



## Major Life Events SAQ

<b>Event Category:</b>	Time-Based
<b>Event:</b>	36M, 60M
<b>Administration:</b>	N/A
<b>Instrument Target:</b>	Primary Caregiver
<b>Instrument Respondent:</b>	Primary Caregiver
<b>Domain:</b>	Neuro-Psychosocial
<b>Document Category:</b>	Scored Assessment
<b>Method:</b>	Self-Administered
<b>Mode (for this instrument*):</b>	In-Person, PAPI
<b>OMB Approved Modes:</b>	In-Person, PAPI; Phone, PAPI; Web, CAI
<b>Estimated Administration Time:</b>	8 minutes
<b>Multiple Child/Sibling Consideration:</b>	Per Event
<b>Special Considerations:</b>	When primary caregiver is female
<b>Version:</b>	1.0
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\*This instrument is OMB-approved for multi-mode administration but this version of the instrument is designed for administration in this/these mode(s) only.

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### GENERAL PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

WHEN PROGRAMMING INSTRUMENTS, VALIDATE FIELD LENGTHS AND TYPES AGAINST THE MDES TO ENSURE DATA COLLECTION RESPONSES DO NOT EXCEED THOSE OF THE MDES. SOME GENERAL ITEM LIMITS USED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

DATA ELEMENT FIELDS	MAXIMUM CHARACTERS PERMITTED	DATA TYPE	PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS
ADDRESS AND EMAIL FIELDS	100	CHARACTER	
UNIT AND PHONE FIELDS	10	CHARACTER	
_OTH AND COMMENT FIELDS	255	CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limit text to 255 characters</li> </ul>
FIRST NAME AND LAST NAME	30	CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limit text to 30 characters</li> </ul>
ALL ID FIELDS	36	CHARACTER	
ZIP CODE	5	NUMERIC	
ZIP CODE LAST FOUR	4	NUMERIC	
CITY	50	CHARACTER	
DOB AND ALL OTHER DATE FIELDS (E.G., DT, DATE, ETC.)	10	NUMERIC CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DISPLAY AS MM/DD/YYYY</li> <li>• STORE AS YYYY-MM-DD</li> <li>• HARD EDITS: MM MUST EQUAL 01 TO 12 DD MUST EQUAL 01 TO 31 YYYY MUST BE BETWEEN 1900 AND CURRENT YEAR.</li> </ul>
TIME VARIABLES	TWO-DIGIT HOUR AND TWO-DIGIT MINUTE, AM/PM DESIGNATION	NUMERIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HARD EDITS: HOURS MUST BE BETWEEN 00 AND 12; MINUTES MUST BE BETWEEN 00 AND 59</li> </ul>

### **Instrument Guidelines for Participant and Respondent IDs:**

PRENATALLY, THE **P\_ID** IN THE MDES HEADER IS THAT OF THE PARTICIPANT (E.G. THE NON-PREGNANT WOMAN, PREGNANT WOMAN, OR THE FATHER).

POSTNATALLY, A RESPONDENT ID WILL BE USED IN ADDITION TO THE PARTICIPANT ID BECAUSE SOMEBODY OTHER THAN THE PARTICIPANT MAY BE COMPLETING THE INTERVIEW. FOR EXAMPLE, THE PARTICIPANT MAY BE THE CHILD AND THE RESPONDENT MAY BE THE MOTHER, FATHER, OR ANOTHER CAREGIVER.

THEREFORE, MDES VERSION 2.2 AND ALL FUTURE VERSIONS CONTAIN A **R\_P\_ID** (RESPONDENT PARTICIPANT ID) HEADER FIELD FOR EACH POST-BIRTH INSTRUMENT. THIS WILL ALLOW ROCs TO INDICATE WHETHER THE RESPONDENT IS SOMEBODY OTHER THAN THE PARTICIPANT ABOUT WHOM THE QUESTIONS ARE BEING ASKED.

