

PERSON - 1  
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 SAMPLE ADULT PERSON SECTION - PUBLIC USE  
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RECTYPE	Generated variable	
Generated		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
1-2	Record Type	
	30 Sample Adult	
	31,044	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: record type  
 Notes: None

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SRVY_YR	Generated variable	
Generated		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
3-6	Survey Year	
	2002 2002	
	31,044	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: survey year  
 Notes: None

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HHX Generated	Generated variable
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
	Sample adults 18+
7-12	Household Serial Number

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

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FMX Generated	Generated variable
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
	Sample adults 18+
13-14	Family Serial Number
31,044	01-08 Family number 1 thru 8

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: family number  
 Notes: Use this variable in combination with HHX to identify individual families.

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PX	Generated variable	
Generated	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
15-16	Person Number	
31,044	01-30 Person number 1 thru 30	

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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INTV_QRT	Generated variable	
Generated	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
17	Interview Quarter	
7,398	1 Quarter 1	
8,307	2 Quarter 2	
7,872	3 Quarter 3	
7,467	4 Quarter 4	

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

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SEX	(If not apparent) Is {Person} male or female?		
HHC.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
18	Sex		
	1 Male	13,505	
	2 Female	17,539	

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

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AGE_P	Recode		
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
19-20	Age		
	Sample adults 18+		
	18-84 18-84 years	30,374	
	85 85+ years	670	

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.

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ORIGIN_I	Does {person} consider {self} Hispanic/Latino?	
HHC.170		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
21	Hispanic Ethnicity	
	1 Yes	
5,273	2 No	
25,771		

Sources: None

Recodes: HISPAN\_I

Keywords: ethnicity; national origin; ancestry

Notes: This variable contains edited data from NATOR (HHC.170).

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ORIGIMPT	Recode	
HHC Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
22	Hispanic Origin Imputation Flag	
	14	1 Imputed 'refused' Hispanic Origin response
	0	2 Imputed 'not ascertained' Hispanic Origin
	5	3 Imputed 'does not know' Hispanic Origin
	31,025	4 Hispanic origin given by respondent/proxy

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Hispanic origin imputation

Notes: This variable indicates whether the Hispanic origin response is given in the survey or imputed. It also indicates the type of response (based on the raw data) that was imputed.

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HISPAN_I	Please give me the number of the group that represents your Hispanic origin or ancestry.	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
23-24	Hispanic subgroup detail	
	51 00 Multiple Hispanic	
	521 01 Puerto Rican	
	1,888 02 Mexican	
	1,385 03 Mexican-American	
	297 04 Cuban/Cuban American	
	153 05 Dominican (Republic)	
	819 06 Central or South American	
	8 07 Other Latin American, type not specified	
	151 08 Other Spanish	
	0 09 Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, non-specific type	
	0 10 Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, type refused	
	0 11 Hispanic/Latino/Spanish, type not ascertained	
	25,771 12 Not Hispanic/Spanish origin	

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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HISPIMPT	Recode	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
25	Type of Hispanic Origin Imputation Flag	
	15	1 Imputed 'refused' Hispanic Origin type
	1	2 Imputed 'not ascertained' Hispanic Origin type
	85	3 Imputed 'does not know' Hispanic Origin type
	30,943	4 Hispanic Origin type given by respondent/proxy

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: Type of Hispanic Origin imputation

Notes: This variable indicates whether the type of Hispanic Origin (e.g. Mexican, Cuban, etc) response is given in the survey or imputed. It also indicates the type of response (based on the raw data) that was imputed.

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RCDT1P_I	Recode	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
26-27	Race coded to single/multiple race group	
	01 White only	24,212
	02 Black/African American only	4,190
	03 AIAN only	168
	09 Asian Indian only	181
	10 Chinese only	185
	11 Filipino only	146
	15 Other Asian only	373
	16 Other race only	1,164
	17 Multiple detailed race*	425

Sources: HHC.200

Recodes: None

Keywords: race detail; new OMB standards

Notes: Data come from HHC.200. Where there is only one valid response for the first race, that answer is copied to this variable. If there were valid race responses in addition to the first one, the category "17" was assigned. \*The "multiple detailed race" category includes persons with multiple Asian or AIAN race mentions. Please note that while the categories for this variable are the same as those in the variable MRACRP\_I, the frequencies for the categories will be different because the information from HHC.220 is not used.

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RC_SMP_I	Recode	
HHC Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
28-29	Race summary detail for single/multiple	
	24,212 01 White only	
	4,190 02 Black/African American only	
	168 03 AIAN only*	
	885 04 Asian only	
	1,164 05 Other race only	
	425 06 Multiple detailed race only	

Sources: HHC.200

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; new OMB race standards

Notes: \*AIAN is American Indian/Alaska Native; This recode contains detail for 4 of the 5 OMB race groups, "Other race", and a multiple detailed race category. Detailed multiple race combinations have been collapsed into the "Multiple detailed race" category, and this category also contains persons with multiple Asian or AIAN race mentions. This recode does not include the information provided in HHC.220 for multiple race mentions (i.e. the "main" race).

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RACERP_I	Recode of full detail race groups	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
30-31	OMB groups w/multiple race	
	01 White only	24,212
	02 Black/African American only	4,190
	03 AIAN* only	168
	04 Asian only	898
	05 Other race only	1,181
	06 Multiple race	395

Sources: HHC.200

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; new OMB race standards

Notes: \*AIAN is American Indian/Alaska Native. This recode contains detail for 4 of the 5 OMB race groups, "Other" race, and a single multiple race category; detailed subgroups have been collapsed into a single category. Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander (NHOPI) is included in "Other" for confidentiality reasons. This recode does not include the information provided in HHC.220 for multiple race mentions (the "primary" race). Persons with multiple Asian or AIAN race mentions are coded as "Asian" or "AIAN", respectively on this variable.

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RACEIMPT	Recode
HHC Recode	
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
	Sample adults 18+
32	Race Imputation Flag
49	1 Imputed 'refused' race response
33	2 Imputed 'not ascertained' race response
37	3 Imputed 'does not know' race response
30,925	4 Race given by respondent/proxy

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: race imputation

Notes: This variable indicates whether the race response is given in the survey or imputed. It also indicates the type of response (based on the raw data) that was imputed.

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MRACRP_I	Recode	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
33-34	Race coded to a single race group	
	01 White	24,384
	02 Black/African American	4,256
	03 Indian (American), Alaska Native	215
	09 Asian Indian	182
	10 Chinese	191
	11 Filipino	155
	15 Other Asian*	389
	16 Other Race*	1,204
	17 Multiple Race*	68

Sources: HHC.200, HHC.220

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; old OMB race standards

Notes: \*Other Asian - this category includes Korean, Vietnamese, Japanese, and other Asian subgroups. Data came from HHC.200 and HHC.220. If only one race was given, that answer was copied from HHC.200. Those with more than one race mentioned had their response copied from HHC.220. For those who indicated more than one race, but did not select a main race, they were assigned "17" or "Multiple race". Respondents who indicated a verbatim response of non-specific multiracial heritage (e.g.: multiracial, biracial, Mestizo, Mulatto, etc.) were also coded "17" or "Multiple race". "Other race" includes Pacific Islander subgroups.

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MRACBP_I	Recode	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
35-36	Race coded to a single race group	
	01 White	24,384
	02 Black/African American	4,256
	03 Indian (American) (includes Eskimo, Aleut)	215
	06 Chinese	191
	07 Filipino	155
	12 Asian Indian	182
	16 Other race	1,593
	17 Multiple race	68

Sources: HHC.200; HHC.220

Recodes: None

Keywords: race; old OMB race standards; bridge variable

Notes: Data are from HHC.200 and HHC.220. MRACBP\_I creates a bridge between the old (MRACE\_P in 1997 and 1998) and new OMB race standards (MRACER\_P in 1999 and MRACRP\_I in 2000). When comparing NHIS health measures across years by detailed race categories, MRACBP\_I should be used. For confidentiality reasons, it is not possible to create a bridge for the API (Asian Pacific Islander) category. If only one race was given, that was copied from HHC.200. If more than one race was given, the response was copied from HHC.220. Those giving more than one race who did not select a main race were assigned "17". Respondents who indicated a verbatim response of non-specific multiracial heritage (e.g. multiracial, biracial, etc.) were also coded "17" or "Multiple race".

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RACREC_I		Recode	
HHC Recode			ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
			Sample adults 18+
37		Race Recode	
	24,401	1	White
	4,271	2	Black
	2,372	3	Other

Sources: HHC.200, HHC.220  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: race; old OMB race standards  
 Notes: None

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HISCOD_I		Recode	
HHC Recode			ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
			Sample adults 18+
38		Combined race/ethnicity recode	
	5,273	1	Hispanic
	20,442	2	Non-Hispanic White
	4,185	3	Non-Hispanic Black
	1,144	4	Non-Hispanic Other

Sources: ORIGIN\_I; RACREC\_I  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: race, ethnicity, national origin, old OMB race standards  
 Notes: None

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ERIMPFLG	Recode	
HHC Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
39	Ethnicity/Race Imputation Flag	
	221 1 Ethnicity/race imputed	
	30,823 2 Ethnicity/race given by respondent/proxy	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: ethnicity/race imputation

Notes: This is a summary variable that indicates whether the ethnicity or race response was given in the survey or imputed.

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EDUC	What is the HIGHEST level of school {person} {have/has} completed or the highest degree {person} {have/has} received? Please tell me the number from the card. Enter highest level of school:		
FSD.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
40-41	Highest level of school completed		
	209 00	Never attended/ kindergarten only	
	5,032 01-11	Grades 1 - 11	
	681 12	12th grade, no diploma	
	7,830 13	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	
	1,035 14	GED or equivalent	
	6,053 15	Some college, no degree	
	1,810 16	AA degree: technical or vocational	
	908 17	AA degree: academic program	
	4,716 18	Bachelor's degree (BA, AB, BS, BBA)	
	1,707 19	Master's degree (MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MBA)	
	376 20	Professional degree (MD, DDS, DVM, JD)	
	295 21	Doctoral degree (PhD, EdD)	
	0 96	Child under 5 years old	
	214 97	Refused	
	0 98	Not Ascertained	
	178 99	Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: education; level of education completed

Notes: A consistency check between age and years of education was carried out for respondents aged 5-17. Unlikely education values (e.g., a 17 year-old with a college degree) were reclassified as "Not ascertained."

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AB_BL20K	Recode	
FIN Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
42	Fam inc at/above vs. below \$20,000	
	21,234 1 \$20,000 or more	
	7,787 2 Less than \$20,000	
	1,381 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	642 9 Don't know	

Sources: FAMINC; FINC20; FINCCAT

Recodes: INCGRP

Keywords: income; poverty

Notes: The family's value for this variable is assigned to each member of the family, thus making it a person-level variable.

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RAT_CAT	Recode	
FIN Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
43-44	Ratio of fam inc to poverty threshold	
	01 Under .50	
1,231	02 .50 to .74	
978	03 .75 to .99	
1,219	04 1.00 to 1.24	
1,226	05 1.25 to 1.49	
1,223	06 1.50 to 1.74	
1,091	07 1.75 to 1.99	
1,066	08 2.00 to 2.49	
2,203	09 2.50 to 2.99	
2,058	10 3.00 to 3.49	
1,679	11 3.50 to 3.99	
1,496	12 4.00 to 4.49	
1,410	13 4.50 to 4.99	
1,016	14 5.00 and over	
5,671	96 Undefinable	
0	99 Unknown	
7,477		

Sources: FAMINC; FINC20; FINCCAT; FM\_SIZE; NUM\_KIDS

Recodes: INCGRP

Keywords: income; poverty

Notes: The family's value for this variable is assigned to each member of the family, thus making it a person-level variable. The "Undefinable" cases consist of families where the number of children under age 18 in the family is equivalent to the number of family members. Published 2001 poverty thresholds from the Census Bureau are used in these calculations.

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R_MARITL	Recode	
FID Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
45	Marital status	
	0 Under 14 years	
14,309	1 Married - spouse in household	
458	2 Married - spouse not in household	
0	3 Married - spouse in household unknown	
3,098	4 Widowed	
3,873	5 Divorced	
1,046	6 Separated	
6,600	7 Never married	
1,521	8 Living with partner	
139	9 Unknown marital status	

Sources: MARITL; SPOUS; AGE  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: marital status  
 Notes: None

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FM_SIZE	Generated variable	
Generated		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
46-47	Number of persons in family	
	31,044	01-30 Number of persons

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: family size  
 Notes: None

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REGION		
UCF		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
48	Region	
	5,685	1 Northeast
	7,128	2 Midwest
	11,482	3 South
	6,749	4 West

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: united states; region  
 Notes: Data from Unit Control File.

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WTIA_SA Generated	Generated variable  ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+  Sample adults 18+
49-54	Weight - Interim Annual

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: interim weight

Notes: Format of data has an implied decimal (XXXXX.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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WTFA_SA Generated	Generated variable  ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+  Sample adults 18+
55-60	Weight - Final Annual

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: final weight; annual; person weight

Notes: This weight should be used for most analyses at the person level when using a full year of data. This weight includes post-stratification adjustments (age, race/ethnicity, sex) using Census population controls. The sum of these weights is equal to the 2002 civilian, non-institutionalized U.S. adult population.

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STRATUM  
 Generated

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ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+

Sample adults 18+

61-63                      Stratum for variance estimation

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: variance estimation  
 Notes: Variable used in variance estimation; consult the appendix in the  
           Survey Description Document on variance estimation using NHIS data for  
           specific information.

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PSU  
 Generated

Generated variable

ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+

Sample adults 18+

64                            PSU for variance estimation

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: variance estimation  
 Notes: Variable used in variance estimation; consult the appendix in the  
           Survey Description Document on variance estimation using NHIS data for  
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PROXYSA	Sample Adult Response Status	
	AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
65	Response status is .....	
	306 1 Proxy	
	30,738 2 Not proxy	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: proxy respondent; response status  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 1  
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Freq.	Variable Label	
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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?	
ACN.010	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
66	Ever been told you had hypertension	
	1 Yes	8,055
	2 No	22,921
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	42

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

ACN - 2  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HYPDIFV	Were you told on two or more DIFFERENT visits that you had hypertension, also called high blood pressure?	
ACN.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and HYPEV =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had hypertension	
67	Ever told had hypertension on 2+ visits	
	1 Yes	7,025
	2 No	1,005
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	24
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	22,989

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

ACN - 3  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HYPYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had hypertension, also called high blood pressure?	
ACN.020.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and HYPEV =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had hypertension	
68	Had hypertension, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	6,384
	2 No	1,609
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	61
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	22,989

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: None

ACN - 4  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CHDEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... coronary heart disease?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
69	Ever told you had coronary heart disease	
	1 Yes	1,280
	2 No	29,686
	7 Refused	25
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	53

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; myocardial infarction; angina  
 Notes: None

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ANGEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... Angina, also called angina pectoris?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
70	Ever been told you had angina pectoris	
	1 Yes	856
	2 No	30,101
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	65

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; angina  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 5  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
MIEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... a heart attack (also called myocardial infarction)?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
71	Ever been told you had a heart attack	
	1 Yes	1,040
	2 No	29,939
	7 Refused	23
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	42

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; myocardial infarction  
 Notes: None

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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)?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
72	Ever told you had a heart cond/disease	
	1 Yes	2,201
	2 No	28,775
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	46

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: circulatory disease; heart disease; heart rhythm disorders  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 6  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
STREV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... a stroke?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
73	Ever been told you had a stroke	
	1 Yes	791
	2 No	30,201
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	30

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cerebrovascular disease; stroke; transient ischemic attack  
 Notes: None

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EPHEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...emphysema?	
ACN.031	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
74	Ever been told you had emphysema	
	1 Yes	522
	2 No	30,476
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	25

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory disease; emphysema; chronic obstructive lung disease  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 7  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CHDYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had coronary heart disease?	
ACN.031.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CHDEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had coronary heart disease	
75	Had coronary heart disease, past 12 mths	
	1 Yes	822
	2 No	449
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	9
	<Blank: Not in universe>	29,764

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

ACN - 8  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ANGYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had angina pectoris?	
ACN.031.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ANGEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had angina pectoris	
76	Had angina pectoris, past 12 months	
	499 1 Yes	
	352 2 No	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	5 9 Don't know	
	30,188 <Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; angina

Notes: None

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ACN - 9  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
MIYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a heart attack?	
ACN.031.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and MIEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had a heart attack	
77	Had a heart attack, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	245
	2 No	787
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	8
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,004

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: coronary; ischemic; heart disease; myocardial infarction

Notes: None

ACN - 10  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
HRTYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a heart condition/disease?	09/09/03
ACN.031.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and HRTEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had a heart condition/disease	
78	Had a heart cond/disease, past 12 months	
1,329	1 Yes	
838	2 No	
0	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
34	9 Don't know	
28,843	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: circulatory disease; heart disease; heart rhythm disorders

Notes: None

ACN - 11  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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STRYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had a stroke?	
ACN.031.010		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and STREV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had a stroke	
79	Had a stroke, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	209
	2 No	573
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	9
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,253

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: cerebrovascular disease; stroke; transient ischemic attack

Notes: None

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EPHYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had emphysema?	
ACN.031.010		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and EPHEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had emphysema	
80	Had emphysema, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	440
	2 No	78
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,522

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; emphysema; chronic obstructive lung disease

Notes: None

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ACN - 13  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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IRRHBEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...irregular heartbeats?	
ACN.031.020	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
83	Ever told you had irregular heartbeats	
	1 Yes	2,978
	2 No	27,948
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	92

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: irregular heartbeats  
 Notes: None

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CONHFEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...congestive heart failure?	
ACN.031.020	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
84	Ever told you had heart failure	
	1 Yes	577
	2 No	30,367
	7 Refused	25
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	75

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: congestive heart failure  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 14  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HCHLYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had high cholesterol?	
ACN.031.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and HCHLEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had high cholesterol	
85	Had high cholesterol, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	4,872
	2 No	1,430
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	196
	<Blank: Not in universe>	24,546

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: high cholesterol  
 Notes: None

ACN - 15  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
PCIRCYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had poor circulation in your legs?	
ACN.031.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and PCIRCEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had poor circulation in their legs	
86	Had poor circulation, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	2,686
	2 No	310
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	22
	<Blank: Not in universe>	28,026

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: poor circulation in legs  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 16  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
IRRHBYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had irregular heartbeats?	
ACN.031.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and IRRHBEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had irregular heartbeats	
87	Had irregular heartbeats, past 12 months	
2,076	1 Yes	
860	2 No	
0	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
42	9 Don't know	
28,066	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: irregular heartbeats  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 17  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CONHFYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had congestive heart failure?	
ACN.031.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CONHFEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had congestive heart failure	
88	Had heart failure, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	389
	2 No	184
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,467

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: congestive heart failure  
 Notes: None

ACN - 18  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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AASMEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... asthma?	
ACN.080	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
89	Ever been told you had asthma	
	3,327 1 Yes	
	27,672 2 No	
	16 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	29 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing  
 Notes: None

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AASSTILL	Do you still have asthma?	
ACN.085	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AASMEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told by a doctor or other health professional that they had asthma	
90	Still have asthma	
	2,163 1 Yes	
	1,111 2 No	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	52 9 Don't know	
	27,717 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing  
 Notes: None

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ACN - 19  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AASMYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack?	
ACN.090	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AASMEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had asthma	
91	Had an asthma episode/attack, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	1,216
	2 No	2,102
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	9
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	27,717

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

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ACN - 20  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AASMERYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had to visit an emergency room or urgent care center because of asthma?	
ACN.100	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AASMYR =1	
	Sample adults 18+ with asthma episode/attack in the past 12 m	
92	Had visit to ER due to asthma, past 12 m	
	336 1 Yes	
	877 2 No	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
	29,828 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; asthma emergency

Notes: None

ACN - 21  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
AWZMSWK	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, HOW MANY DAYS were you UNABLE to work because of your asthma?		
ACN.100.010	ASTATFLG=1, AGE = 18+ and AASMYR =1		
	Sample adults 18+ with asthma episode/attack in past 12 months		
93-95	# days missed due to asthma, past 12 mo.		
	692 000 None		
	380 001-365 1-365 days		
	96 996 Unable to do this activity		
	3 997 Refused		
	0 998 Not ascertained		
	45 999 Don't know		
	29,828 <Blank: Not in universe>		

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: asthma; work absence  
 Notes: None

ACN - 22  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
ACN.100.020	<p>ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and [AASSTILL (e) = 1, or (AASSTILL (e) = 1 and AASMYR (e) = 1, 2, 7, 9) OR (AASMYR (e) = 1)]</p> <p>Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma but have not had, or Ref/NA/DK, an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months OR who have had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months.</p>	
96	Ever taken preventive asthma meds	
	1 Yes	1,456
	2 No	751
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	11
	<Blank: Not in universe>	28,826

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing  
 Notes: None

ACN - 23  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AASWMP	Has a doctor or other health professional EVER given you an asthma management plan?	
ACN.100.030	<p>ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and [AASSTILL (e) = 1, or (AASSTILL (e) = 1 and AASMYR (e) = 1, 2, 7, 9) OR (AASMYR (e) = 1)]</p> <p>Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma but have not had, or Ref/NA/DK, an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months OR who have had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months.</p>	
97	Given an asthma management plan	
	1 Yes	668
	2 No	1,536
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	14
	<Blank: Not in universe>	28,826

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing

Notes: None

ACN - 24  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AAPENVLN	Has a doctor or other health professional EVER advised you to change things in your home, school, or work to improve your asthma?	
ACN.100.040	<p>ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ((AASSTILL = 1 and AASMYR = 2, 7, 9) OR (AASMYR = 1))</p> <p>Sample adults 18+ who still have asthma but have not had, or Ref/NA/DK, an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months OR who have had an episode of asthma or an asthma attack in the past 12 months.</p>	
98	Ever advised to change environment	
	1 Yes	894
	2 No	1,277
	3 Was told no changes needed	39
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	8
	<Blank: Not in universe>	28,826

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory disease; asthma; trouble breathing  
 Notes: None



ACN - 25  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
	Variable Label		
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
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.		
ACN.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
99	Ever been told you had an ulcer		
	2,414	1	Yes
	28,560	2	No
	18	7	Refused
	0	8	Not ascertained
	52	9	Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: digestive disease; ulcer; stomach trouble; duodenal; peptic  
 Notes: None

ULCYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS have you had an ulcer?		
ACN.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ULCEV=1		
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had an ulcer		
100	Had an ulcer in past 12 months		
	743	1	Yes
	1,649	2	No
	0	7	Refused
	0	8	Not ascertained
	22	9	Don't know
	28,630	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: digestive disease; ulcer; stomach trouble; duodenal; peptic  
 Notes: None

ACN - 26  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
BOWLEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had inflammatory bowel disease, irritable bowel, or constipation severe enough to require medication?	09/09/03
ACN.125.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
101	Ever been told you had irritable bowel	
	1 Yes	
	2 No	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: inflammatory bowel disease; irritable bowels; severe constipation

Notes: None

ACN - 27  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
BOWLYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had inflammatory bowel disease, irritable bowel, or constipation severe enough to require medication?	
ACN.125.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and BOWLEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had inflammatory bowel disease, irritable bowel, or constipation severe enough to require medication	
102	Had irritable bowel, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	1,156
	2 No	612
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	7
	<Blank: Not in universe>	29,269

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: inflammatory bowel disease; irritable bowel; severe constipation

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALLRFEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... an allergic reaction to food or odors?	
ACN.125.030	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
105	Ever told you had food/odor allergies	
	1 Yes	2,206
	2 No	28,752
	7 Refused	24
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	62

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: food allergies; odor allergies  
 Notes: None

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ALLRMEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... an allergic reaction to medication severe enough to require treatment or medication?	
ACN.125.030	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
106	Ever told you had medication allergies	
	1 Yes	4,033
	2 No	26,917
	7 Refused	24
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	70

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: medication allergies  
 Notes: None

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THYRYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had thyroid problems (hypo or hyper)?	
ACN.125.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and THYREV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had thyroid problems (hypo or hyper)	
107	Had thyroid problems, past 12 months	
1,563	1 Yes	
699	2 No	
0	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
22	9 Don't know	
28,760	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: hypothyroidism; hyperthyroidism  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
URINPYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had urinary problems such as incontinence, frequent or slow urination or infections?	
ACN.125.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and URINPEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had urinary problems such as incontinence, frequent or slow urination or infections	
108	Had urinary problems, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	1,720
	2 No	838
	7 Refused	2
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in universe>	28,480

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: incontinence; frequent urination; slow urination; urinary tract infection

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
ALLRFYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had an allergic reaction to food or odors?	
ACN.125.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALLRFEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had an allergic reaction to food or odors	
109	Had food/odor allergies, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	
	2 No	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: food allergies; odor allergies  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
ALLRMYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had an allergic reaction to medication severe enough to require treatment or medication?	
ACN.125.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALLRMEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had an allergic reaction to medication severe enough to require treatment or medication	
110	Had medication allergies, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	966
	2 No	3,051
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	16
	<Blank: Not in universe>	27,011

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: medication allergies  
 Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
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NEUROPEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Neuropathy?	
ACN.125.050	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
113	Ever told you had Neuropathy	
	1 Yes	305
	2 No	30,685
	7 Refused	20
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	34

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

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SEIZEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...seizures?	
ACN.125.050	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
114	Ever told you had Seizures	
	1 Yes	432
	2 No	30,576
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	15

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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INSOMYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you... regularly had insomnia or trouble sleeping?	
ACN.125.060	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
115	Had insomnia, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	5,712
	2 No	25,266
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	40

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: insomnia; trouble sleeping  
 Notes: None

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FATIGYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you... regularly had excessive sleepiness during the day?	
ACN.125.060	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
116	Had excessive sleepiness, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	3,129
	2 No	27,852
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	37

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: excessive sleepiness; lethargy; fatigue  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
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	Value / Value Labels	
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PAINYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you... had recurring pain?	
ACN.125.060	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
117	Had recurring pain, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	5,656
	2 No	25,326
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	36

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: recurring pain  
 Notes: None

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ANXDEPYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been frequently depressed or anxious?	
ACN.125.070	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
118	Frequently depressed, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	5,357
	2 No	25,575
	7 Refused	41
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	71

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: depression; anxiety  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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SPRAIN12R	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had...any severe sprains or strains?	
ACN.125.080	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
119	Had severe sprains, past 12 months	
	2,511 1 Yes	
	28,481 2 No	
	22 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	30 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: severe sprain; severe strain  
 Notes: None

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DENTLP12R	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had...dental pain?	
ACN.125.080	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
120	Had dental pain, past 12 months	
	3,968 1 Yes	
	27,039 2 No	
	22 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	15 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: dental pain  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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SKINPYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had...skin problems?	
ACN.125.080	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
121	Had skin problems, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	2,726
	2 No	28,281
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	16

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: skin problems  
 Notes: None

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CANEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had ... cancer or a malignancy of any kind?	
ACN.130	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
122	Ever told by a doctor you had cancer	
	1 Yes	2,262
	2 No	28,734
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	27

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; malignant neoplasm; malignancy  
 Notes: None

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CNKIND1 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?	
	ASTATFLG=1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
123	What kind of cancer...bladder	
49	1 Mentioned	
2,198	2 Not mentioned	
6	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; bladder neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE1 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
	ASTATFLG=1, AGE =18+ and CNKIND1 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had bladder cancer	
124-125	Age first diagnosed w/bladder cancer	
48	01-84 1-84 Years	
1	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
0	99 Don't Know	
30,995	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND2	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

126	What kind of cancer...blood	
	11 1 Mentioned	
	2,236 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; blood neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE2	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND2 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer of the blood	

127-128	Age first diagnosed w/cancer of blood	
	10 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,033 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND3  
 ACN.140

What kind of cancer was it?

