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**MEDICARE CURRENT BENEFICIARY SURVEY**  
 Health Status & Functioning -- Community

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The Survey Health Status and Functioning file includes data about the sample person's health including height and weight, self-assessments of vision and hearing, history of medical conditions, functioning, among others.

From 1991 through 1996, this file contained one record for each person who completed an interview whether in the community or facility. This changed in 1997 when the facility instrument was converted to a Computer-Assisted Personal Interviewing format. Since then, this file contains data from community interviews only; RIC 2F contains similar data from facility interviews.

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| RIC      | 1  | 2 |           |      | C Record Identification Code              |
| VERSION  | 3  | 1 |           |      | C Version Number                          |
| BASEID   | 4  | 8 | \$BSIDFMT |      | C Unique SP Identification Number         |
|          |    |   | 14,916    |      | LOW-HIGH BASEID Count                     |
| GENHELTH | 12 | 2 | GENHFMT   | HFA1 | N General hlth compare to others same age |
|          |    |   | 2         |      | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |    |   | 50        |      | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |    |   | 16        |      | -7 Refused                                |
|          |    |   | 2,161     |      | 1 Excellent                               |
|          |    |   | 3,746     |      | 2 Very good                               |
|          |    |   | 4,653     |      | 3 Good                                    |
|          |    |   | 2,940     |      | 4 Fair                                    |
|          |    |   | 1,348     |      | 5 Poor                                    |
| COMPHLTH | 14 | 2 | COMPFMT   | HFA2 | N Health compared to one year ago         |
|          |    |   | 2         |      | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |    |   | 18        |      | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |    |   | 13        |      | -7 Refused                                |
|          |    |   | 649       |      | 1 Much better                             |
|          |    |   | 1,578     |      | 2 Somewhat better                         |
|          |    |   | 9,165     |      | 3 About the same                          |
|          |    |   | 2,985     |      | 4 Somewhat worse                          |
|          |    |   | 506       |      | 5 Much worse                              |

Note: First available in 1996

|          |    |   |         |      |                                          |
|----------|----|---|---------|------|------------------------------------------|
| HELMTACT | 16 | 2 | TIMEFMT | HFA3 | N Hlth limits social activity in past mo |
|          |    |   | 3       |      | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|          |    |   | 28      |      | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |    |   | 16      |      | -7 Refused                               |
|          |    |   | 9,233   |      | 1 None of the time                       |
|          |    |   | 3,217   |      | 2 Some of the time                       |
|          |    |   | 1,474   |      | 3 Most of the time                       |
|          |    |   | 945     |      | 4 All of the time                        |
| EHELPH   | 18 | 2 | BLNDFMT | HFB1 | N SP wear eyeglasses/contact lenses      |
|          |    |   | 2       |      | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|          |    |   | 1       |      | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |    |   | 14      |      | -7 Refused                               |
|          |    |   | 12,826  |      | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |    |   | 1,982   |      | 2 No                                     |
|          |    |   | 91      |      | 3 Blind                                  |

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|----------|-----|-----|----------|------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|----------|--------------------------------------------|
| ECTROUB  | 20  | 2   | LOOK2FMT |                                                                        |          | HFB2     | N Description of SP vision                 |
|          |     |     |          | 108                                                                    |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 36                                                                     |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 1                                                                      |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |          | 10,023                                                                 |          |          | 1 No trouble seeing                        |
|          |     |     |          | 3,627                                                                  |          |          | 2 A little trouble seeing                  |
|          |     |     |          | 1,052                                                                  |          |          | 3 A lot of trouble seeing                  |
|          |     |     |          | 69                                                                     |          |          | 4 No usable vision                         |
|          |     |     |          | Note: Applies only if ECHELP = 1 or 2                                  |          |          |                                            |
| EINTRoub | 22  | 2   | LOOKFMT  |                                                                        |          | HFB3     | N Difficulty reading Rx instructions/label |
|          |     |     |          | 10,077                                                                 |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 23                                                                     |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 2,627                                                                  |          |          | 1 No trouble                               |
|          |     |     |          | 1,370                                                                  |          |          | 2 Little trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | 819                                                                    |          |          | 3 Lot of trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if ECTROUB = 2, 3, or 4<br>First available in 2002 |          |          |                                            |
| EMCTROUB | 24  | 2   | LOOKFMT  |                                                                        |          | HFB4     | N Difficulty finding out about Medicare    |
|          |     |     |          | 10,077                                                                 |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 29                                                                     |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 3,261                                                                  |          |          | 1 No trouble                               |
|          |     |     |          | 966                                                                    |          |          | 2 Little trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | 583                                                                    |          |          | 3 Lot of trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if ECTROUB = 2, 3, or 4<br>First available in 2002 |          |          |                                            |
| EOBTROUB | 26  | 2   | LOOKFMT  |                                                                        |          | HFB5     | N Difficulty getting medical care          |
|          |     |     |          | 10,077                                                                 |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 19                                                                     |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 3,659                                                                  |          |          | 1 No trouble                               |
|          |     |     |          | 754                                                                    |          |          | 2 Little trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | 407                                                                    |          |          | 3 Lot of trouble                           |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if ECTROUB = 2, 3, or 4<br>First available in 2002 |          |          |                                            |
| EDOCEXAM | 28  | 2   | YES2FMT  |                                                                        |          | HFB6     | N SP had eye exam w/ eye doctor n past yr  |
|          |     |     |          | 2                                                                      |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |          | 84                                                                     |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 13                                                                     |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |          | 8,616                                                                  |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 6,201                                                                  |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Note: First available in 2002                                          |          |          |                                            |

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EDOCLAST 30 2 LASTFMT HFB7 N How long since last exam by eye doctor  
 8,715 . Inapplicable  
 138 -8 Don't know  
 125 1 Never had an eye exam  
 2,717 2 1 year to less than 2 years  
 2,116 3 2 years to less than 5 years  
 1,105 4 5 years or more

Notes: Applies only if EDOCEXAM = 2  
 First available in 2002

ECCATOP 32 2 YES1FMT HFB10 N SP ever had operation for cataracts  
 43 . Inapplicable  
 16 -8 Don't know  
 4,104 1 Yes  
 10,753 2 No

Note: Applies to new panel SPs who are not blind; in 2002, asked of blind also

HCHELP 34 2 DEAF2FMT HFC1 N Does SP use hearing aid  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 2 -8 Don't know  
 12 -7 Refused  
 1,593 1 Yes  
 13,273 2 No  
 34 3 Deaf

HCTROUB 36 2 DEAF2FMT HFC2 N Description of SP hearing  
 50 . Missing  
 15 -8 Don't know  
 9,697 1 No trouble hearing  
 4,157 2 A little trouble hearing  
 978 3 A lot of trouble hearing  
 19 4 Deaf

Note: Applies only if HCHELP = 1 or 2

HCKNOWMC 38 2 LOOKFMT HFC3 N How diff to find Medicare info due to he  
 9,728 . Inapplicable  
 42 -8 Don't know  
 3,988 1 No trouble  
 907 2 Little trouble  
 251 3 Lot of trouble

