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SECTION OVERVIEW

Specifications still in progress. Need to complete overview for each section.

IN – INTRODUCTION

ENS – ENUMERATION SUMMARY

ENS = Enumeration Summary

Purpose: The purpose of ENS is to determine who lives in the household in the current round.

Database segments:

ROST   New household persons are first added/selected from the Person Roster. If the person is added to the Person Roster, a new ROST is generated and the person's name and relationship to SP is collected and stored on ROST.

ENUM   Is generated the first round a person is reported as living in the household. An ENUM is also generated each additional round that the person lives in the household, including the round the person is reported as no longer living in the household.

Setting up ENS:
A current round ENUM is automatically generated at the beginning of ENS for the SP (if not already generated in Introduction).
A current round ENUM is automatically generated at the beginning of ENS for the Proxy, if it's a proxy interview and the proxy reported living in the household in Introduction.
A current round ENUM is automatically generated at the beginning of ENS for all person's who lived in the Household at the time of the previous round interview.

Additional ENUM records are generated each time a person is selected as living in the household.   Immediately after the person is selected from the Person Roster, a current round ENUM is generated for this person and any data already stored on the person's ROST record (name, relationship to SP, date of birth, and/or gender) is copied to the ENUM record.

HRND   Stores who owns/rents home.

HOME   Stores SP's military status.   Since HOME is not a round specific record, each time the SP's military status is collected, the variables on HOME will be overwritten.

Section overview:

At the beginning of ENS, we check for persons who lived in the Household at the time of the previous round. We verify whether or not each person still lives in the Household in the current round. If a person no longer lives in the household, we collect the reason.

Next, we probe for any new person living in the household in the current round.

Once all household members have been identified for the current round, ENS collects the person's gender, date of birth and age for all persons who are new to the household in the current round. Gender is either calculated, based on the person's relationship to SP, or is collected. Age is either calculated, based on the person's date of birth, or is collected.

If a person lived in the household in the previous round and part of their date of birth = DK or RF, we probe for updated information. We only probe for updated information one time.

If SP is in the Supplemental Sample or is returning from a Facility stay, we ask who owns/rents the SP's home.

If SP is in the Supplemental Sample only, we ask whether or not the SP ever worked since the 1st of the year.

If it is a Fall Round and SP is alive and not institutionalized, we ask the SP's current job status.

Each time a new person is added to the household, we ask the person's job status. In addition, we update the person's job status each Fall round.

If SP is in the Supplemental Sample or has been in a Facility since their 1st round and this is their first community interview, we collects SP's military status.

HIS – HEALTH INSURANCE SUMMARY

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DUQ – DENTAL UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

DU collects data regarding all dental visits the SP had during the current round. DU probes for dental visits by provider. DU first prompts for the provider, then prompts for all dates that the SP went to see this provider in the current round. DU loops through event detail questions for each date added. The last question in DU probes for additional dental visits to this or any other provider.

Rosters:

Provider Roster	Collects providers.
Event Roster Begin Date RV	Collects all dental visit dates per Provider in the current round. Collects only 1 date per visit, stored in the Event Begin Date. Events can be entered as a Repeat Visit.
Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects names of prescription medicines prescribed for SP at dental visit.

Grids: NONE

Patterns:

Provider Roster – Single Select
    Provider Detail
    Event Detail *** collected prior to Event roster. Apply to all events selected at roster.
    Nested Event Roster Begin Date RV – Multi-Select
        Event Detail
        Nested Prescription Medicine Roster - Multi-Select
            Link all PM events to Dental Visit event.

Database segments:

EVNT   The Event Roster Begin Date RV collects all dental visits the SP had during the current round, allowing events to be entered as a Repeat Visit. When a dental visit is added to the roster, a new EVNT is generated and details about the event are collected and stored on EVNT.

        The Prescription Medicine roster collects all medicines the SP was prescribed during the current round. When a prescription medicine is added to the Prescription Medicine roster, a new EVNT is generated and the name of the medicine is stored on EVNT. Medicines are only stored once on EVNT. Each round a prescription medicine is filled by the SP, a new PMRO record is generated to collect the round specific data. See PMRO details below.