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer

129

What kind of cancer...bone

18	1	Mentioned
2,229	2	Not mentioned
6	7	Refused
0	8	Not ascertained
9	9	Don't know
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; bone neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE3  
 ACN.150

How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND3 = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had bone cancer

130-131

Age first diagnosed w/bone cancer

18	01-84	1-84 Years
0	85	85+ years
0	97	Refused
0	98	Not ascertained
0	99	Don't Know
31,026	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND4	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

132	What kind of cancer...brain	
13	1 Mentioned	
2,234	2 Not mentioned	
6	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; brain neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE4	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND4 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had brain cancer	

133-134	Age first diagnosed w/ brain cancer	
13	01-84 1-84 Years	
0	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
0	99 Don't Know	
31,031	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND5                      What kind of cancer was it?  
 ACN.140

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer

135		What kind of cancer...breast			
	375	1	Mentioned		
	1,872	2	Not mentioned		
	6	7	Refused		
	0	8	Not ascertained		
	9	9	Don't know		
	28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>			

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; breast neoplasms  
 Notes: None

CANAGE5                      How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  
 ACN.150

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND5 = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had breast cancer

136-137		Age first diagnosed w/breast cancer			
	367	01-84	1-84 Years		
	5	85	85+ years		
	0	97	Refused		
	0	98	Not ascertained		
	3	99	Don't Know		
	30,669	<Blank: Not in Universe>			

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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CNKIND6 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ , SEX = 2 and CANEV = 1  Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer																		
138	What kind of cancer...cervix  <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">196</td> <td style="width: 5%; text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="width: 80%;">Mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">1,164</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> <td>Not mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">7</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">8</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">8</td> <td style="text-align: center;">9</td> <td>Don't know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">29,673</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	196	1	Mentioned	1,164	2	Not mentioned	3	7	Refused	0	8	Not ascertained	8	9	Don't know	29,673		<Blank: Not in Universe>
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1,164	2	Not mentioned																	
3	7	Refused																	
0	8	Not ascertained																	
8	9	Don't know																	
29,673		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; cervix neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE6 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, SEX = 2 and CNKIND6 = 1  Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cervical cancer																		
139-140	Age first diagnosed w/cervical cancer  <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">196</td> <td style="width: 5%; text-align: center;">01-84</td> <td style="width: 80%;">1-84 Years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">85</td> <td>85+ years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">97</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">98</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">99</td> <td>Don't Know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">30,848</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	196	01-84	1-84 Years	0	85	85+ years	0	97	Refused	0	98	Not ascertained	0	99	Don't Know	30,848		<Blank: Not in Universe>
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0	99	Don't Know																	
30,848		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

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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CNKIND7  
 ACN.140

What kind of cancer was it?

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer

141

What kind of cancer...colon

171	1	Mentioned
2,076	2	Not mentioned
6	7	Refused
0	8	Not ascertained
9	9	Don't know
28,782	<Blank:	Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; colonic neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE7  
 ACN.150

How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND7 = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had colon cancer

142-143

Age first diagnosed w/colon cancer

161	01-84	1-84 Years
6	85	85+ years
0	97	Refused
0	98	Not ascertained
4	99	Don't Know
30,873	<Blank:	Not in Universe>

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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CNKIND8	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

144	What kind of cancer...esophagus	
	1 Mentioned	
	2,239 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; esophageal neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE8	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND8 = 1	
	Sample adults who were ever told they had esophageal cancer	

145-146	Age first diagnosed w/esophageal cancer	
	8 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,036 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND9	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

147	What kind of cancer...gallbladder	
	3 1 Mentioned	
	2,244 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; gallbladder neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE9	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND9 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had gallbladder cancer	

148-149	Age first diagnosed w/gallbladder cancer	
	3 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,041 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND10	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

150	What kind of cancer...kidney	
43	1 Mentioned	
2,204	2 Not mentioned	
6	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; kidney neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE10	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND10 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had kidney cancer	

151-152	Age first diagnosed w/kidney cancer	
42	01-84 1-84 Years	
1	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
0	99 Don't Know	
31,001	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND11 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1  Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer
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153	What kind of cancer...larynx-windpipe  <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right;">16</td> <td style="width: 5%;">1</td> <td style="width: 80%;">Mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">2,231</td> <td>2</td> <td>Not mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">6</td> <td>7</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td>8</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">9</td> <td>9</td> <td>Don't know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">28,782</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	16	1	Mentioned	2,231	2	Not mentioned	6	7	Refused	0	8	Not ascertained	9	9	Don't know	28,782		<Blank: Not in Universe>
16	1	Mentioned																	
2,231	2	Not mentioned																	
6	7	Refused																	
0	8	Not ascertained																	
9	9	Don't know																	
28,782		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; laryngeal neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE11 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND11 = 1  Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer of the larynx-windpipe
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154-155	Age first diag w/cancer: larynx-windpipe  <table style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%; text-align: right;">15</td> <td style="width: 5%;">01-84</td> <td style="width: 80%;">1-84 Years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">1</td> <td>85</td> <td>85+ years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td>97</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td>98</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td>99</td> <td>Don't Know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">31,028</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	15	01-84	1-84 Years	1	85	85+ years	0	97	Refused	0	98	Not ascertained	0	99	Don't Know	31,028		<Blank: Not in Universe>
15	01-84	1-84 Years																	
1	85	85+ years																	
0	97	Refused																	
0	98	Not ascertained																	
0	99	Don't Know																	
31,028		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

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.

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CNKIND12	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
156	What kind of cancer...leukemia	
	26 1 Mentioned	
	2,221 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; blood neoplasms; leukemia  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE12	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND12 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had leukemia	
157-158	Age first diagnosed w/leukemia	
	25 01-84 1-84 Years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,018 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND13	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

159	What kind of cancer...liver	
	12 1 Mentioned	
	2,235 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; liver neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE13	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND13 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had liver cancer	

160-161	Age first diagnosed w/liver cancer	
	12 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,032 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND14                                      What kind of cancer was it?  
 ACN.140

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer

162    What kind of cancer...lung

82	1	Mentioned
2,165	2	Not mentioned
6	7	Refused
0	8	Not ascertained
9	9	Don't know
28,782	<Blank:	Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; lung neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE14                                      How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  
 ACN.150

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND14 = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had lung cancer

163-164                                        Age first diagnosed w/lung cancer

79	01-84	1-84 Years
2	85	85+ years
0	97	Refused
0	98	Not ascertained
1	99	Don't Know
30,962	<Blank:	Not in Universe>

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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CNKIND15	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

165	What kind of cancer...lymphoma	
	61 1 Mentioned	
	2,186 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; lymphoma neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE15	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND15 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had lymphoma	

166-167	Age first diagnosed w/lymphoma	
	60 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't Know	
	30,983 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND16	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
168	What kind of cancer...melanoma	
	129 1 Mentioned	
	2,118 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; melanoma neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE16	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND16 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had melanoma	
169-170	Age first diagnosed w/melanoma	
	127 01-84 1-84 Years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't Know	
	30,915 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND17	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

171	What kind of cancer...mouth/tongue/lip	
12	1 Mentioned	
2,235	2 Not mentioned	
6	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; mouth neoplasms; tongue neoplasms; lip neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE17	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND17 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had mouth/tongue/lip cancer	

172-173	Age first diag w/mouth/tongue/lip cancer	
10	01-84 1-84 Years	
2	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
0	99 Don't Know	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND18	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, SEX = 2, and CANEV = 1	
	Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
174	What kind of cancer...ovarian	
	1 Mentioned	57
	2 Not mentioned	1,303
	7 Refused	3
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	8
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	29,673

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; ovarian neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE18	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, SEX = 2 and CNKIND18 = 1	
	Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had ovarian cancer	
175-176	Age first diagnosed w/ovarian cancer	
	01-84 1-84 Years	56
	85 85+ years	0
	97 Refused	0
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't Know	1
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,987

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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CNKIND20 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, SEX = 1, and CANEV = 1	
	Male Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
180	What kind of cancer...prostate	
230	1 Mentioned	
657	2 Not mentioned	
3	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
1	9 Don't know	
30,153	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; prostatic neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE20 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, SEX = 1 and CNKIND20 = 1	
	Male sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had prostate cancer	
181-182	Age first diagnosed w/prostate cancer	
228	01-84 1-84 Years	
1	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
1	99 Don't Know	
30,814	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND21	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
183	What kind of cancer...rectum	
	13    1    Mentioned	
	2,234    2    Not mentioned	
	6    7    Refused	
	0    8    Not ascertained	
	9    9    Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; rectal neoplasms  
 Notes: None

CANAGE21	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND21 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer of the rectum	
184-185	Age first diagnosed w/cancer of rectum	
	12    01-84    1-84 Years	
	0    85    85+ years	
	0    97    Refused	
	0    98    Not ascertained	
	1    99    Don't Know	
31,031	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND22 ACN.140		What kind of cancer was it?	
		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
		Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
186		What kind of cancer..skin (non-melanoma)	
	402	1 Mentioned	
	1,845	2 Not mentioned	
	6	7 Refused	
	0	8 Not ascertained	
	9	9 Don't know	
	28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; skin neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE22 ACN.150		How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND22 = 1	
		Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had skin cancer (non-melanoma)	
187-188		Age first diag:skin cancer, non-melanoma	
	386	01-84 1-84 Years	
	9	85 85+ years	
	0	97 Refused	
	0	98 Not ascertained	
	7	99 Don't Know	
	30,642	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND23	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

189	What kind of cancer...skin (DK kind)	
236	1 Mentioned	
2,011	2 Not mentioned	
6	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; skin neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE23	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND23 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had skin cancer (DK what kind)	

190-191	Age first diag w/skin cancer, DK kind	
219	01-84 1-84 Years	
10	85 85+ years	
0	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
7	99 Don't Know	
30,808	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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CNKIND24	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
192	Type of cancer..soft tissue (muscle)	
	11 1 Mentioned	
	2,236 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; soft tissue neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE24	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND24 =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had soft tissue cancer	
193-194	Age first diagnosed w/soft tissue cancer	
	10 01-84 1-84 Years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't Know	
	31,033 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND25 ACN.140		What kind of cancer was it?	
		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
		Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
195		What kind of cancer...stomach	
	25	1	Mentioned
	2,222	2	Not mentioned
	6	7	Refused
	0	8	Not ascertained
	9	9	Don't know
	28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; stomach neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE25 ACN.150		How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND25 =1	
		Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had stomach cancer	
196-197		Age first diagnosed w/stomach cancer	
	24	01-84	1-84 Years
	0	85	85+ years
	0	97	Refused
	0	98	Not ascertained
	1	99	Don't Know
	31,019	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND26 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, SEX = 1 and CANEV = 1  Male Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	
198	What kind of cancer ... testicular	
	13    1    Mentioned 874    2    Not mentioned 3    7    Refused 0    8    Not ascertained 1    9    Don't know 30,153    <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; testicular neoplasms  
 Notes: None

CANAGE26 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, SEX = 1 and CNKIND26 = 1  Male sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had testicular cancer	
199-200	Age first diagnosed w/testicular cancer	
	13    01-84    1-84 Years 0    85        85+ years 0    97        Refused 0    98        Not ascertained 0    99        Don't Know 31,031    <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND27	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

201	What kind of cancer...throat-pharynx	
	30 1 Mentioned	
	2,217 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; pharyngeal neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE27	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND27 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had throat-pharynx cancer	

202-203	Age first diag w/throat-pharynx cancer	
	29 01-84 1-84 Years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	31,014 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND28	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

204	What kind of cancer...thyroid	
	49 1 Mentioned	
	2,198 2 Not mentioned	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,782 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; thyroid neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE28	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND28 =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had thyroid cancer	

205-206	Age first diagnosed w/thyroid cancer	
	48 01-84 1-84 Years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't Know	
	30,995 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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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CNKIND29 ACN.140	What kind of cancer was it?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, SEX = 2 and CANEV = 1  Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer																		
207	What kind of cancer...uterine  <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">135</td> <td style="width: 5%; text-align: center;">1</td> <td style="width: 80%;">Mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">1,225</td> <td style="text-align: center;">2</td> <td>Not mentioned</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">3</td> <td style="text-align: center;">7</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">8</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">8</td> <td style="text-align: center;">9</td> <td>Don't know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">29,673</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	135	1	Mentioned	1,225	2	Not mentioned	3	7	Refused	0	8	Not ascertained	8	9	Don't know	29,673		<Blank: Not in Universe>
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1,225	2	Not mentioned																	
3	7	Refused																	
0	8	Not ascertained																	
8	9	Don't know																	
29,673		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; uterine neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE29 ACN.150	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?  ASTATFLG = 1, Age = 18+, SEX = 2 and CNKIND29 = 1  Female sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had uterine cancer																		
208-209	Age first diagnosed w/uterine cancer  <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%; text-align: right;">133</td> <td style="width: 5%; text-align: center;">01-84</td> <td style="width: 80%;">1-84 Years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">85</td> <td>85+ years</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">1</td> <td style="text-align: center;">97</td> <td>Refused</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">98</td> <td>Not ascertained</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">0</td> <td style="text-align: center;">99</td> <td>Don't Know</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">30,909</td> <td></td> <td>&lt;Blank: Not in Universe&gt;</td> </tr> </table>	133	01-84	1-84 Years	1	85	85+ years	1	97	Refused	0	98	Not ascertained	0	99	Don't Know	30,909		<Blank: Not in Universe>
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1	85	85+ years																	
1	97	Refused																	
0	98	Not ascertained																	
0	99	Don't Know																	
30,909		<Blank: Not in Universe>																	

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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CNKIND30	What kind of cancer was it?	
ACN.140		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer	

210	What kind of cancer...other	
	1 Mentioned	85
	2 Not mentioned	2,162
	7 Refused	6
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	9
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,782

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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CANAGE30	How old were you when cancer was first diagnosed?	
ACN.150		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CNKIND30 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had other cancer	

211-212	Age first diagnosed w/other cancer	
	01-84 1-84 Years	82
	85 85+ years	3
	97 Refused	0
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't Know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,959

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.

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CNKIND31  
 ACN.140

What kind of cancer was it?

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and CANEV = 1

Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cancer

213

What kind of cancer...more than 3 kinds

4	1	Mentioned
2,243	2	Not mentioned
6	7	Refused
0	8	Not ascertained
9	9	Don't know
28,782	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: cancer; neoplasms  
 Notes: None

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DIBEV

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

ACN.160

ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+

Sample adults 18+

214

Ever been told that you have diabetes

2,186	1	Yes
28,526	2	No
293	3	Borderline
17	7	Refused
0	8	Not ascertained
22	9	Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: endocrine; sugar; diabetes  
 Notes: None

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DIBAGE	How old were you when a doctor FIRST told you that you had diabetes or sugar diabetes?	
ACN.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DIBEV =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)	
215-216	Age first diagnosed w/diabetes	
2,122	01-84 1-84 Years	
10	85 85+ years	
9	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
45	99 Don't Know	
28,858	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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DIFAGE2	Recode	
ACN Recode	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DIBEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)	
217-218	Years since first diagnosed w/diabetes	
	121 00 Within past year	
	2,004 01-84 1-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	7 96 1+ year(s) with diabetes and age is 85+	
	9 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	45 99 Don't Know	
	28,858 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: DIBAGE; AGE

Recodes: None

Keywords: Diabetes age check

Notes: 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.



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INSLN ACN.180	Are you NOW taking insulin?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DIBEV =1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)	
219	NOW taking insulin	
	615 1 Yes	
	1,563 2 No	
	4 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	28,858 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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

DIBPILL ACN.190	Are you NOW taking diabetic pills to lower your blood sugar? These are sometimes called oral agents or oral hypoglycemic agents.	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DIBEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had diabetes (other than during pregnancy)	
220	NOW taking diabetic pills	
	1,544 1 Yes	
	630 2 No	
	3 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	28,858 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: diabetes; sugar; oral medication  
 Notes: None

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AHAYFYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had... hay fever	
ACN.201	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
221	Told that you had hay fever, past 12 m	
	2,740	1 Yes
	28,242	2 No
	23	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	39	9 Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory condition; hay fever; allergic rhinitis (non-asthma)  
 Notes: None

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SINYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...sinusitis?	
ACN.201	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
222	Told that you had sinusitis, past 12 m	
	4,391	1 Yes
	26,584	2 No
	23	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	46	9 Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory condition; sinusitis; nasal congestion  
 Notes: None

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CBRCHYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...chronic bronchitis?	
ACN.201	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
223	Told you had chronic bronchitis, 12 m	
	1 Yes	1,437
	2 No	29,555
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	30

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: respiratory condition; chronic bronchitis  
 Notes: None

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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.	
ACN.201	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
224	Told you had weak/failing kidneys, 12 m	
	1 Yes	465
	2 No	30,534
	7 Refused	23
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	22

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: renal disease; nephritis; kidney disease  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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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?	
ACN.201	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
225	Told you had liver condition, past 12 m	
	413	1 Yes
	30,580	2 No
	23	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	28	9 Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: liver condition; cirrhosis of liver  
 Notes: None

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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?	
ACN.250	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
226	Had pain/aching at joints, past 30 d	
	9,320	1 Yes
	21,653	2 No
	25	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	46	9 Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: arthritis; rheumatism; musculo-skeletal disease; diseased joints  
 Notes: None

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JMTHP1 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
227	Which joint affected...shoulder-right	
	1 Mentioned	2,295
	2 Not mentioned	7,003
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right shoulder joint disease; right shoulder arthritis

Notes: None

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JMTHP2 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
228	Which joint affected...shoulder-left	
	2,067 1 Mentioned	
	7,231 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	22 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left shoulder joint disease; left shoulder arthritis

Notes: None

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JMTHP3 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
229	Which joint affected...elbow-right	
	1 1,322 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,976 2 Not mentioned	
	7 0 7 Refused	
	8 22 8 Not ascertained	
	9 0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right elbow joint disease; right elbow arthritis

Notes: None

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JMTHP4 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
230	Which joint affected...elbow-left	
	1 1,215 1 Mentioned	
	2 8,083 2 Not mentioned	
	7 0 7 Refused	
	8 22 8 Not ascertained	
	9 0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left elbow joint disease; left elbow arthritis

Notes: None



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JMTHP5 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
231	Which joint affected...hip-right	
	1 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,550 2 Not mentioned	
	3 0 7 Refused	
	4 22 8 Not ascertained	
	5 0 9 Don't know	
	6 21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right hip joint disease; right hip arthritis

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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JMTHP6	Which joints are affected?	
ACN.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
232	Which joint affected...hip-left	
	1 1,633 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,665 2 Not mentioned	
	7 0 7 Refused	
	8 22 8 Not ascertained	
	9 0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: left hip joint disease; left hip arthritis  
 Notes: None

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JMTHP7 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
233	Which joint affected...wrist-right	
	1 1,479 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,819 2 Not mentioned	
	7 0 7 Refused	
	8 22 8 Not ascertained	
	9 0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right wrist joint disease; right wrist arthritis

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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JMTHP8 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
234	Which joint affected...wrist-left	
	1 1,376 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,922 2 Not mentioned	
	7 0 7 Refused	
	8 22 8 Not ascertained	
	9 0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left wrist joint disease; left wrist arthritis

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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JMTHP9	Which joints are affected?	
ACN.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
235	Which joint affected...knee-right	
	4,413 1 Mentioned	
	4,885 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	22 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: right knee joint disease; right knee arthritis  
 Notes: None

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JMTHP10	Which joints are affected?	
ACN.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
236	Which joint affected...knee-left	
	1 Mentioned	4,319
	2 Not mentioned	4,979
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left knee joint disease; left knee arthritis

Notes: None

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JMTHP11	Which joints are affected?	
ACN.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
237	Which joint affected...ankle-right	
	1 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,683 Not mentioned	
	3 0 7 Refused	
	4 22 8 Not ascertained	
	5 0 9 Don't know	
	6 21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right ankle joint disease; right ankle arthritis

Notes: None

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JMTHP12	Which joints are affected?	
ACN.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
238	Which joint affected...ankle-left	
	1 1 Mentioned	
	2 7,767 Not mentioned	
	7 0 Refused	
	8 22 Not ascertained	
	9 0 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left ankle joint disease; left ankle arthritis

Notes: None



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JMTHP13 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
239	Which joint affected...toes-right	
	1 Mentioned	789
	2 Not mentioned	8,509
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: right toes joint disease; right toes arthritis

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JMTHP14 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
240	Which joint affected...toes-left	
	1 Mentioned	720
	2 Not mentioned	8,578
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: left toes joint disease; left toes arthritis

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JMTHP15 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
241	Which jnt affected..fingers/thumb-right	
2,222	1 Mentioned	
7,076	2 Not mentioned	
0	7 Refused	
22	8 Not ascertained	
0	9 Don't know	
21,724	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JMTHP16 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
242	Which jnt affected..fingers/thumb-left	
	1 Mentioned	2,054
	2 Not mentioned	7,244
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

ACN - 93  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JMTHP17 ACN.260	Which joints are affected?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
243	Which joint affected...other, not listed	
	596 1 Mentioned	
	8,702 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	22 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	21,724 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: other joint disease; other arthritic joint

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
JNTPN	DURING THE PAST 30 DAYS, how bad was your joint pain ON AVERAGE? Please answer on a scale of 0 to 10 where 0 is no pain or aching and 10 is pain or aching as bad as it can be.		
ACN.260.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have had any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days		
244-245	Rate your joint pain, past 30 days		
	9,108	00-10	0-10
	10	97	Refused
	0	98	Not ascertained
	202	99	Don't know
	21,724	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

ACN - 95  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JNTCHR	Did your joint symptoms FIRST begin more than 3 months ago?	
ACN.270	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have had any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
246	Joint symp began 3+ months ago	
	1 Yes	7,909
	2 No	1,382
	7 Refused	3
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	26
	<Blank: Not in universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

ACN - 96  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
JNTHP	Have you EVER seen a doctor or other health professional for these joint symptoms?	
ACN.280	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and JNTSYMP = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have had any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days	
247	Ever seen a dr. for joint symptoms	
	1 Yes	6,683
	2 No	2,621
	7 Refused	2
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	14
	<Blank: Not in universe>	21,724

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
ACN.290	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
248	Ever told you had arthritis, gout, lupus	
	1 Yes	6,829
	2 No	24,119
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	74

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ARTHWT	Has a doctor or other health professional EVER suggested losing weight to help your arthritis or joint symptoms?	
ACN.290.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and (JNTSYMP = 1 or ARTH1 = 1)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told they had arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia, or any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint	
249	Ever told to lose weight to help arth	
	2,440 1 Yes	
	8,702 2 No	
	12 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	52 9 Don't know	
	19,838 <Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ARTHPH	Has a doctor or other health professional EVER suggested physical activity or exercise to help your arthritis or joint symptoms?	
ACN.290.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and (JNTSYMP = 1 or ARTH1 = 1)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told they had arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia, or any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint	
250	Ever told to exercise to help arthritis	
	1 Yes	4,605
	2 No	6,516
	7 Refused	10
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	75
	<Blank: Not in universe>	19,838

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatoid arthritis; gout; lupus; fibromyalgia; joint symptoms; exercise

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ARTHCLS	Have you EVER taken an educational course or class to teach you how to manage problems related to your arthritis or joint symptoms?	
ACN.290.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and (JNTSYMP = 1 or ARTH1 = 1)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told they had arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia, or any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint	
251	Ever taken a class to help arthritis	
	1 Yes	946
	2 No	10,202
	7 Refused	11
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	47
	<Blank: Not in universe>	19,838

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: arthritis; rheumatoid arthritis; gout; lupus; fibromyalgia; joint symptoms; course/class

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ARTHLMT	Are you now limited in any way in any of your usual activities because of arthritis or joint symptoms?	
ACN.295	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and (JNTSYMP = 1 or ARTH1 = 1)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told they had arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia, or any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint	
252	Limited in activities due to arthritis	
	1 Yes	3,640
	2 No	7,529
	7 Refused	6
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	31
	<Blank: Not in universe>	19,838

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ARTHWRK	Do arthritis or joint symptoms now affect whether you work, the type of work you do, or the amount of work you do?	
ACN.295.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and (JNTSYMP = 1 or ARTH1 = 1)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever been told they had arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia, or any symptoms of pain, aching, or stiffness in or around a joint	
253	Limited in work due to arthritis	
	1 Yes	2,629
	2 No	8,517
	7 Refused	8
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	52
	<Blank: Not in universe>	19,838

