consumption)

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Alcohol drinking status: Recode

01	Lifetime abstainer
02	Former infrequent
03	Former regular
04	Former, unknown frequency
05	Current infrequent
06	Current light
07	Current moderate
08	Current heavier
09	Current drinker, frequency/level unknown
10	Drinking status unknown

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Question ID: AHB.180\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALC5UPNO

Final Documentation Name: ALC5UPNO

**In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC12MTP = 1-3

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who drank at least once in the past year

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC5UPYR

Keywords: alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drank in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR].

Days 5+ drinks, past yr: # days

000	Never/None
001-365	1-365 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: AHB.180\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ALC5UPTP

Final Documentation Name: ALC5UPTP

**In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC12MTP = 1-3

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who drank at least once in the past year

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC5UPYR

Keywords: alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drank in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR].

Days 5+ drinks, past yr: Time unit

0	Never/None
1	Per week
2	Per month
3	Per year
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.180\_02.000      R01 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: ALC5UPYR

**In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ALC12MTP = 1-3

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years who drank at least once in past year

Sources:      ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP

Recodes:      None

Keywords:      alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes:      Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drank in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR].

Number of days had 5+ drinks past year

000	Never/None
001-365	1-365 days
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHB.190\_04.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
 Final Documentation Name: AHEIGHT

**How tall are you without shoes?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      None

Recodes:      BMI

Keywords:      height

Notes:      Not available (96) refers to persons who had extreme values in either height or weight or both. See Survey Description Document for details.

Total height in inches

59-76	59-76 inches
96	Not available
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AHB.200\_02.000      R03 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: AWEIGHTP

**How much do you weigh without shoes?**

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      None

Recodes:      BMI

Keywords:      body weight

Notes:      Not available (996) refers to persons who had (sex-specific) extreme values for either height or weight or both, that cannot be released for reasons of confidentiality. AWEIGHTP includes values of 126-299 lbs for men and 100-274 lbs for women. Pregnant women, aged 18-49 years, were not excluded from this question and they may be identified using the variable PREGNOW (ACN. 370). See Survey Description Document for details.

## Weight without shoes (pounds)

100-299	100-299 pounds
996	Not available
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

**Question ID:** AHB.200\_02.000      R04 RECODE      Instrument Variable Name:  
Final Documentation Name: BMI

Universe:      ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description:      Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources:      AHEIGHTN; WT\_LB

Recodes:      None

Keywords:      body mass index; BMI; overweight; obesity; underweight

Notes:      (1) BMI was calculated using the in-house version of the height and weight variables, which contain the greater range of height and weight values than are available on the public use file. The range of possible BMI values listed (0001-9994) does not reflect actual calculated BMI values at the extremes of the range, but rather, allows for the theoretical possibility of such unlikely values. (2)  $BMI = [Weight (kg) / [Height(m) squared]]$  rounded to 2 decimal places. Conversion factors: 1 kg = 2.20462 pounds; 1 meter (m) = 39.37008 inches. For both men and women, underweight is BMI < 18.5; healthy weight is BMI 18.5 to <25; overweight is BMI > = 25 to <30; obese is BMI > = 30.

## Body Mass Index (BMI)

0001-9994	00.01-99.94
9995	99.95+
9999	Unknown

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**Question ID:** AHB.210\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SLEEP

Final Documentation Name: SLEEP

**On average, how many hours of sleep do you get in a 24-hour period?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sleep

Notes: None

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Hours of sleep

01-24	1-24 hours
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AAU.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AUSUALPL

Final Documentation Name: AUSUALPL

**Is there a place that you USUALLY go to when you are sick or need advice about your health?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

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Place USUALLY go when sick

1	Yes
2	There is NO place
3	There is MORE THAN ONE place
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: AAU.030\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: APLKIND

Final Documentation Name: APLKIND

**['If AUSUALPL = 1] What kind of place is it - a clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place? ['Else, if AUSUALPL = 3] What kind of place do you go to most often - a clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AUSUALPL IN('1','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

Place to go when sick (most often)

- |   |                                    |
|---|------------------------------------|
| 1 | Clinic or health center            |
| 2 | Doctor's office or HMO             |
| 3 | Hospital emergency room            |
| 4 | Hospital outpatient department     |
| 5 | Some other place                   |
| 6 | Doesn't go to one place most often |
| 7 | Refused                            |
| 8 | Not ascertained                    |
| 9 | Don't know                         |

Question ID: AAU.035\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCPLROU

Final Documentation Name: AHCPLROU

**Is that {APLKIND} the same place you USUALLY go when you need routine or preventive care, such as a physical examination or check up?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and APLKIND IN ('1','2','3','4','5')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice who reported place goes most often as a clinic or health center, doctor's office or HMO, hospital emergency room, hospital outpatient department, or some other place

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

USUALLY go there for routine/preventive care

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AAU.037\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCPLKND

Final Documentation Name: AHCPLKND

**What kind of place do you USUALLY go to when you need routine or preventive care, such as a physical examination or check-up?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AUSUALPL NOT IN ('1','3') or APLKIND IN('6','7','8','9') or AHCPLROU NE '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who do not have a usual source of sick care; who Ref/NA/DK if have a usual source of sick care; who have a usual source of sick care but do not go to one place most often or Ref/NA/DK what kind of place; who have a usual source of sick care, but it is not same place as usual source of routine/preventive care; who have a usual source of sick care but Ref/NA/DK if it is same place as usual source of routine/preventive care.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; preventive care; health care provider

Notes: None

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**Place USUALLY go for routine/preventive care**

- |   |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| 0 | Doesn't get preventive care anywhere |
| 1 | Clinic or health center              |
| 2 | Doctor's office or HMO               |
| 3 | Hospital emergency room              |
| 4 | Hospital outpatient department       |
| 5 | Some other place                     |
| 6 | Doesn't go to one place most often   |
| 7 | Refused                              |
| 8 | Not ascertained                      |
| 9 | Don't know                           |
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**Question ID:** AAU.040\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCCHGYR

Final Documentation Name: AHCCHGYR

**At any time in the PAST 12 MONTHS did you CHANGE the place(s) to which you USUALLY go for health care?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (AUSUALPL IN ('1','3') or AHCPLROU = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice or who reported same place as usual source of routine/preventive care

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

Change health care place, past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AAU.050\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCCHGHI

Final Documentation Name: AHCCHGHI

**Was this change for a reason related to health insurance?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHCCHGYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice who changed their usual place for health care in past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider; health insurance

Notes: None

Change related to health insurance

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.061\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCDLY\_1

Final Documentation Name: AHCDLYR1

**There are many reasons people delay getting medical care. Have you delayed getting care for any of the following reasons in the PAST 12 MONTHS? ..... You couldn't get through on the telephone**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems

Notes: None

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Couldn't get through on phone, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.061\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCDLY\_2

Final Documentation Name: AHCDLYR2

**There are many reasons people delay getting medical care. Have you delayed getting care for any of the following reasons in the PAST 12 MONTHS? ..... You couldn't get an appointment soon enough**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; scheduling

Notes: None

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Couldn't get appt soon enough, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.061\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCDLY\_3

Final Documentation Name: AHCDLYR3

**There are many reasons people delay getting medical care. Have you delayed getting care for any of the following reasons in the PAST 12 MONTHS? ..... Once you get there, you have to wait too long to see the doctor**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; waiting time

Notes: None

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Wait too long in dr's office, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.061\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCDLY\_4

Final Documentation Name: AHCDLYR4

**There are many reasons people delay getting medical care. Have you delayed getting care for any of the following reasons in the PAST 12 MONTHS? ..... The clinic/doctor's office wasn't open when you could get there**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; scheduling

Notes: None

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Not open when you could go, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.061\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCDLY\_5

Final Documentation Name: AHCDLYR5

**There are many reasons people delay getting medical care. Have you delayed getting care for any of the following reasons in the PAST 12 MONTHS? .... You didn't have transportation**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; transportation problems

Notes: None

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No transportation, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.111\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCAFY\_1

Final Documentation Name: AHCAFYR1

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, was there any time when you needed any of the following, but didn't get it because you couldn't afford it? .... Prescription medicines**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; medical expense; cost of medication; drugs

Notes: None

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Can't afford prescription medicine, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.111\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCAFY\_2

Final Documentation Name: AHCAFYR2

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, was there any time when you needed any of the following, but didn't get it because you couldn't afford it? ..... Mental health care or counseling**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; medical expense; therapy; counseling

Notes: None

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Can't afford mental health care/counseling, 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.111\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCAFY\_3

Final Documentation Name: AHCAFYR3

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, was there any time when you needed any of the following, but didn't get it because you couldn't afford it? ..... Dental care (including check-ups)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dental expense; cost of dental care; oral health; unmet dental needs

Notes: None

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Can't afford dental care, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.111\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCAFY\_4

Final Documentation Name: AHCAFYR4

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, was there any time when you needed any of the following, but didn't get it because you couldn't afford it? ..... Eyeglasses**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; eyeglass expense; cost of eye care; eye care; vision

Notes: None

Can't afford eyeglasses, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** AAU.135\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ADENLONG

Final Documentation Name: ADNLONG2

**About how long has it been since you last saw a dentist? Include all types of dentists, such as orthodontists, oral surgeons, and all other dental specialists, as well as dental hygienists.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dental visit; oral health; advice; treatment

Notes: None

Time since last saw a dentist

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 0 | Never  |
| 1 | 6 months or less                             |
| 2 | More than 6 mos, but not more than 1 yr ago  |
| 3 | More than 1 yr, but not more than 2 yrs ago  |
| 4 | More than 2 yrs, but not more than 5 yrs ago |
| 5 | More than 5 years ago                        |
| 7 | Refused                                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained                              |
| 9 | Don't know                                   |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_1

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR1

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... A mental health professional such as a psychiatrist, psychologist, psychiatric nurse, or clinical social worker**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; treatment; therapy; counseling

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to mental health professional, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_2

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR2

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... An optometrist, ophthalmologist, or eye doctor (someone who prescribes eyeglasses)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; vision care

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to eye doctor, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_3

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR3

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... A foot doctor**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; podiatrist

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to foot doctor, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_4

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR4

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... A chiropractor**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; chiropractor

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to a chiropractor, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_5

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR5

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... A physical therapist, speech therapist, respiratory therapist, audiologist, or occupational therapist**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; therapy

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to therapist (PT/OT/etc.), past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.141\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY1\_6

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR6

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? ..... A nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or midwife**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; midwife; nurse; physician assistant

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to a NP/PA/midwife, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.200\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSYR7

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR7

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref.date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? .... A doctor who specializes in women's health (an obstetrician/gynecologist)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX = '2'

Description: Sample Female adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; gynecologist; obstetrician

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to OB/GYN, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.211\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY8\_8

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR8

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? .... A medical doctor who specializes in a particular medical disease or problem (other than obstetrician/gynecologist, psychiatrist or ophthalmologist)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; specialist

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to a medical specialist, past 12 m

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: AHCSY8\_9

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR9

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, that is since {12 month ref. date}, have you seen or talked to any of the following health care providers about your own health? .... A general doctor who treats a variety of illnesses (a doctor in general practice, family medicine, or internal medicine)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; general practitioner; internist; family doctor

Notes: None

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Seen/talked to a general doctor, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.230\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCSYR10

Final Documentation Name: AHCSYR10

**Does that doctor treat children and adults (a doctor in general practice or family medicine)?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHCSYR9 = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have seen or talked to a general doctor during the past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; general practitioner; internist; family doctor

Notes: None

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Doctor treats both kids and adults

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.240\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHERNOYR

Final Documentation Name: AHERNOY2

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, HOW MANY TIMES have you gone to a HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOM about your own health? (This includes emergency room visits that resulted in a hospital admission.)**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; emergency room visit (ER); emergency department visit (ED); critical care

Notes: None

# times in ER/ED, past 12 m

00	None
01	1
02	2-3
03	4-5
04	6-7
05	8-9
06	10-12
07	13-15
08	16 or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AAU.250\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCHYR

Final Documentation Name: AHCHYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, did you receive care AT HOME from a nurse or other health care professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse

Notes: None

Received home care from health professional, past 12 m

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AAU.260\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCHMOYR

Final Documentation Name: AHCHMOYR

**During how many of the PAST 12 MONTHS did you receive care AT HOME from a health care professional?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHCHYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who received home care from health professional during past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse

Notes: None

# months of home care, past 12 m

01-12	01-12 months
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

**Question ID:** AAU.270\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCHNOYR

Final Documentation Name: AHCHNOY2

**What was the total number of home visits received during {that month/those months}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHCHYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who received home care from health professional during past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse

Notes: None

Total number of home visits

01	1
02	2-3
03	4-5
04	6-7
05	8-9
06	10-12
07	13-15
08	16 or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: AAU.280\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHCNOYR

Final Documentation Name: AHCNOYR2

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, HOW MANY TIMES have you seen a doctor or other health care professional about your own health at a DOCTOR'S OFFICE, A CLINIC, OR SOME OTHER PLACE? DO NOT INCLUDE TIMES YOU WERE HOSPITALIZED OVERNIGHT, VISITS TO HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS, HOME VISITS, DENTAL VISITS, OR TELEPHONE CALLS.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; doctor visit; office visit

Notes: None

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Total number of office visits, past 12 m

00	None
01	1
02	2-3
03	4-5
04	6-7
05	8-9
06	10-12
07	13-15
08	16 or more
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** AAU.290\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASRGYR

Final Documentation Name: ASRGYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had SURGERY or other surgical procedures either as an inpatient or outpatient?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; surgery; surgical care; operation

Notes: The data in this field may represent an undercount because the respondents may not have included all types of minor surgical procedures such as setting bones or removal of growths in their response.

Surgery/surgical procedure, past 12 m

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** AAU.300\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASRGNOYR

Final Documentation Name: ASRGNOYR

**Including any times you may have already told me about, HOW MANY DIFFERENT TIMES have you had surgery during the PAST 12 MONTHS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ASRGYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who had surgery or surgical procedures during past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; surgery; surgical care; operation; outpatient; inpatient

Notes: The data in this field may represent an undercount because the respondents may not have included all types of surgical procedures such as setting bones or removal of growths in their response.

# of surgeries, past 12 m

- |       |                 |
|-------|-----------------|
| 01-94 | 1-94 times      |
| 95    | 95+ times       |
| 97    | Refused         |
| 98    | Not ascertained |
| 99    | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.305\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AMDLONG

Final Documentation Name: AMDLONGR

**About how long has it been since you last saw or talked to a doctor or other health care professional about your own health? Include doctors seen while a patient in a hospital.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; health care provider

Notes: None

Time since last seen/talked to health professional

0	Never
1	6 months or less
2	More than 6 mos, but not more than 1 yr ago
3	More than 1 yr, but not more than 2 yrs ago
4	More than 2 yrs, but not more than 5 yrs ago
5	More than 5 years ago
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

**Question ID:** AAU.310\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHTFLUYR

Final Documentation Name: SHTFLUYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a flu shot? A flu shot is usually given in the fall and protects against influenza for the flu season.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu shot; flu vaccine; influenza

Notes: None

Flu shot past 12 m

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know



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Question ID: AAU.312\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASHFLU\_M

Final Documentation Name: ASHFLU\_M

**During what month and year did you receive your most recent flu shot?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997', '999') and SHTFLUYR='1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a flu shot

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu shot; flu vaccine; influenza

Notes: None

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Month of most recent flu shot

- |    |                 |
|----|-----------------|
| 01 | January         |
| 02 | February        |
| 03 | March           |
| 04 | April           |
| 05 | May             |
| 06 | June            |
| 07 | July            |
| 08 | August          |
| 09 | September       |
| 10 | October         |
| 11 | November        |
| 12 | December        |
| 97 | Refused         |
| 98 | Not ascertained |
| 99 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AAU.312\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASHFLU\_Y

Final Documentation Name: ASHFLU\_Y

**\*Enter year of most recent flu shot.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997', '999') and SHTFLUYR = '1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a flu shot

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu shot; flu vaccine; influenza

Notes: None

## Year of most recent flu shot

Year	Year
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

Question ID: AAU.315\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SPRFLUYR

Final Documentation Name: SPRFLUYR

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a flu vaccine sprayed in your nose by a doctor or other health professional? A health professional may have let you spray it. This vaccine is usually given in the fall and protects against influenza for the flu season. [This influenza vaccine is called FluMist]**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu vaccine spray; flumist; influenza; LAIV

Notes: None

## Flu spray past 12 m

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: AAU.318\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASPFLU\_M

Final Documentation Name: ASPFLU\_M

**During what month and year did you receive your most recent flu nasal spray?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997', '999') and SPRFLUYR='1')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a flu nasal vaccine

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu vaccine spray; flumist; influenza; intranasal; LAIV

Notes: None

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Month of most recent flu nasal vaccine

- |    |                 |
|----|-----------------|
| 01 | January         |
| 02 | February        |
| 03 | March           |
| 04 | April           |
| 05 | May             |
| 06 | June            |
| 07 | July            |
| 08 | August          |
| 09 | September       |
| 10 | October         |
| 11 | November        |
| 12 | December        |
| 97 | Refused         |
| 98 | Not ascertained |
| 99 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: AAU.318\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ASPFLU\_Y

Final Documentation Name: ASPFLU\_Y

**\*Enter year of most recent flu nasal spray.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997', '999') and SPRFLUYR = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a flu nasal vaccine

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; flu; flu vaccine spray; flumist; influenza; intranasal; LAIV

Notes: None

Year of most recent flu nasal vaccine

Year	Year
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

Question ID: AAU.320\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHTPNUYR

Final Documentation Name: SHTPNUYR

**Have you EVER had a pneumonia shot? This shot is usually given only once or twice in a person's lifetime and is different from the flu shot. It is also called the pneumococcal vaccine.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; pneumonia; pneumonia shot; pneumonia vaccine

Notes: None

Pneumonia shot (EVER)

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: AAU.330\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: APOX

Final Documentation Name: APOX

**Have you EVER had chickenpox?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; chickenpox; varicella

Notes: None

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Ever had chickenpox

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: AAU.340\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: APOX12MO

Final Documentation Name: APOX12MO

**Have you had chickenpox in the PAST 12 MONTHS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and APOX = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have ever had chickenpox

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; chickenpox; varicella

Notes: None

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Chickenpox, past 12 m

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: AAU.350\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHEP

Final Documentation Name: AHEP

**Have you EVER had hepatitis?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis; liver

Notes: None

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Ever had hepatitis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: AAU.360\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: AHEPLIV

Final Documentation Name: AHEPLIV

**Have you ever lived with someone who had hepatitis?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and AHEP NE '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have never had hepatitis; Ref/NA/DK if ever had hepatitis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis; liver

Notes: None

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Ever lived w/ someone w/ hepatitis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.370\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHTHEPB

Final Documentation Name: SHTHEPB

**Have you EVER received the hepatitis B vaccine? [This is given in three separate doses and has been available since 1991. It is recommended for newborn infants, adolescents, and people such as health care workers, who may be exposed to the hepatitis B virus.]**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis B; vaccine; liver

Notes: None

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Hepatitis B vaccine (EVER)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.380\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHEPDOS

Final Documentation Name: SHEPDOS

**Did you receive at least 3 doses of the hepatitis B vaccine, or less than 3 doses?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTHEPB = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have received the Hepatitis B vaccine

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis B; vaccine; liver

Notes: None

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# doses of hepatitis B vaccine received

- |   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| 1 | Received at least 3 doses  |
| 2 | Received less than 3 doses |
| 7 | Refused                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained            |
| 9 | Don't know                 |
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Question ID: AAU.390\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHTHEPA

Final Documentation Name: SHTHEPA

The hepatitis A vaccine is given as a two dose series routinely to some children starting at 1 year of age, and to some adults and people who travel outside the United States. Although it can be given as a combination vaccine with hepatitis B, it is different from the hepatitis B shot, and has only been available since 1995. Have you EVER received the hepatitis A vaccine?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis A; vaccine; liver

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Hepatitis A vaccine (EVER)

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: AAU.400\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHEPANUM

Final Documentation Name: SHEPANUM

How many hepatitis A shots did you receive?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTHEPA = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a hepatitis A vaccine

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis A; vaccine; liver

Notes: 2008 Supplement

# shots of hepatitis A vaccine received

01-95	01-95 shots
96	Received all shots
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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**Question ID:** AAU.410\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHINGLES

Final Documentation Name: SHINGLES

**Shingles is an outbreak of a rash or blisters on the skin that may be associated with severe pain. The pain is generally on one side of the body or face. Shingles is caused by the chicken pox virus. A vaccine for shingles has been available since May 2006. Have you ever had the Zoster (ZOSS-ter) or Shingles vaccine, also called Zostavax®?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '050' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 50+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; shingles, herpes zoster, chicken pox, rash

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Ever had the Zoster or Shingles vaccine?