PMRO   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

XMED   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at a Dr. visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine is linked to the EVNT for the Dr. visit.

HRND   Stores probe for current round dental visits.

ERQ – EMERGENY ROOM UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

ER collects data regarding all Emergency Room visits the SP had during the current round. ER probes for Emergency Room visits by provider. ER first prompts for the provider, then prompts for all visits to this provider in the current round. ER loops through event detail questions for each visit added. The last question in ER probes for additional visits to this or any other provider.

ER visits that are flagged as "admitted to a hospital" will come up again as an Inpatient Hospital stay in IP.

Rosters:

Provider Roster	Collects providers.
Event Roster B	Collects all dates that the SP went to specific hospital. Collects only 1 date per visit. Does not allow Repeat Visits
Condition Roster	Collects names of condition(s) as reasons why SP went to Emergency Room.
Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects names of prescription medicines prescribed for SP at Emergency Room.

Grids: NONE

Patterns:

Provider Roster – Single Select
    Provider Detail
    Event Detail *** collected prior to Event roster. Apply to all events selected at roster.
    Nested Event Roster B – Multi-Select
        Event Detail
        Nested Condition Roster – Mulit-Select
          Link all conditions to ER event.
        Nested Prescription Medicine Roster - Multi-Select
          Link all PM events to ER event.

Database segments:

EVNT The Event Roster B collects all Emergency Room visits the SP had during the current round. When a Emergency Room visit is added to the Event Roster B, a new EVNT is generated and details about the event are collected and stored on EVNT.

The Prescription Medicine roster collects all medicines the SP was prescribed during the current round. When a prescription medicine is added to the Prescription Medicine roster, a new EVNT is generated and the name of the medicine is stored on EVNT. Medicines are only stored once on EVNT. Each round a prescription medicine is filled by the SP, a new PMRO record is generated to collect the round specific data. See PMRO details below.

PMRO When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

XMED When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an ER visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the ER visit.

COND The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were the reason why SP went to the Emergency Room. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the ER event

XCON   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an ER visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the ER visit.

HRND   Stores probe for current round Emergency Room visits.

HRND.HRNDBASE + HRND.HRNDRND + HRND.HRNDRESP
HRND.HRNDBASE   =   8-digit   CASE ID
HRND.HRNDRND   =   01..99   Round number
HRND.HRNDRESP   =   01..99   Respondent # , always set to "01".

IPQ – INPATIENT HOSPITAL UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

IP collects data regarding all Inpatient Hospital stays the SP had during the current round.
There are 3 categories of IP stays that get asked about in the following order:

Type 1) IP stay from the previous round where the SP was reported as "still in the hospital" at the time of the previous round interview. IP probes for the discharge date for this type of IP stay first. If SP is "still in this hospital" in the current round, IP does not probe for additional IP stays. If the SP has been discharged, event details are collected for the IP stay. Once complete, IP asks about the next type of IP stays, one that resulted from a current round ER visit.

Type 2) IP stay that resulted from a current round ER visit. If an ER visit is reported in the ER section where the SP was admitted to the hospital from the ER, IP will probe for the discharge date of this/these event(s) next. There can be more than one ER to IP stay entered in the ER section. If the SP has been discharged, event details are collected for the IP stay. IP continues to probe for all ER to IP discharge dates, regardless if the SP is reported as "still in the hospital". Once all of the ER to IP stays is asked about, IP probes for the third type of IP stay, new IP stays added in IP section.

Type 3) A new IP stay entered in IP section. IP probes for Inpatient Hospital stays by provider (Hospital). IP first prompts for the provider, then prompts for the admission and discharge date. Note: Event dates are not collected in a roster. If the SP is still in the hospital, a discharge date is not collected. If the SP has been discharged, event details are collected for the IP stay.

The last question in IP probes for additional visits to this or any other provider.

Rosters:

Provider Roster	Collects providers.
Condition Roster	Collects names of condition(s) as reasons why SP was admitted to hospital.
Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects names of prescription medicines prescribed for SP at Hospital.