Sources: None

Recodes: None

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

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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 pain that are fleeting or minor.	
ACN.300	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
254	Had neck pain, past 3 months	
	4,397	1 Yes
	26,581	2 No
	25	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	41	9 Don't know

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: neck pain; neck arthritis  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified
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	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
PAINLB	During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ...Low back pain?	09/09/03
ACN.310	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
255	Had low back pain, past 3 months	
	1 Yes	8,256
	2 No	22,724
	7 Refused	30
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	34

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: low back pain; sciatica; inter vertebral disc disorder

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINECK) for question lead-in

PAINLEG	Did this pain spread down either leg to areas below the knees?	
ACN.320	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and PAINLB =1	
	Sample adults 18+ with low back pain in the past 3 months	
256	Pain spread down leg/below knees	
	1 Yes	2,749
	2 No	5,479
	7 Refused	2
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	26
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	22,788

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: back pain; lower leg pain; sciatica; inter vertebral disc disorder

Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINECK) for question lead-in



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	Value / Value Labels	

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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?	
ACN.331	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
257	Had pain in jaw/front of ear, past 3 m	
	1 Yes	1,463
	2 No	29,515
	7 Refused	27
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	39

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: facial joint pain; jaw muscle ache; facial muscle ache  
 Notes: Refer to ACN.300 (PAINECK) for question lead-in

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AMIGR	During the PAST THREE MONTHS, did you have ... Severe headache or migraine?	
ACN.331	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
258	Had severe headache/migraine, past 3 m	
	1 Yes	4,744
	2 No	26,236
	7 Refused	26
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	38

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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ACOLD2W	Did you have a head cold or chest cold that started during those TWO WEEKS outlined on the calendar?	
ACN.350	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
259	Had a head/chest cold past 2 weeks	
	1 Yes	3,928
	2 No	27,074
	7 Refused	13
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	29

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: head cold; chest cold; respiratory ailment  
 Notes: None

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AINTIL2W	Did you have a stomach or intestinal illness with vomiting or diarrhea that started during those TWO WEEKS outlined on the calendar?	
ACN.360	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
260	Had stomach prob w/vomit/diarrhea, 2 w	
	1 Yes	1,472
	2 No	29,549
	7 Refused	15
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	8

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: digestive disease; stomach/intestinal illness; diarrhea; vomiting  
 Notes: None

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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PREGNOW	Are you currently pregnant?	
ACN.370	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18-49, and SEX = 2	
	Female sample adults 18-49 years of age	
261	Currently pregnant	
	1 Yes	373
	2 No	9,863
	7 Refused	17
	8 Not ascertained	18
	9 Don't know	26
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	20,747

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: pregnant; with child  
 Notes: None

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MENSYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any menstrual problems such as heavy bleeding, bothersome cramping, or pre-menstrual syndrome (also called PMS)?	
ACN.370.010	ASTATFLG=1, AGE LE 55, and SEX = 2	
	Female sample adults <= 55 years of age	
262	Had menstrual prob, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	2,240
	2 No	9,594
	7 Refused	39
	8 Not ascertained	21
	9 Don't know	39
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	19,111

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: menstrual cramps; menstrual problems; pre-menstrual syndrome (PMS)  
 Notes: None

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MENOYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any menopausal problems such as hot flashes, night sweats, or other menopausal symptoms?	
ACN.370.020	ASTATFLG=1, AGE = 45-57, and SEX = 2	
	Female sample adults 45-57 years of age	
263	Had menopausal prob, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	1,301
	2 No	2,363
	7 Refused	12
	8 Not ascertained	9
	9 Don't know	25
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	27,334

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: menopause; hot flashes; night sweats; menopausal symptoms

Notes: None

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GYNYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any gynecologic problems such as a vaginal infection, uterine fibroids, or infertility?	
ACN.370.030	ASTATFLG=1, AGE = 18+, and SEX = 2	
	Female sample adults 18+	
264	Had gynecologic prob, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	1,206
	2 No	16,182
	7 Refused	52
	8 Not ascertained	22
	9 Don't know	77
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	13,505

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: gynecologic problems; vaginal infection; uterine fibroids; infertility

Notes: None

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
PROSTYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had any men's health problems such as prostate trouble, or impotence?	
ACN.370.040	ASTATFLG=1, AGE GE 40, and SEX = 1	
	Male sample adults >=40 years of age	
265	Had prostate prob, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	93
	2 No	477
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	460
	9 Don't know	9
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,004

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: prostate trouble; impotence; men's health problems

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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HEARAID	These next questions are about your hearing, vision, and teeth. Have you ever worn a hearing aid?	
ACN.410	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
266	Had ever worn a hearing aid	
	1 Yes	1,024
	2 No	30,004
	7 Refused	13
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	3

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: hearing aid; trouble hearing; hearing impairment; deafness  
 Notes: None

HEARFREQ	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how often would you say you wore a hearing aid? Would you say always, most of the time, some of the time, or none of the time?	
ACN.410.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and HEARAID = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever worn a hearing aid	
267	How often do you wear hearing aid	
	1 Always	345
	2 Most of the time	205
	3 Some of the time	289
	4 None of the time	184
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	1
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,020

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: hearing aid; trouble hearing; hearing impairment; deafness; frequency  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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AHEARST	Which statement best describes your hearing without a hearing aid: good, a little trouble, a lot of trouble, deaf?	
ACN.420	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
268	Description of hearing w/o hearing aid	
	1 Good	26,341
	2 Little trouble	3,648
	3 Lot of trouble	922
	4 Deaf	109
	7 Refused	9
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	15

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing ability; hearing disability; deafness; hearing impairment

Notes: None



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HEARAGE	How old were you when you began to have ANY hearing loss in either ear?	
ACN.420.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AHEARST = 2, 3, 4	
	Sample adults 18+ who have a little or a lot of trouble hearing, or who are deaf	
269-270	Age of hearing loss	
	01 At birth	
	02 0 through 2 years of age	
	03 3 through 5 years of age	
	04 6 through 18 years of age	
	05 19 through 44 years of age	
	06 45 through 64 years of age	
	07 65 or more years of age	
	97 Refused	
	98 Not ascertained	
	99 Don't know	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing impairment; hearing loss age

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
HEARCAUS	What was the MAIN cause of your hearing loss or deafness?	
ACN.420.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AHEARST = 2, 3, 4	
	Sample adults 18+ who have a little or a lot of trouble hearing or who are deaf	
271-272	Cause of hearing loss*	
	01 Mother /w German measles during preg	13
	02 At birth for genetic reason	93
	03 At birth - oth reason, not infectious dis	33
	04 Infectious dis like measles or meningitis	73
	05 An ear infection/multiple ear infections	323
	06 An ear injury	121
	07 Ear surgery	27
	08 Loud, brief noise: gunfire, blasts/explosions	439
	09 Oth noise: machine, aircraft, etc.	1,045
	10 Getting older	1,597
	11 Some other cause	508
	97 Refused	5
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	402
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	26,365

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: hearing impairment; deafness; hearing loss causes

Notes: \*Please consult the Appendix for the full text of the response labels (response categories)

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03	
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Location	Universe Description		
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	Value / Value Labels		
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AVISION	Do you have trouble seeing, even when wearing glasses or contact lenses?		
ACN.430	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
273	Trouble seeing even w/glasses/lenses		
	1 Yes	3,089	
	2 No	27,930	
	7 Refused	8	
	8 Not ascertained	0	
	9 Don't know	17	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: vision trouble; seeing disability; visual acuity  
 Notes: None

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ABLIND	Are you blind or unable to see at all?		
ACN.440	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AVISION = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have trouble seeing when wearing glasses/lenses		
274	Blind or unable to see at all		
	1 Yes	124	
	2 No	2,963	
	7 Refused	0	
	8 Not ascertained	0	
	9 Don't know	2	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	27,955	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: blindness; vision impairment  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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DIBREV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Diabetic retinopathy	
ACN.440.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
275	Ever told you had diabetic retinopathy	
	1 Yes	261
	2 No	30,710
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	52

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: diabetic retinopathy  
 Notes: None

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CATAREV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Cataracts?	
ACN.440.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
276	Ever told you had cataracts	
	1 Yes	3,077
	2 No	27,904
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	42

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
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GLAUCEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Glaucoma?	
ACN.440.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
277	Ever told you had Glaucoma	
	1 Yes	724
	2 No	30,240
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	59

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

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MACDEV	Have you EVER been told by a doctor or other health professional that you had...Macular degeneration?	
ACN.440.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
278	Ever told you had Macular degeneration	
	1 Yes	411
	2 No	30,534
	7 Refused	21
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	78

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: macular degeneration  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIBRYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had diabetic retinopathy?	
ACN.440.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DIBREV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had diabetic retinopathy	
279	Had diabetic retinopathy, past 12 months	
	1 Yes	201
	2 No	60
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,783

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: diabetic retinopathy  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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CATARYR ACN.440.020	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had cataracts?
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and CATAREV = 1
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had cataracts
280	Had cataracts, past 12 months
1,802	1 Yes
1,264	2 No
0	7 Refused
0	8 Not ascertained
11	9 Don't know
27,967	<Blank: Not in universe>

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

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GLAUCYR ACN.440.020	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had glaucoma?
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and GLAUCEV = 1
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had glaucoma
281	Had glaucoma, past 12 months
599	1 Yes
118	2 No
0	7 Refused
0	8 Not ascertained
7	9 Don't know
30,320	<Blank: Not in universe>

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
MACDYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had macular degeneration?	
ACN.440.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and MACDEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were ever told they had macular degeneration	
282	Had macular degeneration, past 12 months	
364	1 Yes	
43	2 No	
0	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
4	9 Don't know	
30,633	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: macular degeneration  
 Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVISREH	Do you use any vision rehabilitation services, such as job training, counseling, or training in daily living skills and mobility?	
ACN.440.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ((AVISION = 1) OR (DIBRYR = 1) OR (CATARYR = 1) OR (GLAUCYR = 1) OR (MACDYR = 1))	
	Sample adults 18+ who have any trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/lenses OR who have had diabetic retinopathy, cataracts, glaucoma, or macular degeneration in the past 12 months	
283	Use any vision rehab services	
	1 Yes	72
	2 No	4,573
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	7
	<Blank: Not in universe>	26,391

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: vision rehabilitation services; job training; counseling; training; mobility

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
ACN.440.040	<p>ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ((AVISION = 1) OR (DIBRYR = 1) OR (CATARYR = 1) OR (GLAUCYR = 1) OR (MACDYR = 1))</p> <p>Sample adults 18+ who have any trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/lenses OR who have had diabetic retinopathy, cataracts, glaucoma, or macular degeneration in the past 12 months</p>	
284	Use any adaptive devices	
	1 Yes	1,067
	2 No	3,577
	7 Refused	2
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	7
	<Blank: Not in universe>	26,391

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: adaptive devices; telescopic lenses; prescriptive lenses; magnifiers; large print; talking materials; CCTV; white cane; guide dog

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFNWS	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ... to read ordinary print in newspapers?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
285	How difficult to read due to eyesight	
26,416	0 Not at all difficult	
1,795	1 Only a little difficult	
1,848	2 Somewhat difficult	
419	3 Very difficult	
153	4 Can't do at all	
160	6 Do not do this activity	
84	7 Refused	
2	8 Not ascertained	
43	9 Don't know	
124	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability; visual acuity

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFCLS	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, 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?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
286	How diff seeing up close b/c of eyesight	
	0 Not at all difficult	
26,957	1 Only a little difficult	
1,403	2 Somewhat difficult	
1,742	3 Very difficult	
331	4 Can't do at all	
132	6 Do not do this activity	
227	7 Refused	
84	8 Not ascertained	
2	9 Don't know	
42	<Blank: Not in Universe>	
124		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability; well up close

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFNIT	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you...to go down steps, stairs or curbs in dim light or at night?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
287	How diff stepping down at night b/c sight	
	0 Not at all difficult	
27,235	1 Only a little difficult	
1,056	2 Somewhat difficult	
1,708	3 Very difficult	
385	4 Can't do at all	
131	6 Do not do this activity	
271	7 Refused	
86	8 Not ascertained	
2	9 Don't know	
46	<Blank: Not in Universe>	
124		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability; mobility

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFDRV	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ... to drive during daytime in familiar places?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
288	How diff daytime driving b/c sight	
27,649	0 Not at all difficult	
413	1 Only a little difficult	
1,217	2 Somewhat difficult	
88	3 Very difficult	
153	4 Can't do at all	
1,261	6 Do not do this activity	
85	7 Refused	
2	8 Not ascertained	
52	9 Don't know	
124	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability; driving ability

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFPER	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ... to notice objects off to the side while you are walking along?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
289	How diff noticing objects b/c of sight	
	0 Not at all difficult	28,407
	1 Only a little difficult	591
	2 Somewhat difficult	1,384
	3 Very difficult	206
	4 Can't do at all	79
	6 Do not do this activity	93
	7 Refused	86
	8 Not ascertained	2
	9 Don't know	72
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	124

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability; walking; ambulatory

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVDFCRD	Even when wearing glasses or contact lenses, because of your eyesight, how difficult is it for you ... to find something on a crowded shelf?	
ACN.440.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ABLIND NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who are not blind, or Ref/NA/DK if blind; who Ref/NA/DK if have trouble seeing even when wearing glasses/contact lenses	
290	How diff to find shelved obj b/c of sigh	
28,304	0 Not at all difficult	
731	1 Only a little difficult	
1,410	2 Somewhat difficult	
199	3 Very difficult	
57	4 Can't do at all	
71	6 Do not do this activity	
86	7 Refused	
2	8 Not ascertained	
60	9 Don't know	
124	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eyesight; vision; visual impairment; visual ability

Notes: Some persons who responded "can't do at all" did not report having a problem seeing in AVISION.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AVISWRIN	Have you EVER had an eye injury that occurred at your place of work that caused you to miss at least one day of work?	
ACN.440.060	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and (EVERWRK NE 2, 7, 9 or AVISION = 1, 2, 7, 9)	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever worked	
291	Ever had eye injury at work	
	1 Yes	1,212
	2 No	27,701
	7 Refused	34
	8 Not ascertained	2,049
	9 Don't know	48
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	0

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: eye injury; employment injury at work; occupational injury

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
ACN.440.070	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
292	Last eye exam w/ pupils dilated	
	1 Less than 1 month	
	2 01 to 12 months	
	3 13 to 24 months	
	4 More than two years	
	5 Never	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: eye exam; dilated pupils  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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, woodworking, or working with chemicals.	
ACN.440.080	ASTATFLG = 1, and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
293	Engage in acts that can cause eye injury	
	1 Yes	7,883
	2 No	23,011
	7 Refused	58
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	92

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: eye injury causing activities  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
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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?	
ACN.440.090	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AVISACT = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in sports, hobbies, or other activities that can cause eye injury	
294	How often do you wear eye protection	
	1 Always	1,576
	2 Most of the time	924
	3 Some of the time	1,509
	4 None of the time	3,863
	7 Refused	3
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	8
	<Blank: Not in universe>	23,161

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: eye protective gear  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
LUPPRT	Have you lost all of your upper and lower natural (permanent) teeth?	
ACN.451	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
295	Lost all upper & lower natural teeth	
	1 Yes	2,915
	2 No	28,047
	7 Refused	56
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	26

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: upper teeth loss; edentulous-upper teeth; lower teeth;  
 edentulous-lower teeth

Notes: None

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SAD	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... so sad that nothing could cheer you up?	
ACN.471	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
296	So sad nothing cheers you up, past 30 d	
	1 ALL of the time	259
	2 MOST of the time	727
	3 SOME of the time	2,635
	4 A LITTLE of the time	3,867
	5 NONE of the time	22,992
	7 Refused	326
	8 Not ascertained	1
	9 Don't know	237

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression; sadness; low feeling; morose; emotional/mental health

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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NERVOUS	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... nervous?	
ACN.471	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
297	How often felt nervous, past 30 days	
	475 1 ALL of the time	
	888 2 MOST of the time	
	3,462 3 SOME of the time	
	5,404 4 A LITTLE of the time	
	20,261 5 NONE of the time	
	327 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	226 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: nervous; irritable; emotional; mental health

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified
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RESTLESS	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... restless or fidgety?	09/09/03
ACN.471	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
298	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	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: restless; fidgety; emotional; mental health

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
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HOPELESS	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... hopeless?	
ACN.471	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
299	How often felt hopeless, past 30 days	
	244 1 ALL of the time	
	491 2 MOST of the time	
	1,363 3 SOME of the time	
	1,673 4 A LITTLE of the time	
	26,704 5 NONE of the time	
	327 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	241 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: depression, hopeless; emotional; mental health

Notes: None



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EFFORT	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... that everything was an effort?	
ACN.471	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
300	Felt everything was an effort, past 30 d	
	635 1 ALL of the time	
	916 2 MOST of the time	
	2,346 3 SOME of the time	
	2,922 4 A LITTLE of the time	
	23,635 5 NONE of the time	
	332 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	257 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: lack vitality; disinterest; stress; emotional; mental health

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 09/09/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
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WORTHLS	During the PAST 30 DAYS, how often did you feel .... worthless?	
ACN.471	ASTATFLG=1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
301	How often felt worthless, past 30 days	
	259 1 ALL of the time	
	405 2 MOST of the time	
	1,056 3 SOME of the time	
	1,256 4 A LITTLE of the time	
	27,489 5 NONE of the time	
	331 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	247 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: worthless; depressed; suicidal; emotional; mental health

Notes: None

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Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
ACN.530	ASTATFLG=1, AGE =18+ and (SAD or NERVOUS or RESTLESS or HOPELESS or EFFORT or WORTHLS = 1-3)  Sample adults 18+ 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.	
302	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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: feelings; abnormal; detrimental; emotional health; mental health

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
WRKLYR3	(Although you did not work last week,) did you have a job or business at any time in the PAST 12 MONTHS?	
AHS.030	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18	
	Sample adults aged 18 years of age and older	
303	Work status: last week, past 12 m	
	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	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: unemployed; employed  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
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)?		
AHS.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE >= 18 and WRKLYR3 = 0,1		
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older who worked during the past 12 months		
304-306	Number of work loss days, past 12 months		
	11,877	000	None
	9,203	001-366	1-366 days
	103	997	Refused
	11	998	Not ascertained
	195	999	Don't know
	9,655	<Blank:	Not in Universe>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health indicators; illness; injury; work loss days

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
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).		
AHS.050	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18		
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older		
307-309	Number of bed days, past 12 months		
19,799	000	None	
10,639	001-366	1-366 days	
148	997	Refused	
4	998	Not ascertained	
454	999	Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health indicators; illness; injury; bed days

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHSTATYR	Compared with 12 MONTHS AGO, would you say your health is better, worse, or about the same?	
AHS.060	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
310	Hlth better/worse/same, comp w/12m ago	
	5,439 1 Better	
	2,899 2 Worse	
	22,589 3 About the same	
	49 7 Refused	
	5 8 Not ascertained	
	63 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: health indicators; health status  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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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?	
AHS.070	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
311	Have hlth prob that requires spec equip	
1,985	1	Yes
29,037	2	No
13	7	Refused
7	8	Not ascertained
2	9	Don't know

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health problem; special equipment; assistive devices

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
312	How dif walk 1/4 mile w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
25,566	1 Only a little difficult	
1,355	2 Somewhat difficult	
1,168	3 Very difficult	
941	4 Can't do at all	
1,223	6 Do not do this activity	
706	7 Refused	
30	8 Not ascertained	
8	9 Don't know	
47		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty walking; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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AHS - 7  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
FLCLIMB	By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to ... Walk up 10 steps without resting?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
313	How dif walk up 10 steps w/o spec equip	
	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	

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty walking steps; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

AHS - 8  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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 ?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18  Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
314	How dif stand for 2 hrs w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
24,683	1 Only a little difficult	
1,570	2 Somewhat difficult	
1,353	3 Very difficult	
1,218	4 Can't do at all	
1,587	6 Do not do this activity	
537	7 Refused	
30	8 Not ascertained	
9	9 Don't know	
57		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty standing; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

AHS - 9  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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FLSIT	By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to ... Sit for about 2 hours?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and >= AGE 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
315	How dif sit for 2 hrs w/o spec equip	
27,544	0 Not at all difficult	
1,218	1 Only a little difficult	
1,016	2 Somewhat difficult	
670	3 Very difficult	
370	4 Can't do at all	
152	6 Do not do this activity	
29	7 Refused	
9	8 Not ascertained	
36	9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty sitting; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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AHS - 10  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
FLSTOOP	By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to ... Stoop, bend, or kneel?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
316	How dif stoop/bend/kneel w/o spec equip	
	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	

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty stooping; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

AHS - 11  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
FLREACH	By yourself, and without using any special equipment, how difficult is it for you to ... Reach up over your head?	
AHS.091	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
317	How dif reach over head w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	28,205
	1 Only a little difficult	959
	2 Somewhat difficult	848
	3 Very difficult	530
	4 Can't do at all	304
	6 Do not do this activity	120
	7 Refused	33
	8 Not ascertained	10
	9 Don't know	35

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty reaching; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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 ?	
AHS.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
318	How dif grasp objects w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	28,373
	1 Only a little difficult	1,120
	2 Somewhat difficult	814
	3 Very difficult	504
	4 Can't do at all	108
	6 Do not do this activity	51
	7 Refused	32
	8 Not ascertained	11
	9 Don't know	31

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty grasping/handling objects; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

AHS - 13  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
AHS.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
319	How dif lift/carry 10 lbs w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
27,332	1 Only a little difficult	
954	2 Somewhat difficult	
933	3 Very difficult	
606	4 Can't do at all	
767	6 Do not do this activity	
372	7 Refused	
32	8 Not ascertained	
11	9 Don't know	
37		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty lifting/carrying; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
AHS.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
320	How dif push large object w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
25,910	1 Only a little difficult	
1,112	2 Somewhat difficult	
1,058	3 Very difficult	
783	4 Can't do at all	
1,225	6 Do not do this activity	
866	7 Refused	
33	8 Not ascertained	
11	9 Don't know	
46		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty pushing/pulling; special equipment

Notes: See Survey Description Document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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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?	
AHS.171	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
321	How dif go out to events w/o spec equip	
27,830	0 Not at all difficult	
822	1 Only a little difficult	
866	2 Somewhat difficult	
546	3 Very difficult	
430	4 Can't do at all	
482	6 Do not do this activity	
32	7 Refused	
13	8 Not ascertained	
23	9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty going out; shopping; sporting events; special equipment

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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 ...?	
AHS.171	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
322	How dif social activities w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
28,213	1 Only a little difficult	
668	2 Somewhat difficult	
664	3 Very difficult	
443	4 Can't do at all	
341	6 Do not do this activity	
643	7 Refused	
32	8 Not ascertained	
13	9 Don't know	
27		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty participating in social activities; special equipment

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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...)?	
AHS.171	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
323	How dif do acts to relax w/o spec equip	
	0 Not at all difficult	
29,655	1 Only a little difficult	
502	2 Somewhat difficult	
414	3 Very difficult	
196	4 Can't do at all	
102	6 Do not do this activity	
105	7 Refused	
32	8 Not ascertained	
13	9 Don't know	
25		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRONR; FLA1AR

Keywords: difficulty relaxing; special equipment

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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FLA1AR	Recode	
AHS Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE >= 18	
	Sample adults 18 years of age and older	
324	Any functional limitation, all conds	
	1 Limited in any way	
9,939	2 Not limited in any way	
21,007	3 Unknown if limited	
98		

Sources: FLWALK FLCLIMB FLSTAND FLSIT FLSTOOP FLREACH FLGRASP FLCARRY FLPUSH  
 FLSHOP FLSOCL FLRELAX

Recodes: ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
	Universe Description	
Location	Variable Label	
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels

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AFLHCA1-18                      What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?

AHS.200

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and FLWALK, FLCLIMB, FLSTAND, FLSIT, FLSTOOP, FLREACH, FLGRASP, FLCARRY, FLPUSH, FLSHOP, FLSOCL, or FLRELAX = 1-4

Sample adults 18 years of age and older who, w/o using special equipment, had at least a little difficulty with one or more functional activity

325-342                      REFER TO THE TABLE BELOW

VARIABLE NAME	VARIABLE LABEL	Mentioned 1	Not mentioned 2
AFLHCA1	Vision problem	518	9,254
AFLHCA2	Hearing problem	170	9,602
AFLHCA3	Arthritis/rheumatism	3,433	6,339
AFLHCA4	Back/neck problem	2,527	7,245
AFLHCA5	Fracture/bone/joint injury	1,323	8,449
AFLHCA6	Other injury	308	9,464
AFLHCA7	Heart problem	728	9,044
AFLHCA8	Stroke problem	256	9,516
AFLHCA9	Hypertension/high blood pressure	493	9,279
AFLHCA10	Diabetes	439	9,333
AFLHCA11	Lung/breathing prob/asthma/emphysema	748	9,024
AFLHCA12	Cancer	151	9,621
AFLHCA13	Birth defect	39	9,733
AFLHCA14	Mental retardation	34	9,738
AFLHCA15	Otr developmental prob/cerebral palsy	23	9,749
AFLHCA16	Senility/dementia/alzheimers	83	9,689
AFLHCA17	Depression/anxiety/emotional problem	677	9,095
AFLHCA18	Weight problem/overweight/obesity	601	9,171

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity

NOTES: 7. Refused    24    8. Not ascertained    19    9. Don't know    124

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
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	Universe Description	
Location	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	

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AFLHCA19-34,90,91      What condition or health problem causes you to have difficulty with {names of up to 3 specified activities/these activities}?