Notes: Applies only if HCHELP = 3 or HCTROUB = 2, 3, or 4  
 First available in 2002

HCCOMDOC 40 2 LOOKFMT HFC4 N Trouble communicating with Dr. due to he  
 9,728 . Inapplicable  
 18 -8 Don't know  
 3,920 1 No trouble  
 990 2 Little trouble  
 260 3 Lot of trouble

Notes: Applies only if HCHELP = 3 or HCTROUB = 2, 3, or 4  
 First available in 2002

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|----------|-----|-----|---------|-----------|----------|----------|--------------------------------------------|
| DCTROUB  | 42  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFD1     | N SP have difficulty eating solid foods    |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 6         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1,838     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,057    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| HEIGHTFT | 44  | 2   | HEITFMT |           |          | HFE1     | N Height of SP--feet                       |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 24        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 14,890    |          |          | Height in feet                             |
| HEIGHTIN | 46  | 2   | INCHFMT |           |          | HFE1     | N Height of SP--inches                     |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 73        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 14,840    |          |          | 0-11 Inch portion of height                |
| WEIGHT   | 48  | 3   | WEITFMT |           |          | HFE2     | N Weight of SP in pounds                   |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 370       |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 115       |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | 0-50 0-50 Pounds                           |
|          |     |     |         | 325       |          |          | 51-100 51-100 Pounds                       |
|          |     |     |         | 5,312     |          |          | 101-150 101-150 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 6,369     |          |          | 151-200 151-200 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 1,943     |          |          | 201-250 201-250 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 388       |          |          | 251-300 251-300 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 71        |          |          | 301-350 301-350 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 16        |          |          | 351-400 351-400 Pounds                     |
|          |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | Over 400 Pounds                            |
| BPTAKEN  | 51  | 2   | BPTAKE  |           |          | HFF1     | N Most recent time SP's blood pressure tak |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 54        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 12,916    |          |          | 1 Less than 6 months ago                   |
|          |     |     |         | 1,150     |          |          | 2 6 months to 1 year ago                   |
|          |     |     |         | 434       |          |          | 3 1 year to less than 2 years ago          |
|          |     |     |         | 202       |          |          | 4 2 years to less than 5 years ago         |
|          |     |     |         | 130       |          |          | 5 5 or more years ago                      |
|          |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | 6 Never had blood pressure taken           |

Note: First available in 2001

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BCTAKEN 53 2 BPTAKE HFF2 N Last time SP's blood cholesterol taken

|  |       |                                    |
|--|-------|------------------------------------|
|  | 2     | -9 Not ascertained                 |
|  | 776   | -8 Don't know                      |
|  | 14    | -7 Refused                         |
|  | 8,983 | 1 Less than 6 months ago           |
|  | 2,677 | 2 6 months to 1 year ago           |
|  | 1,111 | 3 1 year to less than 2 years ago  |
|  | 493   | 4 2 years to less than 5 years ago |
|  | 279   | 5 5 or more years ago              |
|  | 581   | 6 Never had blood pressure taken   |

Note: First available in 2001

MAMMOGRM 55 2 YES1FMT HFF3 N Had mammogram/breast X-ray in last yr

|  |       |                |
|--|-------|----------------|
|  | 6,734 | . Inapplicable |
|  | 61    | -8 Don't know  |
|  | 8     | -7 Refused     |
|  | 3,998 | 1 Yes          |
|  | 4,115 | 2 No           |

Note: Inapplicable if SP is male

PAPSMEAR 57 2 YES1FMT HFF6 N SP had Pap smear in last year

|  |       |                |
|--|-------|----------------|
|  | 6,734 | . Inapplicable |
|  | 121   | -8 Don't know  |
|  | 10    | -7 Refused     |
|  | 2,832 | 1 Yes          |
|  | 5,219 | 2 No           |

Note: Inapplicable if SP is male

HYSTEREC 59 2 YES1FMT HFF9 N SP ever had hysterectomy

|  |       |                    |
|--|-------|--------------------|
|  | 7,414 | . Inapplicable     |
|  | 1     | -9 Not ascertained |
|  | 38    | -8 Don't know      |
|  | 2     | -7 Refused         |
|  | 2,801 | 1 Yes              |
|  | 4,660 | 2 No               |

Note: Applies to females in supplemental sample or where PAPNHYST = 2

PROSSURG 61 2 YES1FMT HFF10 N Had prostate surgery in last year?

|  |       |                    |
|--|-------|--------------------|
|  | 8,749 | . Inapplicable     |
|  | 2     | -9 Not ascertained |
|  | 14    | -8 Don't know      |
|  | 7     | -7 Refused         |
|  | 415   | 1 Yes              |
|  | 5,729 | 2 No               |

Notes: Applies to male SPs who never reported having prostate surgery  
 First available in 2002

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DIGTEXAM 63 2 YES1FMT HFF11 N SP had digital rectal prostate exam  
 8,182 . Inapplicable  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 109 -8 Don't know  
 8 -7 Refused  
 2,981 1 Yes  
 3,634 2 No

Notes: Applies to male SPs who never reported having prostate surgery  
 First available in 1998

BLOODTST 65 2 YES1FMT HFF12 N SP had blood test for prostate cancer  
 8,182 . Inapplicable  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 358 -8 Don't know  
 7 -7 Refused  
 4,154 1 Yes  
 2,213 2 No

Notes: Applies to male SPs who never reported having prostate surgery  
 First available in 1998

FLUSHOT 67 2 YES2FMT HFF15 N SP have flu shot for last winter  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 94 -8 Don't know  
 14 -7 Refused  
 9,947 1 Yes  
 4,859 2 No

FLUSITE 69 2 SITEFMT HFF19 N Where last flu shot was given  
 4,969 . Inapplicable  
 39 -8 Don't know  
 5,667 1 Doctor's office/Group Practice  
 837 2 Doctor's clinic  
 316 3 Managed care plan center/HMO  
 170 4 Neighborhood/Family health center  
 1 Freestanding surgical clinic  
 206 6 Rural health clinic  
 35 7 Company clinic  
 108 8 Other clinic  
 38 9 Walk-in urgent center  
 15 10 Hospital emergency room  
 358 11 Hospital outpatient dept/Clinic  
 342 12 V.A. facility  
 113 13 Health fair  
 753 14 Shopping mall/other store  
 428 15 Senior center  
 180 16 SP's home  
 143 17 Church/school  
 15 18 Library  
 49 28 Health Department  
 22 29 Place of work  
 112 91 Other