Grids: NONE

Patterns:

Provider Roster – Single Select
   Provider Detail
   Event Detail *** collected prior to collecting Event date. Apply to event entered.
   Event Date – collect Admission Date and Discharge Date/Flag SP as still in hospital. Collected
        directly into date fields – not a Roster.
   *NOTE: Only IP events with a discharge date will receive the following EVENT detail questions.
   Event Detail - Operations
   Nested Condition Roster – Mulit-Select
      Link all conditions to IP event.
   Event Detail
   Nested Prescription Medicine Roster - Multi-Select
      Link all PM events to IP event.

Database segments:

PROV   Home Health providers are stored on PROV. A Home Health provider can be a person or the name of an organization.

EVNT   A new IP event is generated for:
1) Each ER to IP stay entered in the ER section.
2) Each new IP stay added in the IP section.

The Prescription Medicine roster collects all medicines the SP was prescribed during the current round. When a prescription medicine is added to the Prescription Medicine roster, a new EVNT is generated and the name of the medicine is stored on EVNT. Medicines are only stored once on EVNT. Each round a prescription medicine is filled by the SP, a new PMRO record is generated to collect the round specific data. See PMRO details below.

PMRO   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

XMED   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an IP visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the IP stay.

COND   The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were the reason why SP was admitted to hospital. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the IP event

XCON   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the IP stay in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the IP stay.

SURG   IP probes for any operations performed while the SP was in the hospital. IP collects one to three operations. The operations are initially collected into temporary fields, SURGERY1, SURGERY2, SURGERY3. The names of the operations are stored on a single record on the SURG segment and each SURG record is linked to the IP event.

HRND   Stores probe for current round Inpatient Hospital stays.

OPQ – OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

> OP collects data regarding all Outpatient Hospital visits the SP had during the current round. OP probes for Outpatient Hospital visits by provider. OP first prompts for the provider, then prompts for all visits to this provider in the current round. OP loops through event detail questions for each visit added. The last question in OP probes for additional visits to this or any other provider.

Rosters:

Provider Roster	Collects providers.
Event Roster Begin Date RV	Collects all Outpatient Hospital visit dates per Provider in the current round. Collects 1 date per visit, stored in the Event Begin Month, Day and Year. Events can be entered as a Repeat Visit.
Condition Roster	Collects names of condition(s) as reasons why SP went to Outpatient Hospital.
Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects names of prescription medicines prescribed for SP at Outpatient Hospital visit.

Grids: NONE

Patterns:
Provider Roster – Single Select
> Provider Detail
> Event Pre-Roster Detail *** collected prior to Event roster. Apply to all events selected at roster.
> Nested Event Roster Begin Date RV – Multi-Select
> > Event Detail - Operations
> > Event Detail - Nested Condition Roster – Mulit-Select
> > > Link all conditions to OP event.
> > Event Detail - Nested Prescription Medicine Roster - Multi-Select
> > > Link all PM events to OP event.

Database segments:

EVNT The Event Roster Begin Date RV collects all Outpatient Hospital visits the SP had during the current round, allowing events to be entered as a Repeat Visit. When an Outpatient Hospital visit is added to the roster, a new EVNT is generated and details about the event are collected and stored on EVNT.

The Prescription Medicine roster collects all medicines the SP was prescribed during the current round. When a prescription medicine is added to the Prescription Medicine roster, a new EVNT is generated and the name of the medicine is stored on EVNT. Medicines are only stored once on EVNT. Each round a prescription medicine is filled by the SP, a new PMRO record is generated to collect the round specific data. See PMRO details below.

PMRO When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

XMED When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an OP visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the OP visit.

COND The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were the reason why SP went to the Outpatient Hospital. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the OP event

XCON When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an OP visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the OP visit.

SURG OP probes for any operations performed while the SP was at the Outpatient Hospital. OP collects at least one and up to three operations. The operations are initially collected into temporary fields, SURGERY1, SURGERY2, SURGERY3. The names of the operations are stored on separate records on the SURG segment and each SURG record is linked to the OP event.

HRND Stores probe for current round Outpatient Hospital visits.

