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MEDICARE CURRENT BENEFICIARY SURVEY
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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
				17,936			LOW-HIGH BASEID Count
INTERVU	12	1	\$INTRFMT				C Type of interview
				16,670			C Community
				1,266			F Facility
INT_DATE	13	8					N Interview Date (YYYYMMDD)
RESTART	21	2	STARFMT				N Was interview interrupted?
				1,266			. Inapplicable
				16,203			0 Not interrupted
				355			1 One restart
				83			2 Two restarts
				22			3 Three restarts
				3			4 Four restarts
				1			5 Five restarts
				1			6 Six restarts
				1			7 Seven restarts
				0			8 Eight restarts
				0			9 Nine restarts
				0			10 Ten restarts
				0			11 Eleven restarts
				0			12 Twelve restarts
				1			13 Thirteen restarts

NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews

LENGTH	23	5					N Duration of interview
LANG	28	2	\$LANGFMT		CL26		C Language of interview
				1,266			-1 Inapplicable
				16,083			E English
				541			S Spanish
				46			91 Other

NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews
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PROXY	30	2	PROXFMT		IN4		N Self - respondent or proxy
				1,266			-1 Inapplicable
				14,928			1 SP responded
				1,742			2 Proxy responded

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D_PROXR	32	2	RELFMT		IN4a		N Proxy's relationship to SP
				16,194			. Inapplicable
				0			1 Sample person
				657			2 Spouse
				98			3 Son
				314			4 Daughter
				21			5 Brother
				61			6 Sister
				40			7 Father
				250			8 Mother
				12			9 Son-in-law
				35			10 Daughter-in-law
				10			11 Grandson
				29			12 Granddaughter
				5			13 Nephew
				33			14 Niece
				10			50 Partner/roommate
				30			51 Friend/neighbor
				1			52 Boarder
				15			53 Nurse/nurses aide
				3			54 Legal/financial officer
				16			55 Guardian
				27			91 Other relative
				75			92 Other non-relative

NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies

PNSPDED	34	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP deceased
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				3			-9 Not Ascertained
				0			1 Indicated
				1,641			2 Not Indicated

NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies
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PNSPINH	36	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP in hospital
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				23			1 Indicated
				1,613			2 Not Indicated

NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies

PNSPINS	38	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP institutionalized
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				3			-9 Not Ascertained
				46			1 Indicated
				1,595			2 Not Indicated

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PNSPLAN	40	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - language problem
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				112			1 Indicated
				1,524			2 Not Indicated
				NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPNAM	42	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP not able mentally
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				684			1 Indicated
				952			2 Not Indicated
				NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPNAP	44	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - SP not capable physically
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				529			1 Indicated
				1,107			2 Not Indicated
				NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
				First available in 1995			
PNSPNOK	46	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - didn't keep med records
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				435			1 Indicated
				1,201			2 Not Indicated
				NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
				First available in 1995			
PNSPOTH	48	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - other reason
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				10			1 Indicated
				1,626			2 Not Indicated
				NOTE: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
PNSPPAP	50	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy needed - SP prefers proxy answer
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				101			1 Indicated
				1,535			2 Not Indicated
				NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies			
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PNSPUNA	52	2	IND1FMT		IN6a		N Proxy necessary - SP unavailable
				16,292			. Inapplicable
				8			-9 Not Ascertained
				276			1 Indicated
				1,360			2 Not Indicated

NOTES: Applies only to Community interviews with proxies
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RRECHLP	54	2	RESTFMT		IR3		N Did respondent receive help answering?
				4,106			. Inapplicable
				4			-9 Not ascertained
				2,358			1 Yes
				11,468			2 No

NOTE: Optional interviewer data applicable to community interviews

D_IHLPRL	56	2	RELFMT		IR3		N Helper's relationship to SP
				15,580			. Inapplicable
				0			1 Sample person
				1,707			2 Spouse
				85			3 Son
				230			4 Daughter
				8			5 Brother
				34			6 Sister
				6			7 Father
				61			8 Mother
				5			9 Son-in-law
				19			10 Daughter-in-law
				4			11 Grandson
				15			12 Granddaughter
				3			13 Nephew
				17			14 Niece
				25			50 Partner/roommate
				53			51 Friend/neighbor
				2			52 Boarder
				6			53 Nurse/nurses aide
				1			54 Legal/financial officer
				1			55 Guardian
				20			91 Other relative
				54			92 Other non-relative

NOTE: Applies only if RRECHLP = 1

RINFOSAT	58	2	RESTFMT		IR5		N Info provided by respondent satisfactory
				2,508			. Inapplicable
				5			-9 Not ascertained
				15,160			1 Yes
				263			2 No

NOTE: Optional interviewer data applicable to community interviews

FACILID	60	6					C Facility ID
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NOTE: Randomly-assigned number