

Hospital Utilization and Access to Care Section (June 2002) Sample Person Questionnaire

Description

The Hospital Utilization and Access to Care section (prefix HUQ) provides personal interview data on several access to health care topics. There are three target groups for this section. All but two of the questions are targeted towards the entire sample population. One historical question on health omits infants under age 1 year. A question on visits to a mental health professional omits children under age 4 years. Data users should review the survey questionnaires to determine the appropriate population for each topic.

Topics and the target population groups in the HUQ section:

- General health status (all ages)
- Historical health status (1+ years)
- Access to health care (all ages)
- Health care history (all ages)
- Hospital care history (all ages)
- Mental health care history (4+ years)

Analytic Notes

Responses to HUQ080 (# times overnight hospital patient last year) above "7" were recoded to HUD080 as "6 or more."