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This file summarizes the characteristics of the interview, including type of questionnaire, duration, and whether or not the interview was conducted with a proxy respondent. There is one record for each person who completed an interview.

RIC	1	2					C Record Identification Code
VERSION	3	1					C Version Number
BASEID	4	8	\$BSIDFMT				C Unique SP Identification Number
				17,794			LOW-HIGH BASEID Count
INTERVU	12	1	\$INTRFMT				C Type of interview
				16,518			C Community
				1,276			F Facility
INT_DATE	13	6					C Interview Date (YYYYMMDD)
RESTART	19	2	STARFMT				N Was interview interrupted?
				1,276			. Inapplicable
				16,201			0 Not interrupted
				219			1 One restart
				70			2 Two restarts
				21			3 Three restarts
				7			Four or more restarts

Note: Applies only to Community interviews

LENGTH	21	5	LENFMT				N Duration of interview
				105			. Missing
				17,689			Minutes
LANG	26	2	\$LANGFMT		CL26		C Language of interview
				1,276			-1 Inapplicable
				15,877			E English
				641			S Spanish
				0			91 Other

Notes: Applies only to Community interviews
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PROXY	28	2	PROXFMT		IN4		N Self - respondent or proxy
				1,276			-1 Inapplicable
				14,700			1 SP responded
				1,818			2 Proxy responded

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D_PROXR	30	2	RELFMT		IN4a		N Proxy's relationship to SP
				15,976			. Inapplicable
				0			-5 Never ask again
				0			1 Sample person
				649			2 Spouse
				110			3 Son
				349			4 Daughter
				21			5 Brother
				70			6 Sister
				34			7 Father
				256			8 Mother
				10			9 Son-in-law
				49			10 Daughter-in-law
				7			11 Grandson
				32			12 Granddaughter
				10			13 Nephew
				31			14 Niece
				7			50 Partner/roommate
				43			51 Friend/neighbor
				0			52 Boarder
				8			53 Nurse/nurses aide
				7			54 Legal/financial officer
				13			55 Guardian
				41			91 Other relative
				71			92 Other non-relative

Note: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies

PNSPDED	32	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP deceased
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				0			1 Indicated
				1,713			2 Not indicated

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PNSPINH	34	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP in hospital
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				37			1 Indicated
				1,676			2 Not indicated

Note: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies

PNSPINS	36	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP institutionalized
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				40			1 Indicated
				1,673			2 Not indicated

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PNSPLAN	38	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - language problem
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				121			1 Indicated
				1,592			2 Not indicated
				Note: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPNAM	40	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP not able mentally
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				704			1 Indicated
				1,009			2 Not indicated
				Note: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPNAP	42	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - SP not capable physically
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				619			1 Indicated
				1,094			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
				First available in 1995			
PNSPNOK	44	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - didn't keep med records
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				532			1 Indicated
				1,181			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
				First available in 1995			
PNSPOTH	46	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - other reason
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				11			1 Indicated
				1,702			2 Not indicated
				Note: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPPAP	48	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - SP prefers proxy answer
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				139			1 Indicated
				1,574			2 Not indicated
				Notes: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
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PNSPUNA	50	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP unavailable
				16,075			. Inapplicable
				6			-9 Not ascertained
				206			1 Indicated
				1,507			2 Not indicated

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RRECHLP	52	2	YES1FMT		IR3		N Did respondent receive help answering?
				4,077			. Inapplicable
				2,375			1 Yes
				11,342			2 No

Note: Optional interviewer data applicable to community interviews

D_IHLPRL	54	2	RELFMT		IR3		N Helper's relationship to SP
				15,421			. Inapplicable
				0			-5 Never ask again
				1			1 Sample person
				1,705			2 Spouse
				53			3 Son
				253			4 Daughter
				11			5 Brother
				40			6 Sister
				10			7 Father
				54			8 Mother
				12			9 Son-in-law
				32			10 Daughter-in-law
				6			11 Grandson
				15			12 Granddaughter
				4			13 Nephew
				16			14 Niece
				21			50 Partner/roommate
				62			51 Friend/neighbor
				1			52 Boarder
				13			53 Nurse/nurses aide
				1			54 Legal/financial officer
				1			55 Guardian
				11			91 Other relative
				51			92 Other non-relative

Note: Applies only if RRECHLP = 1

RINFOSAT	56	2	YES1FMT		IR5		N Info provided by respondent satisfactory
				2,389			. Inapplicable
				15,031			1 Yes
				374			2 No

Note: Optional interviewer data applicable to community interviews

FACILID	58	6					C Facility ID
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Note: Randomly-assigned number