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.420\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHITTD

Final Documentation Name: SHITTD

**Have you received a tetanus shot in the past 10 years?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; vaccine, tetanus

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Tetanus shot in the past 10 years?

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.430\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHTTD05

Final Documentation Name: SHTTD05

**Was your most recent tetanus shot given in 2005 or later?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTTD = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have had a tetanus shot in the past 10 years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; vaccine, tetanus

Notes: 2008 Supplement

## Tetanus shot given in 2005 or later?

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.440\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: SHTTDAP

Final Documentation Name: SHTTDAP

**There are currently two types of tetanus shots available today. One is the Td or tetanus-diphtheria vaccine and the other is called Tdap or Adacel (trademark). They are similar except the Tdap shot also includes a pertussis (per-TUH-sis) or whooping cough vaccine. Thinking back to your most recent tetanus shot, did the doctor tell you the vaccine included the pertussis or whooping cough vaccine? The shot is often called Tdap or ADACEL (trademark).**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and ('018' &lt;= AGE &lt;= '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTTD05 IN ('1','7')

Description: Sample adults aged 18-64 years who have had a tetanus shot in 2005 or beyond or refused to say if they had a tetanus shot in 2005 or beyond

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; vaccine, pertussis, whooping cough, TDAP, ADACEL

Notes: 2008 Supplement

## Vaccine included pertussis/whooping cough

- |   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| 1 | Yes-included pertussis       |
| 2 | No-did not include pertussis |
| 3 | Doctor did not say           |
| 7 | Refused                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained              |
| 9 | Don't know                   |
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**Question ID:** AAU.450\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: LIVEV

Final Documentation Name: LIVEV

**Has a doctor or other health professional ever told you that you had any kind of chronic, or long-term liver condition?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; liver

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Had any kind of chronic/long-term liver condition

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AAU.460\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: TRAVEL

Final Documentation Name: TRAVEL

**Have you ever traveled outside of the United States to countries other than Europe, Japan, Australia, New Zealand or Canada, since 1995?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; travel

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Ever traveled outside USA since 1995 (Excluding Europe, Japan, Australia, New Zealand, and Canada)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AOH.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCOND

Final Documentation Name: OCOND

How would you describe the condition of your mouth [if LUPPRT = 2,R,D, fill: and teeth]? Would you say very good, good, fair or poor?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Describe condition of your mouth

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Very good       |
| 2 | Good            |
| 3 | Fair            |
| 4 | Poor            |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AOH.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OBTWS

Final Documentation Name: OBTWS

Would you say the condition of your mouth [Fill: and teeth] is better than, the same as or not as good as other people your age?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Condition of mouth compared to others your age

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Better          |
| 2 | Same            |
| 3 | Not as good     |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: AOH.030\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OEMB

Final Documentation Name: OEMB

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, how often have you been self-conscious or embarrassed because of your teeth, mouth or dentures? Would you say often, sometimes, rarely or never?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, mouth, dentures, false teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Self-conscious or embarrassed by teeth, mouth, dentures

- 1 Often
  - 2 Sometimes
  - 3 Rarely
  - 4 Never
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: AOH.040\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: OREAS\_1

Final Documentation Name: OREAS\_1

I am going to read you a list of reasons people get dental care. Please tell me how many hours of work or school you have missed IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS.

. . . For emergency dental care where you saw the dentist within 24 hours or as soon as was possible

**\*If respondent did not miss any work enter '1'.**

**\*Probe if necessary.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ADNLONG2 ='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+, seen a dentist, past 6 mos

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, emergency, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Hours work/school missed for emergency dental care, past 6 m.

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|----|---------------------------------------|
| 01 | None or less than 1 hour              |
| 02 | 1 hour, less than 3 hours             |
| 03 | 3 hours, less than 5 hours            |
| 04 | 5 hours, less than 7 hours            |
| 05 | 7 or more hours                       |
| 06 | Doesn't go to work or school          |
| 07 | Did not have this type of dental care |
| 97 | Refused                               |
| 98 | Not ascertained                       |
| 99 | Don't know                            |
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Question ID: AOH.040\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: OREAS\_2

Final Documentation Name: OREAS\_2

I am going to read you a list of reasons people get dental care. Please tell me how many hours of work or school you have missed IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS.

. . . For planned routine dental or orthodontic care

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ADNLONG2 ='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+, seen a dentist, past 6 mos

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, orthodontia, braces

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Hours work/school missed for routine dental/orthodontic care, past 6 m.

- |    |                                       |
|----|---------------------------------------|
| 01 | None or less than 1 hour              |
| 02 | 1 hour , less than 3 hours            |
| 03 | 3 hours, less than 5 hours            |
| 04 | 5 hours, less than 7 hours            |
| 05 | 7 or more hours                       |
| 06 | Doesn't go to work or school          |
| 07 | Did not have this type of dental care |
| 97 | Refused                               |
| 98 | Not ascertained                       |
| 99 | Don't know                            |
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Question ID: AOH.040\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: OREAS\_3

Final Documentation Name: OREAS\_3

I am going to read you a list of reasons people get dental care. Please tell me how many hours of work or school you have missed IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS.

. . . For tooth whitening or other cosmetic procedures

**\*If respondent did not miss any work enter '1'**

**\*Probe if necessary.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ADNLONG2 ='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+, seen a dentist, past 6 mos

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, whitening

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Hours work/school missed for tooth whitening/cosmetic procedures, past 6 m.

- |    |                                       |
|----|---------------------------------------|
| 01 | None to less than 1 hour              |
| 02 | 1 hour, less than 3 hours             |
| 03 | 3 hours, less than 5 hours            |
| 04 | 5 hours, less than 7 hours            |
| 05 | 7 or more hours                       |
| 06 | Doesn't go to work or school          |
| 07 | Did not have this type of dental care |
| 97 | Refused                               |
| 98 | Not ascertained                       |
| 99 | Don't know                            |
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Question ID: AOH.040\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: OREAS\_4

Final Documentation Name: OREAS\_4

I am going to read you a list of reasons people get dental care. Please tell me how many hours of work or school you have missed IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS. . . . For taking someone else to a dental appointment

ELSE display:

Please tell me how many hours of work or school you have missed IN THE PAST 6 MONTHS for taking someone else to a dental appointment?

ENDIF

\*If respondent did not miss any work enter '1'

\*Probe if necessary.

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Hours work/school missed for taking someone else for dental care, past 6 m.

- |    |                                       |
|----|---------------------------------------|
| 01 | None to less than 1 hour              |
| 02 | 1 hour, less than 3 hours             |
| 03 | 3 hours, less than 5 hours            |
| 04 | 5 hours, less than 7 hours            |
| 05 | 7 or more hours                       |
| 06 | Doesn't go to work or school          |
| 07 | Did not have this type of dental care |
| 97 | Refused                               |
| 98 | Not ascertained                       |
| 99 | Don't know                            |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_01

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_01

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . A toothache or sensitive teeth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, toothache, sensitivity

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with toothache or sensitive teeth, past 6 m.

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_02

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_02

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Bleeding gums**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, gums

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with bleeding gums, past 6 m.

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't Know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_03

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_03

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Crooked teeth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with crooked teeth, past 6 m.

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_04

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_04

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Broken or missing teeth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with broken/missing teeth, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_05

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_05

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Stained or discolored teeth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with stained/discolored teeth, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_06

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_06

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Loose teeth not due to an injury**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with loose teeth not injury related, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.050\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_07

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_07

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Broken or missing fillings**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LUPPRT = '2'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have not lost all lower and upper teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with broken/missing fillings, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.055\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_08

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_08

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems that lasted more than a day? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Pain in your jaw joint**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, TMJ

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with pain in your jaw joint, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.055\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_09

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_09

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems that lasted more than a day? Please say yes or no to each.**

**. . . Sores in your mouth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with sores in your mouth, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.055\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_10

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_10

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems that lasted more than a day? Please say yes or no to each.**

**. . . Difficulty eating or chewing**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with difficulty eating or chewing, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.055\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_11

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_11

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems that lasted more than a day? Please say yes or no to each.**

**. . . Bad breath**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, halitosis

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with bad breath, past 6 m.

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.055\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: OPROB\_12

Final Documentation Name: OPROB\_12

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems that lasted more than a day? Please say yes or no to each.**

**. . . Dry mouth**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Problem with dry mouth, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.060\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ODENT1

Final Documentation Name: ODENT1

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS did you see a dentist or a medical doctor for any of the problems with your mouth or teeth?****\*Read if necessary: Include all types of dentists such as orthodontists, oral surgeons, and all other dental specialists, as well as dental hygienists.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OPROB\_01 = '1' or OPROB\_02 = '1' or OPROB\_03 = '1' or OPROB\_04 = '1' or OPROB\_05 = '1' or OPROB\_06 = '1' or OPROB\_07 = '1' or OPROB\_08 = '1' or OPROB\_09 = '1' or OPROB\_10 = '1' or OPROB\_11 = '1' or OPROB\_12 = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, doctor, dentist, orthodontist, surgeon, hygienist, specialist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Saw either dentist or medical doctor for dental problem, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: ODENT2

Final Documentation Name: ODENT2

**Which one did you see - a dentist or a medical doctor?****\* Code as dentists for all types such as orthodontists, oral surgeons, and all other dental specialists, as well as dental hygienists.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ODENT1='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth and saw a doctor or dentist

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, doctor, dentist, orthodontist, surgeon, hygienist, specialist

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Which one seen, a dentist or a medical doctor, past 6 m.

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Dentist         |
| 2 | Doctor          |
| 3 | Both            |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AOH.080\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_1

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_1

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.**

**... You didn't think it was important**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Not important to see dentist for problem, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AOH.080\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_2

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_2

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.**

**... The problem went away**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Dental problem went away, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AOH.080\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_3

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_3

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.****... You couldn't afford treatments or you didn't have insurance**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, health insurance, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Couldn't afford treatment/ no insurance for dental problem, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.080\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_4

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_4

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.****... You didn't have transportation**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, transportation, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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No transportation to dentist, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.080\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_5

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_5

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . You were afraid to see a dentist**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, dentist, fear

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Afraid to see dentist for problems, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.080\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_6

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_6

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . You were waiting for an appointment**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Waiting for dental appointment, past 6 m.

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.080\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: ONODEN\_7

Final Documentation Name: ONODEN\_7

**DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS, why didn't you see a dentist for the problems with your mouth or teeth? Please say yes or no to each.****. . . You didn't think a dentist could fix the problem**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (ODENT2='2' or ODENT1='2')

Description: Sample adults 18+ didn't see a dentist for problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Didn't think dentist could fix problem, past 6 m.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.090\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: OINT\_1

Final Documentation Name: OINT\_1

**Did the problems with your mouth or teeth interfere with any of the following. Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Your job or school**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OPROB\_01 ='1' or OPROB\_02 ='1' or OPROB\_03 ='1' or OPROB\_04 ='1' or OPROB\_05 ='1' or OPROB\_06 ='1' or OPROB\_07 ='1' or OPROB\_08 ='1' or OPROB\_09 ='1' or OPROB\_10 ='1' or OPROB\_11 ='1' or OPROB\_12 ='1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Dental problem interfere with work or school

- |   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| 1 | Yes                          |
| 2 | No                           |
| 3 | Doesn't go to work or school |
| 7 | Refused                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained              |
| 9 | Don't know                   |
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Question ID: AOH.090\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: OINT\_2

Final Documentation Name: OINT\_2

Did the problems with your mouth or teeth interfere with any of the following. Please say yes or no to each.

## ... Sleeping

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OPROB\_01 = '1' or OPROB\_02 = '1' or OPROB\_03 = '1' or OPROB\_04 = '1' or OPROB\_05 = '1' or OPROB\_06 = '1' or OPROB\_07 = '1' or OPROB\_08 = '1' or OPROB\_09 = '1' or OPROB\_10 = '1' or OPROB\_11 = '1' or OPROB\_12 = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Dental problem interfere with sleeping

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: AOH.090\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: OINT\_3

Final Documentation Name: OINT\_3

Did the problems with your mouth or teeth interfere with any of the following. Please say yes or no to each.

## ... Social activities such as going out or being with other people

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OPROB\_01 = '1' or OPROB\_02 = '1' or OPROB\_03 = '1' or OPROB\_04 = '1' or OPROB\_05 = '1' or OPROB\_06 = '1' or OPROB\_07 = '1' or OPROB\_08 = '1' or OPROB\_09 = '1' or OPROB\_10 = '1' or OPROB\_11 = '1' or OPROB\_12 = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Dental problem interfere with social activities

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** AOH.090\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: OINT\_4

Final Documentation Name: OINT\_4

**Did the problems with your mouth or teeth interfere with any of the following. Please say yes or no to each.****. . . Your usual activities at home**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OPROB\_01 = '1' or OPROB\_02 = '1' or OPROB\_03 = '1' or OPROB\_04 = '1' or OPROB\_05 = '1' or OPROB\_06 = '1' or OPROB\_07 = '1' or OPROB\_08 = '1' or OPROB\_09 = '1' or OPROB\_10 = '1' or OPROB\_11 = '1' or OPROB\_12 = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have at least one problem with mouth or teeth

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth,

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Dental problem interfere with usual activities at home

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.100\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCEXAM

Final Documentation Name: OCEXAM

**Have you ever heard of an exam for oral or mouth cancer?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, cancer

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Heard of exam for oral or mouth cancer

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.110\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCTONG

Final Documentation Name: OCTONG

**Have you ever had an exam for oral cancer in which the doctor, dentist or other health professional pulls on your tongue, sometimes with gauze wrapped around it, and feels under the tongue and inside the cheeks?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, cancer, doctor, dentist

Notes: 2008 Supplement

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Had exam for oral cancer checking tongue/cheeks

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** AOH.120\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCNECK

Final Documentation Name: OCNECK

**Have you ever had an exam for oral cancer in which the doctor, dentist or other health professional feels your neck?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, cancer, doctor, dentist

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Had exam for oral cancer checking neck

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: AOH.130\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCEXWHEN

Final Documentation Name: OCEXWHEN

When did you have your most recent oral or mouth cancer exam? Was it within the past year, between 1 and 3 years ago, or over 3 years ago?

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OCTONG = '1' or OCNECK = '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ have had oral cancer exam

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, mouth, cancer

Notes: 2008 Supplement

Most recent oral cancer exam

- |   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1 | Within past year          |
| 2 | Between 1 and 3 years ago |
| 3 | Over 3 years ago          |
| 7 | Refused                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained           |
| 9 | Don't know                |

Question ID: AOH.140\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OEXCHECK

Final Documentation Name: OEXCHECK

Did you have your most recent oral cancer exam during a routine check-up or because you were having a specific problem?

**\*If respondent answers both code as part of a routine check-up.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OCEXWHEN IN ('1', '2'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ have had oral cancer exam within last 3 years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, cancer

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Oral cancer exam routine or because of specific problem

- |   |                          |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1 | Part of routine check-up |
| 2 | For a specific problem   |
| 7 | Refused                  |
| 8 | Not ascertained          |
| 9 | Don't know               |



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**Question ID:** AOH.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: OCEXPROF

Final Documentation Name: OCEXPROF

**What type of health care professional performed your most recent oral cancer exam?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (OCEXWHEN in ('1', '2'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ have had oral cancer exam within last 3 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: oral, dental, teeth, cancer

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## Type of health care professional performed most recent oral cancer exam

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|---|--|
| 1 | Doctor/Physician                               |
| 2 | Nurse/nurse practitioner                       |
| 3 | Dentists (include oral surgeons orthodontists) |
| 4 | Dental hygienist                               |
| 5 | Other  |
| 7 | Refused  |
| 8 | Not ascertained                                |
| 9 | Don't know                                     |
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**Question ID:** ADS.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BLDGV

Final Documentation Name: BLDGV

**Now, I am going to ask about giving blood donations to a blood bank such as the American Red Cross.****Have you donated blood since March 1985?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood; blood donation

Notes: None

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## Donated blood since March 1985

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** ADS.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BLDG12M

Final Documentation Name: BLDG12M

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, that is, since {12-month ref. date}, have you donated blood?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BLDGV = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have donated blood since March 1985

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood; blood donation

Notes: None

Donated blood past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** ADS.040\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HIVTST

Final Documentation Name: HIVTST

**[If BLDGV=1: Except for tests you may have had as part of blood donations, have you ever been tested for HIV?]  
[Else: Have you ever been tested for HIV?]**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; HIV test; blood test

Notes: None

Ever been tested for HIV

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ADS.050\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WHYTST

Final Documentation Name: WHYTST\_R

I am going to show you a list of reasons why some people have not been tested for HIV (the virus that causes AIDS).

Which one of these would you say is the MAIN reason why you have not been tested?

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST = '2'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have not been tested for HIV

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids; aids virus; HIV

Notes: None

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Reason why you have not been tested for HIV/AIDS

- 01 It's unlikely you've been exposed to HIV
  - 02 You were afraid to find out if you were HIV positive (that you had HIV)
  - 03 You didn't want to think about HIV or about being HIV positive
  - 04 You were worried your name would be reported to the government if you tested positive
  - 05 You didn't know where to get tested
  - 06 You don't like needles
  - 07 You were afraid of losing job, insurance, housing, friends, family, if people knew you were positive for AIDS infection
  - 08 Some other reason
  - 09 No particular reason
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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Question ID: ADS.060\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: TST12M\_M

Final Documentation Name: TST12M\_M

[If BLDGV=1: Not including blood donations, in what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

[Else: In what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV/AIDS

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids; HIV

Notes: None

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Month of last test for HIV

01	January
02	February
03	March
04	April
05	May
06	June
07	July
08	August
09	September
10	October
11	November
12	December
96	Time period format
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: ADS.060\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: TST12M\_Y

Final Documentation Name: TST12M\_Y

[If BLDGV=1: Not including blood donations, in what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

[Else: In what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

Universe: ASTATFLG = '1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who gave a month for their last HIV test or who didn't know the month or month was not ascertained

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids; HIV

Notes: None

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Year of last test for HIV

1985-2009	1985-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

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Question ID: ADS.061\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TIMETST

Final Documentation Name: TIMETST

[If BLDGV=1: Not including blood donations, in what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

[Else: In what month and year was your last test for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?]

Was it:

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (TST12M\_M IN ('96','97') or TST12M\_Y IN ('9997','9999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV or who Ref/NA or requested the time period format at TEST12M\_M or REF/NA/DK the year of their last HIV test.