Notes: Applies only if FLUSHOT = 1  
 First available in 2000

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|------------------------------------|-----|-----|---------|-----------|----------|----------|--------------------------------------------|
| PNEUSHOT                           | 71  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFF22    | N SP ever have shot for pneumonia?         |
|                                    |     |     |         | 221       |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                    |     |     |         | 9,459     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                    |     |     |         | 5,234     |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| EVERSMOK                           | 73  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFG1     | N SP ever smoked cigarettes/cigars/tobacco |
|                                    |     |     |         | 4         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 8,873     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                    |     |     |         | 6,039     |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| SMOKNOW                            | 75  | 2   | YES6FMT |           |          | HFG2     | N Does SP smoke now?                       |
|                                    |     |     |         | 6,043     |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                    |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 12        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2,159     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                    |     |     |         | 6,656     |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|                                    |     |     |         | 41        |          |          | 3 No, but originally Yes                   |
|                                    |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 4 Yes, but originally No                   |
| Note: Inapplicable if EVERSMOK = 2 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| DIFSTOOP                           | 77  | 2   | DIF2FMT |           |          | HFH1     | N Difficulty stooping/crouching/kneeling   |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                    |     |     |         | 10        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                    |     |     |         | 4,194     |          |          | 1 No Difficulty                            |
|                                    |     |     |         | 3,170     |          |          | 2 Little Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2,562     |          |          | 3 Some Difficulty                          |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2,880     |          |          | 4 Lot of Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2,083     |          |          | 5 Unable to do it                          |
| DIFLIFT                            | 79  | 2   | DIF2FMT |           |          | HFH2     | N Difficulty lifting/carrying 10 pounds    |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                    |     |     |         | 29        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 14        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                    |     |     |         | 8,762     |          |          | 1 No Difficulty                            |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,849     |          |          | 2 Little Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,414     |          |          | 3 Some Difficulty                          |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,228     |          |          | 4 Lot of Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,618     |          |          | 5 Unable to do it                          |
| DIFREACH                           | 81  | 2   | DIF2FMT |           |          | HFH3     | N Difficulty extending arms above shoulder |
|                                    |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                    |     |     |         | 12        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                    |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                    |     |     |         | 10,502    |          |          | 1 No Difficulty                            |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,624     |          |          | 2 Little Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 1,263     |          |          | 3 Some Difficulty                          |
|                                    |     |     |         | 956       |          |          | 4 Lot of Difficulty                        |
|                                    |     |     |         | 544       |          |          | 5 Unable to do it                          |

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| DIFWRITE                      | 83  | 2   | DIF2FMT |           |          | HFH4     | N Difficulty writing/handling object        |
|                               |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                          |
|                               |     |     |         | 8         |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 14        |          |          | -7 Refused                                  |
|                               |     |     |         | 10,650    |          |          | 1 No Difficulty                             |
|                               |     |     |         | 2,020     |          |          | 2 Little Difficulty                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,163     |          |          | 3 Some Difficulty                           |
|                               |     |     |         | 803       |          |          | 4 Lot of Difficulty                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 256       |          |          | 5 Unable to do it                           |
| DIFWALK                       | 85  | 2   | DIF2FMT |           |          | HFH5     | N Difficulty walking 1/4 mile or 2-3 blocks |
|                               |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                          |
|                               |     |     |         | 24        |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 14        |          |          | -7 Refused                                  |
|                               |     |     |         | 7,402     |          |          | 1 No Difficulty                             |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,651     |          |          | 2 Little Difficulty                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,406     |          |          | 3 Some Difficulty                           |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,504     |          |          | 4 Lot of Difficulty                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 2,913     |          |          | 5 Unable to do it                           |
| OCARTERY                      | 87  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFJ1     | N Ever told had hardening of arteries       |
|                               |     |     |         | 35        |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                  |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,416     |          |          | 1 Yes                                       |
|                               |     |     |         | 13,464    |          |          | 2 No                                        |
| OCHBP                         | 89  | 2   | YES6FMT |           |          | HFJ2     | N Ever told had hypertension/hi blood pres  |
|                               |     |     |         | 11        |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                  |
|                               |     |     |         | 8,632     |          |          | 1 Yes                                       |
|                               |     |     |         | 6,243     |          |          | 2 No                                        |
|                               |     |     |         | 29        |          |          | 3 No, but originally Yes                    |
|                               |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 4 Yes, but originally No                    |
| D_HBP                         | 91  | 2   | YES6FMT |           |          | HFJ3     | N Had high blood pressure since year ago?   |
|                               |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                          |
|                               |     |     |         | 31        |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -7 Refused                                  |
|                               |     |     |         | 6,612     |          |          | 1 Yes                                       |
|                               |     |     |         | 8,219     |          |          | 2 No                                        |
|                               |     |     |         | 37        |          |          | 3 No, but originally Yes                    |
|                               |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 4 Yes, but originally No                    |
| Note: First available in 2001 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                             |
| HYPETOLD                      | 93  | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          |          | N Was SP told more than once about high BP  |
|                               |     |     |         | 7,836     |          |          | . Inapplicable                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 46        |          |          | -8 Don't know                               |
|                               |     |     |         | 6,240     |          |          | 1 Yes                                       |
|                               |     |     |         | 794       |          |          | 2 No                                        |

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| OCMYOCAR                                                                     | 95  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFJ4     | N Ever told had myocard infarct/hrt attack |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 9         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 2,139     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 12,767    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| D_MYOCAR                                                                     | 97  | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          | HFJ5     | N Had myocardial infarc. since year ago?   |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 21        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 14        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 376       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 14,503    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2001                                                |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| OCCHD                                                                        | 99  | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFJ6     | N Ever told had angina pectoris/CHD        |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 41        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1,820     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 13,054    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| D_CHD                                                                        | 101 | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          | HFJ7     | N Had coronary heart dis. since year ago?  |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 67        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 552       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 14,280    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2001                                                |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| OCOTHRT                                                                      | 103 | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFJ14    | N Ever told had other heart conditions     |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1,510     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 13,390    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Notes: See OCOTHART for similar data in 1991-1999<br>First available in 2003 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| D_OTHRT                                                                      | 105 | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          | HFJ15    | N Had other heart cond. since year ago?    |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 32        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 16        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 405       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 14,461    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2001                                                |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| OCCFAIL                                                                      | 107 | 2   | YES2FMT |           |          | HFJ8     | N Ever told had heart failure              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 24        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 1,106     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                                                                              |     |     |         | 13,785    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2003                                                |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |

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| D_CFFAIL | 109 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ9                          |          |          | N Had hart failure since year ago?         |
|          |     |     |         | 2                             |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 44                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 14                            |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 398                           |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 14,458                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001 |          |          |                                            |
| OCCVALVE | 111 | 2   | YES2FMT | HFJ10                         |          |          | N Ever told had problems with valves       |
|          |     |     |         | 29                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 1                             |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1,366                         |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,520                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2003 |          |          |                                            |
| D_VALVE  | 113 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ11                         |          |          | N Had prbs with valves since year ago?     |
|          |     |     |         | 2                             |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 53                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 17                            |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 409                           |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 14,435                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001 |          |          |                                            |
| OCRHYTHM | 115 | 2   | YES2FMT | HFJ12                         |          |          | N Ever told had prbs w/ heart rhythm       |
|          |     |     |         | 31                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 1                             |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 3,072                         |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 11,812                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2003 |          |          |                                            |
| D_RHYTHM | 117 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ13                         |          |          | N Had prbs w/ heart rhythm since year ago? |
|          |     |     |         | 2                             |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 66                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 16                            |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1,119                         |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,713                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001 |          |          |                                            |
| OCSTROKE | 119 | 2   | YES2FMT | HFJ16                         |          |          | N Ever told had stroke/brain hemorrhage    |
|          |     |     |         | 22                            |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 2                             |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1,773                         |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,119                        |          |          | 2 No                                       |