AHS.200

ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and FLWALK, FLCLIMB, FLSTAND, FLSIT, FLSTOOP, FLREACH, FLGRASP, FLCARRY, FLPUSH, FLSHOP, FLSOCL, or FLRELAX = 1-4

Sample adults 18 years of age and older who, w/o using special equipment, had at least a little difficulty with one or more functional activity

343-360      REFER TO THE TABLE BELOW

VARIABLE NAME	VARIABLE LABEL	Mentioned 1	Not mentioned 2
AFLHCA19	Missing or amputated limb/finger/digit	39	9,733
AFLHCA20	Musculoskeletal/connective tissue prob	1,126	8,646
AFLHCA21	Circulation problem	296	9,476
AFLHCA22	Endocrine/nutritional/metabolic prob	58	9,714
AFLHCA23	Nervous system/sensory organ condition	456	9,316
AFLHCA24	Digestive system problem	111	9,661
AFLHCA25	Genitourinary system problem	114	9,658
AFLHCA26	Skin/subcutaneous system problem	11	9,761
AFLHCA27	Blood or blood-forming organ problem	12	9,760
AFLHCA28	Benign tumor/cyst	17	9,755
AFLHCA29	Alcohol/drug/substance abuse problem	3	9,769
AFLHCA30	Otr mental prob/ADD/bipolar/schizophreni	16	9,756
AFLHCA31	Surgical after-effects/medical treatment	50	9,722
AFLHCA32	"Old age"/elderly/aging-related problem	191	9,581
AFLHCA33	Fatigue/tiredness/weakness	72	9,700
AFLHCA34	Pregnancy-related problem	56	9,716
AFLHCA90	Other prob 1, not elsewhere classified	211	9,561
AFLHCA91	Other prob 2, not elsewhere classified	2	9,770

Sources: None

Recodes: ALCHRC1-ALCHRC34; ALCHRC90-ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; difficulty with activity

NOTES: 7. Refused 24    8. Not ascertained 19    9. Don't know 124

These variables were created to categorize respondents' verbatim answers when asked about "other" problems or conditions causing functional limitations. Caution should be used when utilizing these variables -- please refer to the Survey Description Document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALTIME1	How long have you had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA1 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to vision problem	
361-362	Duration of vision prob: # of units	
460	01-94 1-94	
0	95 95+	
36	96 Since birth	
2	97 Refused	
2	98 Not ascertained	
18	99 Don't know	
30,526	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN1. Years are topcoded at 85.  
 See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT1	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA1 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to vision problem	
363	Duration of vision prob: Time unit	
	3 1 Day(s)	
	4 2 Week(s)	
	26 3 Month(s)	
	436 4 Year(s)	
	36 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	9 9 Don't know	
	30,526 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT1. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDUR1	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA1 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to vision problem	
364-365	Duration of vision prob (in years)	
	00 Less than 1 year	
459	01-84 01-84 years	
7	85 85+ years	
9	96 Unknown number of years	
2	97 Refused	
2	98 Not ascertained	
9	99 Don't know	
30,526	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY1. 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 ALDUR1. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB1	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA1 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to vision problem	
366	Duration of vision prob 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	
30,526	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME1; ALUNIT1

Recodes: ALCHRC1

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR1. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC1	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA1 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to vision problem	
367	Vision problem condition status	
	1 Chronic	498
	2 Not chronic	7
	9 Unknown if chronic	13
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,526

Sources: AFLHCA1; ALDURB1

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; vision problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR1. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME2	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA2 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hearing problem	
368-369	Duration of hearing prob: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	147
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	11
	97 Refused	2
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	10
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,874

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN2. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT2	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA2 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hearing problem	
370	Duration of hearing prob: Time unit	
	2 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	5 3 Month(s)	
	146 4 Year(s)	
	11 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,874 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT2. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA2	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA2 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hearing problem	
371-372	Duration of hearing prob (in years)	
	5 00 Less than 1 year	
	152 01-84 01-84 years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	6 96 Unknown number of years	
	2 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	4 99 Don't know	
	30,874 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY2. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB2	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA2 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hearing problem	
373	Duration of hearing prob 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	
30,874	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME2; ALUNIT2

Recodes: ALCHRC2

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR2. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC2	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA2 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hearing problem	
374	hearing problem condition status	
	1 Chronic	162
	2 Not chronic	2
	9 Unknown if chronic	6
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,874

Sources: AFLHCA2; ALDURB2

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hearing problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR2. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME3	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA3 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to arthritis/rheum	
375-376	Duration of arthritis/rheum: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	3,262
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	30
	97 Refused	11
	98 Not ascertained	2
	99 Don't know	128
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	27,611

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN3. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT3	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA3 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to arthritis/rheum	
377	Duration of arthritis/rheum: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	14 2 Week(s)	
	126 3 Month(s)	
	3,169 4 Year(s)	
	30 6 Since birth	
	11 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	80 9 Don't know	
	27,611 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT3. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA3	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA3 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to arthritis/rheum		
378-379	Duration of arthritis/rheum (in years)		
116	00	Less than 1 year	
3,174	01-84	01-84 years	
2	85	85+ years	
48	96	Unknown number of years	
11	97	Refused	
2	98	Not ascertained	
80	99	Don't know	
27,611	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY3. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB3	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA3 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to arthritis/rheum	
380	Duration of arthritis/rheum 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME3; ALUNIT3

Recodes: ALCHRC3

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR3. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC3	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA3 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to arthritis/rheum	
381	Arthritis/rheum condition status	
	1 Chronic	3,433
	2 Not chronic	0
	9 Unknown if chronic	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	27,611

Sources: AFLHCA3; ALDURB3

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; arthritis/rheumatism

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR3. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME4	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA4 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to back/neck problem	
382-383	Duration of back/neck prob: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	2,426
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	47
	97 Refused	3
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	51
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,517

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN4. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT4	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA4 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to back/neck problem	
384	Duration of back/neck prob: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	8
	2 Week(s)	32
	3 Month(s)	212
	4 Year(s)	2,190
	6 Since birth	47
	7 Refused	3
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	35
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,517

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT4. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA4	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA4 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to back/neck problem		
385-386	Duration of back/neck prob (in years)		
213	00	Less than 1 year	
2,258	01-84	01-84 years	
2	85	85+ years	
16	96	Unknown number of years	
3	97	Refused	
0	98	Not ascertained	
35	99	Don't know	
28,517	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY4. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB4	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA4 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to back/neck problem	
387	Duration of back/neck prob 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME4; ALUNIT4

Recodes: ALCHRC4

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR4. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC4	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA4 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to back/neck problem	
388	Back/neck problem condition status	
	1 Chronic	2,414
	2 Not chronic	75
	9 Unknown if chronic	38
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,517

Sources: AFLHCA4; ALDURB4

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; back/neck problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR4. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME5	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA5 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fract/bone/joint inj	
389-390	Dur of fract/bone/joint inj: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	1,296
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	8
	97 Refused	3
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	16
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	29,721

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN5. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT5	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA5 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fract/bone/joint inj	
391	Dur of fract/bone/joint inj: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	14
	2 Week(s)	35
	3 Month(s)	244
	4 Year(s)	1,007
	6 Since birth	8
	7 Refused	3
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	12
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	29,721

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT5. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA5	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA5 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fract/bone/joint inj		
392-393	Dur of fract/bone/joint inj (in years)		
254	00	Less than 1 year	
1,050	01-84	01-84 years	
0	85	85+ years	
4	96	Unknown number of years	
3	97	Refused	
0	98	Not ascertained	
12	99	Don't know	
29,721	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY5. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB5	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA5 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fract/bone/joint inj	
394	Dur of fract/bone/joint inj 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	
29,721	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME5; ALUNIT5

Recodes: ALCHRC5

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR5. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC5	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA5 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fract/bone/joint inj	
395	Fract/bone/joint inj condition status	
	1,224 1 Chronic	
	84 2 Not chronic	
	15 9 Unknown if chronic	
	29,721 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA5; ALDURB5

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fracture; bone/joint injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR5. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME6	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA6 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other injury	
396-397	Duration of other injury: # of units	
	300 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	5 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	3 99 Don't know	
	30,736 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN6. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT6	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA6 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other injury	
398	Duration of other injury: Time unit	
	4 1 Day(s)	
	9 2 Week(s)	
	56 3 Month(s)	
	231 4 Year(s)	
	5 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
	30,736 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT6. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA6	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA6 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other injury		
399-400	Duration of other injury (in years)		
	59 00 Less than 1 year		
	246 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	0 96 Unknown number of years		
	0 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	3 99 Don't know		
30,736	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY6. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB6	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA6 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other injury	
401	Duration of other injury recode 2	
	25 1 Less than 3 months	
	14 2 3 - 5 months	
	42 3 6 - 12 months	
	224 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
	30,736 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME6; ALUNIT6

Recodes: ALCHRC6

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR6. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC6	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA6 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other injury	
402	Other injury condition status	
	1 Chronic	280
	2 Not chronic	25
	9 Unknown if chronic	3
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,736

Sources: AFLHCA6; ALDURB6

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other injury

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR6. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME7	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA7 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to heart problem	
403-404	Duration of heart prob: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	674
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	28
	97 Refused	3
	98 Not ascertained	2
	99 Don't know	21
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,316

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN7. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT7	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA7 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to heart problem	
405	Duration of heart prob: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	2 Week(s)	
	48 3 Month(s)	
	629 4 Year(s)	
	28 6 Since birth	
	3 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	15 9 Don't know	
	30,316 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT7. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA7	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA7 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to heart problem	
406-407	Duration of heart prob (in years)	
	40 00 Less than 1 year	
	662 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	6 96 Unknown number of years	
	3 97 Refused	
	2 98 Not ascertained	
	15 99 Don't know	
	30,316 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY7. 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.

AHS - 48  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB7	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA7 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to heart problem	
408	Duration of heart prob 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	
30,316	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME7; ALUNIT7

Recodes: ALCHRC7

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR7. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 49  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC7	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA7 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to heart problem	
409	Heart problem condition status	
	728 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,316 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA7; ALDURB7

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; heart problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR7. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME8	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA8 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to stroke	
410-411	Duration of stroke: # of units	
	253 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	2 99 Don't know	
	30,788 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN8. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 50  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT8	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA8 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to stroke	
412	Duration of stroke: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	7 2 Week(s)	
	33 3 Month(s)	
	213 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
30,788	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT8. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 51  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA8	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA8 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to stroke		
413-414	Duration of stroke (in years)		
	00	Less than 1 year	
	223 01-84	01-84 years	
	0 85	85+ years	
	0 96	Unknown number of years	
	1 97	Refused	
	0 98	Not ascertained	
	2 99	Don't know	
30,788	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY8. 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.

AHS - 52  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB8	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA8 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to stroke	
415	Duration of stroke 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME8; ALUNIT8

Recodes: ALCHRC8

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR8. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 53  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC8	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA8 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to stroke	
416	Stroke condition status	
	1 Chronic	256
	2 Not chronic	0
	9 Unknown if chronic	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,788

Sources: AFLHCA8; ALDURB8

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; stroke

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR8. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME9	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA9 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hypertension	
417-418	Duration of hypertension: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	457
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	11
	97 Refused	0
	98 Not ascertained	1
	99 Don't know	24
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,551

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN9. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 54  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT9	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA9 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hypertension	
419	Duration of hypertension: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	1 2 Week(s)	
	14 3 Month(s)	
	446 4 Year(s)	
	11 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	20 9 Don't know	
	30,551 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT9. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 55  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA9	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA9 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hypertension		
420-421	Duration of hypertension (in years)		
	10 00 Less than 1 year		
	457 01-84 01-84 years		
	1 85 85+ years		
	4 96 Unknown number of years		
	0 97 Refused		
	1 98 Not ascertained		
	20 99 Don't know		
30,551	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY9. 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.

AHS - 56  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB9	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA9 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hypertension	
422	Duration of hypertension 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	
30,551	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME9; ALUNIT9

Recodes: ALCHRC9

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR9. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 57  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC9	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA9 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to hypertension	
423	Hypertension condition status	
	1 Chronic	493
	2 Not chronic	0
	9 Unknown if chronic	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,551

Sources: AFLHCA9; ALDURB9

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; hypertension; high blood pressure

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR9. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME10	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA10 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to diabetes	
424-425	Duration of diabetes: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	429
	95 95+	0
	96 Since birth	0
	97 Refused	3
	98 Not ascertained	2
	99 Don't know	5
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,605

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN10. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 58  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT10	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA10 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to diabetes	
426	Duration of diabetes: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	1 2 Week(s)	
	21 3 Month(s)	
	409 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	3 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
	30,605 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT10. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 59  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA10	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA10 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to diabetes	
427-428	Duration of diabetes (in years)	
	17 00 Less than 1 year	
	412 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	2 96 Unknown number of years	
	3 97 Refused	
	2 98 Not ascertained	
	3 99 Don't know	
	30,605 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY10. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB10	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA10 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to diabetes	
429	Duration of diabetes 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	
30,605	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: ALTIME10; ALUNIT10

Recodes: ALCHRC10

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR10. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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AHS - 61  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

ALCHRC10	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA10 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to diabetes	
430	Diabetes condition status	
	439 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,605	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA10; ALDURB10

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; diabetes

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR10. See the Survey Description document for more information.

ALTIME11	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA11 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to lung/breath problem	
431-432	Duration of lung/breath prob: # of units	
	683 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	43 96 Since birth	
	2 97 Refused	
	2 98 Not ascertained	
	18 99 Don't know	
30,296	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN11. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.



AHS - 62  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT11	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA11 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to lung/breath problem	
433	Duration of lung/breath prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	6 2 Week(s)	
	44 3 Month(s)	
	640 4 Year(s)	
	43 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	11 9 Don't know	
	30,296 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT11. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 63  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA11	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA11 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to lung/breath problem	
434-435	Duration of lung/breath prob (in years)	
	00 Less than 1 year	
	685 01-84 01-84 years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	7 96 Unknown number of years	
	2 97 Refused	
	2 98 Not ascertained	
	11 99 Don't know	
	30,296 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY11. 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.

AHS - 64  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB11	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA11 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to lung/breath problem	
436	Duration of lung/breath prob 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	
30,296	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME11; ALUNIT11

Recodes: ALCHRC11

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR11. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC11	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA11 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to lung/breath problem	
437	Lung/breath prob condition status	
	1 Chronic	720
	2 Not chronic	13
	9 Unknown if chronic	15
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,296

Sources: AFLHCA11; ALDURB11

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; lung problem; breathing problem; asthma; emphysema; respiratory allergy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR11. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 66  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALTIME12	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA12 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to cancer	
438-439	Duration of cancer: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	2 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	2 99 Don't know	
30,893	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN12. Years are topcoded at 85.  
 See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 67  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT12	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA12 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to cancer	
440	Duration of cancer: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	4 2 Week(s)	
	33 3 Month(s)	
	110 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
	30,893 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT12. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

AHS - 68  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA12	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA12 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to cancer	
441-442	Duration of cancer (in years)	
	27 00 Less than 1 year	
	120 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	2 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	2 99 Don't know	
	30,893 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY12. 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.

AHS - 69  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB12	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA12 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to cancer	
443	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	
30,893	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME12; ALUNIT12

Recodes: ALCHRC12

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR12. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC12	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA12 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to cancer	
444	Cancer condition status	
	1 Chronic	
	2 Not chronic	
	9 Unknown if chronic	
30,893	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA12; ALDURB12

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; cancer

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR12. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME13	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA13 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to birth defect	
445-446	Duration of birth defect: # of units	
	0 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	39 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN13. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT13	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA13 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to birth defect	
447	Duration of birth defect: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	0 3 Month(s)	
	0 4 Year(s)	
	39 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	31,005 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT13. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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AHS - 72  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA13	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA13 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to birth defect	
448-449	Duration of birth defect (in years)	
	0 00 Less than 1 year	
	39 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY13. 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.

AHS - 73  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB13	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA13 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to birth defect	
450	Duration of birth defect recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	0 3 6 - 12 months	
	39 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME13; ALUNIT13

Recodes: ALCHRC13

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR13. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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AHS - 74  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC13	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA13 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to birth defect	
451	Birth defect condition status	
	39 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA13; ALDURB13

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; birth defect

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR13. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME14	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA14 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to mental retardation	
452-453	Dur of mental retardation: # of units	
	10 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	23 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
31,010	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN14. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 75  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT14	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA14 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to mental retardation	
454	Dur of mental retardation: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	3 3 Month(s)	
	7 4 Year(s)	
	23 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
31,010	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT14. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 76  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA14	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA14 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to mental retardation		
455-456	Dur of mental retardation (in years)		
	2 00 Less than 1 year		
	31 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	0 96 Unknown number of years		
	0 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	1 99 Don't know		
31,010	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY14. 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.

AHS - 77  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB14	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA14 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to mental retardation	
457	Duration of mental retardation recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	2 2 3 - 5 months	
	0 3 6 - 12 months	
	31 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
31,010	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME14; ALUNIT14

Recodes: ALCHRC14

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR14. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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AHS - 78  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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ALCHRC14		Recode	
AHS Recode			AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA14 = 1
			Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to mental retardation
458			Mental retardation condition status
	34	1	Chronic
	0	2	Not chronic
	0	9	Unknown if chronic
	31,010		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: AFLHCA14; ALDURB14

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental retardation

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR14. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME15		How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300			AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA15 = 1
			Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to otr dev problem
459-460			Duration of otr dev prob: # of units
	6	01-94	1-94
	0	95	95+
	15	96	Since birth
	0	97	Refused
	0	98	Not ascertained
	2	99	Don't know
	31,021		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN15. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 79  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT15	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA15 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to otr dev problem	
461	Duration of otr dev prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	1 3 Month(s)	
	5 4 Year(s)	
	15 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
31,021	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT15. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 80  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA15	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA15 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to otr dev problem	
462-463	Duration of otr dev prob (in years)	
	1 00 Less than 1 year	
	20 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	2 99 Don't know	
31,021	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY15. 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.

AHS - 81  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB15	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA15 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to otr dev problem	
464	Duration of otr dev prob recode 2	
	1 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	1 3 6 - 12 months	
	19 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
31,021	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: ALTIME15; ALUNIT15

Recodes: ALCHRC15

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR15. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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AHS - 82  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC15	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA15 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to otr dev problem	
465	Otr dev problem condition status	
	23 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,021	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA15; ALDURB15

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; other developmental problem; cerebral palsy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR15. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME16	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA16 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to senility	
466-467	Duration of senility: # of units	
	70 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	1 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	12 99 Don't know	
30,961	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN16. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 83  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT16	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA16 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to senility	
468	Duration of senility: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	3 3 Month(s)	
	66 4 Year(s)	
	1 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	12 9 Don't know	
	30,961 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT16. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 84  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA16	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA16 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to senility	
469-470	Duration of senility (in years)	
	4 00 Less than 1 year	
	67 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	12 99 Don't know	
	30,961 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY16. 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.

AHS - 85  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB16	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA16 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to senility	
471	Duration of senility recode 2	
	1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	10 3 6 - 12 months	
	60 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	12 9 Don't know	
	30,961 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME16; ALUNIT16

Recodes: ALCHRC16

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR16. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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AHS - 86  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC16	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA16 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to senility	
472	Senility condition status	
	83 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,961	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA16; ALDURB16

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; senility; dementia; alzheimers

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR16. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME17	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA17 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to dep/anx/emot problem	
473-474	Dur of dep/anx/emot prob: # of units	
	575 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	75 96 Since birth	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	26 99 Don't know	
30,367	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN17. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 87  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT17	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA17 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to dep/anx/emot problem	
475	Duration of dep/anx/emot prob: Time unit	
	2 1 Day(s)	
	5 2 Week(s)	
	42 3 Month(s)	
	533 4 Year(s)	
	75 6 Since birth	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	19 9 Don't know	
	30,367 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT17. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 88  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA17	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA17 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to dep/anx/emot problem	
476-477	Duration of dep/anx/emot prob (in years)	
	44 00 Less than 1 year	
	606 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	7 96 Unknown number of years	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	19 99 Don't know	
	30,367 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY17. 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.

AHS - 89  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB17	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA17 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to dep/anx/emot problem	
478	Duration of dep/anx/emot prob 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME17; ALUNIT17

Recodes: ALCHRC17

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR17. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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AHS - 90  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC17	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA17 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to dep/anx/emot problem	
479	Dep/anx/emot problem condition status	
	641 1 Chronic	
	16 2 Not chronic	
	20 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,367 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA17; ALDURB17

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; depression; anxiety; emotional problem

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR17. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME18	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA18 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to weight problem	
480-481	Duration of weight prob: # of units	
	511 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	69 96 Since birth	
	3 97 Refused	
	1 98 Not ascertained	
	17 99 Don't know	
	30,443 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN18. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 91  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT18	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA18 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to weight problem	
482	Duration of weight prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	24 3 Month(s)	
	490 4 Year(s)	
	69 6 Since birth	
	3 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	14 9 Don't know	
	30,443 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT18. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 92  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA18	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA18 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to weight problem	
483-484	Duration of weight prob (in years)	
	19 00 Less than 1 year	
	560 01-84 01-84 years	
	1 85 85+ years	
	3 96 Unknown number of years	
	3 97 Refused	
	1 98 Not ascertained	
	14 99 Don't know	
	30,443 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY18. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB18	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA18 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to weight problem	
485	Duration of weight prob 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	
30,443	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME18; ALUNIT18

Recodes: ALCHRC18

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR18. See the Survey Description document for more information.



AHS - 94  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC18	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA18 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to weight problem	
486	Weight problem condition status	
	579 1 Chronic	
	4 2 Not chronic	
	18 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,443 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA18; ALDURB18

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; weight problem; overweight; obesity

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR18. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME19	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA19 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to missing limb/amputation	
487-488	Dur of miss limb/amputation: # of units	
	37 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	1 96 Since birth	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
	31,005 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN19. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 95  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT19	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA19 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to missing limb/amputation	
489	Dur of miss limb/amputation: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	7 3 Month(s)	
	30 4 Year(s)	
	1 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT19. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 96  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA19	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA19 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to missing limb/amputation	
490-491	Dur of miss limb/amputation (in years)	
	5 00 Less than 1 year	
	33 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	1 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits);  
 amputee

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY19. 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.

AHS - 97  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB19	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA19 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to missing limb/amputation	
492	Dur of miss limb/amputation 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	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME19; ALUNIT19

Recodes: ALCHRC19

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits); amputee

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR19. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 98  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC19	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA19 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to missing limb/amputation	
493	Missing limb/amputation condition status	
	39 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,005	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA19; ALDURB19

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; missing limbs (fingers, toes, or digits);  
 amputee

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR19. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 99  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALTIME20	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA20 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to musculoskeletal problem	
494-495	Dur of musculoskeletal prob: # of units	
1,077	01-94 1-94	
0	95 95+	
26	96 Since birth	
2	97 Refused	
1	98 Not ascertained	
20	99 Don't know	
29,918	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN20. Years are topcoded at 85.

See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 100  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT20	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA20 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to musculoskeletal problem	
496	Dur of musculoskeletal prob: Time unit	
	6 1 Day(s)	
	18 2 Week(s)	
	99 3 Month(s)	
	963 4 Year(s)	
	26 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	11 9 Don't know	
	29,918 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT20. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 101  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALDURA20	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA20 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to musculoskeletal problem		
497-498	Dur of musculoskeletal prob: (in years)		
	104 00 Less than 1 year		
	999 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	9 96 Unknown number of years		
	2 97 Refused		
	1 98 Not ascertained		
	11 99 Don't know		
	29,918 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY20. 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.



AHS - 102  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB20	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA20 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to musculoskeletal problem	
499	Dur of musculoskeletal prob 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME20; ALUNIT20

Recodes: ALCHRC20

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR20. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

AHS - 103  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC20	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA20 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to musculoskeletal problem	
500	Musculoskeletal problem condition status	
	1,069 1 Chronic	
	43 2 Not chronic	
	14 9 Unknown if chronic	
	29,918 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA20; ALDURB20

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; musculoskeletal system; connective tissue

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR20. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME21	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA21 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to circulatory problem	
501-502	Duration of circulatory prob: # of units	
	276 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	10 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	10 99 Don't know	
	30,748 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN21. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 104  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT21	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA21 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to circulatory problem	
503	Duration of circulatory prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	5 2 Week(s)	
	17 3 Month(s)	
	257 4 Year(s)	
	10 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	7 9 Don't know	
	30,748 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT21. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 105  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA21	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA21 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to circulatory problem	
504-505	Duration of circulatory prob (in years)	
	16 00 Less than 1 year	
	270 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	3 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	7 99 Don't know	
	30,748 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY21. 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.

AHS - 106  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB21	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA21 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to circulatory problem	
506	Duration of circulatory prob 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	
30,748	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME21; ALUNIT21

Recodes: ALCHRC21

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR21. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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AHS - 107  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC21	Recode	
AHS Recode		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA21 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to circulatory problem	
507	Circulatory problem condition status	
	281 1 Chronic	
	8 2 Not chronic	
	7 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,748 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA21; ALDURB21

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; circulation problem; circulatory system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR21. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME22	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA22 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to endocrine problem	
508-509	Duration of endocrine prob: # of units	
	57 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
	30,986 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN22. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 108  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT22	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA22 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to endocrine problem	
510	Duration of endocrine problem: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	2 3 Month(s)	
	55 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
	30,986 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT22. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 109  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA22	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA22 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to endocrine problem	
511-512	Duration of endocrine problem (in years)	
	1 00 Less than 1 year	
	56 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
	30,986 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY22. 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.



AHS - 110  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB22	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA22 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to endocrine problem	
513	Duration of endocrine problem recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	4 3 6 - 12 months	
	53 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
30,986	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME22; ALUNIT22

Recodes: ALCHRC22

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR22. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 111  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC22	Recode	
AHS Recode		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA22 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to endocrine problem	
514	Endocrine problem condition status	
	1 Chronic	
	2 Not chronic	
	9 Unknown if chronic	
30,986	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA22; ALDURB22

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; endocrine; nutritional; metabolic

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR22. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME23	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA23 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to nervous sys cond	
515-516	Duration of nervous sys cond: # of units	
	01-94 1-94	
	95 95+	
	96 Since birth	
	97 Refused	
	98 Not ascertained	
	99 Don't know	
30,588	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN23. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 112  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT23	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA23 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to nervous sys cond	
517	Duration of nervous sys cond: Time unit	
	2 1 Day(s)	
	5 2 Week(s)	
	43 3 Month(s)	
	381 4 Year(s)	
	21 6 Since birth	
	2 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
	30,588 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT23. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 113  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA23	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA23 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to nervous sys cond		
518-519	Duration of nervous sys cond (in years)		
	37 00 Less than 1 year		
	413 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	2 96 Unknown number of years		
	2 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	2 99 Don't know		
30,588	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY23. 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.