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; blood test; HIV

Notes: None

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Time period of most recent HIV test

- 1 6 months or less
  - 2 More than 6 months but not more than 1 year ago
  - 3 More than 1 year, but not more than 2 years ago
  - 4 More than 2 years, but not more than 5 years ago
  - 5 More than 5 years ago
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**Question ID:** ADS.065\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: REATST

Final Documentation Name: REATST\_C

**I am going to show you a list of reasons why some people have been tested for HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS).****[If BLDGV=1: Not including your blood donations, which of these would you say was the MAIN reason for your last HIV test?]****[Else: Which of these would you say was the MAIN reason for your last HIV test?]**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST='1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood test; aids test; aids; HIV

Notes: None

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## Main reason for last HIV test

- 01 Someone suggested you should be tested
  - 02 You might have been exposed through sex or drug use
  - 03 You might have been exposed through your work or at work
  - 04 You just wanted to find out if you were infected or not
  - 05 For part of a routine medical check-up, or for hospitalization or surgical procedure
  - 06 You were sick or had a medical problem
  - 07 You were pregnant or delivered a baby
  - 08 For health or life insurance coverage
  - 09 For military induction, separation, or military service
  - 10 For immigration
  - 11 For marriage license or to get married
  - 12 You were concerned you could give HIV to someone
  - 13 You wanted medical care or new treatments if you tested positive
  - 14 Some other reason
  - 15 No particular reason
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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Question ID: ADS.066\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: REASWHO

Final Documentation Name: REASWHOR

**Who suggested you should be tested - a doctor, nurse or other health care professional, a sex partner, someone at the health department, or someone else?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and REATST\_C = '01'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV because someone suggested it

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; blood test; HIV; health department; sex partner

Notes: None

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Who suggested you should be tested

- 1 Doctor, nurse or other health care professional
  - 2 Sex partner
  - 3 Someone at health department
  - 4 Family member or friend
  - 5 Other
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: ADS.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LASTST

Final Documentation Name: LASTST\_C

[If BLDGV = 1: Not including your blood donations, where did you have your last HIV test?]

[Else: Where did you have your last HIV test?]

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test

Notes: None

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Location of last HIV test

- 01 Private doctor/HMO
  - 02 AIDS clinic/counseling/testing site
  - 03 Hospital, emergency room, outpatient clinic
  - 04 Other type of clinic
  - 05 Public health department
  - 06 At home
  - 07 Drug treatment facility
  - 08 Military induction or military service site
  - 09 Immigration site
  - 10 In a correctional facility (jail or prison)
  - 11 Other location
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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Question ID: ADS.072\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CLINTYP

Final Documentation Name: CLNTYP\_C

**What type of clinic did you go to for your last HIV test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LASTST\_C = '04'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV at other type of clinic

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test

Notes: None

## Type of clinic for last HIV test

01	Family planning clinic
02	Prenatal clinic
03	Tuberculosis clinic
04	STD clinic
05	Community health clinic
06	Clinic run by employer or insurance company
07	Other
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: ADS.074\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WHOADM

Final Documentation Name: WHOADM

**Was this test administered by a nurse or other health worker, or did you use a self-sampling kit?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LASTST\_C = '06'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV at home

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test

Notes: None

## Who administered the test

1	Nurse or health worker
2	Self-sampling kit
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** ADS.080\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: GIVNAM

Final Documentation Name: GIVNAM

**The last time you were tested, did you have to give your first and last names?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HIVTST = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have been tested for HIV

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test; HIV

Notes: None

Gave your first and last names

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** ADS.110\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: EXTST12M

Final Documentation Name: EXTST12M

**[If HIVTST=1: Do you expect to have another test for HIV in the next 12 months, not including blood donations?]  
[Else: Do you expect to have a test for HIV in the next 12 months, not including blood donations?]**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood test; aids virus; HIV

Notes: None

HIV test in the next 12 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: ADS.140\_00.001

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Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: CHNSADSP

**What are your chances of GETTING HIV, (the virus that causes AIDS)?**

**Would you say high, medium, low, or none?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids; HIV

Notes: None

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Chances of getting AIDS virus

- |   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| 1 | High/Already have HIV/AIDS |
| 2 | Medium                     |
| 3 | Low                        |
| 4 | None                       |
| 7 | Refused                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained            |
| 9 | Don't know                 |
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Question ID: ADS.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: STMTRU

Final Documentation Name: STMTRU

Tell me if ANY of these statements is true for YOU. DO NOT tell me WHICH statement or statements are true for you. Just IF ANY of them are.

- (a) You have hemophilia and have received clotting factor concentrations.
- (b) You are a man who has had sex with other men, even just one time.
- (c) You have taken street drugs by needle, even just one time.
- (d) You have traded sex for money or drugs, even just one time.
- (e) You have tested positive for HIV (the virus that causes AIDS).
- (f) You have had sex (even just one time) with someone who would answer "yes" to any of these statements.

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: street drugs; needles; sex; clotting factor

Notes: None

Are any of these statements true

- 1 Yes, at least one statement is true
- 2 No, none of these statements are true
- 7 Refused
- 8 Not ascertained
- 9 Don't know

Question ID: ADS.160\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: STD

Final Documentation Name: STD

In the past five years, have you had an STD other than HIV or AIDS?

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and ('018' &lt;= AGE &lt;= '049')

Description: Sample adults aged 18-49 years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: std; HIV; aids

Notes: None

Had STD other than HIV/AIDS, past 5 yrs

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- 7 Refused
- 8 Not ascertained
- 9 Don't know

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**Question ID:** ADS.170\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: STDDOC

Final Documentation Name: STDDOC

**The last time you had an STD other than HIV or AIDS, did you see a doctor or other health professional to get it checked?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and ('018' &lt;= AGE&lt;= '049') and STD = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18-49 years who have had an STD other than HIV or AIDS in the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: std; HIV; aids

Notes: None

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Saw a doctor or other health professional

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.180\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: STDWHER

Final Documentation Name: STDWHER

**Where did you go to be checked?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and ('018' &lt;= AGE&lt;= '049') and STDDOC = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18-49 years who have had an STD other than HIV or AIDS who saw a doctor or other health professional

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: std; HIV; aids

Notes: None

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Place where checked

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Private doctor         |
| 2 | Family planning clinic |
| 3 | STD clinic             |
| 4 | Emergency room         |
| 5 | Health department      |
| 6 | Some other place       |
| 7 | Refused                |
| 8 | Not ascertained        |
| 9 | Don't know             |
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**Question ID:** ADS.200\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBHRD

Final Documentation Name: TBHRD

**The next questions are about tuberculosis, or TB.****Have you ever heard of tuberculosis?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb

Notes: None

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Ever heard of tuberculosis

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.210\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBKNOW

Final Documentation Name: TBKNOW

**Have you ever personally known anyone who had TB?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TBHRD = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have heard of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb

Notes: None

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Ever personally known anyone who had TB

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.220\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TB

Final Documentation Name: TB

**How much do you know about TB - a lot, some, a little, or nothing?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TBHRD = '1'

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have heard of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb

Notes: None

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## How much do you know about TB

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | A lot           |
| 2 | Some            |
| 3 | A little        |
| 4 | Nothing         |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD1

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## Breathing air around person sick with TB

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD2

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## Sharing eating/drinking utensils

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD3

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## Through semen/vaginal secretions (sex)

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD4

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## From smoking

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD5

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## From mosquito or other insect bites

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.230\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSPRD1-TBSPRD6

Final Documentation Name: TBSPRD6

**How is TB spread?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tb; tuberculosis

Notes: None

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## Other

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** ADS.240\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBCURED

Final Documentation Name: TBCURED

**As far as you know, can TB be cured?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge of tuberculosis

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb

Notes: None

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## Can TB be cured

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: ADS.250\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBCHANC

Final Documentation Name: TBCHANC

**What are your chances of getting TB? Would you say high, medium, low, or none?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3','4')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge or heard of tuberculosis or know nothing about tuberculosis

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb

Notes: None

Chances of getting TB

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | High            |
| 2 | Medium          |
| 3 | Low             |
| 4 | None            |
| 5 | Already have TB |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: ADS.260\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: TBSHAME

Final Documentation Name: TBSHAME

**[If TBCHANC=5: If a member of your family were diagnosed with TB, would you feel ashamed or embarrassed?]****[Else: If you or a member of your family were diagnosed with TB, would you feel ashamed or embarrassed?]**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and TB IN ('1','2','3','4')

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years who have knowledge or heard of tuberculosis or know nothing about tuberculosis

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tuberculosis; tb; ashamed

Notes: None

Ashamed if you/family diagnosed with TB

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

samadult : AIDS Knowledge &amp; Attitudes

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**Question ID:** ADS.270\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HOMELESS

Final Documentation Name: HOMELESS

**Have you ever spent more than 24 hours living on the streets, in a shelter, or in a jail or prison?**

Universe: ASTATFLG='1' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults aged 18+ years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: shelter; jail; prison; street

Notes: None

Spent 24+ hrs living in street, shelter, jail/prison

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** NAF.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN1\_SHA

Final Documentation Name: SUN1\_SHA

**When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you stay in the shade? Would you say...**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; shade

Notes: None

Stay in shade on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |

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Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.022\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN1\_CAP

Final Documentation Name: SUN1\_CAP

**When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you wear a baseball cap or sun visor? Would you say...**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; cap; visor

Notes: None

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Wear baseball cap/visor on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |

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Question ID: NAF.023\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN1\_HAT

Final Documentation Name: SUN1\_HAT

When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you wear a hat that shades your face, ears AND neck such as a hat with a wide brim all around? Would you say...

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; hat; face; ears; neck

Notes: None

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Wear wide-brimmed hat on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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Question ID: NAF.024\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN2\_LGS

Final Documentation Name: SUN2\_LGS

**When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you wear a long sleeved shirt?  
Would you say...**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; long sleeved shirt

Notes: None

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Wear long sleeved shirt on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** NAF.025\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN2\_LGP

Final Documentation Name: SUN2\_LGP

**When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you wear long pants or other clothing that reaches your ankles? Would you say...**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; long pants; ankle length clothes

Notes: None

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Wear long clothing to ankles on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** NAF.026\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SUN2\_SCR

Final Documentation Name: SUN2\_SCR

**When you go outside on a warm sunny day for MORE than one hour, how often do you use sunscreen? Would you say...**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: outside; sunny; sunscreen

Notes: None

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Use sunscreen on warm sunny day

- |   |                         |
|---|-------------------------|
| 1 | Always                  |
| 2 | Most of the time        |
| 3 | Sometimes               |
| 4 | Rarely                  |
| 5 | Never                   |
| 6 | Don't go out in the sun |
| 7 | Refused                 |
| 8 | Not ascertained         |
| 9 | Don't know              |
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**Question ID:** NAF.027\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SPF

Final Documentation Name: SPF

**What is the SPF number of the sunscreen you use most often?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SUN2\_SCR IN ('1','2','3','4')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use sunscreen always, most of the time, sometimes, or rarely

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: SPF; sunscreen

Notes: None

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## SPF of sunscreen used most often

01-50	1-50
96	More than one, different ones, other
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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**Question ID:** NAF.028\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SPFSCALE

Final Documentation Name: SPFSCALE

**Is the SPF usually 1-14 or 15-50?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SPF IN ('96','97','99')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who answered more than one, different ones, other, or REF/DK to give SPF number

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: SPF; sunscreen

Notes: None

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## SPF number of usual sunscreen

1	1-14
2	15-50
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** NAF.033\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SNNUM

Final Documentation Name: SNNUM

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many times have you used any of the following indoor tanning devices---a sunlamp, sunbed, or tanning booth EVEN ONE TIME? Do NOT include times you have gotten a spray-on tan.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tanning devices; times used; 12 mos

Notes: None

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Number of times used tanning device in past year

000	None
001-365	1-365 times
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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**Question ID:** NAF.130\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAPHAD

Final Documentation Name: PAPHAD

**Have you EVER HAD a Pap smear test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Pap smear test

Notes: None

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Ever had Pap smear test

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: NAF.140\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAP6YR

Final Documentation Name: PAP6YR

**How many Pap smears have you had in the LAST 6 YEARS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

---

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: number; Pap smear test; 6 years

Notes: None

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Number of Pap smears, last 6 years

00	None
01-94	1-94 times
95	95+ times
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: NAF.150\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPAP1\_MT

Final Documentation Name: RPAP1\_MT

**When did you have your MOST RECENT Pap smear test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: month; Pap smear test

Notes: None

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Month of most recent Pap smear test

- 01 January
  - 02 February
  - 03 March
  - 04 April
  - 05 May
  - 06 June
  - 07 July
  - 08 August
  - 09 September
  - 10 October
  - 11 November
  - 12 December
  - 96 Time period format
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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**Question ID:** NAF.150\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPAP1\_YR

Final Documentation Name: RPAP1\_YR

**When did you have your MOST RECENT Pap smear test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: year; Pap smear test

Notes: None

## Year of most recent Pap smear test

1880-2009	1880-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

**Question ID:** NAF.160\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPAP1N

Final Documentation Name: RPAP1N

**When did you have your MOST RECENT Pap smear test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1' and RPAP1\_MT='96'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: time ago; Pap smear test

Notes: None

## Time ago date of Pap smear exam: # of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: NAF.160\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPAP1T

Final Documentation Name: RPAP1T

**When did you have your MOST RECENT Pap smear test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1' and RPAP1\_MT='96'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: time ago; Pap smear test

Notes: None

Time ago date of Pap smear: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days ago        |
| 2 | Weeks ago       |
| 3 | Months ago      |
| 4 | Years ago       |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.165\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPAP2

Final Documentation Name: RPAP2CA

**When did you have your MOST RECENT Pap smear test?****Was it:**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1' and (RPAP1\_MT IN ('97','98','99') or RPAP1\_YR IN ('9997','9998','9999') or RPAP1N IN ('97','98','99') or RPAP1T IN ('7','8','9') or RPAP1T = '4')

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who had recent Pap smear and REF/DK date of Pap smear

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; Pap smear test; time categories

Notes: None

Most recent Pap smear, time categories

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | A year ago or less                          |
| 2 | More than 1 year but not more than 2 years  |
| 3 | More than 2 years but not more than 3 years |
| 4 | More than 3 years but not more than 5 years |
| 5 | Over 5 years ago                            |
| 7 | Refused                                     |
| 8 | Not ascertained                             |
| 9 | Don't know                                  |

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**Question ID:** NAF.170\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAPREAS

Final Documentation Name: PAPREAS

**What was the MAIN reason you had this Pap smear --- was it part of a routine exam, because of a problem, or some other reason?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Pap smear; reason

Notes: None

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Reason for most recent Pap smear

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Part of a routine exam |
| 2 | Because of a problem   |
| 3 | Other reason           |
| 7 | Refused                |
| 8 | Not ascertained        |
| 9 | Don't know             |
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**Question ID:** NAF.180\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAPABN

Final Documentation Name: PAPABN

**Have you EVER had a Pap smear where the results were NOT normal?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Pap smear; abnormal; results

Notes: None

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Ever had abnormal Pap smear results

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: NAF.210\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAPNOT

Final Documentation Name: PAPNOT

**What is the most important reason you have {NEVER had a Pap smear/NOT had a Pap smear in the LAST 3 YEARS}?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPNOT\_FLG = '1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have never had a Pap smear, or who have not had a Pap smear in the last 3 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: reason; Pap smear; last 3 years

Notes: None

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Reason why no Pap smear

- 01 No reason/never thought about it
  - 02 Didn't need/Didn't know I needed this type of test
  - 03 Doctor didn't order it/didn't say I needed it
  - 04 Haven't had any problems
  - 05 Put it off/Didn't get around to it
  - 06 Too expensive/No insurance/Cost
  - 07 Too painful, unpleasant, or embarrassing
  - 08 Had hysterectomy
  - 09 Don't have doctor
  - 10 Had an HPV DNA test
  - 11 Other
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.215\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MDRECPAP

Final Documentation Name: MDRECPAP

**In the PAST YEAR, has a doctor or other health professional RECOMMENDED that you have a Pap smear?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX=2 and PAPHAD IN ('1','2') and ((PAPNOT not IN ('03','09',' ')) or (PAPABN IN ('1','2','7','9') and PAPNOT\_FLG = ' ') or RPAP2 IN ('7','9'))

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear, or never had Pap smear, or no Pap smear in the past 3 years who gave reason other than "no doctor" or "doctor didn't recommend"

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Past year; doctor; health professional; Pap smear

Notes: None

MD recommended Pap smear in the last year

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Yes  |
| 2 | No   |
| 3 | Did not see a doctor in the past 12 months |
| 7 | Refused                                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained                            |
| 9 | Don't know                                 |

Question ID: NAF.216\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PAPWHEN

Final Documentation Name: PAPWHEN

**When do you expect to have your next Pap smear or Pap test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and PAPHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have had Pap smear or Pap test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Pap smear; next test

Notes: None

When next Pap smear/test will be done

- |    |                            |
|----|----------------------------|
| 01 | A year or less from now    |
| 02 | 1-3 years from now         |
| 03 | 3-5 years from now         |
| 04 | More than 5 years from now |
| 05 | When doctor recommends it  |
| 06 | Never, had HPV DNA test    |
| 07 | Never, had HPV vaccine     |
| 08 | Never, other reason        |
| 97 | Refused                    |
| 98 | Not ascertained            |
| 99 | Don't know                 |

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**Question ID:** NAF.220\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYST

Final Documentation Name: HYST

**Have you had a hysterectomy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hysterectomy

Notes: None

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## Ever had a hysterectomy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** NAF.221\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVHRD

Final Documentation Name: HPVHRD

**Have you ever heard of HPV? HPV stands for human papillomavirus (pap-uh-LOW-muh-vi-rus).**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults LE 64

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; knowledge

Notes: None

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## Ever heard of HPV

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** NAF.222\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVCAUS

Final Documentation Name: HPVCAUS

**These next questions are about HPV. Your best guess is fine.****Do you think HPV can cause cervical cancer?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HPVHRD='1'

Description: Sample adults LE 64 who have ever heard of HPV

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; cervical cancer; knowledge

Notes: None

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Can HPV cause cervical cancer

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** NAF.223\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVSEXCN

Final Documentation Name: HPVSEXCN

**Do you think you can get HPV through sexual contact?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HPVHRD='1'

Description: Sample adults LE 64 who have ever heard of HPV

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; sexual contact; knowledge

Notes: None

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Is HPV spread through sexual contact

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** NAF.224\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVTRET

Final Documentation Name: HPVTRET

**Do you think HPV can go away on its own without treatment?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HPVHRD='1'

Description: Sample adults LE 64 who have ever heard of HPV

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; knowledge

Notes: None

## Does HPV go away without treatment

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** NAF.224\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HPVHAD

Final Documentation Name: HPVHAD

**Have you ever been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had HPV?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX=2 and HPVHRD='1'

Description: Female sample adults LE 64 who have ever heard of HPV

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; ever had

Notes: None

## Ever had HPV

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** NAF.225\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHHPVHRD

Final Documentation Name: SHHPVHRD

**A vaccine to prevent HPV infection is available and is called the HPV shot, cervical cancer vaccine, or GARDASIL®. Before this survey, have you ever heard of the HPV shot or cervical cancer vaccine?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults age LE 64

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine

Notes: None

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Heard about HPV vaccine or shot

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** NAF.226\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHTHPV

Final Documentation Name: SHTHPV

**Have you ever received the HPV shot or cervical cancer vaccine?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age LE 64

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine

Notes: None

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Ever received the HPV vaccine or shot

- |   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1 | Yes                       |
| 2 | No                        |
| 3 | Doctor refused when asked |
| 7 | Refused                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained           |
| 9 | Don't know                |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.227\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: SHHPVDOS

Final Documentation Name: SHHPVDOS

**How many HPV shots did you receive?****\* Enter '96' for all shots**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTHPV='1' and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age LE 64 who have had a HPV shot

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine; knowledge

Notes: None

Number of shots

01-50	1-50 shots
96	All shots
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

Question ID: NAF.228\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVINT

Final Documentation Name: HPVINT

**Would you be interested in getting the HPV vaccine?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SHTHPV IN ('2','3','7','9') and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age LE 64 who have never had a HPV shot or doctor refused when asked to give shot or Ref/DK this information

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine

Notes: None

Interested in HPV vaccine

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: NAF.229\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HPVNOT

Final Documentation Name: HPVNOT

What is the MAIN reason you would NOT want to get the vaccine?