IUQ – INSTITUTIONAL UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

IU collects data regarding all Institutional stays the SP had during the current round. If the SP is currently in the community, but was admitted and discharged to a facility/institution since the previous round interview date, we collect the institutional stay as an embedded facility stay instead of crossing the SP to the facility and collecting the facility interview.

 IU probes for Institutional stays by provider. IU first prompts for the provider, then prompts for the admission and discharge dates for this provider in the current round. We do not collect additional event details for this stay. The last question in IU probes for additional institutional stays to this or any other provider.

Rosters: Provider Roster   Collects providers.

Grids: **NONE**

Patterns: Provider Roster – Single Select
                   Provider Detail
                   Event Admission and Discharge dates – single event, not collected in a roster.

Database segments:

EVNT   Institutional admission and discharge dates are stored on EVNT.

HRND   Stores probe for current round Institutional stays.

HHS – HOME HEALTH UTILIZATION SUMMARY

Section Overview:

HHS reviews the previous round data to determine if the SP received home health care in the previous round. HHS organizes the previous round home health visits into 2 categories:

1) Home Health professionals – EVNT.EVNTTYPE=HP
2) Home Health friends or relatives – EVNT.EVNTTYPE=HF

HHS has 2 loops. The first loop probes for Home Health Professionals from the previous round. The second loop probes for Home Health friends/relatives from the previous round.

If the SP reports that the Home Health provider is still providing home health care in the current round, HHS is routed to HH to collect current round HH details.

Rosters: NONE

Grids: NONE

Patterns: NONE

Database segments:

PROV   In HHS, there is already a PROV for any Providers linked to Home Health events from the previous round. There may be updates made to these Providers in the current round. A Home Health provider can be a person or the name of an organization.

EVNT   In HHS, there is already an EVNT for any Home Health event from the previous round. Although most Home Health event details are stored on HERO, there may be updates to the Event provider questions that are stored on EVNT.

HERO   A current round HERO is generated automatically for each Home Health event from the previous round.

Just the existence of the HERO does not indicate that the provider actually visited the SP during that round. In Home Health Summary, we ask the SP if any Home Health providers from the previous round are still visiting the SP during the current round. The response to that probe is stored on the current round HERO. If the response=NO, DK, RF, or HH EVENT ENTERED IN ERROR, we do not collect event details. Therefore, this would not be a current round Home Health visit although there would be a current round HERO.

HHQ – HOME HEALTH UTILIZATION AND EVENTS

Section Overview:

HH collects data regarding all Home Health Care visits the SP had during the current round. HH probes for Home Health visits by provider. There are two major probes for Home Health providers. HH1 probes for professional Home Health providers. HH18 probes for other persons who provided Home Health care, most likely a friend or relative. These two probes make up the 2 major loops in HH that share most of the provider/event detail questions.

When probing for the Home Health provider, the SP will sometimes report a person who came to see them from a Home Health Organization. Although we initially collect that person as a Provider, we also probe whether or not that person works for an organization. If the response is Yes, we present another Provider roster where we collect the Organization name. In this scenario, the name of the first Provider selected will be copied to the Provider record for the Organization and we will proceed to reference the Home Health Provider by the name of the Organization.

Unlike most other utilization sections, we do not collect event dates for Home Health visits. Instead, we collect number of visits. Because we are not collect event dates, the Home Health EVNT record is generated at the time when the Provider name is determined.

Once the Provider has been identified and the EVNT level records have been generated, HH collects Provider details, followed by event details. In some cases, the Provider details have been captured in an earlier round. In this scenario, we will display the most recent response and allow the response to be updated in the current round. [NOTE: This type of data update will need to be logged either in TRNS or during data transformation.]

Rosters: Provider Roster   Collects providers.

Grids: **NONE**

Patterns: Provider Roster – Single Select
                         Provider Detail
                         Event Detail – not collected in a roster.

Database segments:

PROV   Home Health providers are stored on PROV. A Home Health provider can be a person or the name of an organization.

EVNT   Home Health visits during the current round are stored on EVNT. Since the SP's often have repeating Home Health events from the same provider for more than one round, we first look for an existing Home Health EVNT linked to the Provider selected. If it exists, we generate a round specific HERO record for this existing EVNT and we store the Home Health event details on this HERO. If an existing Home Health event does not exist for this Provider, a new EVNT, HEAL and HERO is generated.