AHS - 114  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB23	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA23 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to nervous sys cond	
520	Duration of nervous sys cond 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	
30,588	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME23; ALUNIT23

Recodes: ALCHRC23

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR23. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 115  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC23	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA23 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to nervous sys cond	
521	Nervous sys condition status	
	441 1 Chronic	
	11 2 Not chronic	
	4 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,588 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA23; ALDURB23

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; nervous system; sense organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR24. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME24	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA24 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to digestive problems	
522-523	Duration of digestive prob: # of units	
	102 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	3 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	6 99 Don't know	
	30,933 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN24. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 116  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT24	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA24 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to digestive problems	
524	Duration of digestive prob: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	2 Week(s)	
	20 3 Month(s)	
	80 4 Year(s)	
	3 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	5 9 Don't know	
30,933	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT24. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 117  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA24	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA24 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to digestive problems	
525-526	Duration of digestive prob (in years)	
	20 00 Less than 1 year	
	85 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	1 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	5 99 Don't know	
30,933	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY24. 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.



AHS - 118  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB24	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA24 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to digestive problems	
527	Duration of digestive 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	
30,933	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME24; ALUNIT24

Recodes: ALCHRC24

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR24. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

AHS - 119  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC24	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA24 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to digestive problems	
528	Digestive problem condition status	
	99 1 Chronic	
	7 2 Not chronic	
	5 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,933	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA24; ALDURB24

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; digestion

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR25. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME25	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA25 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to genitourinary problem	
529-530	Dur of genitourinary prob: # of units	
	105 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	7 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	2 99 Don't know	
30,930	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN25. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 120  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT25	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA25 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to genitourinary problem	
531	Dur of genitourinary prob: Time unit	
	2 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	8 3 Month(s)	
	95 4 Year(s)	
	7 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
	30,930 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT25. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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AHS - 121  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
	Variable Label		
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA25	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA25 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to genitourinary problem		
532-533	Dur of genitourinary prob (in years)		
	7 00 Less than 1 year		
	105 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	0 96 Unknown number of years		
	0 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	2 99 Don't know		
	30,930 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY25. 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.

AHS - 122  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB25	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA25 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to genitourinary problem	
534	Duration of genitourinary prob 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	
30,930	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME25; ALUNIT25

Recodes: ALCHRC25

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR25. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 123  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC25	Recode	
AHS Recode		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA25 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to genitourinary problem	
535	Genitourinary prob condition status	
	106 1 Chronic	
	6 2 Not chronic	
	2 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,930 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA25; ALDURB25

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; genitourinary system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR26. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME26	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA26 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to skin problems	
536-537	Duration of skin problem: # of units	
	9 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	1 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
	31,033 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN26. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 124  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT26	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA26 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to skin problems	
538	Duration of skin problem: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	1 3 Month(s)	
	9 4 Year(s)	
	1 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,033	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT26. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 125  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA26	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA26 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to skin problems	
539-540	Duration of skin problem (in years)	
	1 00 Less than 1 year	
	9 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	1 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,033	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY26. 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.



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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB26	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA26 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to skin problems	
541	Duration of skin problem recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	1 2 3 - 5 months	
	1 3 6 - 12 months	
	9 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,033	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: ALTIME26; ALUNIT26

Recodes: ALCHRC26

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR26. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 127  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC26	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA26 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to skin problems	
542	Skin problem condition status	
	11 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,033	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA26; ALDURB26

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; skin; subcutaneous system

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR27. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME27	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA27 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to blood problem	
543-544	Duration of blood problem: # of units	
	9 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	3 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN27. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 128  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT27	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA27 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to blood problem	
545	Duration of blood problem: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	1 2 Week(s)	
	2 3 Month(s)	
	6 4 Year(s)	
	3 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT27. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 129  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA27	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA27 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to blood problem	
546-547	Duration of blood problem (in years)	
	2 00 Less than 1 year	
	10 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY27 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.

AHS - 130  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB27	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA27 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to blood problem	
548	Duration of blood problem recode 2	
	1 1 Less than 3 months	
	1 2 3 - 5 months	
	0 3 6 - 12 months	
	10 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME27; ALUNIT27

Recodes: ALCHRC27

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR27. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 131  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC27	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA27 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to blood problem	
549	Blood problem condition status	
	11 1 Chronic	
	1 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,032	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA27; ALDURB27

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; blood; blood-forming organs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR27. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME28	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA28 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to benign tumor	
550-551	Duration of benign tumor: # of units	
	16 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	1 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,027	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN28. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 132  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT28	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA28 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to benign tumor	
552	Duration of benign tumor: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	2 3 Month(s)	
	13 4 Year(s)	
	1 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,027	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT28. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 133  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA28	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA28 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to benign tumor	
553-554	Duration of benign tumor (in years)	
	2 00 Less than 1 year	
	15 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,027	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY28. 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.



AHS - 134  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB28	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA28 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to benign tumor	
555	Duration of benign tumor recode 2	
	1 1 Less than 3 months	
	1 2 3 - 5 months	
	2 3 6 - 12 months	
	13 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,027	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME28; ALUNIT28

Recodes: ALCHRC28

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR28. See the Survey Description document for more information.

AHS - 135  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC28	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA28 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to benign tumor	
556	Benign tumor condition status	
	1 Chronic	
	2 Not chronic	
	9 Unknown if chronic	
31,027	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA28; ALDURB28

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; tumor; cyst; benign

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR28. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME29	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA29 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to alcohol or drug problem	
557-558	Dur of alcohol/drug prob: # of units	
	3 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,041	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN29. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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AHS - 136  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT29	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA29 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to alcohol or drug problem	
559	Duration of alcohol/drug prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	0 3 Month(s)	
	3 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,041	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT29. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

AHS - 137  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
 SAMPLE ADULT HEALTH STATUS AND LIMITATION OF ACTIVITY - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA29	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA29 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to alcohol or drug problem	
560-561	Duration of alcohol/drug prob (in years)	
	0 00 Less than 1 year	
	3 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,041	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY29. 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.

AHS - 138  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB29	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA29 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to alcohol or drug problem	
562	Duration of alcohol/drug prob recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	0 3 6 - 12 months	
	3 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,041	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME29; ALUNIT29

Recodes: ALCHRC29

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR29. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC29	Recode	
AHS Recode		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA29 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to alcohol or drug problem	
563	Alcohol or drug prob condition status	
	3 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,041	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA29; ALDURB29

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; alcohol; substance abuse; drugs

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR29. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME30	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA30 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other mental problem	
564-565	Duration of oth mental prob: # of units	
	9 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	6 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
31,028	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN30. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT30	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA30 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other mental problem	
566	Duration of oth mental prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	1 3 Month(s)	
	8 4 Year(s)	
	6 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
31,028	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT30. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA30	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA30 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other mental problem	
567-568	Duration of oth mental prob (in years)	
	1 00 Less than 1 year	
	14 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
31,028	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY30. 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.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB30	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA30 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other mental problem	
569	Duration of oth mental prob recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	2 3 6 - 12 months	
	13 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
31,028	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME30; ALUNIT30

Recodes: ALCHRC30

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR30. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC30	Recode	
AHS Recode		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA30 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other mental problem	
570	Oth mental prob condition status	
	15 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	1 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,028	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA30; ALDURB30

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; mental illness; ADD; bipolar; schizophrenia

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR30. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME31	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300		
	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA31 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to surgical after-effects	
571-572	Dur of surg after-effects: # of units	
	50 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
30,994	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN31. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT31	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA31 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to surgical after-effects	
573	Dur of surg after-effects: Time unit	
	5 1 Day(s)	
	4 2 Week(s)	
	18 3 Month(s)	
	23 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
30,994	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT31. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA31	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA31 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to surgical after-effects	
574-575	Dur of surg after-effects (in years)	
	00 Less than 1 year	
	23 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
30,994	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY31. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB31	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA31 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to surgical after-effects	
576	Duration of surg 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	
30,994	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME31; ALUNIT31

Recodes: ALCHRC31

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR31. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC31	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA31 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to surgical after-effects	
577	Surgical after-effects condition status	
	37 1 Chronic	
	13 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,994 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA31; ALDURB31

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; operation; surgery; other medical treatment

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR31. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME32	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA32 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to "old age"	
578-579	Duration of "old age": # of units	
	135 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	4 96 Since birth	
	4 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	48 99 Don't know	
	30,853 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN32. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT32	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA32 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to "old age"	
580	Duration of "old age": Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	6 3 Month(s)	
	139 4 Year(s)	
	4 6 Since birth	
	4 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	38 9 Don't know	
	30,853 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT32. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA32	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA32 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to "old age"	
581-582	Duration of "old age" (in years)	
	6 00 Less than 1 year	
	129 01-84 01-84 years	
	4 85 85+ years	
	10 96 Unknown number of years	
	4 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	38 99 Don't know	
	30,853 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY32. 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.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB32	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA32 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to "old age"	
583	Duration of "old age" recode 2	
	1 1 Less than 3 months	
	0 2 3 - 5 months	
	19 3 6 - 12 months	
	129 4 More than 1 year	
	4 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	38 9 Don't know	
	30,853 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME32; ALUNIT32

Recodes: ALCHRC32

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR32. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC32	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA32 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to "old age"	
584	"Old age" condition status	
	191 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,853	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA32; ALDURB32

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; elderly; old age; aging

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR32. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME33	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA33 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fatigue problem	
585-586	Duration of fatigue prob: # of units	
	56 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	7 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	9 99 Don't know	
30,972	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN33. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT33	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA33 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fatigue problem	
587	Duration of fatigue prob: Time unit	
	1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	10 3 Month(s)	
	46 4 Year(s)	
	7 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	8 9 Don't know	
30,972	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT33. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA33	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA33 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fatigue problem	
588-589	Duration of fatigue prob (in years)	
	9 00 Less than 1 year	
	54 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	1 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	8 99 Don't know	
	30,972 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY33. 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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB33	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA33 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fatigue problem	
590	Duration of fatigue prob recode 2	
	1 1 Less than 3 months	
	4 2 3 - 5 months	
	13 3 6 - 12 months	
	46 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	8 9 Don't know	
30,972	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: ALTIME33; ALUNIT33

Recodes: ALCHRC33

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR33. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC33	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA33 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to fatigue problem	
591	Fatigue problem condition status	
	63 1 Chronic	
	1 2 Not chronic	
	8 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,972	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA33; ALDURB33

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; fatigue; tiredness; weakness

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR33. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME34	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA34 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to pregnancy-related problem	
592-593	Dur of preg-related prob: # of units	
	54 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	1 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	1 99 Don't know	
30,988	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN34. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT34	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA34 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to pregnancy-related problem	
594	Duration of preg-related prob: Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	6 2 Week(s)	
	48 3 Month(s)	
	0 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
30,988	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT34. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALDURA34	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA34 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to pregnancy-related problem		
595-596	Duration of preg-related prob (in years)		
	54 00 Less than 1 year		
	0 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	0 96 Unknown number of years		
	1 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	1 99 Don't know		
30,988	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY34. 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.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB34	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA34 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to pregnancy-related problem	
597	Duration of preg-related prob recode 2	
	4 1 Less than 3 months	
	10 2 3 - 5 months	
	40 3 6 - 12 months	
	0 4 More than 1 year	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
30,988	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME34; ALUNIT34

Recodes: ALCHRC34

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR34. See the Survey  
 Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC34	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA34 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to pregnancy-related problem	
598	Pregnancy-related prob condition status	
	0 1 Chronic	
	56 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
30,988	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA34; ALDURB34

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; pregnancy

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR34. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME90	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA90 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
599-600	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (1): # of units	
	148 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	41 96 Since birth	
	1 97 Refused	
	1 98 Not ascertained	
	20 99 Don't know	
30,833	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN90. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT90	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA90 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
601	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (1): Time unit	
	3 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	28 3 Month(s)	
	119 4 Year(s)	
	41 6 Since birth	
	1 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	18 9 Don't know	
	30,833 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT90. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
ALDURA90	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?		
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA90 = 1		
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob		
602-603	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (1) (in years)		
	25 00 Less than 1 year		
	164 01-84 01-84 years		
	0 85 85+ years		
	2 96 Unknown number of years		
	1 97 Refused		
	1 98 Not ascertained		
	18 99 Don't know		
30,833	<Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY90. 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.

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB90	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA90 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. problem	
604	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (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	
30,833	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALTIME90; ALUNIT90

Recodes: ALCHRC90

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR90. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC90	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA90 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
605	Other N.E.C. prob (1) condition status	
	182 1 Chronic	
	9 2 Not chronic	
	20 9 Unknown if chronic	
	30,833 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA90; ALDURB90

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR90. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALTIME91	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA91 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
606-607	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (2): # of units	
	2 01-94 1-94	
	0 95 95+	
	0 96 Since birth	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
	31,042 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLN91. Years are topcoded at 85. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALUNIT91	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA91 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
608	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (2): Time unit	
	0 1 Day(s)	
	0 2 Week(s)	
	2 3 Month(s)	
	0 4 Year(s)	
	0 6 Since birth	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,042	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLT91. See the Survey

Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURA91	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS.300	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA91 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
609-610	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (2) (in years)	
	2 00 Less than 1 year	
	0 01-84 01-84 years	
	0 85 85+ years	
	0 96 Unknown number of years	
	0 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	0 99 Don't know	
31,042	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALHCLY91. 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.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALDURB91	How long {fill have/has} {person} had {fill condition}?	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA91 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
611	Dur of oth N.E.C. prob (2) recode 2	
	0 1 Less than 3 months	
	1 2 3 - 5 months	
	1 3 6 - 12 months	
	0 4 More than 1 year	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
31,042	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: ALTIME91; ALUNIT91

Recodes: ALCHRC91

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALANTR91. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRC91	Recode	
AHS Recode	AGE >= 18 and AFLHCA91 = 1	
	Persons 18 years of age and older limited due to other N.E.C. prob	
612	Other N.E.C. prob (2) condition status	
	2 1 Chronic	
	0 2 Not chronic	
	0 9 Unknown if chronic	
31,042	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: AFLHCA91; ALDURB91

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; not elsewhere classified

Notes: New variable for 2002 -- replaces ALCNDR91. See the Survey Description document for more information.

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ALCNDRT	Recode	
AHS Recode	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and FLA1AR = 1	
	All sample adults reporting some limitation of activity	
613	Chronic cond rec for ind w/functl lim	
	9,394 1 At least one chronic cond causes functl lim	
	279 2 No chronic cond causes functl lim	
	266 9 Unk if any chronic cond causes functl lim	
21,105	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALCHRC1-34, ALCHRC90, ALCHRC91

Recodes: ALCHRONR

Keywords: functional limitation; chronic condition

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/20/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCHRONR	Recode	
AHS Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	All sample adults	
614	Overall functl lim recode by cond status	
	21,105 0 Not limited in any way (incl unk if limited)	
	9,394 1 Limited; caused by at least one chronic cond	
	279 2 Limited; not caused by chronic cond	
	266 3 Limited; unk if cond is chronic	

Sources: ALCNDRT; FLA1AR

Recodes: None

Keywords: functional limitation; chronic condition

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
SMKEV	Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your ENTIRE LIFE?	
AHB.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
615	Ever smoked 100 cigarettes	
	1 Yes	13,718
	2 No	16,996
	7 Refused	221
	8 Not ascertained	45
	9 Don't Know	64

Sources: None  
 Recodes: SMKSTAT1; SMKSTAT2; SMKSTAT3  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

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SMKREG	How old were you when you FIRST started to smoke fairly regularly?	
AHB.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes	
616-617	Age first smoked fairly regularly	
	06-84 6-84 years	13,123
	85 85 years or older	0
	96 Never smoked regularly	379
	97 Refused	22
	98 Not ascertained	1
	99 Don't know	193
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	17,326

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
SMKNOW	Do you NOW smoke cigarettes every day, some days or not at all?	
AHB.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKEV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes	
618	Smoke freq: every day/some days/not at a	
	5,577 1 Every day	
	1,342 2 Some days	
	6,791 3 Not at all	
	6 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	1 9 Don't know	
	17,326 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: None  
 Recodes: SMKSTAT1; SMKSTAT2; SMKSTAT3  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
SMKQTNO	How long has it been since you quit smoking cigarettes?		
AHB.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 3		
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes but don't smoke now		
619-620	Time since quit smoking: # of units		
	6,708 01-94 01-94		
	0 95 95+		
	1 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	82 99 Don't know		
	24,253 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: SMKQTY

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: (1) Persons with codes of 97 (refused), 98 (not ascertained), or 99 (don't know) in SMKQTNO may have a known time unit in SMKQTTP. (2) CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age. (3) Years are topcoded at 70 and truncated at AGE\_P minus SMKREG.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
SMKQTTP	How long has it been since you quit smoking cigarettes?	
AHB.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 3	
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes but don't smoke now	
621	Time since quit smoking: Time unit	
	36 1 Days	
	74 2 Weeks	
	559 3 Months	
	6,039 4 Years	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	82 9 Don't know	
	24,253 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: SMKQTY

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: (1) Persons with codes of 97 (refused), 98 (not ascertained), or 99 (don't know) in SMKQTNO may have a known time unit in SMKQTTP. (2) CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
SMKQTY	How long has it been since you quit smoking cigarettes?		
AHB.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 3		
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes but don't smoke now		
622-623	Time since quit smoking (in years)		
	545 00 Less than 1 year		
	6,161 01-69 1-69 years		
	2 70 70+ years		
	1 97 Refused		
	0 98 Not ascertained		
	82 99 Don't know		
	24,253 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: SMKQTNO; SMKQTTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: (1) Standardized variable. (2) CAPI instrument did not allow respondent to report having quit smoking younger than 15 years of age. (3) Truncated at AGE\_P minus SMKREG.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
SMKQTD	Have you quit smoking since {current month, 1 year ago}?	
AHB.045	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKQTP = 9	
	Sample adults 18+ who ever smoked 100 cigarettes, don't smoke at all now, but don't know when quit	
624	Quit smoking since {month, 1 year ago}	
	28 1 Yes	
	51 2 No	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
30,962	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CIGSDA1	On the average, how many cigarettes do you now smoke a day?	
AHB.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who currently smoke every day	
625-626	Number cigs per day (daily smokers)	
	5,530 01-94 1-94 cigarettes	
	0 95 95+ cigarettes	
	12 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	35 99 Don't Know	
	25,467 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: CIGSDAY  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

CIGDAMO	On how many of the PAST 30 DAYS did you smoke a cigarette?	
AHB.060	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 2, 7-9	
	Sample adults 18+ who currently smoke some days; Ref/NA/DK current smoking status	
627-628	Number days smoked in past 30 days	
	44 00 None	
	1,239 01-30 1-30 days	
	10 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not ascertained	
	56 99 Don't know	
	29,695 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: SMKSTAT3  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CIGSDA2	On the average, when you smoked during the PAST 30 DAYS, about how many cigarettes did you smoke a day?	
AHB.070	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, SMKNOW = 2, 7-9 and CIGDAMO = 01-30, 97-99	
	Sample adults 18+ who currently smoke some days or Ref/NA/DK current smoking status and smoked at least once in the past 30 days or Ref/NA/DK smoked past 30 days	
629-630	Number cigs in a day (some day smokers)	
	1,277 01-94 1-94 cigarettes	
	0 95 95+ cigarettes	
	7 97 Refused	
	0 98 Not Ascertained	
	21 99 Don't know	
	29,739 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: CIGSDAY

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CIGSDAY	Recode	
AHB Recode	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW =1 or [SMKNOW = 2, 7-9 and CIGDAMO = 01-30, 97-99]	
	Sample adults 18+ who smoked everyday, somedays, or Ref/NA/DK if smoked and smoked 1-30 days, or { Ref/NA/DK number of days} in the past 30 days	
631-632	Number cigs a day (all smokers)	
6,807	01-94 1-94 cigarettes	
0	95 95+ cigarettes	
19	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
56	99 Don't Know	
24,162	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: CIGDA1; CIGDA2

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; smoking; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: Denominator EXCLUDES persons who initially said they smoked some days in Q.# AHB.030, but said they smoked zero days in the past 30 days in Q.# AHB.060. Denominator INCLUDES persons for whom current smoking status is unknown (SMKNOW = 7-9) but past 30 day smoking is not zero days.

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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SMKSTAT1		Recode	
AHB Recode			ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
			Sample adults 18+
633			Smoking Status: Recode 1
	6,919	1	Current
	6,791	2	Former
	16,996	3	Never
	8	4	Smoker, current status unknown
	330	9	Unknown if ever smoked

Sources: SMKEV; SMKNOW  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: smoke; smoking status; cigarettes; tobacco  
 Notes: None

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SMKSTAT2		Recode	
AHB Recode			ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+
			Sample adults 18+
634			Smoking Status: Recode 2
	5,577	1	Current every day smoker
	1,342	2	Current some day smoker
	6,791	3	Former smoker
	16,996	4	Never smoker
	8	5	Smoker, current status unknown
	330	9	Unknown if ever smoked

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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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SMKSTAT3	Recode	
AHB Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
635	Smoking Status: Recode 3	
	1 Current every day smoker	
	2 Current some day smoker (1+ days past mo)	
	3 Current some day smoker (0 days past mo)	
	4 Current some day smoker (unknown days past mo)	
	5 Former smoker	
	6 Never smoker	
	7 Smoker, current status unknown	
	9 Unknown if ever smoked	

Sources: SMKEV; SMKNOW; CIGDAMO

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; smoking status; cigarettes; tobacco

Notes: Value of '3' includes only SMKNOW = 2 and CIGDAMO = 00; excludes SMKNOW = 7-9 and CIGDAMO = 00.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CIGQTYR	During the PAST 12 MONTHS, have you stopped smoking for more than one day BECAUSE YOU WERE TRYING TO QUIT SMOKING?	
AHB.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and SMKNOW = 1, 2, 7-9	
	Sample adults 18+ who currently smoke every day, some days, or Ref/NA/DK current smoking status	
636	Tried quit smoking 1+ days, past 12 m	
	3,011 1 Yes	
	3,892 2 No	
	12 7 Refused	
	2 8 Not ascertained	
	10 9 Don't know	
	24,117 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: smoke; quit smoking; cigarettes; tobacco; smoking cessation

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
VIGNO	How often do you do VIGOROUS activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause HEAVY sweating or LARGE increases in breathing or heart rate?		
AHB.090	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
637-639	Freq vigorous activity: # of units		
17,912	000	Never	
11,586	001-995	1-995 times per	
1,065	996	Unable to do this type activity	
160	997	Refused	
111	998	Not ascertained	
210	999	Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
VIGTP	How often do you do VIGOROUS activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause HEAVY sweating or LARGE increases in breathing or heart rate?	
AHB.090	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
640	Freq vigorous activity: Time units	
	0 Never	
	1 Day	
	2 Week	
	3 Month	
	4 Year	
	6 Unable to do this activity	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
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Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
VIGFREQW	How often do you do VIGOROUS activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause HEAVY sweating or LARGE increases in breathing or heart rate?		
AHB.090	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
641-642	Freq vigorous activity (times per wk)		
793	00	Less than once per week	
10,793	01-28	1-28 times per week	
17,912	95	Never	
1,065	96	Unable to do vig activity	
160	97	Refused	
111	98	Not ascertained	
210	99	Don't know	

Sources: VIGNO, VIGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; vigorous activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
VIGLNGNO	About how long do you do these vigorous activities each time?		
AHB.100	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and VIGTP = 1-4		
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in vig activities for at least 10 min		
643-645	Duration vig activity: # of units		
	11,444 001-720 1-720 (minutes/hours)		
	1 997 Refused		
	11 998 Not ascertained		
	130 999 Don't know		
	19,458 <Blank: Not in universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGMIN

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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VIGLNGTP	About how long do you do these vigorous activities each time?		
AHB.100	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and VIGTP = 1-4		
	Sample adults who participate in vig activities for at least 10 min		
646	Duration vigorous activity: Time unit		
	7,153 1 Minutes		
	4,291 2 Hours		
	1 7 Refused		
	11 8 Not ascertained		
	130 9 Don't know		
	19,458 <Blank: Not in universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: VIGMIN

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
VIGMIN	About how long do you do these vigorous activities each time?		
AHB.100	ASTATFLG=1, AGE = 18+ and VIGTP = 1-4		
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in vig activities for at least 10 min		
647-649	Duration vigorous activity (in minutes)		
	11,444 010-720 10-720 minutes		
	1 997 Refused		
	11 998 Not ascertained		
	130 999 Don't know		
	19,458 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: VIGLNGNO; VIGLNGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

VIGLONGD	Each time you do these vigorous activities, do you do them 20 minutes or more, or less than 20 minutes?		
AHB.108	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, VIGTP = 1-4, and VIGLNGTP = 9		
	Sample adults 18+ who participated in vigorous activities for at least 10 minutes but didn't know how long		
650	Dur of vigorous activity: <20 or 20+ min		
	28 1 Less than 20 minutes		
	90 2 20 minutes or more		
	0 7 Refused		
	0 8 Not ascertained		
	12 9 Don't know		
	30,914 <Blank: Not in universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; vigorous activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
MODNO	How often do you do LIGHT OR MODERATE activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause ONLY LIGHT sweating or a SLIGHT TO MODERATE increase in breathing or heart rate?		
AHB.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
651-653	Freq light/mod activity: # of units		
	14,085	000	Never
	15,469	001-995	1-995 times
	690	996	Unable to do this type activity
	171	997	Refused
	187	998	Not ascertained
	442	999	Don't know