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HPVINT IN ('2','9') and SEX='2'

Description: All female sample adults LE 64 year old who are not interested in getting the HPV shot or said don't know for interested in getting the shot

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine

Notes: None

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Main reason why no HPV vaccine

- 01 Does not need vaccine
  - 02 Not sexually active
  - 03 Too expensive
  - 04 Too old for vaccine
  - 05 Doctor didn't recommend it
  - 06 Worried about safety of vaccine
  - 07 Don't know where to get vaccine
  - 08 My spouse/family member is against it
  - 09 Don't know enough about vaccine
  - 10 Already have HPV
  - 11 Other
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** NAF.229\_00.010

Instrument Variable Name: HPV COST

Final Documentation Name: HPV COST

**The cost of the vaccine may be about \$360-\$500. Would you get the HPV vaccine if you had to pay this amount?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HPVINT='1' and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age LE 64 who are interested in getting the HPV vaccine

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine; cost

Notes: None

Get HPV vaccine if cost was \$360-\$500

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** NAF.229\_00.020

Instrument Variable Name: HPVLOCST

Final Documentation Name: HPVLOCST

**If you could get the HPV vaccine free or at a much lower cost, would you get it?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE LE '064' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (HPVCOST='2' or HPVNOT='03') and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age LE 64 who would not pay \$360-500 for the HPV vaccine or for whom the main reason not to get the vaccine was because it was too expensive

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HPV; human papilloma virus; vaccine; cost

Notes: None

Get HPV vaccine if free/at a lower cost

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** NAF.230\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MAMHAD

Final Documentation Name: MAMHAD

**Have you EVER HAD a mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2'

Description: Female sample adults age 30+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mammogram

Notes: None

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## Ever had mammogram

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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**Question ID:** NAF.250\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MAM6YR

Final Documentation Name: MAM6YR

**How many mammograms have you had in the LAST 6 YEARS?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have had mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: number; mammogram; 6 years

Notes: None

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## Number of mammograms, last 6 years

00	None
01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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Question ID: NAF.260\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RMAM1\_MT

Final Documentation Name: RMAM1\_MT

**When did you have your MOST RECENT mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have ever had a mammogram

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: month; mammogram

Notes: None

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Month of most recent mammogram

- 01 January
  - 02 February
  - 03 March
  - 04 April
  - 05 May
  - 06 June
  - 07 July
  - 08 August
  - 09 September
  - 10 October
  - 11 November
  - 12 December
  - 96 Time period format
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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Question ID: NAF.260\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RMAM1\_YR

Final Documentation Name: RMAM1\_YR

**When did you have your MOST RECENT mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have ever had a mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: year; mammogram

Notes: None

## Year of most recent mammogram

1880-2009	1880-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

Question ID: NAF.270\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RMAM1N

Final Documentation Name: RMAM1N

**When did you have your MOST RECENT mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1' and RMAM1\_MT='96'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have had mammogram and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; mammogram

Notes: None

## Time ago date of mammogram: # of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.270\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RMAM1T

Final Documentation Name: RMAM1T

**When did you have your MOST RECENT mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1' and RMAM1\_MT='96'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have had mammogram and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; mammogram

Notes: None

Time ago date of mammogram: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days ago        |
| 2 | Weeks ago       |
| 3 | Months ago      |
| 4 | Years ago       |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.275\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: RMAM2

Final Documentation Name: RMAM2CA

**When did you have your MOST RECENT mammogram?****Was it:**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1' and (RMAM1\_MT IN ('97','98','99') or RMAM1\_YR IN ('9997','9998','9999') or RMAM1N IN ('97','98','99') or RMAM1T IN ('7','8','9') or RMAM1T = '4')

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who had recent mammogram and REF/DK date of mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mammogram; time categories

Notes: None

Most recent mammogram, time categories

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | A year ago or less                          |
| 2 | More than 1 year but not more than 2 years  |
| 3 | More than 2 years but not more than 3 years |
| 4 | More than 3 years but not more than 5 years |
| 5 | Over 5 years ago                            |
| 7 | Refused                                     |
| 8 | Not ascertained                             |
| 9 | Don't know                                  |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.310\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MAMREAS

Final Documentation Name: MAMREAS

What was the MAIN reason you had this mammogram---was it part of a routine exam, because of a problem, or some other reason?

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD='1'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have had mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mammogram; reason

Notes: None

Reason for most recent mammogram

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Part of a routine exam |
| 2 | Because of a problem   |
| 3 | Other reason           |
| 7 | Refused                |
| 8 | Not ascertained        |
| 9 | Don't know             |

Question ID: NAF.370\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MDRECMAM

Final Documentation Name: MDRECMAM

In the PAST YEAR, has a doctor or other health professional RECOMMENDED that you have a mammogram?

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD IN ('1','2')

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have or have not ever had a mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional; recommended; mammogram

Notes: None

MD recommended mammogram in past year

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Yes  |
| 2 | No   |
| 3 | Did not see a doctor in the past 12 months |
| 7 | Refused                                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained                            |
| 9 | Don't know                                 |

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## Sample Adult

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**Question ID:** NAF.371\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MAMINFO

Final Documentation Name: MAMINFO

**Have you ever read or been given conflicting information about whether you should get a mammogram?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='2' and MAMHAD IN ('1','2')

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have or have not ever had a mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mammogram; conflicting information

Notes: None

Read conflicting information about mammograms

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

**Question ID:** NAF.372\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MAMDELAY

Final Documentation Name: MAMDELAY

**Did this conflicting information cause you to delay or not get a mammogram in the past year?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '030' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and MAMINFO='1'

Description: Female sample adults 30+ who have heard conflicting information on whether to get a mammogram

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mammogram; conflicting information; delay

Notes: None

Conflicting information caused delay/no mammogram

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: NAF.373\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRTEVER

Final Documentation Name: HRTEVER

**Have you EVER taken hormone replacement therapy or HRT for menopause?****\* Read if necessary.****This is a pill, patch or treatment that gives women more of the female hormone, estrogen.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX=2

Description: Female sample adults age 40+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HRT; hormone replacement therapy; ever use

Notes: None

Ever took hormone replacement therapy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.374\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRTNOW

Final Documentation Name: HRTNOW

**Are you NOW taking hormone replacement therapy or HRT for menopause?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX=2 and HRTEVER='1'

Description: Female sample adults age 40+ who have ever taken hormone replacement therapy or HRT

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HRT; hormone replacement therapy; now

Notes: None

Now taking hormone replacement therapy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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**Question ID:** NAF.375\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HRTLONG

Final Documentation Name: HRTLONG

**Some women go on and off hormone replacement therapy. How long have you taken HRT altogether?****\* Read if necessary.****Please total all the time you have taken HRT.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HRTEVER='1'

Description: Female sample adults age 40+ who have ever taken hormone replacement therapy or HRT

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: HRT; hormone replacement therapy; time used

Notes: None

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Length of time taking hormone replacement therapy

- |   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1 | A year or less            |
| 2 | More than 1 up to 2 years |
| 3 | More than 2 up to 4 years |
| 4 | More than 4 up to 8 years |
| 5 | More than 8 years         |
| 7 | Refused                   |
| 8 | Not ascertained           |
| 9 | Don't know                |
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**Question ID:** NAF.430\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PSAHAD

Final Documentation Name: PSAHAD

**Have you EVER HAD a PSA test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1')

Description: Male sample adults 40+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: PSA; prostate specific antigen test

Notes: None

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Ever had PSA test

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.460\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPSA1\_MT

Final Documentation Name: RPSA1\_MT

**When did you have your MOST RECENT PSA test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1'

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have ever had a PSA test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: month; PSA test

Notes: None

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Month of most recent PSA test

- |    |                    |
|----|--------------------|
| 01 | January            |
| 02 | February           |
| 03 | March              |
| 04 | April              |
| 05 | May                |
| 06 | June               |
| 07 | July               |
| 08 | August             |
| 09 | September          |
| 10 | October            |
| 11 | November           |
| 12 | December           |
| 96 | Time period format |
| 97 | Refused            |
| 98 | Not ascertained    |
| 99 | Don't know         |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.460\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPSA1\_YR

Final Documentation Name: RPSA1\_YR

**When did you have your MOST RECENT PSA test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1'

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have ever had a PSA test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: year; PSA test

Notes: None

## Year of most recent PSA test

1880-2009	1880-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

Question ID: NAF.470\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPSA1N

Final Documentation Name: RPSA1N

**When did you have your MOST RECENT PSA test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1' and RPSA1\_MT='96'

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have had PSA test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; PSA test

Notes: None

## Time ago date of PSA test: # of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.470\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPSA1T

Final Documentation Name: RPSA1T

**When did you have your MOST RECENT PSA test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1' and RPSA1\_MT='96'

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have had PSA test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; PSA test

Notes: None

Time ago date of PSA test: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days ago        |
| 2 | Weeks ago       |
| 3 | Months ago      |
| 4 | Years ago       |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.475\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: RPSA2

Final Documentation Name: RPSA2

**When did you have your MOST RECENT PSA test?****Was it:**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1' and (RPSA1\_MT IN ('97','98','99') or RPSA1\_YR IN ('9997','9998','9999') or RPSA1N IN ('97','98','99') or RPSA1T IN ('7','8','9') or RPSA1T = '4')

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who had recent PSA test and REF/DK date of PSA test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: PSA test; time categories

Notes: None

Most recent PSA test, time categories

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1 | A year ago or less                          |
| 2 | More than 1 year but not more than 2 years  |
| 3 | More than 2 years but not more than 3 years |
| 4 | More than 3 years but not more than 5 years |
| 5 | Over 5 years ago                            |
| 7 | Refused                                     |
| 8 | Not ascertained                             |
| 9 | Don't know                                  |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.480\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: PSAREAS

Final Documentation Name: PSAREAS

**What was the MAIN reason you had this PSA test --- was it part of a routine exam, because of a problem, or some other reason?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD='1'

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have ever had a PSA test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: PSA test; reason

Notes: None

Reason for most recent PSA

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Part of a routine exam |
| 2 | Because of a problem   |
| 3 | Other reason           |
| 7 | Refused                |
| 8 | Not ascertained        |
| 9 | Don't know             |

Question ID: NAF.485\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MDRECPSA

Final Documentation Name: MDRECPSA

**IF PSAHAD = 1 and most recent screening exam LE 1 year from system date  
"Was your most recent PSA test recommended by a doctor or other health professional?"**

**Else (IF PSAHAD = 2, or most recent screening exam GT 1 year from system date or RPSA2 = R,D)  
"In the PAST 12 MONTHS, has a doctor or other health professional recommended that you have a PSA test?"**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and SEX='1' and PSAHAD IN ('1','2')

Description: Male sample adults 40+ who have either had or not had a PSA test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: PSA test recommended

Notes: None

MD recommended PSA test in past year

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Yes  |
| 2 | No   |
| 3 | Did not see a doctor in the past 12 months |
| 7 | Refused                                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained                            |
| 9 | Don't know                                 |

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Question ID: NAF.540\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CREHAD

Final Documentation Name: CREHAD

**Have you EVER HAD a sigmoidoscopy, colonoscopy, or proctoscopy? These are exams in which a professional inserts a tube into the rectum to look for signs of cancer or other problems.**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 40+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sigmoidoscopy; colonoscopy; proctoscopy

Notes: None

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Ever had colorectal screening exam

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.560\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RCRE1\_MT

Final Documentation Name: RCRE1\_MT

**When did you have your MOST RECENT exam?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: month; colorectal exam

Notes: None

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Month of most recent colorectal exam

- 01 January
  - 02 February
  - 03 March
  - 04 April
  - 05 May
  - 06 June
  - 07 July
  - 08 August
  - 09 September
  - 10 October
  - 11 November
  - 12 December
  - 96 Time period format
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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**Question ID:** NAF.560\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RCRE1\_YR

Final Documentation Name: RCRE1\_YR

**When did you have your MOST RECENT exam?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: year; colorectal exam

Notes: None

## Year of most recent colorectal exam

1880-2009	1880-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

**Question ID:** NAF.570\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RCRE1N

Final Documentation Name: RCRE1N

**When was your MOST RECENT colorectal exam?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1' and RCRE1\_MT='96'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; colorectal exam

Notes: None

## Time ago date of colorectal exam: # of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know



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Question ID: NAF.570\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RCRE1T

Final Documentation Name: RCRE1T

**When was your MOST RECENT colorectal exam?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1' and RCRE1\_MT='96'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; colorectal exam

Notes: None

Time ago date of colorectal exam: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days ago        |
| 2 | Weeks ago       |
| 3 | Months ago      |
| 4 | Years ago       |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.575\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: RCRE2

Final Documentation Name: RCRE2

**When was your MOST RECENT colorectal exam?****Was it:**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1' and (RCRE1\_MT IN ('97','98','99') or RCRE1\_YR IN ('9997','9998','9999') or RCRE1N IN ('97','98','99') or RCRE1T IN ('7','8','9') or RCRE1T = '4')

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam and REF/DK date of colorectal exam

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: colorectal exam; time categories

Notes: None

Most recent colorectal exam, time categories

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | A year ago or less                           |
| 2 | More than 1 year but not more than 2 years   |
| 3 | More than 2 years but not more than 3 years  |
| 4 | More than 3 years but not more than 5 years  |
| 5 | More than 5 years but not more than 10 years |
| 6 | Over 10 years ago                            |
| 7 | Refused                                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained                              |
| 9 | Don't know                                   |

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## Sample Adult

samadult : Adult Cancer Screening

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Question ID: NAF.580\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CRENAM

Final Documentation Name: CRENAM

**Was this MOST RECENT exam a sigmoidoscopy, colonoscopy, proctoscopy or something else?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: colorectal exam; type

Notes: None

Type of recent colorectal exam

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Sigmoidoscopy   |
| 2 | Colonoscopy     |
| 3 | Proctoscopy     |
| 4 | Something else  |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.590\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CREREAS

Final Documentation Name: CREREAS

**What was the MAIN reason you had this exam--was it part of a routine exam, because of a problem, or some other reason?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had colorectal screening exam

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: colorectal exam; reason

Notes: None

Reason for most recent colorectal exam

- |   |                        |
|---|------------------------|
| 1 | Part of a routine exam |
| 2 | Because of a problem   |
| 3 | Other reason           |
| 7 | Refused                |
| 8 | Not ascertained        |
| 9 | Don't know             |

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**Question ID:** NAF.610\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: CREREC

Final Documentation Name: CREREC

**In the PAST YEAR, has a doctor or other health professional RECOMMENDED that you have a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and CREHAD IN ('1','2')

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have either had or not had a colorectal exam

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sigmoidoscopy; colonoscopy; doctor; recommended

Notes: None

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MD recommended colorectal screening exam

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Yes  |
| 2 | No   |
| 3 | Did not see a doctor in the past 12 months |
| 7 | Refused                                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained                            |
| 9 | Don't know                                 |
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**Question ID:** NAF.620\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HFOBHAD

Final Documentation Name: HFOBHAD

**Have you EVER HAD a blood stool test, using a HOME test kit?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 40+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blood stool; home test kit; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

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Had blood stool test using home test kit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.640\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RHFO1\_MT

Final Documentation Name: RHFO1\_MT

**When did you have your MOST RECENT blood stool test using a kit at home?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had home blood stool test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: month; home blood stool test; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

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Month of most recent home blood stool test

- 01 January
  - 02 February
  - 03 March
  - 04 April
  - 05 May
  - 06 June
  - 07 July
  - 08 August
  - 09 September
  - 10 October
  - 11 November
  - 12 December
  - 96 Time period format
  - 97 Refused
  - 98 Not ascertained
  - 99 Don't know
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.640\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RHFO1\_YR

Final Documentation Name: RHFO1\_YR

**When did you have your MOST RECENT blood stool test using a kit at home?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD='1'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had home blood stool test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: year; home blood stool test; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

## Year of most recent home blood stool test

1880-2009	1880-2009
9996	Time period format
9997	Refused
9998	Not ascertained
9999	Don't know

Question ID: NAF.650\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: RHFO1N

Final Documentation Name: RHFO1N

**When did you have your MOST RECENT blood stool test using a kit at home?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD='1' and RHFO1\_MT='96'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had home blood stool test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; home blood stool test; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

## Time ago date of home blood stool test: # of units

01-94	1-94
95	95+
97	Refused
98	Not ascertained
99	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: NAF.650\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: RHFO1T

Final Documentation Name: RHFO1T

**When did you have your MOST RECENT blood stool test using a kit at home?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD='1' and RHFO1\_MT='96'

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had home blood stool test and answered in number and time period format

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: recent; home blood stool test; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

Time ago date of home blood stool test: Time unit

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days ago        |
| 2 | Weeks ago       |
| 3 | Months ago      |
| 4 | Years ago       |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: NAF.655\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: RHFO2

Final Documentation Name: RHFO2

**When did you have your MOST RECENT blood stool test using a kit at home?****Was it:**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD='1' and (RHFO1\_MT IN ('97','98','99') or RHFO1\_YR IN ('9997','9998','9999') or RHFO1N IN ('97','98','99') or RHFO1T IN ('7','8','9') or RHFO1T = '4')

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have had home blood stool test and REF/DK date of test

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: home blood stool test; time categories; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

Most recent home blood stool test, time categories

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | A year ago or less                           |
| 2 | More than 1 year but not more than 2 years   |
| 3 | More than 2 years but not more than 3 years  |
| 4 | More than 3 years but not more than 5 years  |
| 5 | More than 5 years but not more than 10 years |
| 6 | Over 10 years ago                            |
| 7 | Refused                                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained                              |
| 9 | Don't know                                   |

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**Question ID:** NAF.700\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: MDHFOB

Final Documentation Name: MDHFOB

**In the PAST 12 MONTHS, has a doctor or other health professional RECOMMENDED that you have a HOME blood stool test?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '040' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HFOBHAD IN ('1','2')

Description: Sample adults 40+ who have either had or not had a home fecal occult test

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Past year; doctor; health professional; home blood stool test; fecal occult blood test

Notes: None

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MD recommended home blood stool test, past year

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1 | Yes  |
| 2 | No   |
| 3 | Did not see a doctor in the past 12 months |
| 7 | Refused                                    |
| 8 | Not ascertained                            |
| 9 | Don't know                                 |
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**Question ID:** PAF.010\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYPPREG

Final Documentation Name: HYPPREG

**Earlier you mentioned that you had been told you had high blood pressure. Was this only during pregnancy?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))and (SEX='2' and HYPEV='1')

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; pregnancy

Notes: None

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Was your high blood pressure only during pregnancy

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: PAF.020\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HLOSWGT

Final Documentation Name: HLOSWGT

**IF sex eq <1>: Earlier you mentioned that you had been told that you had high blood pressure. Because of your high blood pressure, has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to go on a diet or change your eating habits to help you lower your blood pressure? ELSE if sex eq <2>: Because of your high blood pressure, has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to go on a diet or change your eating habits to help you lower your blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and [(HYPEV=1 and SEX='1') or (SEX='2' and HYPPREG IN('2','7','9'))]