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| D_STROKE | 121 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    | HFJ17    |          | N Had stroke/brain hemmor. since yr ago? |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                  |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|          |     |     |         | 40                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 15                                 |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|          |     |     |         | 392                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 14,467                             |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001      |          |          |                                          |
| OCCSKIN  | 123 | 2   | YES2FMT |                                    | HFJ18    |          | N Ever told had skin cancer              |
|          |     |     |         | 8                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                  |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,646                              |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 12,260                             |          |          | 2 No                                     |
| D_CSKIN  | 125 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    | HFJ19    |          | N Had skin cancer since year ago?        |
|          |     |     |         | 14,196                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                           |
|          |     |     |         | 274                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 446                                |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001      |          |          |                                          |
| OCCANCER | 127 | 2   | YES2FMT |                                    | HFJ20    |          | N Ever told had other (non-skin) cancer  |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                  |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,607                              |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 12,304                             |          |          | 2 No                                     |
| D_CANCER | 129 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    | HFJ21    |          | N Had any cancer since year ago?         |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                  |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|          |     |     |         | 9                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 15                                 |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|          |     |     |         | 531                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 14,358                             |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|          |     |     |         | Note: First available in 2001      |          |          |                                          |
| OCCLUNG  | 131 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    | HFJ22    |          | N Body part w/cancer--lung               |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                           |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 132                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 2,470                              |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                          |
| OCCCOLON | 133 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    | HFJ22    |          | N Body prt w/cancer--colon/bowel/rectum  |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                           |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|          |     |     |         | 345                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|          |     |     |         | 2,257                              |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                          |

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| OCCBREST | 135 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--breast   |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 653                                |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 1,949                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCUTER  | 137 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--uterus   |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 264                                |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,338                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCPROST | 139 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--prostate |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 532                                |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,070                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCBLAD  | 141 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--bladder  |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 126                                |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,476                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCOVARY | 143 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--ovary    |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 111                                |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,491                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCSTOM  | 145 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--stomach  |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 80                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,522                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |
| OCCCERVX | 147 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                    |          | HFJ22    | N Body part w/cancer--cervix   |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                 |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                  |
|          |     |     |         | 94                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2,508                              |          |          | 2 No                           |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                |

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| OCCKIDNY | 149 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--kidney        |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 58                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,544                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCBRAIN | 151 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--brain         |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 38                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,564                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCTHROA | 153 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--throat        |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 66                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,536                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCBACK  | 155 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--back          |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 32                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,570                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCHEAD  | 157 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--head          |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 15                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,587                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCFONEC | 159 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--female organs |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 11                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,591                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |
| OCCOTHER | 161 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFJ22                              |          |          | N Body part w/cancer--other         |
|          |     |     |         | 12,309                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 454                                |          |          | 1 Yes                               |
|          |     |     |         | 2,148                              |          |          | 2 No                                |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCCANCER = 1 |          |          |                                     |

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| OCDIABET                         | 163 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ23    |          | N Ever told had diabetes/hi blood sugar   |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|                                  |     |     |         | 2,982     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 11,929    |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| Note: First available in 2003    |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                           |
| OCARTHRH                         | 165 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ24    |          | N Ever told had rheumatoid arthritis      |
|                                  |     |     |         | 34        |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1,642     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 13,239    |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| OCARTH                           | 167 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ25    |          | N Ever told had non-rheumatoid arthritis  |
|                                  |     |     |         | 26        |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|                                  |     |     |         | 8,188     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 6,701     |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| D_ARTHRD                         | 169 | 2   | YES1FMT |           | HFJ26    |          | N Had non-rheumatoid arth since year ago? |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1,000     |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|                                  |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|                                  |     |     |         | 49        |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3,205     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 10,645    |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| Note: First available in 2001    |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                           |
| OCAARM                           | 171 | 2   | YES1FMT |           | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/arthritis-arm/hand/shoulder |
|                                  |     |     |         | 6,728     |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 4,665     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3,519     |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                           |
| OCAFEET                          | 173 | 2   | YES1FMT |           | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/arthritis-hip/knee/feet/leg |
|                                  |     |     |         | 6,728     |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|                                  |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|                                  |     |     |         | 4,863     |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|                                  |     |     |         | 3,321     |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                           |

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| OCABACK  | 175 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                     | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/had arthritis-back          |
|          |     |     |         | 6,728                                               |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 2,746                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 5,438                                               |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1                    |          |          |                                           |
| OCANECK  | 177 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                     | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/arthritis-neck              |
|          |     |     |         | 6,728                                               |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1,160                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 7,024                                               |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1                    |          |          |                                           |
| OCAALOVR | 179 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                     | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/arthritis-all over/joints   |
|          |     |     |         | 6,728                                               |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1,600                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 6,584                                               |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1                    |          |          |                                           |
| OCAOTHER | 181 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                     | HFJ27    |          | N Body part w/arthritis-other             |
|          |     |     |         | 6,728                                               |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 64                                                  |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 8,120                                               |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if OCARTH = 1                    |          |          |                                           |
| OCMENTAL | 183 | 2   | YES2FMT |                                                     | HFJ28    |          | N Ever told had mental retardation        |
|          |     |     |         | 16                                                  |          |          | . Missing                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 14                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                   |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 375                                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 14,509                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| OCALZHMR | 185 | 2   | YES2FMT |                                                     | HFJ29    |          | N Ever told had Alzheimer's/dementia      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 478                                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 14,432                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
| OCPSYCH  | 187 | 2   | YES2FMT |                                                     | HFJ30    |          | N Ever told had mental/psychiatric disord |
|          |     |     |         | 7                                                   |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                   |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 2,958                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 11,950                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: After 1999, 'including depression' was added. |          |          |                                           |

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| D_PSYCH                       | 189 | 2   | YES1FMT |           | HFJ31    |          | N Had psychiatric probs since yr ago?      |
|                               |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 19        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 1,749     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 13,130    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2001 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| OCOSTEOP                      | 191 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ32    |          | N Ever told had osteoporosis/soft bones    |
|                               |     |     |         | 23        |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 2,674     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 12,218    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| OCBRKHIP                      | 193 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ33    |          | N Ever told had broken hip                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 597       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 14,315    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| D_BRKHIP                      | 195 | 2   | YES1FMT |           | HFJ34    |          | N Had broken hip since year ago?           |
|                               |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|                               |     |     |         | 8         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 14        |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 107       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 14,785    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| Note: First available in 2001 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                            |
| OCPARKIN                      | 197 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ35    |          | N Ever told had Parkinson's disease        |
|                               |     |     |         | 4         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 195       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 14,716    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| OCEMPHYS                      | 199 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ36    |          | N Ever told had emphysema/asthma/COPD      |
|                               |     |     |         | 8         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 2,278     |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 12,629    |          |          | 2 No                                       |
| OCPARAL                       | 201 | 2   | YES2FMT |           | HFJ37    |          | N Ever told had complete/partial paralysis |
|                               |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|                               |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|                               |     |     |         | 742       |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|                               |     |     |         | 14,171    |          |          | 2 No                                       |