HERO   Each round the SP is asked about a Home Health provider, a round specific HERO is generated.
Just the existence of the HERO does not indicate that the provider actually visited the SP during that round.
In Home Health Summary, we ask the SP if any Home Health providers from the previous round are still visiting the SP during the current round. The response to that probe is stored on the current round HERO. If the response=NO, DK, RF, we do not collect event details. Therefore, this would not be a current round Home Health visit although there would be a current round HERO.

HRND   Stores probe for current round Home Health visits.

MPQ – MEDICAL PROVIDER UTILIZATION AND EVENTS

Section Overview:

MP collects data regarding all Medical Provider visits the SP had during the current round. MP probes for Medical Provider visits by provider. MP first prompts for the provider, then prompts for all visits to this provider in the current round. MP loops through event detail questions for each visit added.

MP has 6 probes for different types of Medical providers:
Medical Doctor
Health Practitioner
Mental Health Practitioner
Therapist
Other Medical Person
Other Medical Place

Each probe initiates another instance of the main Provider loop. Each loop ends in another probe for additional visits to this or any other provider of the same Provider type.

If the MP visit entered at MP6 is with a Medical Doctor and the visit was during a hospital stay, the MP event is changed to a Separately Billing Doctor event and no event details are collected.

Rosters:	Provider Roster	Collects providers.
	Event Roster Begin Date RV	Collects all Medical Provider visit dates per Provider in the current round. Collects 1 date per visit, stored in the Event Begin Month, Day and Year. Events can be entered as a Repeat Visit.
	Condition Roster	Collects names of condition(s) as reasons why SP went to Medical Provider.
	Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects names of prescription medicines prescribed for SP at Medical Provider visit.

Grids: **NONE**

Patterns: Provider Roster – Single Select
        Provider Detail
        Event Pre-Roster Detail *** collected prior to Event roster. Apply to all events selected at roster.
        Nested Event Roster Begin Date RV – Multi-Select
            Event Detail - Operations
            Event Detail - Nested Condition Roster – Mulit-Select
              Link all conditions to MP event.
            Event Detail - Nested Prescription Medicine Roster - Multi-Select
              Link all PM events to MP event.

Database segments:

PROV   Home Health providers are stored on PROV. A Home Health provider can be a person or the name of an organization.

EVNT   The Event Roster Begin Date RV collects all Medical Provider visits the SP had during the current round, allowing events to be entered as a Repeat Visit. When a Medical Provider visit is added to the roster, a new EVNT is generated and details about the event are collected and stored on EVNT.

The Prescription Medicine roster collects all medicines the SP was prescribed during the current round. When a prescription medicine is added to the Prescription Medicine roster, a new EVNT is generated and the name of the medicine is stored on EVNT. Medicines are only stored once on EVNT. Each round a prescription medicine is filled by the SP, a new PMRO record is generated to collect the round specific data. See PMRO details below.

PMRO   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

XMED   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an MP visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the MP visit.

COND   The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were the reason why SP went to the Medical Provider. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the MP event

XCON   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled at an MP visit in the current round, the EVNT for the prescription medicine that was prescribed is linked to the EVNT for the MP visit.

SURG   MP probes for any Operations performed while the SP was visiting the Medical Provider. MP collects at least one and up to three Operations. The Operations are initially collected into temporary fields, SURGERY1, SURGERY2, SURGERY3. The names of the Operations are stored on separate records on the SURG segment and each SURG record is linked to the MP event.

HRND   Stores probe for current round Medical Provider visits.

PMS – PRESCRIPTION MEDICINE SUMMARY

Section Overview:

PMS allows the respondent to update PM data that was collected in the previous round. All event details collected in PMS are stored/updated on previous round PMRO records. PM details are only collected for medicines where the number of purchases is > 0 or DK, RF.