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure that was not related to pregnancy or Ref/DK if high blood pressure was pregnancy related

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; diet; eating habits

Notes: None

Ever advised to change diet to lower high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: PAF.030\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WGTADDEV

Final Documentation Name: WGTADDEV

**Did you EVER follow this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HLOSWGT='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were advised to go on a diet or change their eating habits to help lower high blood pressure

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; diet; eating habits

Notes: None

Ever follow advice to change diet for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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**Question ID:** PAF.040\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: WGTADNOW

Final Documentation Name: WGTADNOW

**Are you NOW following this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and WGTADDEV='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who ever followed advice to go on a diet or change their eating habits to help lower blood pressure

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; diet; eating habits

Notes: None

Now following advice to change diet for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** PAF.050\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LOWSLT

Final Documentation Name: LOWSLT

**Because of your high blood pressure, has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to cut down on salt or sodium in your diet?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and [(HYPEV='1' and SEX='1') or (SEX='2' and HYPPREG IN('2','7','9'))]

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure that was not related to pregnancy or Ref/DK if high blood pressure was pregnancy related

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; salt; sodium

Notes: None

Ever told to reduce salt for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.060\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LOWSLTEV

Final Documentation Name: LOWSLTEV

**Did you EVER follow this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LOWSLT='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were advised to cut down on salt or sodium because of high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; salt; sodium

Notes: None

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Ever follow advice to reduce salt for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: LOWSLTNW

Final Documentation Name: LOWSLTNW

**Are you NOW following this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and LOWSLTEV='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who ever followed advice to cut down on salt or sodium intake because of high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; salt; sodium

Notes: None

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Now following advice to reduce salt for high blood pressure

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.080\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: EXERC

Final Documentation Name: EXERC

**Because of your high blood pressure, has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to exercise?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and [(HYPEV='1' and SEX='1') or (SEX='2' and HYPREG IN('2','7','9'))]

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure that was not related to pregnancy or Ref/DK if high blood pressure was pregnancy related

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; exercise

Notes: None

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Ever told to exercise for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.090\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: EXERCEV

Final Documentation Name: EXERCEV

**Did you EVER follow this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and EXERC='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were advised to exercise because of high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; exercise

Notes: None

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Ever follow advice to exercise for high blood pressure

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: PAF.100\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: EXERCNW

Final Documentation Name: EXERCNW

**Are you NOW following this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and EXERCEV='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who ever followed advice to exercise because of high blood pressure

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; exercise

Notes: None

Now following advice to exercise for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: PAF.110\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HBPALC

Final Documentation Name: HBPALC

**Because of your high blood pressure, has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to cut down on alcohol use?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and [(HYPEV='1' and SEX='1') or (SEX='2' and HYPPREG IN('2','7','9'))]

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure that was not related to pregnancy or Ref/DK if high blood pressure was pregnancy related

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; alcohol

Notes: None

Ever told to reduce alcohol due to high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Sample Adult

samadult : Adult Heart Disease

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**Question ID:** PAF.120\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HBPALCEV

Final Documentation Name: HBPALCEV

**Did you EVER follow this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HBPALC='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were advised to reduce their alcohol use because of high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; alcohol

Notes: None

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Ever follow advice to reduce alcohol use for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.130\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HBPALCNW

Final Documentation Name: HBPALCNW

**Are you NOW following this advice?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HBPALCEV='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who ever followed advice to reduce alcohol use because of high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; alcohol

Notes: None

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Now following advice to reduce alcohol

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.140\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYPMEDEV

Final Documentation Name: HYPMEDEV

**Was any medicine EVER prescribed by a doctor for your high blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and [(HYPEV='1' and SEX='1') or (SEX='2' and HYPREG IN('2','7','9'))]

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high blood pressure that was not related to pregnancy or Ref/DK if high blood pressure was pregnancy related

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; medicine; prescription

Notes: None

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Ever prescribed medicine for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYPMED

Final Documentation Name: HYPMED

**Are you NOW taking any medicine prescribed by a doctor for your high blood pressure?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HYPMEDEV='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever prescribed medicine for high blood pressure

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; medicine; prescription

Notes: None

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NOW taking medicine prescribed for high blood pressure

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** PAF.160\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: HYMDMED

Final Documentation Name: HYMDMED

**Did a doctor advise you to stop taking the medicine?**

Universe: ASTATFLG = 1 and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and HYPMED IN('2','7','9')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were ever prescribed medicine for high blood pressure and are not now taking or Ref/DK if taking prescribed medicine for high blood pressure

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure; medicine; prescription

Notes: None

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Advised to stop taking medicine for high blood pressure

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_01

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_01

**These next questions are about dizziness or balance problems.****Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****... A cane**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cane

Notes: None

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Use a cane to help get around

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_02

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_02

**\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****...Crutches**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: crutches

Notes: None

Use crutches to help get around

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_03

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_03

**\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****...A walker**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: walker

Notes: None

Use a walker to help get around

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

samadult : Adult Balance and Dizziness

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Question ID: BAL.010\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_04

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_04

\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.

**...A wheelchair**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: wheelchair

Notes: None

Use a wheelchair to help get around

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.010\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_05

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_05

\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.

**...A scooter**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: scooter

Notes: None

Use a scooter to help get around

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_06

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_06

**\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****...A brace**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: brace

Notes: None

Use a brace to help get around

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't Know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_07

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_07

**\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****...Artificial or replacement limbs or joints**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial or replacement limbs or joints

Notes: None

Use artificial or replacement limbs or joints to help get around

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.010\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAID\_08

Final Documentation Name: BAID\_08

**\* Read if necessary. Do you use any of the following aids to help you get around? Please say yes or no to each.****...Medically prescribed shoes or orthotics**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medically prescribed shoes; orthotics

Notes: None

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Use medically prescribed shoes or orthotics to help get around

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC1

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Ankle?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: ankle brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Ankle

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC2

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Arm?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arm brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Arm

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC3

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Back?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: back brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Back

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC4

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Knee?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: knee brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Knee

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC5

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Leg?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: leg brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Leg

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC6

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Neck?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neck brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Neck

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.020\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBRAC1-BBRAC7

Final Documentation Name: BBRAC7

**What type of brace(s) do you use: Wrist?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who use a brace

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: wrist brace

Notes: None

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Type of brace used: Wrist

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.030\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BART1-BART5

Final Documentation Name: BART1

**What part or parts is/are artificial: Arm?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have an artificial limb

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial arm

Notes: None

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Part that is artificial: Arm

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.030\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BART1-BART5

Final Documentation Name: BART2

**What part or parts is/are artificial: Leg?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have an artificial limb

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial leg

Notes: None

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Part that is artificial: Leg

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.030\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BART1-BART5

Final Documentation Name: BART3

**What part or parts is/are artificial: Hip?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have an artificial limb

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial hip

Notes: None

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Part that is artificial: Hip

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.030\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BART1-BART5

Final Documentation Name: BART4

**What part or parts is/are artificial: Knee?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have an artificial limb

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial knee

Notes: None

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Part that is artificial: Knee

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.030\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BART1-BART5

Final Documentation Name: BART5

**What part or parts is/are artificial: Other?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BAID\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have an artificial limb

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: artificial body part

Notes: None

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Part that is artificial: Other

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.040\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BDIZZ

Final Documentation Name: BDIZZ

**During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a problem with dizziness or balance? Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Had problem with dizziness or balance, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.050\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_01

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_01

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Please say yes or no to each.

**...Muscle weakness that affects walking**

**\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'**  
**Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: muscle weakness; walking

Notes: None

Had muscle weakness that affects walking, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.050\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_02

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_02

**\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Severe fatigue**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fatigue

Notes: None

Had severe fatigue, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.050\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_03

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_03

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Drifting to the side when trying to walk straight

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: drifting to the side; walking

Notes: None

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Had problems with drifting to the side when trying to walk straight, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.050\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_04

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_04

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Walking through a doorway without bumping into one side

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: bumping into doorway; walking

Notes: None

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Had problems walking through a doorway without bumping into one side, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_05

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_05

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty walking in the dark

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: difficulty walking in the dark

Notes: None

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Had difficulty walking in the dark, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.050\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_06

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_06

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty walking on uneven ground or surfaces

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: uneven ground; walking

Notes: None

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Had difficulty walking on uneven ground or surfaces, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.050\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_07

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_07

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty walking with bi- or tri-focal or progressive lenses or contacts

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

\* If respondent does not wear bi- or tri-focal progressive lenses or contacts, Enter '2'.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: bi-focal lenses; tri-focal lenses; progressive lenses; walking

Notes: None

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Had difficulty walking with bi- or tri-focal or progressive lenses or contacts, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.050\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_08

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_08

**\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Blurred or fuzzy vision when moving your head**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blurred vision; fuzzy vision

Notes: None

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Had blurred or fuzzy vision when moving head, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.050\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_09

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_09

**\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Fear of heights**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fear of heights

Notes: None

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Had fear of heights, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_10

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_10

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Fear of large open spaces

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fear of open spaces

Notes: None

Had fear of large open spaces, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.050\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_11

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_11

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Difficulty walking up a flight of stairs

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: walking up stairs

Notes: None

Had difficulty walking up a flight of stairs, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_12

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_12

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty walking down a flight of stairs

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: walking down stairs

Notes: None

Had difficulty walking down a flight of stairs, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.050\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_13

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_13

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty riding an escalator or moving walkway

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: escalator; moving walkway

Notes: None

Had difficulty riding an escalator or moving walkway, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.050\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_14

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_14

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty going through tunnels

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tunnels

Notes: None

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Had difficulty going through tunnels, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: BBAL\_15

Final Documentation Name: BBAL\_15

\* Read if necessary. DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any of the following problems? Do not include times when drinking alcohol. Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty going over bridges

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: bridges

Notes: None

Had difficulty going over bridges, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.055\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: BBALCT

Universe:

Description:

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: balance problems

Notes: None

Count of balance problems

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|-------|-----------------------|
| 01-15 | 1-15 balance problems |
| 97    | Refused               |
| 98    | Not ascertained       |
| 99    | Don't know            |

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Question ID: BAL.060\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_01

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_01

This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.

...A spinning or vertigo sensation, a rocking of yourself or your surroundings

**\*Read if necessary: Vertigo is an illusion of rotation or other motion, as if riding a carousel.**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <= '15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: spinning sensation; vertigo

Notes: None

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Had a spinning or vertigo sensation, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.060\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_02

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_02

**\* Read if necessary. This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...A floating, spacey, or tilting sensation**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <= '15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: floating sensation; spacey sensation; tilting sensation

Notes: None

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Had a floating, spacey, or tilting sensation, past 12 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.060\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_03

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_03

**\* Read if necessary. This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Feeling lightheaded, without a sense of motion**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <='15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: lightheaded

Notes: None

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Felt lightheaded, without a sense of motion, past 12 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.060\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_04

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_04

**\* Read if necessary. This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Feeling as if you are going to pass out or faint**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <= '15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: pass out; faint

Notes: None

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Had feeling as if passing out or fainting, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.060\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_05

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_05

**\* Read if necessary. This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Blurring of your vision when you move your head**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <= '15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blurred vision

Notes: None

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Had blurring of vision when moved head, past 12 months

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.060\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTYPE\_06

Final Documentation Name: BTYPE\_06

**\* Read if necessary. This next question is about symptoms of dizziness or balance problems. Please tell me if you have had any of these problems in the past 12 months. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Feeling off-balance or unsteady**

**\* Read if necessary: Do not include times when drinking alcohol.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or ('01' <= BBALCT <= '15'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a problem(s) with dizziness or balance

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: feeling off-balance; unsteady

Notes: None

Felt off-balance or unsteady, past 12 months

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.065-00.000

Instrument Variable Name:

Final Documentation Name: BTYPECT

Universe:

Description:

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Count of symptoms of dizziness or balance problems

- |     |   |
|-----|---|
| 1-6 | 1-6 symptoms of dizziness or balance problems |
| 7   | Refused                                       |
| 8   | Not ascertained                               |
| 9   | Don't know                                    |

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Question ID: BAL.070\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: B BOTH

Final Documentation Name: B BOTH

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, which ONE of these feelings of dizziness or balance problems bothered you the most?**

**\*Read categories below.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ('1' <= BTYPECT <= '6')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who had more than one symptom of dizziness or balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Most bothersome feeling of dizziness or balance problem, past 12 months

- 1 Feeling a sense of spinning
  - 2 A floating or spacey feeling
  - 3 Feeling lightheaded
  - 4 Feeling like you are about to pass out
  - 5 Blurred vision
  - 6 Unsteadiness
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.080\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BAGE

Final Documentation Name: BAGE

About how old were you when (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) first happened?

\* Read if necessary. If unsure, estimate as best you can.

\* Enter '996' If since birth.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Age when feeling first happened

001-120	Age in years
996	Since birth
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

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Question ID: BAL.090\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BLONG

Final Documentation Name: BLONG

**Altogether, about how long have you had the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**\*Probe if needed.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Length of time had dizziness or balance problem

- |    |                                 |
|----|---------------------------------|
| 01 | Less than 3 months              |
| 02 | 3 months to less than 12 months |
| 03 | 12 months to less than 3 years  |
| 04 | 3 years to less than 5 years    |
| 05 | 5 years to less than 10 years   |
| 06 | 10 years to less than 15 years  |
| 07 | 15 years or more                |
| 97 | Refused                         |
| 98 | Not ascertained                 |
| 99 | Don't know                      |
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Question ID: BAL.100\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BOFTEN

Final Documentation Name: BOFTEN

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, about how often have you had the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**\*Probe if needed.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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How often had dizziness or balance problem, past 12 months

- |    |                        |
|----|------------------------|
| 01 | Almost always          |
| 02 | 3 or more times a day  |
| 03 | Once or twice a day    |
| 04 | Several times a week   |
| 05 | Once a week            |
| 06 | Several times a month  |
| 07 | Once a month           |
| 08 | Less than once a month |
| 97 | Refused                |
| 98 | Not ascertained        |
| 99 | Don't know             |
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Instrument Variable Name: BLAST

Final Documentation Name: BLAST

How long does each spell or bout of (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) usually last? Do not include nausea or vomiting.

\* Read if necessary. Only count the duration of individual spells or bouts, not a whole cluster of them, and don't include other related symptoms.

\*Probe if needed.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

How long each spell or bout of dizziness or balance problem lasts

- |    |                                    |
|----|------------------------------------|
| 01 | Momentary, or less than one minute |
| 02 | One minute to less than 20 minutes |
| 03 | 20 minutes to less than 4 hours    |
| 04 | 4 hours to less than 24 hours      |
| 05 | 1 day to less than 14 days         |
| 06 | 2 weeks to less than 3 months      |
| 07 | 3 months or longer                 |
| 97 | Refused                            |
| 98 | Not ascertained                    |
| 99 | Don't know                         |

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Question ID: BAL.120\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_01

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_01

Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

**...Turning your head side to side**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: turning head side to side

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by turning head side to side

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.120\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_02

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_02

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Looking up or down**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: looking up; looking down

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by looking up or down

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.120\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_03

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_03

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Rolling over in bed

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'

Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rolling over in bed

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problem triggered by rolling over in bed

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.120\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_04

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_04

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Getting up after sitting or lying down****\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'****Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sitting; lying down

Notes: None

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**Dizziness or balance problem triggered by getting up after sitting or lying down**

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.120\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_05

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_05

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Standing or being on your feet for a long time****\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'****Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: standing

Notes: None

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**Dizziness or balance problem triggered by standing or being on your feet for a long time**

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.120\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_06

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_06

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Riding in a car, bus, airplane, boat, or train**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: car; bus; airplane; boat; train

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by riding in a car, bus, airplane, boat, or train

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.120\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_07

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_07

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Walking down a grocery store aisle

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'

Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: grocery store aisle; walking

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problem triggered by walking down a grocery store aisle

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_08

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_08

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Hearing loud sounds

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'

Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: loud sounds

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problem triggered by hearing loud sounds

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.120\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_09

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_09

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Blowing your nose**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blowing your nose

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by blowing nose

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.120\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_10

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_10

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Prescription medicine or drugs**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: prescription medicine; prescription drugs

Notes: None

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**Dizziness or balance problem triggered by prescription medicine or drugs**

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.120\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_11

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**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Over the counter medicine such as aspirin, Tylenol, or Advil**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: over-the-counter medicine

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by over-the-counter medicine

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**Question ID:** BAL.120\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_12

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**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Eating too much salt**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: salt

Notes: None

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**Dizziness or balance problem triggered by eating too much salt**

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.120\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRIG\_13

Final Documentation Name: BTRIG\_13

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following usually cause or trigger your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Certain foods or drink, such as chocolate, coffee or alcohol**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: food; drinks

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problem triggered by certain foods or drinks

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_01

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_01

Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Nausea or vomiting

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nausea; vomiting

Notes: None

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Nausea or vomiting happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_02

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_02

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Motion sickness or discomfort**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: motion sickness

Notes: None

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Motion sickness or discomfort happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_03

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_03

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty rolling over in bed

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rolling over in bed

Notes: None

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Difficulty rolling over in bed happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_04

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_04

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Hearing loss in one or both ears**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing loss; ears

Notes: None

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Hearing loss in one or both ears happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_05

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_05

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Tinnitus (TIN-uh-tus)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus

Notes: None

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Tinnitus happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_06

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_06

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Earache or pain**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: earache; ear pain

Notes: None

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Earache or pain happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_07

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_07

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Fullness or pressure in the ear without pain

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: pressure in ear

Notes: None

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Fullness or pressure in ear without pain happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_08

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\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Sinus congestion

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sinus congestion

Notes: None

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Sinus congestion happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Migraine headache**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08','09','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: migraine

Notes: None

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Migraine headache happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_10

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_10

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

**...Headache, other than migraine**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: headache

Notes: None

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Headache, other than migraine happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_11

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**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Neck pain**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neck pain

Notes: None

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Neck pain happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_12

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_12

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Blurred or double vision

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN '02','03','04','05','06','07','08','97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and BBOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' ')) and ((BTYPE\_05(e) IN ('2','7','9')) or (BTYPE\_05(e)='1' and BBOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','6','7','9'))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blurred vision; double vision

Notes: None

Blurred or double vision happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Question ID: BAL.130\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_13

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_13

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Loss of vision or blacking out**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: loss of vision; blacking out

Notes: None

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Loss of vision or blacking out happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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**Question ID:** BAL.130\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_14

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_14

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Sweats or sweating**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sweats; sweating

Notes: None

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Sweats or sweating happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_15

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_15

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Shortness of breath or trouble breathing**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: shortness of breath; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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Shortness of breath or trouble breathing happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_16

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_16

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Difficulty speaking or slurred speech**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: speaking; slurred speech

Notes: None

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Difficulty speaking or slurred speech happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_17

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_17

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Difficulty swallowing

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: swallowing

Notes: None

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Difficulty swallowing happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_18

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_18

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Numbness in your face, hands, or feet**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: numbness

Notes: None

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Numbness in face, hands, or feet happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_19

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_19

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...Weak or clumsy arms or legs

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: weak; clumsy; arms; legs

Notes: None

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Weak or clumsy arms or legs happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_20

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_20

\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

...High level of stress

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stress

Notes: None

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High level of stress happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.130\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_21

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_21

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Anxiety**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: anxiety

Notes: None

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Anxiety happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- 1 Yes
  - 2 No
  - 7 Refused
  - 8 Not ascertained
  - 9 Don't know
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Question ID: BAL.130\_22.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSAME\_22