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D\_PPALAR 203 2 YES1FMT HFJ38 N Had paralysis since year ago?  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 6 -8 Don't know  
 14 -7 Refused  
 262 1 Yes  
 14,632 2 No

Note: First available in 2001

OCAMPUTE 205 2 YES2FMT HFJ39 N Ever lost an arm or leg  
 1 -8 Don't know  
 214 1 Yes  
 14,701 2 No

HAVEPROS 207 2 YES1FMT HFJ40 N SP ever been told: Enlarged prostate/BPH  
 8,182 . Inapplicable  
 44 -8 Don't know  
 2 -7 Refused  
 2,140 1 Yes  
 4,548 2 No

Notes: Inapplicable if SP is female  
 First available in 1999

D\_PROST 209 2 YES1FMT HFJ41 N Had prostate probs since year ago?  
 8,182 . Inapplicable  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 94 -8 Don't know  
 9 -7 Refused  
 986 1 Yes  
 5,643 2 No

Note: First available in 2001

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| EMCAUSC1 | 211 | 2   | CAUSFMT |           |          | HFJ43    | N 1st cause of Medicare eligibility |
|          |     |     |         | 12,341    |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                  |
|          |     |     |         | 10        |          |          | -8 Don't know                       |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | -7 Refused                          |
|          |     |     |         | 236       |          |          | 1 Back/spine/disc                   |
|          |     |     |         | 59        |          |          | 2 Severe eyesight loss              |
|          |     |     |         | 29        |          |          | 3 Severe hearing loss               |
|          |     |     |         | 54        |          |          | 4 Kidney/renal failure              |
|          |     |     |         | 47        |          |          | 5 Seizure disorder                  |
|          |     |     |         | 40        |          |          | 6 Car/bike/train accident           |
|          |     |     |         | 46        |          |          | 7 Multiple sclerosis                |
|          |     |     |         | 8         |          |          | 8 Muscular dystrophy                |
|          |     |     |         | 22        |          |          | 9 Cerebral palsy                    |
|          |     |     |         | 17        |          |          | 10 Broken bones                     |
|          |     |     |         | 18        |          |          | 11 Hardening of the arteries        |
|          |     |     |         | 91        |          |          | 12 High blood pressure              |
|          |     |     |         | 55        |          |          | 13 Myocardial infarction            |
|          |     |     |         | 26        |          |          | 14 Angina pectoris                  |
|          |     |     |         | 7         |          |          | 15 Other heart condition            |
|          |     |     |         | 107       |          |          | 16 Stroke                           |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | 17 New occurrence of skin cancer    |
|          |     |     |         | 50        |          |          | 18 Cancer or tumor                  |
|          |     |     |         | 63        |          |          | 19 Diabetes                         |
|          |     |     |         | 89        |          |          | 20 Rheumatoid arthritis             |
|          |     |     |         | 124       |          |          | 21 Other arthritis                  |
|          |     |     |         | 275       |          |          | 22 Mental retardation               |
|          |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | 23 Alzheimer's disease              |
|          |     |     |         | 491       |          |          | 24 Mental disorder                  |
|          |     |     |         | 9         |          |          | 25 Osteoporosis                     |
|          |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | 26 Broken hip                       |
|          |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | 27 Parkinson's disease              |
|          |     |     |         | 48        |          |          | 28 Emphysema or asthma              |
|          |     |     |         | 78        |          |          | 29 Partial paralysis                |
|          |     |     |         | 20        |          |          | 30 Loss of limb                     |
|          |     |     |         | 10        |          |          | 31 Cong heart failure               |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 32 Probs w/ hrt valves              |
|          |     |     |         | 41        |          |          | 33 Heartbeat rhythm                 |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 65 Gained entitlement at 65         |
|          |     |     |         | 387       |          |          | 91 Other                            |

Note: Applies if SP is under age 65 at the time of the initial MCBS interview

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| EMCAUSC2 | 213 | 2   | CAUSFMT |           |          | HFJ43    | N 2nd cause of Medicare eligibility |
|          |     |     |         | 13,352    |          |          | . Inapplicable                      |
|          |     |     |         | 9         |          |          | 1 Back/spine/disc                   |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 2 Severe eyesight loss              |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 3 Severe hearing loss               |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 4 Kidney/renal failure              |
|          |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | 5 Seizure disorder                  |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 6 Car/bike/train accident           |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 7 Multiple sclerosis                |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 8 Muscular dystrophy                |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | 9 Cerebral palsy                    |
|          |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | 10 Broken bones                     |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 11 Hardening of the arteries        |
|          |     |     |         | 7         |          |          | 12 High blood pressure              |
|          |     |     |         | 8         |          |          | 13 Myocardial infarction            |
|          |     |     |         | 20        |          |          | 14 Angina pectoris                  |
|          |     |     |         | 15        |          |          | 15 Other heart condition            |
|          |     |     |         | 117       |          |          | 16 Stroke                           |
|          |     |     |         | 1         |          |          | 17 New occurrence of skin cancer    |
|          |     |     |         | 54        |          |          | 18 Cancer or tumor                  |
|          |     |     |         | 76        |          |          | 19 Diabetes                         |
|          |     |     |         | 97        |          |          | 20 Rheumatoid arthritis             |
|          |     |     |         | 139       |          |          | 21 Other arthritis                  |
|          |     |     |         | 276       |          |          | 22 Mental retardation               |
|          |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | 23 Alzheimer's disease              |
|          |     |     |         | 505       |          |          | 24 Mental disorder                  |
|          |     |     |         | 11        |          |          | 25 Osteoporosis                     |
|          |     |     |         | 6         |          |          | 26 Broken hip                       |
|          |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | 27 Parkinson's disease              |
|          |     |     |         | 54        |          |          | 28 Emphysema or asthma              |
|          |     |     |         | 80        |          |          | 29 Partial paralysis                |
|          |     |     |         | 20        |          |          | 30 Loss of limb                     |
|          |     |     |         | 16        |          |          | 31 Cong heart failure               |
|          |     |     |         | 3         |          |          | 32 Probs w/ hrt valves              |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 33 Heartbeat rhythm                 |
|          |     |     |         | 0         |          |          | 65 Gained entitlement at 65         |
|          |     |     |         | 26        |          |          | 91 Other                            |