Sources: None

Recodes: MODFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
MODTP	How often do you do LIGHT OR MODERATE activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause ONLY LIGHT sweating or a SLIGHT TO MODERATE increase in breathing or heart rate?	
AHB.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
654	Freq light/mod activity: Time units	
	0 Never	
	1 Day	
	2 Week	
	3 Month	
	4 Year	
	6 Unable to do this activity	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: MODFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
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MODFREQW	How often do you do LIGHT OR MODERATE activities for AT LEAST 10 MINUTES that cause ONLY LIGHT sweating or a SLIGHT TO MODERATE increase in breathing or heart rate?		
AHB.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
655-656	Freq light/mod activity (times per wk)		
519	00	Less than once per week	
14,950	01-28	1-28 times per week	
14,085	95	Never	
690	96	Unable to do light or moderate activity	
171	97	Refused	
187	98	Not ascertained	
442	99	Don't know	

Sources: MODNO, MODTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; light activity; moderate activity

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
MODLNGNO	About how long do you do these light or moderate activities each time?	
AHB.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and MODTP = 1-4	
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in light/moderate activities for at least 10 min	
657-659	Duration light/mod activity: # of units	
15,121	001-720 1-720 (minutes/hours)	
3	997 Refused	
8	998 Not ascertained	
337	999 Don't know	
15,575	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: MODMIN

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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MODLNGTP	About how long do you do these light or moderate activities each time?	
AHB.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and MODTP = 1-4	
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in light/moderate activities for at least 10 min	
660	Duration light/mod activity: Time unit	
10,670	1 Minutes	
4,451	2 Hours	
3	7 Refused	
8	8 Not ascertained	
337	9 Don't know	
15,575	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: MODMIN

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
MODMIN	About how long do you do these light or moderate activities each time?		
AHB.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and MODTP = 1-4		
	Sample adults 18+ who participate in light/moderate activities for at least 10 min		
661-663	Duration light/mod activity (in minutes)		
	15,121 010-720 10-720 minutes		
	3 997 Refused		
	8 998 Not ascertained		
	337 999 Don't know		
	15,575 <Blank: Not in universe>		

Sources: MODLNGNO; MODLNGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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MODLONGD	Each time you do these light or moderate activities, do you do them 20 minutes or more, or less than 20 minutes?		
AHB.128	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, MODTP = 1-4, and MODLNGTP = 9		
	Sample adults 18+ who participated in light/moderate activities for at least 10 minutes but didn't know how long		
664	Dur of lite/mod activity: <20 or 20+ min		
	95 1 Less than 20 minutes		
	203 2 20 minutes or more		
	0 7 Refused		
	0 8 Not ascertained		
	39 9 Don't know		
	30,707 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; light activity; moderate activity; exercise

Notes: Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
STRNGNO	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.)		
AHB.130	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
665-667	Freq strengthening activity: # of units		
	22,702	000	Never
	7,115	001-995	1-995 times per
	777	996	Unable to do this type activity
	165	997	Refused
	91	998	Not ascertained
	194	999	Don't know

Sources: None

Recodes: STRFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening

Notes: Duration was not asked for this activity. Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
STRNGTP	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.)	
AHB.130	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
668	Freq strengthening activity: Time unit	
	0 Never	22,702
	1 Day	1,008
	2 Week	5,533
	3 Month	477
	4 Year	97
	6 Unable to do this activity	777
	7 Refused	165
	8 Not ascertained	91
	9 Don't know	194

Sources: None

Recodes: STRFREQw

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening

Notes: Duration was not asked for this activity. Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
Value / Value Labels			
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.)		
AHB.130	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
669-670	Freq strength activity (times per wk)		
445	00	Less than once per week	
6,670	01-28	1-28 times per week	
22,702	95	Never	
777	96	Unable to do strength activity	
165	97	Refused	
91	98	Not ascertained	
194	99	Don't know	

Sources: STRNGNO; STRNGTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: physical activity; exercise; strength; strengthening

Notes: Duration was not asked for this activity. Leisure time activities only. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALC1YR	In ANY ONE YEAR, have you had at least 12 drinks of any type of alcoholic beverage?	
AHB.140	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
671	Ever had 12+ drinks in any one year	
	18,024 1 Yes	
	12,548 2 No	
	297 7 Refused	
	89 8 Not ascertained	
	86 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: ALCSTAT1; ALC7STAT  
 Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking;  
 Notes: None

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ALCLIFE	In your ENTIRE LIFE, have you had at least 12 drinks of any type of alcoholic beverage?	
AHB.150	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 2, 7, 8 or 9	
	Sample adults 18+ who NEVER had 12 drinks in ANY ONE YEAR; Ref/NA/DK 12 drinks in one year	
672	Had 12+ drinks in ENTIRE LIFE	
	5,344 1 Yes	
	7,195 2 No	
	293 7 Refused	
	89 8 Not ascertained	
	99 9 Don't know	
	18,024 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: ALCSTAT1; ALC7STAT  
 Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking; lifetime  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALC12MNO	In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have had at least 12 drinks in lifetime		
673-675	Freq drank alcohol past year: # of units		
	4,732 000 Never		
	18,281 001-365 1-365 days per		
	93 997 Refused		
	1 998 Not ascertained		
	261 999 Don't know		
	7,676 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC12MMO; ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR; ALCSTAT1; ALC7STAT

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].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALC12MTP	In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?	
AHB.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have had at least 12 drinks in lifetime	
676	Freq drank alcohol past year: Time unit	
	4,732 0 Never/None	
	8,161 1 Week	
	4,858 2 Month	
	5,262 3 Year	
	93 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	261 9 Don't know	
	7,676 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC12MMO; ALC12MWK; ALC12MYR; ALCSTAT1; ALC7STAT

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].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALC12MMO	In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have had at least 12 drinks in lifetime		
677-678	Freq drank alcohol: Days per month		
	3,986 00 Less than once a month		
	14,295 01-31 1-31 days per month		
	4,732 95 Did not drink in past year		
	93 97 Refused		
	1 98 Not ascertained		
	261 99 Don't know		
	7,676 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP

Recodes: ALC7STAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking; frequency

Notes: (1) Standardized variable. (2) Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR].



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALC12MWK	In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have had at least 12 drinks in lifetime		
679-680	Freq drank alcohol: Days per week		
	9,137 00 Less than one day per week		
	9,144 01-07 1-7 days per week		
	4,732 95 Did not drink in past year		
	93 97 Refused		
	1 98 Not ascertained		
	261 99 Don't know		
	7,676 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP

Recodes: ALC7STAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking; frequency

Notes: (1) Standardized variable. (2) Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
	Variable Label		
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ALC12MYR	In the PAST YEAR, how often did you drink any type of alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and ALC1YR = 1 or ALCLIFE = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have had at least 12 drinks in lifetime		
681-683	Freq drank alcohol: Days in past year		
	4,732	000	Never/none
	18,281	001-365	1-365 days
	93	997	Refused
	1	998	Not ascertained
	261	999	Don't know
	7,676	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP

Recodes: ALCSTAT1, ALC7STAT

Keywords: alcohol consumption; drinking; frequency

Notes: (1) Standardized variable. (2) Not edited for consistency with number of days in past year consumed 5+ drinks [that is, ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP; ALC5UPYR]. (3) Values calculated from responses of 31 days per month were truncated to 365 days per year.

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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALCAMT	In the PAST YEAR, on those days that you drank alcoholic beverages, on the average, how many drinks did you have?	
AHB.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ALC12MTP = 1-3, 9	
	Sample adults 18+ who drank in past year, including those who did not know how often	
684-685	Average # drinks on days drank	
	18,257 01-94 1-94 drinks	
	4 95 95+ drinks	
	25 97 Refused	
	1 98 Not ascertained	
	255 99 Don't know	
	12,502 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: ALC7STAT  
 Keywords: alcohol; drinking; amount; quantity  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
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Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALC5UPNO	In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.180	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ALC12MTP = 1-3, 9		
	Sample adults 18+ who drank in past year, including those who did not know how often		
686-688	Days had 5+ drinks, past year: # of days		
	12,349 000 Never/None		
	5,744 001-365 1-365 days per		
	34 997 Refused		
	1 998 Not ascertained		
	414 999 Don't know		
	12,502 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC5UPYR

Keywords: alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drunk in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MMO; ALC12MYR].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALC5UPTP	In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?	
AHB.180	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ALC12MTP = 1-3, 9	
	Sample adults 18+ who drank in past year, including those who did not know how often	
689	Days had 5+ drinks past year: Time unit	
	0 Never/None	12,349
	1 Week	1,255
	2 Month	761
	3 Year	3,728
	7 Refused	34
	8 Not ascertained	1
	9 Don't know	414
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	12,502

Sources: None

Recodes: ALC5UPYR

Keywords: alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes: Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drunk in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MMO; ALC12MYR].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
ALC5UPYR	In the PAST YEAR, on how many DAYS did you have 5 or more drinks of any alcoholic beverage?		
AHB.180	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ALC12MTP = 1-3, 9		
	Sample adults 18+ who drank in past year, including those who did not know how often		
690-692	Number of days had 5+ drinks past year		
	12,349 000 Never/None		
	5,744 001-365 1-365 days		
	34 997 Refused		
	1 998 Not ascertained		
	414 999 Don't know		
	12,502 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: ALC5UPNO; ALC5UPTP

Recodes: None

Keywords: alcohol consumption; heavy drinking; frequency

Notes: (1) Standardized variable. (2) Not edited for consistency with average number of days or average amount drank in past year [that is, ALC12MNO; ALC12MTP; ALC12MWK; ALC12MMO; ALC12MYR].

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ALCSTAT1	Recode	
AHB Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
693	Alcohol Drinking Status: Recode	
	7,195 1 Lifetime abstainer [<12 drinks in lifetime]	
	4,732 2 Former drinker [No drinks in past year]	
	18,422 3 Current drinker [1+ drinks in past year]	
	695 9 Drinking status unknown	

Sources: ALCLIFE; ALC1YR; ALC12MYR

Recodes: None

Keywords: alcohol; drinking;

Notes: This recode is not directly comparable to pre-1997 NHIS alcohol drinking status recodes due to change in the order and reference period of the questions. Reference period changed from past 2 weeks to past year beginning in 1997. Definition of lifetime abstainer changed from "< 12 drinks in any one year" to "< 12 drinks in lifetime". Current drinkers include persons who had 1 or more drinks in past year, including those with unknown frequency of drinking in ALC12MNO and ALC12MTP.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ALC7STAT	Recode	
AHB Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
694	Current alcohol drinking status: Recode	
	1 Lifetime abstainer	
	2 Former infrequent	
	3 Former regular	
	4 Current infrequent	
	5 Current light	
	6 Current moderate	
	7 Current heavier	
	8 Current drinker, level unknown	
	9 Drinking status unknown	

Sources: ALCSTAT1; ALC1YR; ALC12MYR; ALCAMT

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; 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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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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MET_FLG1	How tall are you without shoes?	
Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
695	Flag: Metric units reported for height	
	258	1 Metric height measurement volunteered
	30,786	2 Not reported in metric units

Sources: AHGHT\_FT (i)

Recodes: None

Keywords: metric flag

Notes: All respondents were assigned values for height in both metric and non-metric variables, regardless of the units they originally reported. MET\_FLG1 identifies those respondents who originally reported in metric units, including those who said they would report in metric but subsequently had codes for Refused/DK/NA in the metric variable.

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MET_FLG2	How much do you weigh without shoes?	
Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
696	Flag: Metric units reported for weight	
	120	1 Metric weight measurement volunteered
	30,924	2 Not reported in metric units

Sources: AWGHTP (i)

Recodes: None

Keywords: metric flag

Notes: All respondents were assigned values for weight in both metric and non-metric variables, regardless of the units they originally reported. MET\_FLG2 identifies those respondents who originally reported in metric units, including those who said they would report in metric but subsequently had codes for Refused/DK/NA in the metric variable.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
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AHEIGHT	How tall are you without shoes?		
AHB.190			
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
697-698	Total height in inches		
	28,448 59-76 59-76 inches		
	1,821 96 Not available		
	240 97 Refused		
	359 98 Not ascertained		
	176 99 Don't know		

Sources: None

Recodes: DESIREWT; 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.

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AWEIGHTP	How much do you weigh without shoes?		
AHB.200			
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
699-701	Weight w/o shoes (pounds)		
	27,974 099-285 99-285 pounds		
	1,821 996 Not available		
	736 997 Refused		
	106 998 Not ascertained		
	407 999 Don't know		

Sources: None

Recodes: DESIREWT; BMI

Keywords: body weight

Notes: Not available (996) refers to persons who had extreme values in either height or weight or both. See Survey Description Document for details.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DESIREWT	Recode	
AHB Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
702	Desirable Body Weight	
	3,740 1 10% or more below desirable weight	
	2,098 2 5-9% below desirable weight	
	5,113 3 4.9% (+/-) of desirable body weight	
	2,773 4 5-9.9% above desirable body weight	
	4,901 5 10-19.9% above desirable body weight	
	3,765 6 20-29.9 % above desirable body weight	
	6,398 7 30% + above desirable body weight	
	2,256 9 Unknown	

Sources: AHB.200; AHB.190

Recodes: None

Keywords: desirable body weight; overweight; obesity; underweight

Notes: Metropolitan Life Insurance Company (MLIC) Standards of Desirable Body Weight, 1983 Revision. The category "Unknown" includes persons with "Refused", "Not ascertained", or "Don't know" to height or weight, as well as persons whose height is outside the range of MLIC standards [61-75 inches for men; 57-71 inches for women]. In calculating "Percent of Desirable Body Weight", pounds were first converted to kilograms, using a conversion factor of 1 kilogram = 2.205 pounds. See Survey Description Document.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/25/03	
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Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
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BMI	Recode		
AHB Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+		
	Sample adults 18+		
703-706	Body Mass Index (BMI)		
	29,417	0001-9994	00.01-99.94
	0	9995	99.95+
	1,627	9999	Unknown

Sources: AHB.200; AHB.190

Recodes: None

Keywords: body mass index; BMI; overweight; obesity; underweight

Notes: (1) BMI was calculated using the inhouse 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. BMI values shown are theoretical, not actual ranges. (2) BMI = [Weight (kg)/[Height(m) squared]] rounded to 2 decimal places. Conversion factors: 1 kg = 2.205 pounds; 1 meter (m) = 39.37 inches.

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AAU - 1  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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AUSUALPL	Is there a place that you USUALLY go to when you are sick or need advice about your health?	
AAU.020	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
707	Place USUALLY go when sick	
26,116	1 Yes	
4,461	2 There is NO place	
260	3 There is MORE THAN ONE place	
69	7 Refused	
112	8 Not ascertained	
26	9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: SOURCELA  
 Keywords: access; source; health care provider  
 Notes: None

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AAU - 2  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
APLKIND	[If AUSUALPL = 1 then read:] What kind of place is it - a clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place? [Else, if AUSUALPL = 3 then read:] What kind of place do you go to most often - a clinic, doctor's office, emergency room, or some other place?	
AAU.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AUSUALPL = 1, 3	
	Sample adults 18+ with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice	
708	Place to go when sick (most often)	
	1 Clinic or health center	
4,333	2 Doctor's office or HMO	
20,763	3 Hospital emergency room	
297	4 Hospital outpatient department	
525	5 Some other place	
195	6 Doesn't go to one place most often	
241	7 Refused	
8	8 Not ascertained	
1	9 Don't know	
13	<Blank: Not in Universe>	
4,668		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

AAU - 3  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
AAU.035	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and APLKIND = 1,2,3,4,5	
	Sample adults 18+ 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	
709	USUALLY go there for routine/prev care	
	1 Yes	24,629
	2 No	1,465
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	2
	9 Don't know	16
	< Blank: Not in Universe >	4,931

Sources: None  
 Recodes: SOURCELA  
 Keywords: access; source; health care provider  
 Notes: None

AAU - 4  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCPLKND	What kind of place do you USUALLY go to when you need routine preventive care, such as a physical examination or check-up?	
AAU.037	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and [AUSUALPL NE 1,3 or APLKIND = 6,7,8,9 or AHCPLROU NE 1]	
	Sample Adults 18+ 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.	
710	Place usually go for routine prev care	
	0 Doesn't get preventive care anywhere	3,477
	1 Clinic or health center	643
	2 Doctor's office or HMO	1,235
	3 Hospital emergency room	149
	4 Hospital outpatient department	86
	5 Some other place	98
	6 Doesn't go to one place most often	490
	7 Refused	77
	8 Not ascertained	115
	9 Don't know	45
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	24,629

Sources: None

Recodes: SOURCELA

Keywords: access; source; preventive care; health care provider

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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SOURCELA	Recode	
AAU Recode		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
711-712	Source of medical care recode	
24,516	01 Same sorc sk care & rout care	
588	02 Sorc sk care, no sorc rout care	
899	03 Sorc sk & rout care, no/unk same sorc	
113	04 Sorc sk care, unk sorc rout care *	
113	05 GE2 sorc sk care, 1 is sorc rout care	
55	06 GE2 sorc sk care, no sorc rout care	
37	07 GE2 sorc sk & rout care, no/unk if same	
55	08 GE2 sorc sk care, unk sorc rout care *	
2,828	09 No sorc sk care or rout care	
1,268	10 No sorc sk care, has sorc rout care	
365	11 No sorc sk care, unk sorc rout care *	
6	12 Unk sorc sk care, no sorc rout care	
7	13 Unk sorc sk care, has sorc rout care	
194	14 Unk sorc sk care or sorc rout care *	
0	99 Unknown other	

Sources: AUSUALPL; AHCPLROU; AHCPLKND

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; usual source

Notes: (1) See SOURCELA Appendix for expanded labels (2) \* Category also included "doesn't go to one place most often for routine preventive care"

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCCHGYR	At any time in the PAST 12 MONTHS did you CHANGE the place(s) to which you USUALLY go for health care?	
AAU.040	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AUSUALPL = 1,3 [or AHCPLROU = 1]	
	Sample adults 18+ with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice [or who reported same place as usual source of routine/preventive care]	
713	Change health care place, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	
2,438	2 No	
23,894	7 Refused	
16	8 Not ascertained	
3	9 Don't know	
25	<Blank: Not in Universe>	
4,668		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider

Notes: None

AAU - 7  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCCHGHI	Was this change for a reason related to health insurance?	
AAU.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and AHCCHGYR = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with 1+ usual place(s) to go when sick/need health advice who CHANGED their USUAL place for health care in past 12 months	
714	Change due to hlth insurance	
	1 Yes	843
	2 No	1,595
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,606

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; health care provider; health insurance

Notes: None

AAU - 8  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.061	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
715	Couldn't get through on phone, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	719
	2 No	30,038
	7 Refused	100
	8 Not ascertained	117
	9 Don't know	70

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.061	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
716	Couldn't get appt soon enough, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	1,622
	2 No	29,135
	7 Refused	103
	8 Not ascertained	117
	9 Don't know	67

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; scheduling

Notes: None

AAU - 10  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.061	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
717	Wait too long in dr's office, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	1,351
	2 No	29,406
	7 Refused	103
	8 Not ascertained	117
	9 Don't know	67

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; waiting time

Notes: None

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AAU - 11  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.061	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
718	Not open when you could go, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	775
	2 No	29,983
	7 Refused	103
	8 Not ascertained	117
	9 Don't know	66

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; access problems; scheduling

Notes: None

AAU - 12  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.061	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
719	No transportation, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	537
	2 No	30,223
	7 Refused	103
	8 Not ascertained	117
	9 Don't know	64

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; delayed care; transportation problems

Notes: None

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AAU - 13  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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? .....	
AAU.111	Prescription medicines	
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
720	Can't afford presc medicine, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	2,452
	2 No	28,375
	7 Refused	63
	8 Not ascertained	121
	9 Don't know	33

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; medical expense; cost of medication; drugs

Notes: None

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AAU - 14  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.111	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
721	Can't afford mental care/counsel, 12 mo	
	1 Yes	713
	2 No	30,106
	7 Refused	65
	8 Not ascertained	121
	9 Don't know	39

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; medical expense; therapy; counseling

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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)	
AAU.111	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
722	Can't afford dental care, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	3,115
	2 No	27,709
	7 Refused	63
	8 Not ascertained	121
	9 Don't know	36

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dental expense; cost of dental care; oral health;  
 unmet dental needs

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.111	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
723	Can't afford eyeglasses, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	
1,847	2 No	
28,976	7 Refused	
63	8 Not ascertained	
121	9 Don't know	
37		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; eyeglass expense; cost of eye care; eye care; vision

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
AAU.135	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
724	Time since last saw a dentist	
	0 Never	345
	1 6 Months or less	12,891
	2 More than 6 mos, but not more than 1 yr ago	5,275
	3 More than 1 yr, but not more than 2 yrs ago	3,956
	4 More than 2 yrs, but not more than 5 yrs ago	3,835
	5 More than 5 years ago	4,200
	7 Refused	132
	8 Not ascertained	127
	9 Don't know	283

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dental visit; oral health; advice; treatment

Notes: None

AAU - 18  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
725	Seen/talk to mental hlth prof, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	2,056
	2 No	28,675
	7 Refused	140
	8 Not ascertained	135
	9 Don't know	38

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; treatment; therapy; counseling

Notes: None

AAU - 19  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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)	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE =18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
726	Seen/talk to eye doctor, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	11,188
	2 No	19,538
	7 Refused	136
	8 Not ascertained	135
	9 Don't know	47

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; vision care

Notes: None

AAU - 20  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
727	Seen/talk to foot doctor, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	2,119
	2 No	28,614
	7 Refused	138
	8 Not ascertained	135
	9 Don't know	38

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; podiatrist

Notes: None



AAU - 21  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
728	Seen/talk to a chiropractor, past 12 mo	
	2,467 1 Yes	
	28,261 2 No	
	139 7 Refused	
	136 8 Not ascertained	
	41 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; chiropractor

Notes: None

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AAU - 22  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
729	Seen/talk to therapist (PT/OT) past 12 m	
	2,424 1 Yes	
	28,302 2 No	
	139 7 Refused	
	136 8 Not ascertained	
	43 9 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; therapy

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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	
AAU.141	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
730	Seen/talk to a NP/PA/midwife, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	3,928
	2 No	26,754
	7 Refused	140
	8 Not ascertained	136
	9 Don't know	86

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; midwife; nurse; physician assistant

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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)?	
AAU.200	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and SEX = 2  Sample female adults 18+	
731	Seen/talk to OB/GYN, past 12 mo	
	7,569	1 Yes
	9,763	2 No
	74	7 Refused
	89	8 Not ascertained
	44	9 Don't know
	13,505	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; gynecologist; obstetrician

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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)?	
AAU.211	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
732	Seen/talk to a med specialist, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	8,043
	2 No	22,677
	7 Refused	134
	8 Not ascertained	139
	9 Don't know	51

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; specialist

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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)	
AAU.211	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
733	Seen/talk to a general doctor, past 12 m	
	1 Yes	20,733
	2 No	10,002
	7 Refused	124
	8 Not ascertained	139
	9 Don't know	46

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; general practitioner; internist;  
 family doctor

Notes: None

AAU - 27  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCSYR10	Does that doctor treat children and adults (a doctor in general practice or family medicine)?	
AAU.230	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AHCSYR9 = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have seen or talked to a general doctor during the past 12 months	
734	Does that Dr treat both kids and adults	
	1 Yes	11,068
	2 No	7,155
	7 Refused	13
	8 Not ascertained	1
	9 Don't know	2,496
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	10,311

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; general practitioner; internist;  
 family doctor

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.)	
AAU.240	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
735-736	# times in ER/ED, past 12 mo	
24,323	00 None	
4,131	01 1	
1,656	02 2-3	
362	03 4-5	
128	04 6-7	
38	05 8-9	
57	06 10-12	
10	07 13-15	
39	08 16 or more	
100	97 Refused	
144	98 Not ascertained	
56	99 Don't know	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; emergency room visit (ER); emergency department visit (ED); critical care

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCHYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, did you receive care AT HOME from a nurse or other health care professional?	
AAU.250	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
737	Get home care from hlth prof, past 12 mo	
	651 1 Yes	
	30,173 2 No	
	61 7 Refused	
	146 8 Not ascertained	
	13 9 Don't know	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse  
 Notes: None

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AHCHMOYR	During how many of the PAST 12 MONTHS did you receive care AT HOME from a health care professional?	
AAU.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AHCHYR = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who received home care from health professional during past 12 months	
738-739	How many months of home care, past 12 mo	
	640	01-12 01-12 months
	0	97 Refused
	0	98 Not ascertained
	11	99 Don't know
	30,393	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
AHCHNOY2	What was the total number of home visits received during {that month/those months}?	
AAU.270	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AHCHYR = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who received home care from health professional during past 12 months	
740-741	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	
30,393	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; home health visit; treatment; visiting nurse

Notes: None

AAU - 31  
 2002 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
AAU.280	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
742-743	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	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; doctor visit; office visit

Notes: None

AAU - 32  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ASRGYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you had SURGERY or other surgical procedures either as an inpatient or outpatient?	
AAU.290	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample Adults 18+	
744	Had surgery in the past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	4,129
	2 No	26,632
	7 Refused	88
	8 Not ascertained	154
	9 Don't know	41

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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
ASRGNOYR	Including any times you may have already told me about, HOW MANY DIFFERENT TIMES have you had surgery during the PAST 12 MONTHS?	
AAU.300	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and ASRGYR = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who had surgery or surgical procedures during past 12 months	
745-746	Total # of surgeries in the past 12 mo	
4,125	01-94 1-94 Times	
0	95 95+ Times	
1	97 Refused	
0	98 Not ascertained	
3	99 Don't know	
26,915	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
AAU.305	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
747	Time since last saw/talked to hlth prof	
	0 Never	478
	1 6 months or less	21,287
	2 More than 6 mos, but not more than 1 yr ago	4,097
	3 More than 1 yr, but not more than 2 yrs ago	2,381
	4 More than 2 yrs, but not more than 5 yrs ago	1,563
	5 More than 5 years ago	860
	7 Refused	112
	8 Not ascertained	157
	9 Don't know	109

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; dr. visit/contact; medical advice; health care provider

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
AAU.310	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
748	Had flu shot past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	8,842
	2 No	21,766
	7 Refused	134
	8 Not ascertained	159
	9 Don't know	143

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; flu; flu shot; flu vaccine; influenza  
 Notes: None

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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.	
AAU.320	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
749	Ever had pneumonia shot	
	1 Yes	5,095
	2 No	24,989
	7 Refused	134
	8 Not ascertained	160
	9 Don't know	666

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; pneumonia; pneumonia shot; pneumonia vaccine  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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APOX	Have you EVER had chickenpox?	
AAU.330		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
750	Ever had chickenpox	
	1 Yes	23,939
	2 No	4,904
	7 Refused	130
	8 Not ascertained	165
	9 Don't know	1,906

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; chickenpox; varicella  
 Notes: None

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APOX12MO	Have you had chickenpox in the PAST 12 MONTHS?	
AAU.340		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and APOX = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever had chickenpox	
751	Had chickenpox, past 12 mo	
	1 Yes	83
	2 No	23,845
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	11
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	7,105

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; chickenpox; varicella  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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AHEP	Have you EVER had hepatitis?	
AAU.350		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
752	Ever had hepatitis	
	1 Yes	1,077
	2 No	29,418
	7 Refused	144
	8 Not ascertained	167
	9 Don't know	238

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; hepatitis; liver  
 Notes: None

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AHEPLIV	Have you ever lived with someone who had hepatitis?	
AAU.360		
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and AHEP NE 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have never had hepatitis; Ref/NA/DK if ever had hepatitis	
753	Ever lived w/ someone w/ hepatitis	
	1 Yes	1,244
	2 No	28,116
	7 Refused	157
	8 Not ascertained	171
	9 Don't know	279
	<Blank: Not in universe>	1,077

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: access; source; hepatitis; liver  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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.	
AAU.370	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
754	Ever received hepatitis B vaccine	
	1 Yes	7,094
	2 No	22,072
	7 Refused	147
	8 Not ascertained	176
	9 Don't know	1,555

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis B; vaccine; liver

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 06/11/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
SHEPDOS	Did you receive at least 3 doses of the hepatitis B vaccine, or less than 3 doses?	
AAU.380	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and SHTHEPB = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have ever received the Hepatitis B vaccine	
755	# 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	
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: access; source; hepatitis B; vaccine; liver

Notes: None

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ALL_SA	Recode	
ASD Recode		
		ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18
		All sample adults aged 18 and older
756	Employment status	
19,249	1	Currently working
5,058	2	Retired
5,124	3	Not currently working but has worked previously
1,499	4	Has never worked
114	9	Unknown

Sources: DOINGLW1; WHYNOWK1; EVERWRK

Recodes: None

Keywords: work status; employment status

Notes: Analysts can use this recode in conjunction with subsequent ASD variables to distinguish between sample adults who are currently employed; retired (regardless of age); not currently working but have worked previously; or have never worked. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
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	Value / Value Labels	
EVERWRK ASD.066	Have you ever held a job or worked at a business?	
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 3,5	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were looking for work or not working last week	
757	Ever worked	
	9,713 1 Yes	
	1,946 2 No	
	46 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	25 9 Don't know	
	19,314 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: See Survey Description document for more information.