Final Documentation Name: BSAME\_22

**\* Read if necessary. Do any of the following problems happen around the same time as your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Depression**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e) = '1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and ((BOFTEN(e) IN ('02','03','04','05','06','07','08', '97','99')) or (BOFTEN(e) = '01' and (BBOOTH(e) IN ('1','2','3','4','5','7','9') or (BTYPE\_06(e) IN ('2','7','9') and BBOOTH(e) = ' '))))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and do not almost always have unsteadiness

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression

Notes: None

Depression happens around same time as dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.140\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_01

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_01

**Do you have nausea or vomiting only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_01(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have nausea and vomiting with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nausea; vomiting

Notes: None

Have nausea or vomiting only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_02

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_02

**Do you have motion sickness or discomfort only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_02(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have motion sickness or discomfort with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: motion sickness

Notes: None

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Have motion sickness or discomfort only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_03

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_03

**Do you have difficulty rolling over in bed only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_03(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have difficulty rolling over in bed with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rolling over in bed

Notes: None

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Have difficulty rolling over in bed only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.140\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_04

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_04

Do you have hearing loss in one or both ears only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_04(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have hearing loss in one or both ears with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing loss

Notes: None

Have hearing loss in one or both ears only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.140\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_05

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_05

Do you have tinnitus only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_05(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have tinnitus with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tinnitus

Notes: None

Have tinnitus only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_06

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_06

**Do you have earache or pain only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?****\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_06(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have earache or pain with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: earache; ear pain

Notes: None

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Have earache or pain only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_07

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_07

**Do you have fullness or pressure in the ear only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?****\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_07(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fullness or pressure in ear with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: pressure in ear

Notes: None

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Have fullness or pressure in ear only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_08

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_08

**Do you have sinus congestion only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_08(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have sinus congestion with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sinus congestion

Notes: None

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Have sinus congestion only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_09

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_09

**Do you have migraine headache only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_09(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have a migraine headache with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: migraine

Notes: None

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Have migraine headache only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_10

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_10

**Do you have headaches other than migraine only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_10(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have headaches other than migraine with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: headache

Notes: None

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Have headache other than migraine only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_11

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_11

**Do you have neck pain only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_11(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have neck pain with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neck pain

Notes: None

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Have neck pain only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_12

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_12

**Do you have blurred or double vision only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_12(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have blurred or double vision with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blurred vision; double vision

Notes: None

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Have blurred or double vision only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_13

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_13

**Do you have loss of vision or blacking out only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_13(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have loss of vision or blacking out with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: loss of vision; blacking out

Notes: None

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Have loss of vision or blacking out only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.140\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_14

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_14

Do you have sweats or sweating only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_14(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have sweats or sweating with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sweats; sweating

Notes: None

Have sweats or sweating only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.140\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_15

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_15

Do you have shortness of breath or trouble breathing only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_15(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have shortness of breath or trouble breathing with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: shortness of breath; trouble breathing

Notes: None

Have shortness of breath or trouble breathing only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.140\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_16

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_16

Do you have difficulty speaking or slurred speech only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_16(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have difficulty speaking or slurred speech with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: difficulty speaking; slurred speech

Notes: None

Have difficulty speaking or slurred speech only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.140\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_17

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_17

Do you have difficulty swallowing only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?

\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_17(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have difficulty swallowing with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: swallowing

Notes: None

Have difficulty swallowing only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_18

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_18

**Do you have numbness in your face, hands, or feet only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_18(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have numbness in face, hands, or feet with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: numbness

Notes: None

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Have numbness in face, hands, or feet only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_19

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_19

**Do you have weak or clumsy arms or legs only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_19(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have weak or clumsy arms or legs with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: weak; clumsy; arms; feet

Notes: None

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Have weak or clumsy arms or legs only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_20

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_20

**Do you have high level of stress only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_20(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have a high level of stress with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stress

Notes: None

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Have high level of stress only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.140\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_21

Final Documentation Name: BONLY\_21

**Do you have anxiety only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_21(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have anxiety with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: anxiety

Notes: None

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Have anxiety only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: BONLY\_22

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**Do you have depression only when you have the (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) or do you have it regardless?**

**\* Read if necessary. We mean around the same time, or just before, during or following**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BSAME\_22(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have depression with symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression

Notes: None

Have depression only or regardless when having dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Only            |
| 2 | Regardless      |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.150\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHOSP

Final Documentation Name: BHOSP

**Have you ever gone to a hospital or emergency room about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hospital; emergency room; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Ever gone to hospital or ER about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.160\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHOSPNO

Final Documentation Name: BHOSPNO

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, about how many times have you gone to a hospital emergency room about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHOSP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever been to a hospital ER about symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hospital; emergency room; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Number of times gone to ER about dizziness or balance problem, past 5 years

0	None
1	1 time
2	2 times
3	3-4 times
4	5-9 times
5	10-14 times
6	15 or more times
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.170\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP

Final Documentation Name: BHP

**Have you EVER seen a doctor or other health professional, except for in the emergency room, about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Ever see a doctor or other health professional, except for in ER, about dizziness or balance problem

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.180\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_01

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_01

Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

**... Family doctor or general practitioner**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: family doctor; general practitioner

Notes: None

Saw a family doctor or general practitioner for dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_02

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_02

\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)? Please say yes or no to each.

**...Cardiologist or doctor of internal medicine**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cardiologist; doctor of internal medicine

Notes: None

Saw a cardiologist or doctor of internal medicine about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.180\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_03

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_03

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Ear, nose, and throat doctor**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: ear, nose, and throat doctor

Notes: None

Saw an ear, nose, and throat doctor about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_04

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_04

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Neurologist**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neurologist

Notes: None

Saw a neurologist about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Question ID: BAL.180\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_05

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_05

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**... Eye doctor, optometrist, or ophthalmologist (AHF-thal-MOL-oh-jist)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eye doctor; optometrist; ophthalmologist

Notes: None

Saw an eye doctor, optometrist, or an ophthalmologist about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_06

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_06

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Dentist, orthodontist or oral surgeon**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dentist; orthodontist; oral surgeon

Notes: None

Saw a dentist, orthodontist, or oral surgeon about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.180\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_07

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_07

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Gynecologist or OB/GYN**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1' and SEX = '2'

Description: Female sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: gynecologist; OB/GYN

Notes: None

Saw a gynecologist or OB/GYN about dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_08

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_08

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Psychiatrist, psychologist or social worker**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: psychiatrist; psychologist; social worker

Notes: None

Saw a psychiatrist, psychologist, or social worker about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.180\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_09

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_09

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Chiropractor**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: chiropractor

Notes: None

Saw a chiropractor about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_10

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_10

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Osteopath (OS-te-o-path) or doctor of osteopathy (os-tee-OP-uh-thee)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: osteopath; doctor of osteopathy

Notes: None

Saw an osteopath or doctor of osteopathy about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.180\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_11

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_11

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Occupational therapist, physical therapist or rehabilitation specialist**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: occupational therapist; physical therapist; rehabilitation therapist

Notes: None

Saw an occupational therapist, physical therapist, or rehabilitation specialist about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_12

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_12

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Nurse or nurse practitioner**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nurse; nurse practitioner

Notes: None

Saw a nurse or nurse practitioner about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.180\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_13

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_13

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Nutritionist or dietician**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nutritionist; dietician

Notes: None

Saw a nutritionist or dietician about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_14

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_14

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**... Foot doctor**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: foot doctor

Notes: None

Saw a foot doctor about dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.180\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_15

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_15

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Radiologist or technician for MRI, CAT scan or ultrasound**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: radiologist; MRI; CAT scan; ultrasound

Notes: None

Saw a radiologist or technician for MRI, CAT scan, or ultrasound about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.180\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHP\_16

Final Documentation Name: BHP\_16

**\* Read if necessary: Which of the following types of doctors or health professionals have you seen about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

**Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Some other health professional**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health professional

Notes: None

Saw some other health professional about dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.190\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: B5YRS

Final Documentation Name: B5YRS

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, about how many times have you gone to a doctor or other health professional about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional

Notes: None

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Number of times seen a health professional about dizziness or balance problem, past 5 years

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|---|------------------|
| 0 | None             |
| 1 | 1 time           |
| 2 | 2 times          |
| 3 | 3 - 4 times      |
| 4 | 5 - 9 times      |
| 5 | 10 - 14 times    |
| 6 | 15 or more times |
| 7 | Refused          |
| 8 | Not ascertained  |
| 9 | Don't know       |
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Question ID: BAL.200\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFIRST

Final Documentation Name: BFIRST

**How long ago did you FIRST see a doctor or other health professional, including emergency room physicians about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BHOSP(e)='1' or BHP(e)='1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional, including ER physicians, for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional

Notes: None

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Time since first saw health professional about dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                                |
|---|--------------------------------|
| 1 | Less than 12 months            |
| 2 | 12 months to less than 3 years |
| 3 | 3 years to less than 5 years   |
| 4 | 5 years to less than 10 years  |
| 5 | 10 years to less than 15 years |
| 6 | 15 years or more               |
| 7 | Refused                        |
| 8 | Not ascertained                |
| 9 | Don't know                     |
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Question ID: BAL.210\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BDIFF

Final Documentation Name: BDIFF

**In total, about how many separate doctors, emergency room physicians, or other health professionals have you EVER seen concerning your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BHOSP(e)='1' or BHP(e)='1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional, including ER physicians, for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; emergency room physicians; health professionals

Notes: None

Total number of different health professionals seen about dizziness or balance problem

1	1
2	2
3	3 to 4
4	5 to 9
5	10 to 14
6	15 or more
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.220\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BHELP

Final Documentation Name: BHELP

**Do you feel that any of these doctors or health professionals have helped your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BHOSP(e)='1' or BHP(e)='1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional, including ER physicians, for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional

Notes: None

Health professionals helped with dizziness or balance problem

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.230\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTHLP\_NO

Final Documentation Name: BTHLP\_NO

About how long was it between the first time you saw a doctor or other health professional about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) until you began to feel helped by treatments or advice you received?

Please tell me the number of days, weeks, months or years.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHELP(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who feel a health professional helped their symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional

Notes: None

Time between first time saw health professional about dizziness or balance problem and felt helped: #of units

001-365	1-365
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.230\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTHLP\_TP

Final Documentation Name: BTHLP\_TP

About how long was it between the first time you saw a doctor or other health professional about your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) until you began to feel helped by treatments or advice you received?

Please tell me the number of days, weeks, months or years.

\*Enter time period for time since last saw a doctor or other health professional.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BHELP(e)='1' and ('001' <=BTHLP\_NO(e) <='365' or BTHLP\_NO(e) IN ('999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who feel a health professional helped their symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional

Notes: None

Time between first time saw health professional about dizziness or balance problem and felt helped: time period

1	Days
2	Weeks
3	Months
4	Years
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.240\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BDIAG

Final Documentation Name: BDIAG

**Did any of the doctors or health care professionals tell you the cause or give you a diagnosis for your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling)?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BHOSP(e)='1' or BHP(e)='1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have ever seen a health professional, including ER physicians, for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: doctor; health professional; diagnosis

Notes: None

Health professional gave cause or diagnosis for dizziness or balance problem

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_01

**What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Antibiotics given through a needle or tube ( I.V.)?**

**\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.**

**\* Read the list if necessary.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: antibiotics

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Antibiotics given I.V.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.250\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_02

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Arthritis?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Arthritis

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_03

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Brain tumor?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: brain tumor

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Brain tumor

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.250\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_04

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Cogan's syndrome or Sjogren's syndrome?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Cogan's syndrome; Sjogren's syndrome

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Cogan's syndrome or Sjogren's syndrome

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| 7 | Refused         |
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Question ID: BAL.250\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_05

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Loose or dislodged crystals in your ear or BPV (benign positional vertigo)?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: crystals; ear; BPV; begin positional vertigo

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Loose or dislodged crystals in ear or BPPV

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| 8 | Not ascertained |
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Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_06

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Diabetes?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: diabetes

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Diabetes

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_07

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Head or neck trauma or concussion?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: head trauma; neck trauma; concussion

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Head or neck trauma or concussion

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_08

**What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Heart disease?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.****\* Read the list if necessary.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: heart disease

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Heart disease

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_09

**What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Inner ear infection?****\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.****\* Read the list if necessary.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: inner ear infection

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Inner ear infection

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.250\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_10

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Meniere's disease?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Meniere's disease

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Meniere's disease

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_11

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Migraine headaches?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: migraine

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Migraine headaches

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_12

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Neurological or muscular conditions (such as M.S. or M.D.)?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: neurological condition; muscular condition

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Neurological or muscular conditions

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_13

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Side effects of medicines or drugs?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medicine; drugs; side effects

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Side effect of medicines or drugs

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_14

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Stroke?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stroke

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Stroke

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.250\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCAUS1-BCAUS16

Final Documentation Name: BCAUS\_15

What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): TMJ or Temporal mandibular joint disorder?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: TMJ

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: TMJ

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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What did the doctor (s) or health care professional (s) tell you was the cause or causes of your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling): Other health problem(s)?

\* Enter all that apply, separate with commas.

\* Read the list if necessary.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BDIAG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were told cause of symptoms of dizziness or balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health problem

Notes: None

Cause of dizziness or balance problem: Other health problem(s)

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| 1 | Mentioned       |
| 2 | Not mentioned   |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.260\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET

Final Documentation Name: BTRET

Have you ever taken or tried anything to treat your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) such as physical therapy, certain exercises, avoiding certain foods, taking medicines, surgery, or wearing magnets or wristbands?

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: treatment; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Taken or tried anything to treat dizziness or balance problem

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.270\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_01

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_01

**What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Exercises or physical therapy****\* Do not include Tai Chi, Yoga, or Qi Gong.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: exercise; physical therapy

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Exercises or physical therapy

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.270\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_02

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_02

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****... Head rolling maneuver by a doctor or therapist (Epley maneuver)****\* Do not include treatment by a chiropractor.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: head rolling maneuver

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Head rolling maneuver by a doctor or therapist

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.270\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_03

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_03

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****... Steroid injections into the ear**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: steroid injections; ear

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Steroid injections into ear

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.270\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_04

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_04

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Gentamicin (jen-tah-MI-sin) injection into the ear**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: gentamicin injection; ear

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Gentamicin injection into ear

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_05

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_05

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****... Ear surgery**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: ear surgery

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Ear surgery

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_06

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_06

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Head or neck surgery**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: head surgery; neck surgery

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Head or neck surgery

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_07

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_07

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Bed rest for several hours or days**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: bed rest

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Bed rest for several hours or days

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_08

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_08

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Psychiatric treatment**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: psychiatric treatment

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Psychiatric treatment

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_09

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_09

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Chiropractic treatment or manipulation**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: chiropractic treatment; chiropractic manipulation

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Chiropractic treatment or manipulation

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_10

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_10

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Acupuncture**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: acupuncture

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Acupuncture

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.270\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_11

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**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Massage therapy**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: massage therapy

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Massage therapy

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.270\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_12

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_12

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****... Tai Chi, Yoga, or Qi Gong**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tai chi; yoga; qi gong

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Tai Chi, Yoga, or Qi Gong

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.270\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_13

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_13

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Hypnosis**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hypnosis

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Hypnosis

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.270\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_14

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_14

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Low salt diet**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: low salt diet

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Low salt diet

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_15

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_15

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Avoiding or cutting back on certain foods or drinks such as chocolate, coffee or alcohol**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: food; drink

Notes: None

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Treatments tried: Avoiding or cutting back on certain foods or drinks

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_16

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_16

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Quitting or reducing use of tobacco or cigarettes****\* Enter '2' for non-smokers.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: tobacco; cigarettes

Notes: None

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Treatments tried: Quitting or reducing use of tobacco or cigarettes

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_17

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_17

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Prescription medicine or drugs**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: prescription medicine; prescription drugs

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Prescription medicine or drugs

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_18

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_18

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Over the counter medicine such as aspirin, Tylenol, or Advil**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: over-the-counter medicine

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Over-the-counter medicine

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.270\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_19

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_19

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Herbal remedy such as feverfew leaf, ginger or ginkgo biloba (GIN-ko bye-LO-bah)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: herbal remedy

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Herbal remedy

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.270\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_20

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_20

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****... Meniette (trademark superscript) (men-YETS) device, air pressure pulses in ear**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Meniette device; air pressure pulses; ear

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Meniette device, air pressure pulses in ear

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_21

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_21

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Wearing acupressure wristband or Sea-Band (trademark superscript)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: acupressure wristband; Sea-band

Notes: None

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Treatments tried: Wearing acupressure wristband or Sea-Band

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.270\_22.000

Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_22

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_22

**\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.****...Wearing magnets**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: magnets

Notes: None

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Treatments tried: Wearing magnets

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: BTRET\_23

Final Documentation Name: BTRET\_23

\* Read if necessary. What treatments have you tried? Please say yes or no to each.

## ... Mouth guard

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTRET(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have been treated for symptoms of dizziness or a balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: mouth guard

Notes: None

Treatments tried: Mouth guard

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.280\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BSTAT

Final Documentation Name: BSTAT

**During the past 12 months, has your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) gotten worse, stayed the same, improved somewhat, or improved greatly?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problem worse, same, or improved, past 12 months

- |   |                   |
|---|-------------------|
| 1 | Gotten worse      |
| 2 | Stayed the same   |
| 3 | Improved somewhat |
| 4 | Improved greatly  |
| 7 | Refused           |
| 8 | Not ascertained   |
| 9 | Don't know        |

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**Question ID:** BAL.290\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMEDIC

Final Documentation Name: BMEDIC

**Do you now take any medicine on a regular basis for any health problems or conditions?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medicine; health problem; condition

Notes: None

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Take medicine on a regular basis for any health problem(s)

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.300\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBETT

Final Documentation Name: BBETT

**Does any of your medicine cause your (Fill: most bothersome or only feeling) to get worse?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1') and BMEDIC(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem and take medicine

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medicine; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Medicine causes dizziness or balance problem to get worse

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.310\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG

**Do your dizziness or balance problems prevent you in any way from doing things you otherwise could do?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problems prevent you from doing things

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.320\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_01

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_01

**Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.****...Work or school**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Work or school

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|---|------------------------------|
| 1 | Yes                          |
| 2 | No                           |
| 3 | Doesn't Work or Go to School |
| 7 | Refused                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained              |
| 9 | Don't know                   |
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Question ID: BAL.320\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_02

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_02

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Driving a motor vehicle

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: driving

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Driving a motor vehicle

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.320\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_03

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_03

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Riding in a car, bus, airplane, boat or train

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: car; bus; airplane; boat; train

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Riding in a car, bus, airplane, boat, or train

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.320\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_04

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_04

**\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.**

....Exercising or taking walks

**\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'**  
**Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: exercising; walks

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Exercising or taking walks

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.320\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_05

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_05

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

...Standing or being on your feet for 30 minutes or longer

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: standing

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Standing or being on feet for 30 minutes or longer

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.320\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_06

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_06

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

...Walking down a flight of stairs

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: walking; stairs

Notes: None

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Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Walking down a flight of stairs

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.320\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_07

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_07

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

...Walking or climbing up 10 steps without resting

\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: walking; stairs

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Walking or climbing up 10 steps without resting

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.320\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_08

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_08

\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.