Note: Applies only if SP has more than one cause for Medicare eligibility

|         |     |   |         |        |  |       |                                        |
|---------|-----|---|---------|--------|--|-------|----------------------------------------|
| PRBTELE | 215 | 2 | ADL2FMT |        |  | HFK1a | N Any difficulty using telephone       |
|         |     |   |         | 2      |  |       | -9 Not ascertained                     |
|         |     |   |         | 3      |  |       | -8 Don't know                          |
|         |     |   |         | 13     |  |       | -7 Refused                             |
|         |     |   |         | 1,038  |  |       | 1 Yes                                  |
|         |     |   |         | 13,567 |  |       | 2 No                                   |
|         |     |   |         | 293    |  |       | 3 Doesn't Do                           |
| PRBLHWK | 217 | 2 | ADL2FMT |        |  | HFK1b | N Any difficulty doing light housework |
|         |     |   |         | 2      |  |       | -9 Not ascertained                     |
|         |     |   |         | 3      |  |       | -8 Don't know                          |
|         |     |   |         | 13     |  |       | -7 Refused                             |
|         |     |   |         | 1,505  |  |       | 1 Yes                                  |
|         |     |   |         | 12,186 |  |       | 2 No                                   |
|         |     |   |         | 1,207  |  |       | 3 Doesn't Do                           |

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| PRBHHWK  | 219 | 2   | ADL2FMT |                                   |          | HFk1c    | N Any difficulty doing heavy housework    |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                 |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 8                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 13                                |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 3,466                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 8,324                             |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 3,103                             |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                              |
| PRBMEAL  | 221 | 2   | ADL2FMT |                                   |          | HFk1d    | N Any difficulty preparing meals          |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                 |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 4                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 13                                |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 1,280                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 12,268                            |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 1,349                             |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                              |
| PRBSHOP  | 223 | 2   | ADL2FMT |                                   |          | HFk1e    | N Any difficulty shopping                 |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                 |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 4                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 13                                |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 1,830                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 11,929                            |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 1,138                             |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                              |
| PRBBILS  | 225 | 2   | ADL2FMT |                                   |          | HFk1f    | N Any difficulty with managing money      |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                 |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 15                                |          |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |         | 1,023                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 12,864                            |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 1,007                             |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                              |
| DONTTELE | 227 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                   |          | HFk2a    | N Don't use telephone b/c health prob     |
|          |     |     |         | 14,623                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 219                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 73                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBTELE = 3 |          |          |                                           |
| DONTLHWK | 229 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                   |          | HFk2b    | N Don't do light housewrk b/c health prob |
|          |     |     |         | 13,709                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 752                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 454                               |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBLHWK = 3 |          |          |                                           |
| DONTHHWK | 231 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                   |          | HFk2c    | N Don't do heavy housewrk b/c health prob |
|          |     |     |         | 11,813                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 2,037                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 1,064                             |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBHHWK = 3 |          |          |                                           |

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| DONTMEAL | 233 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK2d    | N Don't prepare meals b/c health prob |
|          |     |     |         | 13,567                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 648                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 701                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBMEAL = 3                 |          |          |                                       |
| DONTSHOP | 235 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK2e    | N Don't do shopping b/c health prob   |
|          |     |     |         | 13,778                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                         |
|          |     |     |         | 879                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 257                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBSHOP = 3                 |          |          |                                       |
| DONTBILS | 237 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK2f    | N Don't manage money b/c health prob  |
|          |     |     |         | 13,909                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 625                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 382                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBBILS = 3                 |          |          |                                       |
| HELPTELE | 239 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK3a    | N Receive help w/ telephone           |
|          |     |     |         | 13,659                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 694                                               |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 563                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBTELE = 1 or DONTTELE = 1 |          |          |                                       |
| HELPLHWK | 241 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK3b    | N Receive help w/ light housework     |
|          |     |     |         | 12,659                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 1,897                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 360                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBLHWK = 1 or DONTLHWK = 1 |          |          |                                       |
| HELPHHWK | 243 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK3c    | N Receive help w/ heavy housework     |
|          |     |     |         | 9,413                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                 |          |          | -8 Don't know                         |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                 |          |          | -7 Refused                            |
|          |     |     |         | 4,326                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 1,173                                             |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBHHWK = 1 or DONTHHWK = 1 |          |          |                                       |
| HELPMEAL | 245 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                   |          | HFK3d    | N Receive help w/ preparing meals     |
|          |     |     |         | 12,988                                            |          |          | . Inapplicable                        |
|          |     |     |         | 1,594                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 334                                               |          |          | 2 No                                  |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if PRBMEAL = 1 or DONTMEAL = 1 |          |          |                                       |

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| HELPSHOP                                          | 247 | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          | HFK3e    | N Receive help w/ shopping               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 12,207    |          |          | . Inapplicable                           |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2,411     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 298       |          |          | 2 No                                     |
| Note: Applies only if PRBSHOP = 1 or DONTSHOP = 1 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                          |
| HELPBILS                                          | 249 | 2   | YES1FMT |           |          | HFK3f    | N Receive help w/ managing money         |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13,268    |          |          | . Inapplicable                           |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 1,464     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 184       |          |          | 2 No                                     |
| Note: Applies only if PRBBILS = 1 or DONTBILS = 1 |     |     |         |           |          |          |                                          |
| HPPDBATH                                          | 251 | 2   | ADL2FMT |           |          | HFL1a    | N Any difficulty bathing/showering       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 6         |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 12        |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 1,891     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 12,921    |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 84        |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                             |
| HPPDDRES                                          | 253 | 2   | ADL2FMT |           |          | HFL1b    | N Any difficulty dressing                |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 4         |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 1,267     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13,573    |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 57        |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                             |
| HPPDEAT                                           | 255 | 2   | ADL2FMT |           |          | HFL1c    | N Any difficulty eating                  |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 4         |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 497       |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 14,376    |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 24        |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                             |
| HPPDCHAR                                          | 257 | 2   | ADL2FMT |           |          | HFL1d    | N Any difficulty get in/out of bed/chair |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2,217     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 12,605    |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 74        |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                             |
| HPPDWALK                                          | 259 | 2   | ADL2FMT |           |          | HFL1e    | N Any difficulty walking                 |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 2         |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                       |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 5         |          |          | -8 Don't know                            |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 13        |          |          | -7 Refused                               |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 3,929     |          |          | 1 Yes                                    |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 10,692    |          |          | 2 No                                     |
|                                                   |     |     |         | 275       |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                             |

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| HPPDTOIL | 261 | 2   | ADL2FMT | HFL1f                                                          |          |          | N Any difficulty using the toilet          |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                         |
|          |     |     |         | 8                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 13                                                             |          |          | -7 Refused                                 |
|          |     |     |         | 928                                                            |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,906                                                         |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | 59                                                             |          |          | 3 Doesn't Do                               |
| DONTBATH | 263 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2a                                                          |          |          | N Don't bathe/shower b/c health prob       |
|          |     |     |         | 14,832                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 81                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDBATH = 3<br>First available in 1992 |          |          |                                            |
| DONTDRES | 265 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2b                                                          |          |          | N Don't dress b/c health prob              |
|          |     |     |         | 14,859                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 57                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 0                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDDRES = 3<br>First available in 1992 |          |          |                                            |
| DONTEAT  | 267 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2c                                                          |          |          | N Don't eat b/c health prob                |
|          |     |     |         | 14,892                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 24                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 0                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDEAT = 3<br>First available in 1992  |          |          |                                            |
| DONTCHAR | 269 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2d                                                          |          |          | N Don't get in/out bed/chair b/c hlth prob |
|          |     |     |         | 14,842                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 74                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 0                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDCHAR = 3<br>First available in 1992 |          |          |                                            |
| DONTWALK | 271 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2e                                                          |          |          | N Don't walk b/c health prob               |
|          |     |     |         | 14,641                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 270                                                            |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 5                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDWALK = 3<br>First available in 1992 |          |          |                                            |
| DONTTOIL | 273 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL2f                                                          |          |          | N Don't use toilet b/c health prob         |
|          |     |     |         | 14,857                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 59                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 0                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HPPDTOIL = 3<br>First available in 1992 |          |          |                                            |