INDSTRY1 ASD Coded	Coded	
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, or working at a non-paying job last week	
758-759	Detailed industry classification	
	See Industry Recode Appendix, column 1	
	See Industry Recode Appendix, column 3	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; business; industry

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called INDSTRY1) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.



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Freq.	Value / Value Labels	

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INDSTR1A ASD Coded	<p>Coded</p> <p>ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1</p> <p>Sample adults aged 18 and older 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</p> <p>762-763</p> <p>Detailed industry classification</p> <p>See Industry Recode Appendix, column 1 See Industry Recode Appendix, column 3</p>
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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; business; industry

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Freq.	Value / Value Labels	

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INDSTR2A	Coded
ASD Coded	
	<p>ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or          EVERWRK = 1</p> <p>Sample adults aged 18 and older 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</p>
764-765	<p>Simple industry classification</p> <p>See Industry Recode Appendix, column 2          See Industry Recode Appendix, column 3</p>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; business; industry

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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	Value / Value Labels	

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OCCUP1 ASD Coded	Coded
	<p>ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4</p> <p>Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, or working at a non-paying job last week</p>
766-767	<p>Detailed occupation classification</p> <p>See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 1          See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 3</p>

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called OCCUP1) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
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	Value / Value Labels	

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OCCUP2 ASD Coded	Coded  ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4  Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working at a paying job last week, with a job or business but not at work, or working at a non-paying job last week  768-769  Simple occupation classification  See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 2 See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 3
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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called OCCUP2) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
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	Universe Description	
Location	Variable Label	
Freq.	Value / Value Labels	

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OCCUP1A	Coded	
ASD Coded		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older 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	
770-771	Detailed occupation classification	
	See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 1 See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 3	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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OCCUP2A	Coded	
ASD Coded		
		ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1
		Sample adults aged 18 and older 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
772-773	Simple occupation classification	
		See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 2 See Occupation Recode Appendix, column 3

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
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WRKCAT	Looking at the card, which of these best describes your current job or work situation?	
ASD.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4	
	Sample adults 18+ who were working last week	
774	Class of worker	
	1 Employee of a PRIVATE company for wages	13,957
	2 A FEDERAL government employee	547
	3 A STATE government employee	1,171
	4 A LOCAL government employee	1,404
	5 Self-emp in OWN business/prof practice/farm	1,843
	6 Working WITHOUT PAY in fam business/farm	48
	7 Refused	191
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	88
	< Blank: Not in universe >	11,795

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employee; class of worker

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called WRKCAT) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
WRKCATA	[If DOINGLW2 eq 1,2,4 then display:] Looking at the card, which of these best describes your current job or work situation? [Else if EVERWRK eq 1 and [WHYNOWK2 eq 3 or AGE ge 65] then display:] Looking at the card, which of these best describes the job you held for the longest time? [Else if EVERWRK eq 1 and [WHYNOWK2 ne 3 and AGE lt 65] then display:] Looking at the card, which of these best describes the job you held most recently?	
ASD.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were working last week or who had ever worked	
775	Class of worker	
	1 Employee of a PRIVATE company for wages	21,117
	2 A FEDERAL government employee	1,034
	3 A STATE government employee	1,724
	4 A LOCAL government employee	2,132
	5 Self-emp in OWN business/prof practice/farm	2,456
	6 Working WITHOUT PAY in fam business/farm	64
	7 Refused	270
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	165
	< Blank: Not in universe>	2,082

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employee; class of worker

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
BUSINC1	Is this business incorporated?	
ASD.112	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and [DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 and WRKCAT = 5]	
	Sample adults 18+ who are self-employed at their current job	
776	Current job an incorporated business	
	1 Yes	433
	2 No	1,377
	7 Refused	12
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	21
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	29,201

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; self-employment

Notes: In the 1997-2000 NHIS, this question was asked of those respondents who said they were self-employed on a SECOND job. In 2001 (and continuing in 2002), the location of the question was moved, and it is now asked of respondents who said they were self-employed on their current/last/longest held job. Note that the universe for this item is limited to sample adults who were working last week. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
BUSINC1A ASD.112	Is this business incorporated?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and WRKCATA = 5	
	Sample adults 18+ who are self-employed at their current job or were self-employed at their last or longest-held job	
777	Current/last/longest-held job inc bus	
537	1 Yes	
1,874	2 No	
13	7 Refused	
0	8 Not ascertained	
32	9 Don't know	
28,588	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; self-employment

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
LOCALL1	Thinking about {this MAIN job or business}, how many people work(ed) at this location? Note to FR: "People" includes both full- and part-time employees; "location" refers to the street address of the workplace.	
ASD.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4  Sample adults 18+ who were working last week	
778-779	Number of employees at work	
	01 1-9 employees	4,676
	02 10-24 employees	2,530
	03 25-49 employees	2,004
	04 50-99 employees	1,815
	05 100-249 employees	2,017
	06 250-499 employees	1,211
	07 500-999 employees	879
	08 1000 employees or more	2,830
	97 Refused	350
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	937
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	11,795

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment; employees

Notes: LOCALL1 was introduced in the 2001 ASD section. It is comparable to LOCALLNO, a variable in the 1997-2000 NHIS. The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
LOCALL1A	Thinking about {this MAIN job or business/your last week at the job you held the longest/your last week at the job you held most recently}, how many people work(ed) at this location? Note to FR: "People" includes both full- and part-time employees; "location" refers to the street address of the workplace.	
ASD.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1  Sample adults 18+ who were working last week or who had ever worked	
780-781	Number of employees at work	
	01 1-9 employees	6,735
	02 10-24 employees	3,644
	03 25-49 employees	2,888
	04 50-99 employees	2,581
	05 100-249 employees	2,974
	06 250-499 employees	1,738
	07 500-999 employees	1,344
	08 1000 employees or more	4,557
	97 Refused	479
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	2,022
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	2,082

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; employment; employees

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
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YRSWRK_P	Recode		
ASD Recode	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4		
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working last week		
782-783	Years on the job		
	3,239 00 Less than 1 year		
	15,221 01-34 01-34 years		
	255 35 35 or more years		
	402 97 Refused		
	6 98 Not ascertained		
	126 99 Don't know		
	11,795 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; employment duration

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called YRSWRK\_P) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03	
Question No.	Variable Universe		
Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
YRSWRKPA	Recode		
ASD Recode	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who were working last week or who had ever worked		
784-785	Years on the job		
	4,801 00 Less than 1 year		
	22,339 01-34 01-34 years		
	913 35 35 or more years		
	531 97 Refused		
	6 98 Not ascertained		
	372 99 Don't know		
	2,082 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; employment duration

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HOURPD	Are you paid by the hour on this MAIN job or business?	
ASD.150	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working last week	
786	Paid by the hour at current job	
	1 Yes	10,867
	2 No	8,064
	7 Refused	263
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	55
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	11,795

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; hourly wage

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called HOURPD) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HOURPDA	{Are you/Were you} paid by the hour on this {MAIN job or business/job you held the longest/job you held most recently}?	
ASD.150	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were working last week or who had ever worked	
787	Paid by hr at current/most recent job	
	1 Yes	16,980
	2 No	11,463
	7 Refused	354
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	165
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	2,082

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; hourly wage

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
PDSICK	Do you have paid sick leave on this MAIN job or business?	
ASD.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working last week	
788	Paid sick leave at current job	
	1 Yes	10,660
	2 No	8,161
	7 Refused	225
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	203
	<Blank: Not in universe>	11,795

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; sick leave

Notes: The universe for this variable is limited to all sample adults who were working last week. This variable is thus equivalent to earlier versions (also called PDSICK) in the 1997-2001 NHIS. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
PDSICKA	{Do you/Did you ever} have paid sick leave on this {MAIN job or business/job you held the longest/job you held most recently}?	
ASD.160	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+, and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4 or EVERWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who were working last week or who had ever worked	
789	Paid sick leave current/most recent job	
	1 Yes	15,066
	2 No	13,127
	7 Refused	313
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	456
	<Blank: Not in universe>	2,082

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; job; sick leave

Notes: The universe for this item includes all persons who have ever worked as well as those currently working. Please refer to the Survey Description document for more information. Analysts can use the recode ALL\_SA to distinguish sample adult respondents' employment status.



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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ONEJOB	Do you have more than one job or business?	
ASD.170		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and DOINGLW1 = 1,2,4	
	Sample adults aged 18 and older who were working last week	
790	Have more than one job	
	1 Yes	1,486
	2 No	17,555
	7 Refused	186
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	22
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	11,795

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: work; job; employment  
 Notes: None

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HOME50	Was your home built before 1950?	
ASD.180.010		
	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18	
	Sample adults aged 18 years of age and older	
791	Home built before 1950?	
	1 Yes	8,606
	2 No	19,579
	7 Refused	33
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2,826

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: age of home; year home was built  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/31/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
LEADPNT	Has paint from this home ever been analyzed for lead content?	
ASD.180.020	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE ge 18 and HOME50 = 1,9  Sample adults aged 18 years of age and older	
792	Paint tested for lead	
	1 Yes	
	5,565 2 No	
	7 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4,369 9 Don't know	
	19,612 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: paint test; paint tested for lead  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
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BLDGV	Have you donated blood since March 1985?	
ADS.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
793	Donated blood since March 1985	
	1 Yes	7,185
	2 No	23,258
	7 Refused	189
	8 Not ascertained	180
	9 Don't know	232

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: blood; blood donation  
 Notes: None

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BLDG12M	During the past 12 months, that is, since {date}, have you donated blood?	
ADS.020	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and BLDGV = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have donated blood since March 1985	
794	Donated blood past 12 m	
	1 Yes	1,802
	2 No	5,368
	7 Refused	2
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	13
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	23,859

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: blood; blood donation  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
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HIVTST	Have you ever been tested for HIV?	
ADS.040	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
795	Ever been tested for HIV?	
	1 Yes	10,760
	2 No	19,043
	7 Refused	303
	8 Not ascertained	189
	9 Don't know	749

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; HIV test; blood test  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
WHYTST_R	Which one of these would you say is the MAIN reason why you have not been tested?	
ADS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 2	
	Sample adults 18+ who have never been tested for HIV	
796-797	Reason why you have not been tested?	
	01 Unlikely have been exposed to HIV	13,094
	02 Afraid to find out if HIV positive	86
	03 Didn't want to think about HIV/HIV pos.	29
	04 Worried name reported to Govt. if pos.	5
	05 Didn't know where to get tested	28
	06 Don't like needles	60
	07 Afraid of losing job if pos. for AIDS	5
	08 Some other reason	97
	09 No particular reason	5,407
	97 Refused	101
	98 Not ascertained	2
	99 Don't know	129
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	12,001

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids; aids virus; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
TST12M_M	In what month and year was your last test for HIV, the virus that causes AIDS?	
ADS.060	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV/AIDS	
798-799	Month of last test for HIV	
	540 01 January	
	545 02 February	
	599 03 March	
	475 04 April	
	500 05 May	
	786 06 June	
	427 07 July	
	480 08 August	
	440 09 September	
	421 10 October	
	400 11 November	
	339 12 December	
	1,746 96 Used time period format	
	49 97 Refused	
	2,469 98 Not ascertained	
	544 99 Don't know	
	20,284 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; aids; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03	
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Location	Universe Description		
Freq.	Variable Label		
	Value / Value Labels		
TST12M_Y	In what month and year was your last test for HIV, the virus that causes AIDS?		
ADS.060	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 1		
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV/AIDS		
800-803	Year of last test for HIV		
	8,387 1985-2003 1985-2003		
	1,746 9996 Used time period format		
	49 9997 Refused		
	34 9998 Not ascertained		
	544 9999 Don't know		
	20,284 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; aids; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
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TIMETST ADS.061	In what month and year was your last test for HIV?  ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, HIVTST (e) = 1 and ((TST12M_M = 96, 97) or (TST12M_Y = 9997, 9999))  Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV, Ref/DK month & year of test but reported time period of test	
804	Was it:	
	1 6 Months or less	140
	2 More than 6 months but not more than 1 yr ago	250
	3 More than 1 yr, but not more than 2 yrs ago	346
	4 More than 2 yrs, but not more than 5 yrs ago	654
	5 More than 5 yrs ago	824
	7 Refused	18
	8 Not ascertained	30
	9 Don't know	77
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	28,705

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; blood test; hiv  
 Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03	
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TSTTYR	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, how many times have you been tested for HIV, including times you did not get your results?		
ADS.061.010	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, HIVTST= 1 and ((TST12M_M = 01-12) or (TST12M_Y = 2001, 2002) or (TIMETST = 1, 2))		
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV, and month & year of test is less than the 12 month reference date; who were last tested in 2001 or 2002; or who were tested 1 year ago or less		
805-807	# times tested for HIV, past 12m		
	112 000 None		
	2,764 001-996 1-996 times		
	5 997 Refused		
	3,829 998 Not ascertained		
	47 999 Don't know		
	24,287 <Blank: Not in Universe>		

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; blood test; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
REATST_C	Which of these would you say was the MAIN reason for your last HIV test?	
ADS.065	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV	
808-809	Main reason for last HIV test	
	489 01 Someone suggested you should be tested	
	513 02 Might have been exposed thru sex/drug use	
	345 03 Might have been exposed thru work/at work	
	1,269 04 Wanted to find out if infected or not	
	2,650 05 Part of a routine medical check-up/surg proc	
	285 06 You were sick or had a medical problem	
	1,908 07 You were pregnant or delivered a baby	
	828 08 For health or life insurance coverage	
	352 09 Military induction or military service	
	362 10 For Immigration	
	403 11 For marriage license or to get married	
	25 12 Concerned could give HIV to someone	
	21 13 Wanted medical care/new treatment if pos	
	569 14 Some other reason	
	607 15 No particular reason	
	84 97 Refused	
	1 98 Not ascertained	
	49 99 Don't know	
	20,284 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: blood test; aids test; aids; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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?	
ADS.066	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and REATST_C = 01	
	Sample adults 18+ and reason was that someone suggested you should be tested	
810	Who suggested you should be tested	
	221 1 Doctor, nurse, or otr hlth care prof	
	73 2 Sex partner	
	29 3 Someone at health department	
	92 4 Family member or friend	
	64 5 Other	
	6 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,555 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; blood test; hiv; health department; sex partner

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
LASTST_C ADS.070	Where did you have your last HIV test?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV	
811-812	Location of last HIV test	
4,958	01 Doctor/HMO	
599	02 AIDS clinic/counseling/testing site	
2,145	03 Hospital/emergency room/outpatient clinic	
850	04 Other type of clinic	
681	05 Public health department	
472	06 At home	
27	07 Drug treatment facility	
390	08 Military induction or military service site	
107	09 Immigration site	
72	10 In a correctional facility (jail or prison)	
331	11 Other location	
32	97 Refused	
1	98 Not ascertained	
95	99 Don't know	
20,284	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
CLNTYP_C	What type of clinic did you go to for your last HIV test?	
ADS.072	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and LASTST_C = 04	
	Sample adults 18+ who were tested at other type of clinic	
813-814	Type of clinic for last HIV test	
	01 Family planning clinic	188
	02 Prenatal clinic	56
	03 Tuberculosis clinic	1
	04 STD clinic	12
	05 Community health clinic	315
	06 Clinic run by employer or ins co	74
	07 Other	180
	97 Refused	5
	98 Not ascertained	0
	99 Don't know	19
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,194

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
WHOADM	Was this test administered by a nurse or other health worker, or did you use a self-sampling kit?	
ADS.074	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and LASTST_C = 06	
	Sample adults 18+ who were tested at home	
815	Who administered the test?	
	441 1 Nurse or health worker	
	27 2 Self-sampling kit	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,572 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test  
 Notes: None

GIVNAM	The last time you were tested, did you have to give your first and last names?	
ADS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+ and HIVTST = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have been tested for HIV	
816	Gave your first and last names?	
	9,615 1 Yes	
	797 2 No	
	22 7 Refused	
	1 8 Not ascertained	
	325 9 Don't know	
	20,284 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids test; aids virus; blood test; hiv  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
EXTST12M	Do you expect to have a/another test for HIV in the next 12 months, not including blood donations?	
ADS.110	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
817	HIV test in the next 12 m	
	1 Yes	2,391
	2 No	27,433
	7 Refused	335
	8 Not ascertained	193
	9 Don't know	692

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: blood test; aids virus; hiv  
 Notes: None

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CHNSADSP	What are your chances of GETTING HIV (the virus that causes AIDS)? Would you say high, medium, low, or none?	
ADS.140	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
818	Chances of getting AIDS virus	
	1 High/Already have HIV/AIDS	184
	2 Medium	437
	3 Low	6,708
	4 None	22,533
	7 Refused	342
	8 Not ascertained	194
	9 Don't know	646

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: aids; hiv  
 Notes: None

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ADS - 14  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
STMTRU	Tell me if any of these statements is true for you: You have hemophilia and have received clotting factor concentrations; You are a man who has had sex with other men, even just one time; You have taken street drugs by needle, even just one time; You have traded sex for money or drugs, even just one time; You have tested positive for HIV, the virus that causes AIDS; You have had sex (even just one time) with someone who would answer "Yes" to any of these statements	
ADS.150	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
819	Are any of these statements true	
	795	1 Yes, at least one statement is true
	28,960	2 No, none of these statements are true
	684	7 Refused
	199	8 Not ascertained
	406	9 Don't know

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: street drugs; needles; sex; clotting factor

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
STD	In the past five years, have you had an STD other than HIV or AIDS?	
ADS.160	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18-49	
	Sample adults 18 - 49 years of age	
820	Had an STD otr than HIV/AIDS, past 5 yrs	
	419 1 Yes	
	17,745 2 No	
	276 7 Refused	
	110 8 Not ascertained	
	118 9 Don't know	
	12,376 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: std; hiv; aids  
 Notes: None

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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?	
ADS.170	ASTATFLG = 1; AGE = 18-49 and STD = 1	
	Sample adults 18 - 49 years of age who had an STD, other than HIV/AIDS, in past 5 years	
821	Saw a doctor or health professional	
	377 1 Yes	
	42 2 No	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,625 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: std; hiv; aids  
 Notes: None

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ADS - 16  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
STDWHER	Where did you go to be checked?	
ADS.180	ASTATFLG = 1; AGE = 18-49 and STDDOC = 1	
	Sample adults 18 - 49 years of age who saw a doctor or health professional to get STD checked	
822	Place where checked	
	216 1 Private doctor	
	51 2 Family planning clinic	
	37 3 STD clinic	
	14 4 Emergency room	
	38 5 Health department	
	19 6 Some other place	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
	30,667 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: std; hiv; aids  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
TBHRD	The next questions are about tuberculosis, or TB. Have you ever heard of tuberculosis?	
ADS.200	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+ years of age	
823	Ever heard of tuberculosis	
	1 Yes	27,138
	2 No	3,321
	7 Refused	205
	8 Not ascertained	210
	9 Don't know	170

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb  
 Notes: None

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TBKNOW	Have you ever personally known anyone who had TB?	
ADS.210	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TBHRD = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard of tuberculosis	
824	Ever personally known anyone who had TB	
	1 Yes	6,371
	2 No	20,529
	7 Refused	22
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	216
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	3,906

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb  
 Notes: None

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ADS - 18  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
TB	How much do you know about TB - a lot, some, a little, or nothing?	
ADS.220	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TBHRD = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard of tuberculosis	
825	How much do you know about TB?	
2,773	1 A lot	
6,234	2 Some	
10,912	3 A little	
6,998	4 Nothing	
41	7 Refused	
1	8 Not ascertained	
179	9 Don't know	
3,906	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb  
 Notes: None

ADS - 19  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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TBSPRD1		How is TB spread?	
ADS.230			ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3
			Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it
	826		Breathing air around person sick with TB
	13,538	1	Mentioned
	3,168	2	Not mentioned
	20	7	Refused
	2	8	Not ascertained
	3,191	9	Don't know
	11,125		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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TBSPRD2		How is TB spread?	
ADS.230			ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3
			Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it
	827		Sharing eating/drinking utensils
	7,823	1	Mentioned
	8,883	2	Not mentioned
	20	7	Refused
	2	8	Not ascertained
	3,191	9	Don't know
	11,125		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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TBSPRD3 ADS.230	How is TB spread?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it	
828	Thru semen/vaginal secretions (sex)	
2,268	1	Mentioned
14,438	2	Not mentioned
20	7	Refused
2	8	Not ascertained
3,191	9	Don't know
11,125	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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TBSPRD4 ADS.230	How is TB spread?	
	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it	
829	From smoking	
1,350	1	Mentioned
15,356	2	Not mentioned
20	7	Refused
2	8	Not ascertained
3,191	9	Don't know
11,125	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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TBSPRD5			How is TB spread?
ADS.230			
			ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3
			Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it
			830 From mosquito or other insect bites
	1,571		1 Mentioned
	15,135		2 Not mentioned
	20		7 Refused
	2		8 Not ascertained
	3,191		9 Don't know
	11,125		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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TBSPRD6			How is TB spread?
ADS.230			
			ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3
			Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it
			831 Other
	1,016		1 Mentioned
	15,690		2 Not mentioned
	20		7 Refused
	2		8 Not ascertained
	3,191		9 Don't know
	11,125		<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tb; tuberculosis  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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TBCURED	As far as you know, can TB be cured?	
ADS.240	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-3	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge about it	
832	Can TB be cured?	
10,088	1 Yes	
6,363	2 No	
2	7 Refused	
2	8 Not ascertained	
3,464	9 Don't know	
11,125	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
TBCHANC	What are your chances of getting TB? Would you say high, medium, low, or none?	
ADS.250	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-4	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge, or know nothing about it	
833	Chances of getting TB	
	1 High	308
	2 Medium	1,154
	3 Low	10,003
	4 None	13,405
	5 Already have TB	125
	7 Refused	7
	8 Not ascertained	3
	9 Don't know	1,912
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	4,127

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
TBSHAME	If you/a member of your family were diagnosed with TB, would you feel ashamed or embarrassed?	
ADS.260	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and TB = 1-4	
	Sample adults 18+ who heard about TB and has a lot, some, or a little knowledge, or know nothing about it	
834	Ashamed if you/family diagnosed with TB	
	1 Yes	597
	2 No	25,862
	7 Refused	13
	8 Not ascertained	4
	9 Don't know	441
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	4,127

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: tuberculosis; tb; ashamed  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 11/03/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
HOMELESS	Have you ever spent more than 24 hours living on the streets, in a shelter, or in a jail or prison?	
ADS.270	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE = 18+	
	Sample adults 18+ years of age	
835	Spent 24+ hrs living in st., shltr, jail	
	1 Yes	1,511
	2 No	28,060
	7 Refused	235
	8 Not ascertained	1,142
	9 Don't know	96

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: shelter; jail; prison; street

Notes: The number of "not ascertained" responses is elevated for the first quarter of 2001 because those who responded refused/not ascertained/don't know to the TB question skipped HOMELESS by error. A more accurate estimate of frequencies and rates can be calculated for this variable by controlling on INTV\_QRT = 2-4. Modify the sample adult weight (for the records from the three quarters) by multiplying by 4/3.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISUSEQ	Do you NOW use any special equipment or assistive devices to aid you in your usual activities?	
DIS.010	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
836	NOW use spec equip or assistive devices?	
	1 Yes	2,021
	2 No	28,455
	7 Refused	191
	8 Not ascertained	339
	9 Don't know	38