...Going outside your home for shopping, movies, sporting or other events

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: shopping; movies; sporting events

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Going outside home for shopping, movies, sporting or other events

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.320\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_09

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_09

**\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.**

**... Participating in social activities such as visiting friends, attending clubs and meetings, or going to parties**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: social activities

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Participating in social activities

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.320\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BCHNG\_10

Final Documentation Name: BCHNG\_10

**\* Read if necessary. Have your dizziness or balance problems caused you to change or cut back on any of the following activities? Please say yes or no to each.**

**... Bathing yourself, dressing yourself, feeding yourself, or going to the toilet**

**\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'  
Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BCHNG(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ whose dizziness or balance problems prevent them from doing things

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: bathing; dressing; feeding; toilet

Notes: None

Dizziness or balance problems caused change in activities: Bathing, dressing, feeding yourself, or going to the toilet

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.330\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMISSWK

Final Documentation Name: BMISSWK

**Have you EVER missed any days from work or school because of your dizziness or balance problems?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Ever missed work or school because of dizziness or balance problem

- |   |                              |
|---|------------------------------|
| 1 | Yes                          |
| 2 | No                           |
| 3 | Doesn't Work or Go to School |
| 7 | Refused                      |
| 8 | Not ascertained              |
| 9 | Don't know                   |

Question ID: BAL.340\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BLMS\_NO

Final Documentation Name: BLMS\_NO

**During your entire life, about how many days of work or school have you missed because of your dizziness or balance problems?****Please tell me the number of days, weeks, months, or years.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BMISSWK(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who missed work or school because of dizziness or balance problems

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Time missed from school or work during entire life because of dizziness or balance problem: # of units

- |         |                 |
|---------|-----------------|
| 001-365 | 1-365           |
| 997     | Refused         |
| 998     | Not ascertained |
| 999     | Don't know      |



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Question ID: BAL.340\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BLMS\_TP

Final Documentation Name: BLMS\_TP

During your entire life, about how many days of work or school have you missed because of your dizziness or balance problems?

Please tell me the number of days, weeks, months, or years.

\* Enter time period for time missed work or school.

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BMISSWK(e)='1' and ('001'<=BLMS\_NO(e) <='365' or BLMS\_NO(e)='999')

Description: Sample adults 18+who missed work or school because of dizziness or balance problems

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Time missed from school or work during entire life because of dizziness or balance problem: time period

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Days            |
| 2 | Weeks           |
| 3 | Months          |
| 4 | Years           |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.350\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BM12\_NO

Final Documentation Name: BM12\_NO

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many days of work or school have you missed because of your dizziness or balance problems?**

**Please tell me the number of days, weeks, or months.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BMISSWK(e)='1' and ('001'<=BLMS\_NO(e) <='365' or BLMS\_NO(e)='999')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who missed work or school because of dizziness or balance problems

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Time missed from school or work, past 12 months because of dizziness or balance problem: # of units

000-365	0-365
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.350\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BM12\_TP

Final Documentation Name: BM12\_TP

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many days of work or school have you missed because of your dizziness or balance problems?**

**Please tell me the number of days, weeks, or months.**

**\* Enter time period for time missed work or school.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BMISSWK(e)='1' and ('001'<=BM12\_NO(e) <='365' or BM12\_NO(e)='999')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who missed work or school because of dizziness or balance problems

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

Time missed from school or work, past 12 months because of dizziness or balance problem: time period

1	Days
2	Weeks
3	Months
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Instrument Variable Name: BPROB

Final Documentation Name: BPROB

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how much of a problem was your dizziness or balance condition? Would you say it was no problem, a small problem, a moderate problem, a big problem, or a very big problem?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and (BDIZZ(e)='1' or BTYPECT ge '1')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had symptoms of dizziness or at least one balance problem

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

How much of a problem was dizziness or balance condition, past 12 months

- |   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| 1 | No problem         |
| 2 | A small problem    |
| 3 | A moderate problem |
| 4 | A big problem      |
| 5 | A very big problem |
| 7 | Refused            |
| 8 | Not ascertained    |
| 9 | Don't know         |

Question ID: BAL.370\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_01

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_01

**Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Antibiotics given through a needle or tube (I.V.)**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: antibiotics

Notes: None

Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Antibiotics given I.V.

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_02

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_02

**\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Antibiotics injected into the ear**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: antibiotics; ear

Notes: None

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Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Antibiotics injected into ear

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.370\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_03

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_03

**\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...Diuretics (di-u-RET-iks) due to water retention**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: diuretics

Notes: None

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Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Diuretics

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_04

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_04

\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.

**...Antivert (trademark superscript) (Meclizine) for dizziness, nausea or vomiting**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Antivert; Meclizine

Notes: None

Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Antivert (Meclizine)

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.370\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_05

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_05

\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.

**...Medicine or patches for motion sickness, nausea or vomiting**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medicine; patches; motion sickness; nausea; vomiting

Notes: None

Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Medicine or patches for motion sickness, nausea, or vomiting

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.370\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_06

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_06

\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Medicines for anxiety

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: medicine; anxiety

Notes: None

Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Medicines for anxiety

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.370\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_07

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_07

\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.

## ...Chemotherapy (ke-mo-THER-ah-pe) drugs

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: chemotherapy

Notes: None

Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: Chemotherapy drugs

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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**Question ID:** BAL.370\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BMED\_08

Final Documentation Name: BMED\_08

**\* Read if necessary. Have you ever taken or had any of the following medications or treatments for ANY health conditions or problems. Please say yes or no to each.**

**...X-Ray, MRI or CAT scan of the head**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: x-ray; MRI; CAT scan; head

Notes: None

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Taken or had any of the following for any health condition: X-ray, MRI, or CAT scan of the head

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.380\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BBIO

Final Documentation Name: BBIO

**Have any of your biological, that is, BLOOD relatives such as parents, brothers, sisters, or children had a problem with dizziness, balance, or falling, NOT related to aging?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: relatives; dizziness; balance problem

Notes: None

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Any biological relatives have trouble with dizziness, balance, or falling

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.390\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFALL5

Final Documentation Name: BFALL5

**These next questions are about falls or falling. By falls or falling, we mean unexpectedly dropping to the floor or ground from a standing, walking or bending position. DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS have you fallen at least one time?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999'))

Description: Sample adults 18+

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fall

Notes: None

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Fall at least one time, past 5 years

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_01

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_01

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were feeling a sense of spinning?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_01(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a spinning or vertigo sensation and have fallen during the past 5 years

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: sense of spinning

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time felt sense of spinning, past 5 years

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_02

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_02

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were having a floating or spacey feeling?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_02(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had a floating, spacey, or tilting sensation and have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: floating feeling; spacey feeling

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time had floating or spacey feeling, past 5 years

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_03.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_03

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_03

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were feeling lightheaded?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_03(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have felt lightheaded, without a sense of motion, and have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: lightheaded

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time felt lightheaded, past 5 years

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_04

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_04

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were feeling like you are about to pass out?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_04(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have felt as if they are going to pass out or faint and have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: pass out

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time felt about to pass out, past 5 years

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not Ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_05.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_05

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_05

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were having blurred vision?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_05(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had blurred vision when moving their head and have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: blurred vision

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time had blurred vision, past 5 years

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| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.400\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFL\_06

Final Documentation Name: BFL\_06

**DURING THE PAST 5 YEARS, did any of your falls occur just before or around the time you were having unsteadiness?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BTYPE\_06(e)='1' and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have had felt off-balance or unsteady and have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: unsteadiness

Notes: None

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Fall occurred just before or around time had unsteadiness, past 5 years

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**Question ID:** BAL.410\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFALL12

Final Documentation Name: BFALL12

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you fallen at least once a month on average?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BFALL5(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 5 years

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fall

Notes: None

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Fell once a month on average, past 12 months

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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Question ID: BAL.420\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BF12\_NO

Final Documentation Name: BF12\_NO

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, about how many times per day, week, or month have you fallen?**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BFALL12(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen at least once a month on average during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fall

Notes: None

Times fell, past 12 months: #of units

001-500	1-500
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.420\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BF12\_TP

Final Documentation Name: BF12\_TP

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, about how many times per day, week, or month have you fallen?****\* Enter time period for time fallen.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BFALL12(e)='1' and ('001'&lt;=BF12\_NO(e)&lt;='500' or BF12\_NO(e)='999')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen at least once a month on average during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fall

Notes: None

Times fell, past 12 months: time period

1	Day
2	Week
3	Month
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: BAL.430\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFTIME

Final Documentation Name: BFTIME

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many times have you fallen?****\*Read if necessary. If unsure, estimate as best you can.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BFALL12(e) IN ('2', '7','9')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have not fallen at least once a month on average during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fall

Notes: None

Number of time fell, past 12 months

0	None
1	1 time
2	2 times
3	3-4 times
4	5-7 times
5	8 or more times
7	Refused
8	Not Ascertained
9	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.440\_00.000

Instrument Variable Name: BINJ

Final Documentation Name: BINJ

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, did you have an injury as a result of a fall? For example, with a bruise, cut or wound, sprain, dislocation, fracture, broken bones, back pain, head or neck injury.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'&lt;=BFTIME(e)&lt;='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: injury; fall

Notes: None

Had an injury resulting from a fall, past 12 months

1	Yes
2	No
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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Question ID: BAL.450\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BIJMS\_NO

Final Documentation Name: BIJMS\_NO

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many days of work or school did you miss because of injury from falls?****Please tell me the number of days, weeks, or months.****\* Enter '996 if doesn't work or go to school.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BINJ(e)='1'

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were injured as a result of a fall during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; injury; fall

Notes: None

Time missed from work or school due to injury from fall, past 12 months: # of units

000-365	0-365
996	Doesn't work or go to school
997	Refused
998	Not ascertained
999	Don't know

Question ID: BAL.450\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BIJMS\_TP

Final Documentation Name: BIJMS\_TP

**DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many days of work or school did you miss because of injury from falls?****Please tell me the number of days, weeks, or months.****\* Enter time period for time missed school.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and BINJ(e)='1' and ('001'&lt;= BIJMS\_NO(e)&lt;='365' or BIJMS\_NO(e)='999')

Description: Sample adults 18+ who were injured as a result of a fall during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; school; injury; fall

Notes: None

Time missed from work or school due to injury from fall, past 12 months: time period

1	Days
2	Weeks
3	Months
7	Refused
8	Not ascertained
9	Don't know

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.460\_01.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_01

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_01

**Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.****...You tripped or stumbled**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BF'TIME(e)<='5') or (BF'TIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; tripped; stumbled

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Tripped or stumbled

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not Ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_02.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_02

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_02

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.****...You slipped**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BF'TIME(e)<='5') or (BF'TIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; slipped

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Slipped

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not Ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_03

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_03

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You hurried too much

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; hurried

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Hurried too much

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_04.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_04

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_04

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You were not paying attention

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; not paying attention

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Not paying attention

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_05

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_05

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You had nothing to hold onto

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; nothing to hold onto

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had nothing to hold onto

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_06.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_06

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_06

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You blacked out or fainted

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; blacked out; fainted

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Blacked out or fainted

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.460\_07.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_07

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_07

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You lost your balance

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; lost balance

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Lost balance

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_08.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_08

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_08

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You were knocked over by someone or something

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; knocked over

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Knocked over by someone or something

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.460\_09.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_09

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_09

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You were playing sports or exercising

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; sports; exercising

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Playing sports or exercising

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_10.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_10

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_10

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You had a problem with hearing

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; hearing problem

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had a problem with hearing

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.460\_11.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_11

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_11

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

**...You had a problem with vision**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; vision problem

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had a problem with vision

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_12.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_12

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_12

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

**...You were getting up after sitting or lying down**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; getting up

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Getting up after sitting or lying down

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.460\_13.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_13

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_13

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...You were walking up or down stairs**

**\* If respondent is unable to do this activity for reasons OTHER than dizziness or balance, Enter '2'**  
**Examples include respondents who are in a wheelchair, are deaf, blind, don't have a driver's license, etc.**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; walking; stairs

Notes: None

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Reason fell, past 12 months: Walking up or down stairs

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.460\_14.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_14

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_14

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You had slow reactions or reflexes

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; slow reactions; slow reflexes

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Has slow reactions or reflexes

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_15.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_15

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_15

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You had weakness or numbness in one or both legs

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; weakness; numbness

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had weakness or numbness in one or both legs

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.460\_16.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_16

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_16

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...You had not eaten recently or you had low blood sugar**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; low blood sugar

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had not eaten recently or had low blood sugar

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|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_17.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_17

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_17

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...You had a problem with medicine**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; medicine problem

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had a problem with medicine

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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## Sample Adult

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Question ID: BAL.460\_18.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_18

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_18

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You drank too much alcohol

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; alcohol

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Drank too much alcohol

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_19.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_19

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_19

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

## ...You had a problem using a walker, cane, or other aid that helps you get around

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; walker; cane

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had problem using a walker, cane, or other aid

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |



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Question ID: BAL.460\_20.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_20

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_20

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...You had a problem with shoes, sandals or socks**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; shoes; sandals; socks

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had problem with shoes, sandals, or socks

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

Question ID: BAL.460\_21.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_21

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_21

**\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.**

**...You had a health condition**

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen; health condition

Notes: None

Reason fell, past 12 months: Had a health condition

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |

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Question ID: BAL.460\_22.000

Instrument Variable Name: BFWHY\_22

Final Documentation Name: BFWHY\_22

\* Read if necessary. Have you fallen during the past 12 months due to any of the following reasons? Please say yes or no to each.

...Some other reason

Universe: HHSTAT4='S' and (AGE GE '018' and AGE not IN ('997','999')) and ((BFALL12(e)='1') or ('1'<=BFTIME(e)<='5') or (BFTIME(e) IN ('7','9')))

Description: Sample adults 18+ who have fallen during the past 12 months

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: fallen

Notes: None

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Reason fell, past 12 months: Some other reason

- |   |                 |
|---|-----------------|
| 1 | Yes             |
| 2 | No              |
| 7 | Refused         |
| 8 | Not ascertained |
| 9 | Don't know      |
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**INDSTRYN APPENDIX: INDUSTRY RECODE APPENDIX from the 2007 NAICS-based codes obtained from Census**

Numeric listing of Response Values and Labels for INDSTRN1 (detailed industry recode)

Column 1 Input Response Values	Column 2 Output Response Values	Column 3 Output Response Labels
		<b>Agriculture Industries</b>
0170	01	Crop production
0180	02	Animal production
0190, 0270	03	Forestry and logging
0280	04	Fishing, hunting, and trapping
0290	05	Support activities for agriculture and forestry
		<b>Mining Industries</b>
0370	06	Oil and gas extraction
0380, 0390, 0470, 0480	07	Mining (except oil and gas)
0490	08	Support activities for mining
0570, 0580, 0590, 0670, 0680, 0690	09	<b>Utilities Industries</b>
0770	10	<b>Construction Industries</b>
		<b>Manufacturing Industries</b>
1070, 1080, 1090, 1170, 1180, 1190, 1270, 1280, 1290	11	Food manufacturing
1370, 1390	12	Beverage and tobacco product manufacturing
1470, 1480, 1490	13	Textile mills
1570, 1590, 1670	14	Textile product mills
1680, 1690, 1770	15	Apparel manufacturing
1790	16	Leather and allied product manufacturing
3770, 3780, 3790, 3870	17	Wood product manufacturing
1870, 1880, 1890	18	Paper manufacturing
1990	19	Printing and related support activities
2070, 2090	20	Petroleum and coal products manufacturing
2170, 2180, 2190, 2270, 2280, 2290	21	Chemical manufacturing
2370, 2380, 2390	22	Plastics and rubber products manufacturing
2470, 2480, 2490, 2570, 2590	23	Nonmetallic mineral product manufacturing
2670, 2680, 2690, 2770, 2780, 2990	24	Primary metal manufacturing
2790, 2870, 2880, 2890, 2970, 2980	25	Fabricated metal product manufacturing
3070, 3080, 3090, 3170, 3180, 3190, 3290	26	Machinery manufacturing
3360, 3370, 3380, 3390	27	Computer and electronic product manufacturing
3470, 3490	28	Electrical equipment, appliance, and component manufacturing
3570, 3580, 3590, 3670, 3680, 3690	29	Transportation equipment manufacturing
3890	30	Furniture and related product manufacturing
3960, 3970, 3980, 3990	31	Miscellaneous manufacturing
		<b>Wholesale Trade Industries</b>
4070, 4080, 4090, 4170, 4180, 4190, 4260, 4270, 4280, 4290	32	Merchant wholesalers, durable goods
4370, 4380, 4390, 4470, 4480, 4490, 4560, 4570, 4580, 4585	33	Merchant wholesalers, nondurable goods
4590	34	Non-specified wholesale trade
		<b>Retail Trade Industries</b>
4670, 4680, 4690	35	Motor vehicle and parts dealers
4770	36	Furniture and home furnishings stores
4780, 4790	37	Electronics and appliance stores
4870, 4880, 4890	38	Building material and garden equipment and supplies dealers
4970, 4980, 4990	39	Food and beverage stores
5070, 5080	40	Health and personal care stores
5090	41	Gasoline stations
5170, 5180, 5190	42	Clothing and clothing accessories stores
5270, 5280, 5290, 5370	43	Sporting goods, camera, hobby, book and music stores
5380, 5390	44	General merchandise stores
5470, 5480, 5490, 5570, 5580	45	Miscellaneous store retailers
5590, 5591, 5592, 5670, 5680, 5690, 5790	46	Nonstore retailers and non-specified retail trade
		<b>Transportation and Warehousing Industries</b>
6070, 6080, 6090, 6170, 6180, 6190, 6270, 6280, 6370, 6380	47	Transportation (including support activities for transportation)
6390	48	Postal service, couriers, and messengers
	49	Warehousing and storage
		<b>Information Industries</b>
6470, 6480, 6490	50	Publishing industries (except internet)
6570, 6590	51	Motion picture and sound recording industries
6670, 6680, 6690, 6692, 6695	52	Broadcasting and telecommunications
6770, 6675, 6780, 6790	53	Information services and data processing
		<b>Finance and Insurance Industries</b>
6870	54	Monetary authorities -- central bank
6880, 6890	55	Credit intermediation and related activities
6970	56	Securities, commodity contracts, and other financial investments and related activities
6990	57	Insurance carriers and related activities

Numeric listing of Response Values and Labels for INDSTRN1 (detailed industry recode)

Column 1 Input Response Values	Column 2 Output Response Values	Column 3 Output Response Labels
		<b>Real Estate and Rental and Leasing Industries</b>
7070	58	Real estate
7080, 7170, 7180	59	Rental and leasing services
7190	60	Lessors of nonfinancial intangible assets (except copyrighted works)
7270, 7280, 7290, 7370, 7380, 7390, 7460, 7470, 7480, 7490	61	<b>Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services Industries</b>
7570	62	<b>Management of Companies and Enterprises Industries</b>
7580, 7590, 7670, 7680, 7690, 7770, 7780, 7790	63	<b>Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services Industries</b>
7860, 7870, 7880 7890	64	<b>Education Services Industries</b>
		<b>Health Care and Social Assistance Industries</b>
7970, 7980, 7990, 8070, 8080, 8090, 8170, 8180	65	Ambulatory health care services
8190	66	Hospitals
8270, 8290	67	Nursing and residential care facilities
8370, 8380, 8390, 8470	68	Social assistance
		<b>Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation Industries</b>
8560	69	Performing arts, spectator sports, and related industries
8570	70	Museums, historical sites, and similar institutions
8580, 8590	71	Amusement, gambling, and recreation industries
		<b>Accommodation and Food Services Industries</b>
8660, 8670	72	Accommodation
8680, 8690	73	Food services and drinking places
		<b>Other Services (except Public Administration) Industries</b>
8770, 8780, 8790, 8870, 8880, 8890	74	Repair and maintenance
8970, 8980, 8990, 9070, 9080, 9090	75	Personal services (barber shops, beauty salons, nail salons, laundry, funeral homes and cemeteries)
	76	Religious, grantmaking, civic, labor, professional, and similar organizations
9160, 9170, 9180, 9190	77	Private households
9290	78	<b>Public Administration Industries</b>
9370, 9380, 9390, 9470, 9480, 9490, 9570, 9590	79	<b>Armed Forces</b>
9670, 9680, 9690, 9770, 9780, 9790, 9870, 9890	97	Refused, classified
9997	98	Not ascertained
9998 and all other codes not listed	99	Don't know
9999		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Numeric listing of Response Values and Labels for INDSTRN2 (simple industry recode)