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| HELPPBATH | 275 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3a                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ bathing/showering       |
|           |     |     |         | 12,944                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 1,092                                              |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 880                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDBATH = 1 or DONTBATH = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| HELPPDRES | 277 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3b                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ dressing                |
|           |     |     |         | 13,592                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 857                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 467                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDDRES = 1 or DONTDRES = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| HELPEAT   | 279 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3c                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ eating                  |
|           |     |     |         | 14,395                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 188                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 333                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDEAT = 1 or DONTEAT = 1   |          |          |                                           |
| HELPPCHAR | 281 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3d                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ get in/out of bed/chair |
|           |     |     |         | 12,626                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 1                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|           |     |     |         | 743                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 1,546                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDCHAR = 1 or DONTCHAR = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| HELPPWALK | 283 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3e                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ walking                 |
|           |     |     |         | 10,717                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 2                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|           |     |     |         | 779                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 3,418                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDWALK = 1 or DONTWALK = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| HELPTOIL  | 285 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL3f                                              |          |          | N Receive help w/ using toilet            |
|           |     |     |         | 13,929                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 344                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 643                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDTOIL = 1 or DONTTOIL = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| PCHKBATH  | 287 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4a                                              |          |          | N Person nearby while bathing/showering   |
|           |     |     |         | 14,036                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|           |     |     |         | 175                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|           |     |     |         | 705                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|           |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPBATH = 2                 |          |          |                                           |

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| PCHKDRES | 289 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4b                                              |          |          | N Person nearby while dressing            |
|          |     |     |         | 14,449                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 67                                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 400                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPDRES = 2                 |          |          |                                           |
| PCKHEAT  | 291 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4c                                              |          |          | N Person nearby while eating              |
|          |     |     |         | 14,583                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 60                                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 273                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPEAT = 2                  |          |          |                                           |
| PCHKCHAR | 293 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4d                                              |          |          | N Person nearby when get in/out bed/chair |
|          |     |     |         | 13,369                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 172                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 1,373                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPCHAR = 2                 |          |          |                                           |
| PCHKWALK | 295 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4e                                              |          |          | N Person nearby while walking             |
|          |     |     |         | 11,496                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                  |          |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 402                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 3,015                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPWALK = 2                 |          |          |                                           |
| PCHKTOIL | 297 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL4f                                              |          |          | N Person nearby while using toilet        |
|          |     |     |         | 14,273                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 87                                                 |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 555                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HELPTOIL = 2                 |          |          |                                           |
| EQIPBATH | 299 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5a                                              |          |          | N Use equipment to help bathe/shower      |
|          |     |     |         | 12,944                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                  |          |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1,080                                              |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 890                                                |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDBATH = 1 or DONTBATH = 1 |          |          |                                           |
| EQIPDRES | 301 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5b                                              |          |          | N Use equipment to help dress             |
|          |     |     |         | 13,592                                             |          |          | . Inapplicable                            |
|          |     |     |         | 164                                                |          |          | 1 Yes                                     |
|          |     |     |         | 1,160                                              |          |          | 2 No                                      |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDDRES = 1 or DONTDRES = 1 |          |          |                                           |

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| EQIPEAT  | 303 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5c                                                          |          |          | N Use equipment to help eat             |
|          |     |     |         | 14,395                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 70                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                   |
|          |     |     |         | 451                                                            |          |          | 2 No                                    |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDEAT = 1 or DONTEAT = 1               |          |          |                                         |
| EQIPCHAR | 305 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5d                                                          |          |          | N Use equipment to get in/out bed/chair |
|          |     |     |         | 12,625                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                           |
|          |     |     |         | 929                                                            |          |          | 1 Yes                                   |
|          |     |     |         | 1,360                                                          |          |          | 2 No                                    |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDCHAR = 1 or DONTCHAR = 1             |          |          |                                         |
| EQIPWALK | 307 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5e                                                          |          |          | N Use equipment to help walk            |
|          |     |     |         | 10,717                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                           |
|          |     |     |         | 2,450                                                          |          |          | 1 Yes                                   |
|          |     |     |         | 1,748                                                          |          |          | 2 No                                    |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDWALK = 1 or DONTWALK = 1             |          |          |                                         |
| EQIPTOIL | 309 | 2   | YES1FMT | HFL5f                                                          |          |          | N Use equipment to help use toilet      |
|          |     |     |         | 13,929                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                           |
|          |     |     |         | 586                                                            |          |          | 1 Yes                                   |
|          |     |     |         | 400                                                            |          |          | 2 No                                    |
|          |     |     |         | Note: Applies only if HPPDTOIL = 1 or DONTTOIL = 1             |          |          |                                         |
| LONGBATH | 311 | 2   | LONGFMT | HFL6a                                                          |          |          | N How long needed help to bathe/shower  |
|          |     |     |         | 13,824                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 3                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                           |
|          |     |     |         | 94                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                    |
|          |     |     |         | 162                                                            |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                    |
|          |     |     |         | 833                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                      |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPBATH = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                         |
| LONGDRES | 313 | 2   | LONGFMT | HFL6b                                                          |          |          | N How long needed help to dress         |
|          |     |     |         | 14,059                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                          |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                           |
|          |     |     |         | 73                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                    |
|          |     |     |         | 127                                                            |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                    |
|          |     |     |         | 655                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                      |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPDRES = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                         |

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| LONGEAT  | 315 | 2   | LONGFMT |                                                                |          | HFL6c    | N How long needed help to eat              |
|          |     |     |         | 14,728                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 18                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                       |
|          |     |     |         | 15                                                             |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                       |
|          |     |     |         | 154                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                         |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPEAT = 1<br>First available in 1996  |          |          |                                            |
| LONGCHAR | 317 | 2   | LONGFMT |                                                                |          | HFL6d    | N How long need help get in/out bed/chair  |
|          |     |     |         | 14,173                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 62                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                       |
|          |     |     |         | 92                                                             |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                       |
|          |     |     |         | 587                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                         |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPCHAR = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| LONGWALK | 319 | 2   | LONGFMT |                                                                |          | HFL6e    | N How long needed help to walk             |
|          |     |     |         | 14,137                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 1                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 65                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                       |
|          |     |     |         | 111                                                            |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                       |
|          |     |     |         | 602                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                         |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPWALK = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| LONGTOIL | 321 | 2   | LONGFMT |                                                                |          | HFL6f    | N How long needed help to use toilet       |
|          |     |     |         | 14,572                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 2                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 31                                                             |          |          | 1 Less than 3 months                       |
|          |     |     |         | 38                                                             |          |          | 2 3 months to 1 year                       |
|          |     |     |         | 273                                                            |          |          | 3 More than 1 year                         |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if HELPTOIL = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| STILBATH | 323 | 2   | YES1FMT |                                                                |          | HFL7a    | N Need help 3 mos from now w/ bathe/shower |
|          |     |     |         | 14,822                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |         | 6                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |         | 56                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |         | 32                                                             |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |         | Notes: Applies only if LONGBATH = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |

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| STILDRES | 325 | 2   | YES1FMT  | HFL7b                                                          |          |          | N Need help 3 mos from now w/ dressing     |
|          |     |     |          | 14,843                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 7                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 45                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 21                                                             |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if LONGDRES = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| STILEAT  | 327 | 2   | YES1FMT  | HFL7c                                                          |          |          | N Need help 3 mos from now w/ eating       |
|          |     |     |          | 14,898                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 2                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 14                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 2                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if LONGEAT = 1<br>First available in 1996  |          |          |                                            |
| STILCHAR | 329 | 2   | YES1FMT  | HFL7d                                                          |          |          | N Need help 3 mos w/ get in/out bed/chair  |
|          |     |     |          | 14,854                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 8                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 38                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 16                                                             |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if LONGCHAR = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| STILWALK | 331 | 2   | YES1FMT  | HFL7e                                                          |          |          | N Need help 3 mos from now w/ walking      |
|          |     |     |          | 14,851                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 9                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 41                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 15                                                             |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if LONGWALK = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| STILTOIL | 333 | 2   | YES1FMT  | HFL7f                                                          |          |          | N Need help 3 mos from now w/ using toilet |
|          |     |     |          | 14,885                                                         |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 3                                                              |          |          | -8 Don't know                              |
|          |     |     |          | 19                                                             |          |          | 1 Yes                                      |
|          |     |     |          | 9                                                              |          |          | 2 No                                       |
|          |     |     |          | Notes: Applies only if LONGTOIL = 1<br>First available in 1996 |          |          |                                            |
| D_ADLHNM | 335 | 2   | HELPRFMT |                                                                |          |          | N Number of ADL helpers                    |
|          |     |     |          | 6,860                                                          |          |          | . Inapplicable                             |
|          |     |     |          | 6,190                                                          |          |          | 1 1 helper                                 |
|          |     |     |          | 1,362                                                          |          |          | 2 2 helpers                                |
|          |     |     |          | 348                                                            |          |          | 3 3 helpers                                |
|          |     |     |          | 102                                                            |          |          | 4 4 helpers                                |
|          |     |     |          | 54                                                             |          |          | 5 or more helpers                          |
|          |     |     |          | Note: Applies only if SP has at least one ADL or IADL          |          |          |                                            |

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FALLANY 337 2 YES2FMT HFM1 N Have fallen down in past yr.  
 2  
 31 -9 Not ascertained  
 14 -8 Don't know  
 3,752 -7 Refused  
 11,117 1 Yes  
 2 No

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FALLTIME 339 2 FALLFMT HFM2 N Number of times fallen  
 11,164 . Inapplicable  
 105 -8 Don't know  
 1,821 1 SP fell once  
 785 2 SP fell twice  
 413 3 SP fell three times  
 166 4 SP fell four times  
 113 5 SP fell five times  
 331 6-94 SP fell 6 - 94 times  
 18 95 SP fell 95 or more times

Notes: Applies only if FALLANY = 1  
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FALLHURT 341 2 YES1FMT HFM3 N Needed medical attention because of fall  
 11,164 . Inapplicable  
 1 -8 Don't know  
 1,196 1 Yes  
 2,555 2 No

Notes: Applies only if FALLANY = 1  
 First available in 2002

FALLTALK 343 2 YES1FMT HFM4 N Talked to professional about falls  
 11,164 . Inapplicable  
 12 -8 Don't know  
 1,764 1 Yes  
 1,976 2 No

Notes: Applies only if FALLANY = 1  
 First available in 2002

FALLREAS 345 2 YES1FMT HFM5 N Did hlth prof try to understand why fell  
 13,140 . Inapplicable  
 19 -8 Don't know  
 1,345 1 Yes  
 412 2 No

Notes: Applies only if FALLANY = 1 & FALLTALK does not equal 2  
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FALLPREV 347 2 YES1FMT HFM6 N Did hlth prof give info to avoid falls  
 13,140 . Inapplicable  
 25 -8 Don't know  
 1,116 1 Yes  
 635 2 No

Notes: Applies only if FALLANY = 1 & FALLTALK does not equal 2  
 First available in 2002

MEMLOSS 349 2 YES2FMT HFN1 N Memory loss interfere w/ daily activity  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 27 -8 Don't know  
 14 -7 Refused  
 1,988 1 Yes  
 12,885 2 No

Note: First available in 1996

PROBDECS 351 2 YES2FMT HFN2 N Problem make decisions interferes w/ADLs  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 21 -8 Don't know  
 14 -7 Refused  
 1,472 1 Yes  
 13,407 2 No

Note: First available in 1996

TROBCONC 353 2 YES2FMT HFN3 N SP has trouble concentrating  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 34 -8 Don't know  
 14 -7 Refused  
 2,540 1 Yes  
 12,326 2 No

Note: First available in 1996

TIMESAD 355 2 TIME2FMT HFN4 N Were you depressed the last 12 months?  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 134 -8 Don't know  
 18 -7 Refused  
 328 1 All of the time  
 869 2 Most of the time  
 3,226 3 Some of the time  
 5,065 4 A little of the time  
 5,274 5 None of the time

Note: First available in 2001

LOSTINTR 357 2 YES2FMT HFN5 N Did you lose interest the last 12 mos?  
 2 -9 Not ascertained  
 96 -8 Don't know  
 18 -7 Refused  
 2,324 1 Yes  
 12,476 2 No

Note: First available in 2001

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| Variable | Col | Len | Format | Frequency | ComQues# | FacQues# | Variable Type & Label                     |
|----------|-----|-----|--------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------------------------------------|
| LOSTURIN | 359 | 2   | URIFMT |           |          | HFQ1     | N How often lost urine control last 12 mo |
|          |     |     |        |           | 2        |          | -9 Not ascertained                        |
|          |     |     |        |           | 136      |          | -8 Don't know                             |
|          |     |     |        |           | 34       |          | -7 Refused                                |
|          |     |     |        |           | 1,395    |          | 1 More than once a week                   |
|          |     |     |        |           | 439      |          | 2 About once a week                       |
|          |     |     |        |           | 469      |          | 3 2-3 times a month                       |
|          |     |     |        |           | 372      |          | 4 About once a month                      |
|          |     |     |        |           | 376      |          | 5 Every 2-3 months                        |
|          |     |     |        |           | 727      |          | 6 1-2 Times a year                        |
|          |     |     |        |           | 10,815   |          | 7 Not at all                              |
|          |     |     |        |           | 151      |          | 8 Dialysis/catheterized                   |