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: special equipment; assistive device  
 Notes: None

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DISAID	Do you know of any special equipment or assistive devices that would aid you in your usual activities, but that you do not currently have?	
DIS.020	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
837	Know of any spec equip/assistive devices	
	1 Yes	767
	2 No	29,651
	7 Refused	194
	8 Not ascertained	343
	9 Don't know	89

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: special equipment; assistive device  
 Notes: None

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DIS - 2  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISEQDIF	How often do you have difficulties because you do not have this special equipment or assistive devices? Would you say always, often, sometimes, rarely, or never?	
DIS.030	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE 18+, and DISAID = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ who have knowledge of, but do not currently have, special equipment or assistive devices that would aid them in usual activities	
838	Have diff w/o spec equip/assist dev?	
	232 1 Always	
	210 2 Often	
	215 3 Sometimes	
	53 4 Rarely	
	43 5 Never	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	14 9 Don't know	
	30,277 <Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: special equipment; assistive device  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHOME	Thinking of your HOME SITUATION, do problems with any of these things on the list NOW limit or prevent your participation in home activities or household responsibilities?	
DIS.040	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
839	Barriers limit home act or hh resp?	
	1 Yes	903
	2 No	29,494
	7 Refused	196
	8 Not ascertained	356
	9 Don't know	95

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: special equipment; assistive device

Notes: Respondents are told at this point in the interview that the next questions are about their surroundings at home, school, work, or the community, and possible barriers that might limit or prevent their activities. "Barriers" are defined as building design, lighting, sound, household or workplace equipment, crowds, sidewalks and curbs, transportation, attitudes of other people, and policies.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM01	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
840	Building design	
	447 1 Mentioned	
	453 2 Not mentioned	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
30,141	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stairs; bathrooms; narrow or heavy doors

Notes: None

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DIS - 5  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
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Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM02	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
841	Lighting	
	1 Mentioned	150
	2 Not mentioned	750
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: signs not lit; too bright; too distracting; too dim to read

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM03	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
842	Sound	
	139 1 Mentioned	
	761 2 Not mentioned	
	1 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	2 9 Don't know	
	30,141 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: background noise; inadequate sound system

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
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Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DIHM04	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
843	HH/Workplace equip hard to use	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,141	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: household equipment; workplace equipment

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM05	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
844	Crowds	
	1 Mentioned	87
	2 Not mentioned	813
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

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

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DIS - 9  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM06	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
845	Sidewalks and curbs	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,141	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: sidewalks; curbs  
 Notes: None

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DIS - 10  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DIHM07	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
846	Transportation	
	1 Mentioned	127
	2 Not mentioned	773
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

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

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DIS - 11  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM08	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
847	Attitudes of other people	
	1 Mentioned	192
	2 Not mentioned	708
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

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

DIS - 12  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DIHM09	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
848	Policies	
	1 Mentioned	57
	2 Not mentioned	843
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rental policies; workplace rules; eligibility of services

Notes: None

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DIS - 13  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DIHM10	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.050	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
849	Other barriers	
	1 Mentioned	112
	2 Not mentioned	788
	7 Refused	1
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,141

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

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DIS - 14  
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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHMOFT	How often do these things limit or prevent your participation in home activities? Would you say always, often, sometimes, or rarely?	
DIS.060	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHOME = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in home activities or household responsibilities	
850	How often things limit/prevent home act?	
	235 1 Always	
	234 2 Often	
	312 3 Sometimes	
	112 4 Rarely	
	0 7 Refused	
	3 8 Not ascertained	
	7 9 Don't know	
	30,141 <Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: barriers; building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None

DIS - 15  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISSCH	Thinking of SCHOOL, UNIVERSITY, OR CONTINUING EDUCATION, do problems with any of these things on the list NOW limit or prevent you from getting training or going to school?	
DIS.070	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
851	Barriers NOW limit/prevent school	
	1 Yes	128
	2 No	12,683
	3 Do not attend school/training for other reasons	17,641
	7 Refused	184
	8 Not ascertained	358
	9 Don't know	50
	<Blank: Not in universe>	0

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: school; university; continuing education; training; barriers;  
 building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace equipment;  
 crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC01	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
852	Building design	
	39 1 Mentioned	
	89 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,916 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stairs; bathrooms; narrow or heavy doors

Notes: None

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DIS - 17  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC02	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
853	Lighting	
	14 1 Mentioned	
	114 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,916 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: signs not lit; too bright; too distracting; too dim to read

Notes: None

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DIS - 18  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC03	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
854	Sound	
	14 1 Mentioned	
	114 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,916 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: background noise; inadequate sound system

Notes: None

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DIS - 19  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC04	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
855	HH/Workplace equip hard to use	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,916	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: household equipment; workplace equipment

Notes: None

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DIS - 20  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC05	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
856	Crowds	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,916	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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

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DIS - 21  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC06	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
857	Sidewalks and curbs	
	14 1 Mentioned	
	114 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,916 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: sidewalks; curbs  
 Notes: None

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DIS - 22  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC07	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
858	Transportation	
	41 1 Mentioned	
	87 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	0 9 Don't know	
	30,916 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

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

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DIS - 23  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC08	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
859	Attitudes of other people	
	1 Mentioned	30
	2 Not mentioned	98
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	0
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,916

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

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DIS - 24  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC09	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
860	Policies	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,916	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rental policies; workplace rules; eligibility of services

Notes: None

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DIS - 25  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISC10	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.080	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
861	Other barriers	
	1 Mentioned	
	2 Not mentioned	
	7 Refused	
	8 Not ascertained	
	9 Don't know	
30,916	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

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

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DIS - 26  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISCHOFT	How often do these things limit or prevent you from getting training or going to school? Would you say always, often, sometimes, or rarely?	
DIS.090	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISSCH = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent them from getting training or going to school	
862	How often things limit/prevent training?	
	44 1 Always	
	21 2 Often	
	39 3 Sometimes	
	21 4 Rarely	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	3 9 Don't know	
30,916	<Blank: Not in universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: barriers; building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None

DIS - 27  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISWRK	Thinking of your WORK situation, do problems with any of these things on the list NOW limit the work you do or prevent you from working?	
DIS.100	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
863	Barriers NOW limit you from working?	
	1 Yes	491
	2 No	22,328
	3 Do not work for other reasons	7,616
	7 Refused	192
	8 Not ascertained	360
	9 Don't know	57
	<Blank: Not in universe>	0

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: work; building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace  
 equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes;  
 policies

Notes: None

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DIS - 28  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

DIWK01	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working	
864	Building design	
	105	1 Mentioned
	384	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: stairs; bathrooms; narrow or heavy doors  
 Notes: None

DIWK02	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working	
865	Lighting	
	61	1 Mentioned
	428	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: signs not lit; too bright; too distracting; too dim to read  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

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DIWK03		Which ones? Mark all that apply.
DIS.110		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1
		Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working
866		Sound
	82	1 Mentioned
	407	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: background noise; inadequate sound system  
 Notes: None

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DIWK04		Which ones? Mark all that apply.
DIS.110		ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1
		Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working
867		HH/Workplace equip hard to use
	57	1 Mentioned
	432	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: household equipment; workplace equipment  
 Notes: None

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DIS - 30  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	

DIWK05	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working	
868	Crowds	
	55	1 Mentioned
	434	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

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

DIWK06	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.110	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working	
869	Sidewalks and curbs	
	21	1 Mentioned
	468	2 Not mentioned
	0	7 Refused
	0	8 Not ascertained
	2	9 Don't know
	30,553	<Blank: Not in Universe>

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: sidewalks; curbs  
 Notes: None





DIS - 33  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISWKOFT	How often do these things limit or prevent you from working? Would you say always, often, sometimes, or rarely?	
DIS.120	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISWRK = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit the work they can do or prevent them from working	
874	How often things limit/prevent working?	
	1 Always	104
	2 Often	92
	3 Sometimes	161
	4 Rarely	130
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	2
	9 Don't know	2
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,553

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: barriers; building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None

DIS - 34  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISCA	Thinking of your community activities such as getting together with friends or neighbors, going to church, temple, or another place of worship, movies, or shopping, do problems with any of these things on the list NOW limit or prevent your participation in community activities?	
DIS.130	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
875	Barriers NOW limit/prevent comm act	
	1 Yes	924
	2 No	29,464
	7 Refused	201
	8 Not ascertained	360
	9 Don't know	95
	<Blank: Not in universe>	0

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: community activities; barrier; building design; lighting; sound;  
 household or workplace equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs;  
 transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DICA01	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
876	Building design	
	320 1 Mentioned	
	600 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,120 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: stairs; bathrooms; narrow or heavy doors

Notes: None

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DIS - 36  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA02	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
877	Lighting	
	1 Mentioned	105
	2 Not mentioned	815
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: signs not lit; too bright; too distracting; too dim to read

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA03	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
878	Sound	
	113 1 Mentioned	
	807 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,120 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: background noise; inadequate sound system

Notes: None

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DIS - 38  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA04	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
879	HH/Workplace equip hard to use	
	22 1 Mentioned	
	898 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
30,120	<Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: household equipment; workplace equipment

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA05	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
880	Crowds	
	1 Mentioned	289
	2 Not mentioned	631
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA06	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
881	Sidewalks and curbs	
	213 1 Mentioned	
	707 2 Not mentioned	
	0 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	4 9 Don't know	
	30,120 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None  
 Recodes: None  
 Keywords: sidewalks; curbs  
 Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA07	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
882	Transportation	
	1 Mentioned	252
	2 Not mentioned	668
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA08	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
883	Attitudes of other people	
	1 Mentioned	238
	2 Not mentioned	682
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

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

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA09	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
884	Policies	
	1 Mentioned	45
	2 Not mentioned	875
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: rental policies; workplace rules; eligibility of services

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DICA10	Which ones? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.140	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
885	Other barriers	
	1 Mentioned	130
	2 Not mentioned	790
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	4
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	30,120

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

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 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISCAOFT	How often do these things limit or prevent your participation in community activities? Would you say always, often, sometimes, or rarely?	
DIS.150	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISCA = 1	
	Sample adults 18+ with barriers that limit or prevent their participation in community activities	
886	How often things limit/prevent comm act?	
	1 Always	253
	2 Often	258
	3 Sometimes	324
	4 Rarely	79
	7 Refused	0
	8 Not ascertained	4
	9 Don't know	6
	<Blank: Not in universe>	30,120

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: community activities; barrier; building design; lighting; sound; household or workplace equipment; crowds; sidewalks or curbs; transportation; attitudes; policies

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISHFAC	Do you NOW have ACCESS to a health club, wellness program or fitness facility that meets your needs, if you wanted to use one?	
DIS.160	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
887	Access to hlth club/fitness facility	
	1 Yes	17,195
	2 No	12,921
	7 Refused	225
	8 Not ascertained	362
	9 Don't know	341

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program; YMCA

Notes: Respondents are told prior to this point in the interview that the next questions are about access to health clubs, wellness programs or fitness facilities, such as YMCA, community recreation programs, and employer fitness programs.

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL01	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
888	None; no reason given	
	1 Mentioned	8,675
	2 Not mentioned	4,134
	7 Refused	14
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	98
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	18,123

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

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 SAMPLE ADULT DISABILITY AND SECONDARY CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
 31,044 RECORDS

Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL02	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
889	Cost too high for budget	
	2,940 1 Mentioned	
	9,869 2 Not mentioned	
	14 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	98 9 Don't know	
	18,123 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

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 SAMPLE ADULT DISABILITY AND SECONDARY CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL03	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
890	Lack of transportation	
	1 Mentioned	392
	2 Not mentioned	12,417
	7 Refused	14
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	98
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	18,123

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL04	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
891	Access into/within the building	
	1 Mentioned	45
	2 Not mentioned	12,764
	7 Refused	14
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	98
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	18,123

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

DIS - 51  
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 SAMPLE ADULT DISABILITY AND SECONDARY CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL05	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
892	Lack of exercise equip that meets needs	
	1 Mentioned	80
	2 Not mentioned	12,729
	7 Refused	14
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	98
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	18,123

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

DIS - 52  
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 SAMPLE ADULT DISABILITY AND SECONDARY CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL06	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
893	No instructor to demonstrate equip	
	1 Mentioned	63
	2 Not mentioned	12,746
	7 Refused	14
	8 Not ascertained	0
	9 Don't know	98
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	18,123

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

DIS - 53  
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 SAMPLE ADULT DISABILITY AND SECONDARY CONDITIONS - PUBLIC USE  
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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
DISHFL07	Do any of these things on the list limit or prevent your access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets your needs? Mark all that apply.	
DIS.170	ASTATFLG = 1, AGE = 18+ and DISHFAC = 2	
	Sample adults who said they did not currently have access to a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility that meets their needs	
894	Other	
	1 Mentioned	
	11,591 2 Not mentioned	
	14 7 Refused	
	0 8 Not ascertained	
	98 9 Don't know	
	18,123 <Blank: Not in Universe>	

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness program; fitness facility; recreation program;  
 YMCA

Notes: None



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Variable Name	Question	Section modified 07/22/03
Question No.	Variable Universe	
Location	Universe Description	
Freq.	Variable Label	
	Value / Value Labels	
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DISHFUSE	DURING THE PAST 12 MONTHS, have you used a health club, wellness program, or fitness facility at least 10 times?	
DIS.180	ASTATFLG = 1 and AGE 18+	
	Sample adults 18+	
895	Used health club 10+ times	
	1 Yes	5,791
	2 No	24,545
	7 Refused	251
	8 Not ascertained	363
	9 Don't know	94
	<Blank: Not in Universe>	0

Sources: None

Recodes: None

Keywords: health club; wellness center; fitness facility; recreation center;  
 YMCA

Notes: None

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SOURCELA Recode	Source of Medical Care
01	Has the same regular source for sick and routine/preventive care
02	Has a usual source for sick care, but does not have a usual source of routine/preventive care
03	Has a usual source for sick care, and has a usual source of routine/preventive care, but it is not/or it is unknown if it is the same source as the usual source of sick care
04	Has a usual source of sick care, but (doesn't go one place most often for routine/preventive care or unknown if has a usual source of routine/preventive care)
05	Has two or more usual sources of sick care and one of them is the source of routine/preventive care
06	Has a usual source for sick care, but does not have a usual source of routine/preventive care
07	Has two or more usual sources of sick care and has a usual source of routine/preventive care, but it is not/or it is unknown if it is the same source as the usual source of sick care
08	Has two or more usual sources of sick care, but (doesn't go one place most often for routine/preventive care or unknown if has a usual source of routine/preventive care)
09	No usual source of sick care or of routine/preventive care
10	No usual source of sick care, but has a usual source of routine/preventive care
11	No usual source of sick care, and (doesn't go one place most often for routine/preventive care or unknown if has a usual source of routine/preventive care)
12	Unknown if has usual source of sick care and does not have a usual source of routine/preventive care
13	Unknown if has usual source of sick care but has a usual source of routine/preventive care
14	Unknown if has usual source of sick care and (doesn't go one place most often for routine/preventive care or unknown if has routine/preventive care)
99	Unknown other

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Note: Items 4, 8, 11, and 14 were modified in 1999 due to the addition of a new answer category in the input variable AHCPLKND (AAU.037). See edit specification for details.

Industry Recode Appendix - 1  
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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
<b>AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES</b>			
01	01	Agriculture	01-02,071-072,074-076,078
02	01	Forestry and Fisheries	08-09
<b>MINING</b>			
10	02		10,12-14
<b>CONSTRUCTION</b>			
20	03		15-17
<b>MANUFACTURING</b>			
<del>(30-34, 40-46)</del> <del>(04)</del>			
<u>NONDURABLE GOODS</u>			
<del>(30-34)</del>			
30	04	Food and kindred products	201-209
31	04	Textile mill and finished textile products	221-229,231-239
32	04	Printing, publishing and allied industries	271-279
33	04	Chemicals and allied products	281-287,289
34	04	Other nondurable goods	21,261-263,265,267,291,295,299,301-306,308,311,313-317,319

\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.

Industry Recode Appendix - 2  
 2002 National Health Interview Survey  
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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
( <del>30-34</del> , <del>40-46</del> )	( <del>04</del> )	<b>MANUFACTURING</b> - continued	
( <del>40-46</del> )		<u>DURABLE GOODS</u>	
40	04	Furniture, lumber and wood	241-245, 249, 25
41	04	Primary metal industries	331-332, 334, 3331, 334, 3339, 3351, 3353- 3357, 3363-3366, 3369, 339
42	04	Fabricated metal industries, including ordnance	341-349
43	04	Machinery, except electrical	351-359
44	04	Electrical machinery, equipment and supplies	361-367, 369
45	04	Transportation equipment	371-376, 379
46	04	Other and not specified durable goods	321-329, 381-382, 384-387, 39

\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.

Industry Recode Appendix - 3  
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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
<del>(50-54)</del>	(05)	<b>TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS AND OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES</b>	
50	05	Railroads	40
51	05	Trucking service and warehousing	421-423
52	05	Other transportation	41,43-47
53	05	Communications	481-484,489
54	05	Utilities and sanitary	491-497
60	06	<b>WHOLESALE TRADE</b>	501-509,511-519

\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.

Industry Recode Appendix - 4  
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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
( <u>61-65</u> )	( <u>07</u> )	<b>RETAIL TRADE</b>	
61	07	General merchandise stores	531,533,539
62	07	Food, bakery and dairy stores	541-546,549
63	07	Automotive dealers and gasoline stations	551-557,559
64	07	Eating and drinking places	58
65	07	Other and not specified retail trade	521,523,525-527,56,571-572,5731,5734-5736,591-594,5961-5963,598,5992-5995,5999
( <u>70-71</u> )	( <u>08</u> )	<b>FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE</b>	
70	08	Banking and credit agencies	60-61
71	08	Insurance, real estate, and other finance	62-65,67

\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
( <u>75-85</u> )	( <u>09-12</u> )	<b>SERVICES</b>	
( <u>75-76</u> )	( <u>09</u> )	<u>BUSINESS AND REPAIR SERVICES</u>	
75	09	Business services	731-738,751,752, 7542
76	09	Repair services	753,7549,762-764, 7692,7694,7699
( <u>77-78</u> )	( <u>10</u> )	<u>PERSONAL SERVICES</u>	
77	10	Private households	88
78	10	Other personal services	701-704,721-726,729
<u>79</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>ENTERTAINMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES</u>	781-784,791-794,799
( <u>80-85</u> )	( <u>12</u> )	<u>PROFESSIONAL AND RELATED SERVICES</u>	
80	12	Hospitals	806
81	12	Health services, except hospitals	801-803,8041-8043, 8049,805,807-809
82	12	Elementary and secondary schools and colleges	821-822
83	12	Other educational services	823-824,829
84	12	Social services, religious and membership organizations	832-833,835-836, 839,84,861-866,869
85	12	Legal, engineering and other professional services	81,871-874,899

\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Industry Title	SIC Code*
90	13	<b>PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION</b>	911-913,919,92-97
93	15	<b>ARMED FORCES</b> (excludes Reserves and National Guard)	
97	97	<b>REFUSED, CLASSIFIED, ETC.</b>	
98	98	<b>NOT ASCERTAINED</b>	
99	99	<b>DON'T KNOW</b>	
		<b>BLANK</b> (Not in universe)	

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\*Standard Industrial Classification, revised in 1995.



Occupation Recode Appendix - 7  
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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Occupation Title	SOC Code*
<u>(01-03)</u>	<u>(01)</u>	<b>EXECUTIVE, ADMINISTRATIVE, AND MANAGERIAL OCCUPATIONS</b>	
01	01	Officials and administrators, public administration	111-113
02	01	Managers and administrators, except public administration	121-128,131-1344, 1351-1354,1359, 136-139
03	01	Management related occupations	1412,1414-1415, 1419,142-143, 1442-1443,1449, 145,1472-1473, 149
<u>(04-11)</u>	<u>(02)</u>	<b>PROFESSIONAL SPECIALTY OCCUPATIONS</b>	
04	02	Engineers	1622-1628,1632- 1637,1639
05	02	Architects and surveyors	161,164
06	02	Natural mathematical and computer scientists	171-172,1732- 1733,1739,1842- 1843,1845-1847, 1849,1852-1855
07	02	Health diagnosing occupations	261-262,27,281, 283,289
08	02	Health assessment and treating occupations	29,301-302,3031- 3034,3039,304
09	02	Teachers, librarians and counselors	2212-2218,2222- 2228,2231-2238 2242-2247,2249, 231-233,235,236, 239,24,251,252
10	02	Writers, artists, entertainers and athletes	34,321-329,331- 333,398
11	02	Other professional specialty occupations	1912-1916,1919, 192,2032-2033, 2042,2049,211-212

\*Standard Occupational Classification, revised in 1995.

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Occupation Title	SOC Code*
( <u>12-13</u> )	( <u>03</u> )	<b>TECHNICIANS AND RELATED SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS</b>	
12	03	Health technologists and technicians	362-366,369
13	03	Technologists, technicians except health	3711-3713,3719, 372-373,382,3831- 3833,384,389,392- 393,396,3971- 3972,3974,399,825
( <u>14-16</u> )	( <u>04</u> )	<b>SALES OCCUPATIONS</b>	
14	04	Supervisors and proprietors	40
15	04	Sales representatives, commodities and finance	4122-4124,4152- 4153,421,423-424
16	04	Other sales	4342-4348,4351- 4354,4356,4359, 4362-4367,4369, 444-447,449
( <u>17-21</u> )	( <u>05</u> )	<b>ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT OCCUPATIONS, INCLUDING CLERICAL</b>	
17	05	Computer equipment operators	4612-4613
18	05	Secretaries, stenographers and typists	4622-4624
19	05	Financial records processing occupations	4712-4713,4715- 4716,4718
20	05	Mail and message distributing	4742-4745
21	05	Other administrative support	4511-4514,4516, 4519,4521-4529, 463,4642-4645, 4649,4662-4664, 4692,4694,4696, 4699,4722-4723, 4729,4732-4733, 4739,4751-4759, 4782-4784,4786- 4787,4791-4795, 4799

\*Standard Occupational Classification, revised in 1995.

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Occupation Title	SOC Code*
22	06	<b>PRIVATE HOUSEHOLD OCCUPATIONS</b>	502-507,509
( <u>23-24</u> )	( <u>07</u> )	<b>PROTECTIVE SERVICE OCCUPATIONS</b>	
23	07	Police and firefighters	5111-5112,5122-5123,5132-5134
24	07	Other protective service occupations	5113,5142,5144,5149
( <u>25-28</u> )	( <u>08</u> )	<b>SERVICE OCCUPATIONS, EXCEPT PROTECTIVE AND HOUSEHOLD</b>	
25	08	Food service	5211-5219
26	08	Health service	5232-5233,5236
27	08	Cleaning and building service	5241-5242,5244-5246,5249
28	08	Personal service	5251-5258,5262-5264,5269
( <u>29-31</u> )	( <u>09</u> )	<b>FARMING, FORESTRY AND FISHING OCCUPATIONS</b>	
29	09	Farm operators and managers	5512-5515,5522-5525
30	09	Farm workers and other agricultural workers	5611-5619,5621-5622,5624-5625,5627
31	09	Forestry and fishing occupations	571-573,579,583-584,8241(pt.)

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Occupation Title	SOC Code*
(32-34)	(10)	<b>PRECISION PRODUCTION, CRAFT AND REPAIR OCCUPATIONS</b>	
32	10	Mechanics and repairers	60,6111-6118, 613-614,6151- 6159,616,6171- 6179
33	10	Construction and extractive trades	6311-6316,6318, 632,6412- 6414(pt.),6422, 6424,6432-6433, 6442-6444,645, 6462-6468,6472- 6476,6479,652- 654,656
34	10	Precision production occupations	67,71,6811-6814, 6816-6817,6821- 6824,6829,6831- 6832,6835,6839, 6844,6852-6854, 6856,6859,6861- 6862,6864-6867, 6869,6871-6873, 6879,6881-6882, 691-696,7477(pt.), 7668,7677(pt.), 7752,828

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Recodes		Occupation Title	SOC Code*
No. 1	No. 2		
<b>OPERATORS, FABRICATORS AND LABORERS</b>			
(35-36)	(11)	<u>MACHINE OPERATORS, ASSEMBLERS AND INSPECTORS</u>	
35	11	Machine operators and tenderers, except precision	6841-6842,6849, 6855,6863,6868, 7312-7319,7322, 7324,7326,7329, 7339,7342-7344, 7349,7431-7435, 7439,7443-7444, 7449,7451-7452, 7459,7462-7463, 7467,7472,7474, 7476-7478,7479, 7512-7519,7522, 7529,7539,7542- 7544,7549,7631- 7636,7639,7642- 7644,7649,7651- 7652,7654-7659, 7661-7667,7669, 7671-7676, 7677(pt.),7678-7679
36	11	Fabricators, assemblers, inspectors and samplers	7332-7333,7532- 7533,7714,7717, 772,774,7753- 7759,782-785,787

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Recodes			
No. 1	No. 2	Occupation Title	SOC Code*
(37-39)	(12)	<b>TRANSPORTATION AND MATERIAL MOVING OCCUPATIONS</b>	
37	12	Motor vehicle operators	8111,8212-8216, 8218-8219,874
38	12	Other transportation, except motor vehicles	8113,8232-8233, 8239,8241(pt.), 8242-8245
39	12	Material moving equipment operators	812,8312-8319
(40-41)	(13)	<b>HANDLERS, EQUIPMENT CLEANERS, HELPERS AND LABORERS</b>	
40	13	Construction laborers	871
41	13	Freight, stock and material handlers	85,861-863, 8641-8646, 8648,865, 8722-8726,873, 875,8761,8769
50	16	<b>MILITARY</b>	
97	97	<b>REFUSED, CLASSIFIED, ETC.</b>	
98	98	<b>NOT ASCERTAINED</b>	
99	99	<b>DON'T KNOW</b>	
<b>BLANK (Not in universe)</b>			

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