Column 1 Input Response Values	Column 2 Output Response Values	Column 3 Output Response Labels
0170, 0180, 0190, 0270, 0280, 0290	01	<b>Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing, and Hunting Industries</b>
0370, 0380, 0390, 0470, 0480, 0490	02	<b>Mining Industries</b>
0570, 0580, 0590, 0670, 0680, 0690	03	<b>Utilities Industries</b>
0770	04	<b>Construction Industries</b>
1070, 1080, 1090, 1170, 1180, 1190, 1270, 1280, 1290, 1370, 1390, 1470, 1480, 1490, 1670, 1570, 1590, 1680, 1690, 1770, 1790, 3770, 3780, 3790, 3870, 1870, 1880, 1890, 1990, 2070, 2090, 2170, 2180, 2190, 2270, 2280, 2290, 2370, 2380, 2390, 2470, 2480, 2490, 2570, 2590, 2670, 2680, 2690, 2770, 2990, 2790, 2870, 2880, 2890, 2970, 2980, 3070, 3080, 3090, 3170, 3180, 3190, 3290, 3360, 3370, 3380, 3390, 3470, 3490, 3570, 3580, 3590, 3670, 3680, 3690, 3890, 3960, 3970, 3980, 3990	05	<b>Manufacturing Industries</b>
4070, 4080, 4090, 4170, 4180, 4190, 4260, 4270, 4280, 4290, 4370, 4380, 4390, 4470, 4480, 4490, 4560, 4570, 4580, 4585, 4590	06	<b>Wholesale Trade Industries</b>
4670, 4680, 4690, 4770, 4780, 4790, 4870, 4880, 4890, 4970, 4980, 4990, 5070, 5080, 5090, 5170, 5180, 5190, 5270, 5280, 5290, 5370, 5380, 5390, 5470, 5480, 5490, 5570, 5580, 5590, 5591, 5592, 5670, 5680, 5690, 5790	07	<b>Retail Trade Industries</b>
6070, 6080, 6090, 6170, 6180, 6190, 6270, 6280, 6290, 6370, 6380, 6390	08	<b>Transportation and Warehousing Industries</b>
6470, 6480, 6490, 6570, 6590, 6670, 6675, 6680, 6690, 6692, 6695, 6770, 6780, 6790	09	<b>Information Industries</b>
6870, 6880, 6890, 6970, 6990	10	<b>Finance and Insurance Industries</b>
7070, 7080, 7170, 7180, 7190	11	<b>Real Estate and Rental and Leasing Industries</b>
7270, 7280, 7290, 7370, 7380, 7390, 7460, 7470, 7480, 7490	12	<b>Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services Industries</b>
7570	13	<b>Management of Companies and Enterprises Industries</b>
7580, 7590, 7670, 7680, 7690, 7770, 7780, 7790	14	<b>Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services Industries</b>
7860, 7870, 7880, 7890	15	<b>Education Services Industries</b>
7970, 7980, 7990, 8070, 8080, 8090, 8170, 8180, 8190, 8270, 8290, 8370, 8380, 8390, 8470	16	<b>Health Care and Social Assistance Industries</b>
8560, 8570, 8580, 8590	17	<b>Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation Industries</b>
8660, 8670, 8680, 8690	18	<b>Accommodation and Food Services Industries</b>
8770, 8780, 8790, 8870, 8880, 8890, 8970, 8980, 8990, 9070, 9080, 9090, 9160, 9170, 9180, 9190, 9370, 9380, 9390, 9470, 9480, 9490, 9570, 9590 9670, 9680, 9690, 9770, 9780, 9790, 9870, 9890 9997	19	<b>Other Services (except Public Administration) Industries</b>
9998 and all other codes not listed	20	<b>Public Administration Industries</b>
9999	21	<b>Armed Forces</b>
	97	Refused, classified
	98	Not ascertained
	99	Don't know
		<Blank: Not in Universe>

**OCCUPATION RECODE APPENDIX: Input Response Values are 4-digit codes from the U.S. Census Bureau informed by the 2000 SOC**

Numeric listing of Response Values and Labels for **OCCUPN1** (detailed occupation recode)

Column 1 Input Response Values	Column 2 Output Response Values	Column 3 Output Response Labels
		<b>Management Occupations</b>
0010, 0020, 0030	01	Chief executives; general and operations managers; legislators
0040, 0050, 0060	02	Advertising, marketing, promotions, public relations, and sales managers
0100, 0110, 0120, 0130, 0140, 0150, 0160	03	Operations specialties managers
0200, 0210, 0220, 0230, 0300, 0310, 0320, 0330, 0340, 0350, 0360, 0400, 0410, 0420, 0430	04	Other management occupations
		<b>Business and Financial Operations Occupations</b>
0500, 0510, 0520, 0530, 0540, 0560, 0600, 0620, 0700, 0710, 0720, 0730	05	Business operations specialists
0800, 0810, 0820, 0830, 0840, 0850, 0860, 0900, 0910, 0930, 0940, 0950	06	Financial specialists
		<b>Computer and Mathematical Occupations</b>
1000, 1010, 1020, 1040, 1060, 1100, 1110	07	Computer specialists
1200, 1210, 1220, 1230, 1240	08	Mathematical science occupations
		<b>Architecture and Engineering Occupations</b>
1300, 1310	09	Architects, surveyors, and cartographers
1320, 1330, 1340, 1350, 1360, 1400, 1410, 1420, 1430, 1440, 1450, 1460, 1500, 1510, 1520, 1530	10	Engineers
1540, 1550, 1560	11	Drafters, engineering, and mapping technicians
		<b>Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations</b>
1600, 1610, 1640, 1650	12	Life scientists
1700, 1710, 1720, 1740, 1760	13	Physical scientists
1800, 1810, 1820, 1830, 1840, 1860,	14	Social scientists and related workers
1900, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940, 1960	15	Life, physical, and social science technicians
		<b>Community and Social Services Occupations</b>
2000, 2010, 2020	16	Counselors, social workers, and other community and social service specialists
2040, 2050, 2060	17	Religious workers
		<b>Legal Occupations</b>
2100, 2110	18	Lawyers, judges, and related workers
2140, 2150	19	Legal support workers
		<b>Education, Training, and Library Occupations</b>
2200	20	Postsecondary teachers
2300, 2310, 2320, 2330	21	Primary, secondary, and special education school teachers
2340	22	Other teachers and instructors
2400, 2430, 2440	23	Librarians, curators, and archivists
2540, 2550	24	Other education, training, and library occupations
		<b>Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports, and Media Occupations</b>
2600, 2630	25	Art and design workers
2700, 2710, 2720, 2740, 2750, 2760	26	Entertainers and performers, sports and related workers
2800, 2810, 2820, 2830, 2840, 2850, 2860	27	Media and communication workers
2900, 2910, 2920, 2960	28	Media and communication equipment workers
		<b>Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations</b>
3000, 3010, 3030, 3040, 3050, 3060, 3110, 3120, 3130, 3140, 3150, 3160, 3200, 3210, 3220, 3230, 3240, 3250, 3260	29	Health diagnosing and treating practitioners
3300, 3310, 3320, 3400, 3410, 3500, 3510, 3520, 3530	30	Health technologists and technicians
3540	31	Other healthcare practitioners and technical occupations
		<b>Healthcare Support Occupations</b>
3600	32	Nursing, psychiatric, and home health aides
3610, 3620	33	Occupational and physical therapist assistants and aides
3630, 3640, 3650	34	Other healthcare support occupations
		<b>Protective Service Occupations</b>
3700, 3710, 3720, 3730	35	First-line supervisors/managers, protective service workers
3740, 3750	36	Fire fighting and prevention workers
3800, 3820, 3830, 3840, 3850, 3860	37	Law enforcement workers
3900, 3910, 3920, 3940, 3950	38	Other protective service workers
		<b>Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations</b>
4000, 4010	39	Supervisors, food preparation, and serving workers
4020, 4030	40	Cooks and food preparation workers
4040, 4050, 4060, 4110, 4120	41	Food and beverage serving working
4130, 4140, 4150, 4160	42	Other food preparation and serving related workers

4200, 4210	43	<b>Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations</b>
4220, 4230, 4240	44	Supervisors, building and grounds cleaning and maintenance workers
4250	45	Building cleaning and pest control workers
		Grounds maintenance workers
4300, 4320	46	<b>Personal Care and Service Occupations</b>
4340, 4350	47	Supervisors, personal care and service workers
4400, 4410, 4420, 4430	48	Animal care and service workers
4460	49	Entertainment attendants and related workers
4500, 4510, 4520	50	Funeral service workers
4530, 4540, 4550	51	Personal appearance workers
4600, 4610, 4620, 4640, 4650	52	Transportation, tourism, and lodging attendants
		Other personal care and service workers
4700, 4710	53	<b>Sales and Related Occupations</b>
4720, 4740, 4750, 4760	54	Supervisors, sales workers
4800, 4810, 4820, 4830, 4840	55	Retail sales workers
4850	56	Sales representatives, services
4900, 4920, 4930, 4940, 4950, 4960	57	Sales representatives, wholesale and manufacturing
		Other sales and related workers
5000	58	<b>Office and Administrative Support Occupations</b>
5010, 5020, 5030	59	Supervisors, office and administrative support workers
5100, 5110, 5120, 5130, 5140, 5150, 5160	60	Communications equipment operators
5200, 5210, 5220, 5230, 5240, 5250, 5260, 5300,	61	Financial clerks
5310, 5320, 5330, 5340, 5350, 5360, 5400, 5410,		Information and record clerks
5420		
5500, 5510, 5520, 5530, 5540, 5550, 5560, 5600,	62	Material recording, scheduling, dispatching, and distributing workers
5610, 5620, 5630		
5700	63	Secretaries and administrative assistants
5800, 5810, 5820, 5830, 5840, 5850, 5860, 5900,	64	Other office and administrative support workers
5910, 5920, 5930		
6000	65	<b>Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations</b>
6010, 6020, 6040, 6050	66	Supervisors, farming, fishing, and forestry workers
6100, 6110	67	Agricultural workers
6120, 6130	68	Fishing and hunting workers
		Forest, conservation, and logging workers
6200	69	<b>Construction and Extraction Occupations</b>
6210, 6220, 6230, 6240, 6250, 6260, 6300, 6310,	70	Supervisors, construction and extraction workers
6320, 6330, 6350, 6360, 6400, 6420, 6430, 6440,		Construction trades workers
6460, 6500, 6510, 6520, 6530		
6600	71	Helpers, construction trades
6660, 6700, 6710, 6720, 6730, 6740, 6750, 6760	72	Other construction and related workers
6800, 6820, 6830, 6840, 6910, 6920, 6930, 6940	73	Extraction workers
7000	74	<b>Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations</b>
7010, 7020, 7030, 7040, 7050, 7100, 7110, 7120,	75	Supervisors of installation, maintenance, and repair workers
7130		Electrical and electronic equipment mechanics, installers, and repairers
7140, 7150, 7160, 7200, 7210, 7220, 7240, 7260	76	Vehicle and mobile equipment mechanics, installers, and repairers
7300, 7310, 7320, 7330, 7340, 7350, 7360, 7410,	77	Other installation, maintenance, and repair occupations
7420, 7430, 7510, 7520, 7540, 7550, 7560, 7600,		
7610, 7620		
7700	78	<b>Production Occupations</b>
7710, 7720, 7730, 7740, 7750	79	Supervisors, production workers
7800, 7810, 7830, 7840, 7850	80	Assemblers and fabricators
7900, 7920, 7930, 7940, 7950, 7960, 8000, 8010,	81	Food processing workers
8020, 8030, 8040, 8060, 8100, 8120, 8130, 8140,		Metal workers and plastic workers
8150, 8160, 8200, 8210, 8220		
8230, 8240, 8250, 8260	82	Printing workers
8300, 8310, 8320, 8330, 8340, 8350, 8360, 8400,	83	Textile, apparel, and furnishings workers
8410, 8420, 8430, 8440, 8450, 8460		
8500, 8510, 8520, 8530, 8540, 8550	84	Woodworkers
8600, 8610, 8620, 8630	85	Plant and system operators
8640, 8650, 8710, 8720, 8730, 8740, 8750, 8760,	86	Other production occupations
8800, 8810, 8830, 8840, 8850, 8860, 8900, 8910,		
8920, 8930, 8940, 8950, 8960		
9000	87	<b>Transportation and Material Moving Occupations</b>
9030, 9040	88	Supervisors, transportation and material moving workers
9110, 9120, 9130, 9140, 9150	89	Air transportation workers
9200, 9230, 9240, 9260	90	Motor vehicle operators
9300, 9310, 9330	91	Rail transportation workers
9340, 9350, 9360, 9410, 9420	92	Water transportation workers
9500, 9510, 9520, 9560, 9600, 9610, 9620, 9630,	93	Other transportation workers
9640, 9650, 9720, 9730, 9740, 9750		Material moving workers
9800, 9810, 9820, 9830, 9840	94	<b>Military Specific Occupations</b>
9997	97	Refused, classified
9998 and all other codes not listed	98	Not ascertained
9999	99	Don't know
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Numeric listing of Response Values and Labels for **OCCUPN2** (simple occupation recode)

Column 1 Input Response Values	Column 2 Output Response Values	Column 3 Output Response Labels
0010, 0020, 0030, 0040, 0050, 0060, 0100, 0110, 0120, 0130, 0140, 0150, 0160, 0200, 0210, 0220, 0230, 0300, 0310, 0320, 0330, 0340, 0350, 0360, 0400, 0410, 0420, 0430	01	<b>Management Occupations</b>
0500, 0510, 0520, 0530, 0540, 0560, 0600, 0620, 0700, 0710, 0720, 0730, 0800, 0810, 0820, 0830, 0840, 0850, 0860, 0900, 0910, 0930, 0940, 0950	02	<b>Business and Financial Operations Occupations</b>
1000, 1010, 1020, 1040, 1060, 1100, 1110, 1200, 1210, 1220, 1230, 1240	03	<b>Computer and Mathematical Occupations</b>
1300, 1310, 1320, 1330, 1340, 1350, 1360, 1400, 1410, 1420, 1430, 1440, 1450, 1460, 1500, 1510, 1520, 1530, 1540, 1550, 1560	04	<b>Architecture and Engineering Occupations</b>
1600, 1610, 1640, 1650, 1700, 1710, 1720, 1740, 1760, 1800, 1810, 1820, 1830, 1840, 1860, 1900, 1910, 1920, 1930, 1940, 1960	05	<b>Life, Physical, and Social Science Occupations</b>
2000, 2010, 2020, 2040, 2050, 2060	06	<b>Community and Social Services Occupations</b>
2100, 2110, 2140, 2150	07	<b>Legal Occupations</b>
2200, 2300, 2310, 2320, 2330, 2340, 2400, 2430, 2440, 2540, 2550	08	<b>Education, Training, and Library Occupations</b>
2600, 2630, 2700, 2710, 2720, 2740, 2750, 2760, 2800, 2810, 2820, 2830, 2840, 2850, 2860, 2900, 2910, 2920, 2960	09	<b>Arts, Design, Entertainment, Sports and Media Occupations</b>
3000, 3010, 3030, 3040, 3050, 3060, 3110, 3120, 3130, 3140, 3150, 3160, 3200, 3210, 3220, 3230, 3240, 3250, 3260, 3300, 3310, 3320, 3400, 3410, 3500, 3510, 3520, 3530, 3540	10	<b>Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Occupations</b>
3600, 3610, 3620, 3630, 3640, 3650	11	<b>Healthcare Support Occupations</b>
3700, 3710, 3720, 3730, 3740, 3750, 3800, 3820, 3830, 3840, 3850, 3860, 3900, 3910, 3920, 3940, 3950	12	<b>Protective Service Occupations</b>
4000, 4010, 4020, 4030, 4040, 4050, 4060, 4110, 4120, 4130, 4140, 4150, 4160	13	<b>Food Preparation and Serving Related Occupations</b>
4200, 4210, 4220, 4230, 4240, 4250	14	<b>Building and Grounds Cleaning and Maintenance Occupations</b>
4300, 4320, 4340, 4350, 4400, 4410, 4420, 4430, 4460, 4500, 4510, 4520, 4530, 4540, 4550, 4600, 4610, 4620, 4640, 4650	15	<b>Personal Care and Service Occupations</b>
4700, 4710, 4720, 4740, 4750, 4760, 4800, 4810, 4820, 4830, 4840, 4850, 4900, 4920, 4930, 4940, 4950, 4960	16	<b>Sales and Related Occupations</b>
5000, 5010, 5020, 5030, 5100, 5110, 5120, 5130, 5140, 5150, 5160, 5200, 5210, 5220, 5230, 5240, 5250, 5260, 5300, 5310, 5320, 5330, 5340, 5350, 5360, 5400, 5410, 5420, 5500, 5510, 5520, 5530, 5540, 5550, 5560, 5600, 5610, 5620, 5630, 5700, 5800, 5810, 5820, 5830, 5840, 5850, 5860, 5900, 5910, 5920, 5930	17	<b>Office and Administrative Support Occupations</b>
6000, 6010, 6020, 6040, 6050, 6100, 6110, 6120, 6130	18	<b>Farming, Fishing, and Forestry Occupations</b>
6200, 6210, 6220, 6230, 6240, 6250, 6260, 6300, 6310, 6320, 6330, 6350, 6360, 6400, 6420, 6430, 6440, 6460, 6500, 6510, 6520, 6530, 6600, 6660, 6700, 6710, 6720, 6730, 6740, 6750, 6760, 6800, 6820, 6830, 6840, 6910, 6920, 6930, 6940	19	<b>Construction and Extraction Occupations</b>
7000, 7010, 7020, 7030, 7040, 7050, 7100, 7110, 7120, 7130, 7140, 7150, 7160, 7200, 7210, 7220, 7240, 7260, 7300, 7310, 7320, 7330, 7340, 7350, 7360, 7410, 7420, 7430, 7510, 7520, 7540, 7550, 7560, 7600, 7610, 7620	20	<b>Installation, Maintenance, and Repair Occupations</b>
7700, 7710, 7720, 7730, 7740, 7750, 7800, 7810, 7830, 7840, 7850, 7900, 7920, 7930, 7940, 7950, 7960, 8000, 8010, 8020, 8030, 8040, 8060, 8100, 8120, 8130, 8140, 8150, 8160, 8200, 8210, 8220, 8230, 8240, 8250, 8260, 8300, 8310, 8320, 8330, 8340, 8350, 8360, 8400, 8410, 8420, 8430, 8440, 8450, 8460, 8500, 8510, 8520, 8530, 8540, 8550, 8600, 8610, 8620, 8630, 8640, 8650, 8710, 8720, 8730, 8740, 8750, 8760, 8800, 8810, 8830, 8840, 8850, 8860, 8900, 8910, 8920, 8930, 8940, 8950, 8960	21	<b>Production Occupations</b>



9000, 9030, 9040, 9110, 9120, 9130, 9140, 9150, 9200, 9230, 9240, 9260, 9300, 9310, 9330, 9340, 9350, 9360, 9410, 9420, 9500, 9510, 9520, 9560, 9600, 9610, 9620, 9630, 9640, 9650, 9720, 9730, 9740, 9750	22	<b>Transportation and Material Moving Occupations</b>
9800, 9810, 9820, 9830, 9840	23	<b>Military Specific Occupations</b>
9997	97	Refused, classified
9998 and all other codes not listed	98	Not ascertained
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