Rosters:	Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects Prescription Medicine names
	Condition Roster	Collects Conditions linked to Prescription Medicine

Grids:	Number of Purchases	Collects number of purchases for Prescription Medicines

Patterns: PMSINTRB   Loop 1
Update Screen
Displays PMs from previous round.
Allows interviewer to Add, Edit, or Delete PMs from the previous round.

PMS2 Roster –
Loop 2
Allows PMs to be added
PMS6A Grid
Collect number of purchases for all PMs entered for previous round.
Generate list of PMs just displayed at GRID that has number of purchases > 0, DK or RF.
Collect PM event details for only these PMs.
Loop 3
PM through V.A.?
Repeat for each PM.

Loop 4
PM through HMO?
Repeat for each PM.

Loop 5
PM Form
PM Strength
PM Amount
Repeat for each PM, then return to PMSINTRB

PMS3 Roster –
Loop 6
Allow PM names to be edited
Returns to PMSINTRB

PMS4 Roster –
Loop 7
PMs selected are flagged to be deleted
Returns to PMSINTRB

Database segments:

EVNT   Prescription Medicine names are stored on EVNT. Since the SP often has ongoing purchases of the same PM, we collect round specific purchase details on a current round PMRO record linked to this EVNT.

PMRO   When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

COND   The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were associated with the purchase of the prescription medicine. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the PM event on XCON.

XCON   This condition is linked to the prescription medicine on XCON.

PMQ – PRESCRIPTION MEDICINE UTILIZATION

Section Overview:

PM collects data regarding Medicines that were prescribed to the SP during the current round. PM details are only collected for medicines where the number of purchases is > 0 or DK, RF. PMs can be reported throughout the utilization sections as well as in PM. A list of all PMs reported in the interview will be compiled in PM and the PM details will be asked for each medicine in list.

Rosters:

Prescription Medicine Roster	Collects Prescription Medicine names
Condition Roster	Collects Conditions linked to Prescription Medicine

Grids:

Number of Purchases	Collects number of purchases for Prescription Medicines

Patterns:

Probe
PM2 Roster
Probe
PM4 Roster
Probe
PM6 Roster – Beginning of Loop 1
Grid   Collect number of purchases for all PMs entered for current round where number of purchases has not been asked. The first time through PM, this will include PMs selected in utilization sections + PM2, PM4 and PM6 roster. The second time through Loop 1, this will include additional PMs selected at PM6.

Generate list of PMs just displayed at GRID that has number of purchases > 0, DK or RF.
Collect PM event details for only these PMs.
> Loop 2
>> PM through V.A.?
>> Repeat for each PM.
> Loop 3
>> PM through HMO?
>> Repeat for each PM.
> Loop 4
>> PM Form
>> PM Strength
>> PM Amount
>> Repeat for each PM.

More PMs? Repeat Loop 1 to collect additional PM names/details.

Database segments:

EVNT Prescription Medicine names are stored on EVNT. Since the SP often has ongoing purchases of the same PM, we collect round specific purchase details on a current round PMRO record linked to this EVNT.

PMRO When the SP has had a prescription medicine filled during the current round, a current round PMRO is generated for the PM event and round specific data are stored on a current round PMRO. The PMRO is linked to the PM EVNT.

COND The Condition Roster collects the names of the conditions that were associated with the purchase of the prescription medicine. When a new condition is added, a new COND is generated and the name of the condition is stored on COND. Each COND is linked to the PM event on XCON.

XCON This condition is linked to the prescription medicine on XCON.

HRND Stores probe for current round Prescription Medicine purchase(s).

IAQ – INCOME AND ASSETS SUPPLEMENT

Section Overview: IA collects data about the SP's income, assets and total debt. When collecting data about the SP's income and assets includes the SP's spouse if the SP is married and the Spouse is living in the household in the current round. Therefore question text is unique if the respondent is the SP's Spouse. The question text will display "you" when interviewing spouse instead of the SP's name, which is the more common display for a Proxy interview.

Because IA cannot use the standard global display fills such as "[you/(SP)]", IA GLOBAL Display Fills have been sp below. These Display Fills apply only to the IA section.

Rosters: **NONE**

Grids: **NONE**

Patterns:

Database segments:

    INCO   Stores IA data.