**A REMINDER:**

ALL RESPONDENTS MUST BE CONSENTED AND HAVE RECORDS IN THE PERSON, PARTICIPANT, PARTICIPANT\_CONSENT AND LINK\_PERSON\_PARTICIPANT TABLES, WHICH CAN BE PRELOADED INTO EACH INSTRUMENT. ADDITIONALLY, IN POST-BIRTH QUESTIONNAIRES WHERE THERE IS THE ABILITY TO LOOP THROUGH A SET OF QUESTIONS FOR MULTIPLE CHILDREN, IT IS IMPORTANT TO CAPTURE AND STORE THE CORRECT CHILD **P\_ID** ALONG WITH THE LOOP INFORMATION. IN THE MDES VARIABLE LABEL/DEFINITION COLUMN, THIS IS INDICATED AS FOLLOWS: **EXTERNAL IDENTIFIER: PARTICIPANT ID FOR CHILD DETAIL.**

## MAJOR LIFE EVENTS QUESTIONNAIRE

**MLE00100.** Within the past year, have you...

### PARTICIPANT INSTRUCTIONS

- Listed in the following survey, there are some life experiences that might have occurred during the past year.
- Please mark "Yes" for those life experiences you have had in the last year and mark "No" for those life experiences you have not had in the last year.
- If you answer "Yes" to any of the life experiences, mark one of the boxes to show the level of impact.
- For example, mark the box for "Extremely Negative" if it had an extremely negative impact. Mark the box for "No Impact" if you felt there was no impact. Mark the box for "Extremely Positive" if you felt it had an extremely positive impact.

### SOURCE

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE01000/(GOTTEN\_MARRIED).** Gotten married?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	IN_JAIL

### SOURCE

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE02000/(GOTTEN\_MARRIED\_IMPACT).** Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

### SOURCE

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE03000/(IN\_JAIL).** Been in jail or similar institution?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	

Label	Code	Go To
No	2	PARTNER_DIE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE04000/(IN\_JAIL\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE05000/(PARTNER\_DIE). Had your spouse or partner die?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	SLEEP_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE06000/(PARTNER\_DIE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE07000/(SLEEP\_CHANGE). Had a major change in sleeping habits (much more sleep or much less sleep)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	DEATH_FAMILY



**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE08000/(SLEEP\_CHANGE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE09000/(DEATH\_FAMILY). Experienced the death of a close family member (your child, father, mother, sister, brother, grandparent or other)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	EAT_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE10000/(DEATH\_FAMILY\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE11000/(EAT\_CHANGE). Had a major change in your eating habits (ate much more or less food)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	EXPER_FORCLOSURE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE12000/(EAT\_CHANGE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE13000/(EXPER\_FORCLOSURE). Experienced a foreclosure on a mortgage or a loan?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	DEATH_FRIEND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE14000/(EXPER\_FORCLOSURE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE15000/(DEATH\_FRIEND). Experienced the death of a close friend?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	PERSONAL_ACHIEVE

**SOURCE**

MLE16000/(DEATH\_FRIEND\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE17000/(PERSONAL\_ACHIEVE). Had an outstanding personal achievement?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	MINOR_VIOLATION

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE18000/(PERSONAL\_ACHIEVE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE19000/(MINOR\_VIOLATION). Had a minor law violation (such as a traffic ticket or disturbing the peace)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	WORK_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE20000/(MINOR\_VIOLATION\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE21000/(WORK\_CHANGE). Changed your work situation (such as a different work responsibility, a major change in working conditions or working hours)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	NEW_JOB

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE22000/(WORK\_CHANGE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE23000/(NEW\_JOB). Started a new job?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	FAMILY_ILLNESS

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE24000/(NEW\_JOB\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE25000/(FAMILY\_ILLNESS)**. Had one of your close family members have a serious injury (your spouse/partner, child, father, mother, sister, brother, grandparent or other)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	SEXUAL_DIFF

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE26000/(FAMILY\_ILLNESS\_IMPACT)**. Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE27000/(SEXUAL\_DIFF)**. Had sexual difficulties?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	BOSS_TROUBLE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE28000/(SEXUAL\_DIFF\_IMPACT)**. Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE29000/(BOSS\_TROUBLE). Had trouble with your boss (such as you were in danger of losing your job, being suspended or demoted)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	TROUBLE_INLAWS

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE30000/(BOSS\_TROUBLE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE31000/(TROUBLE\_INLAWS). Had trouble with your in-laws?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	FINANCIAL_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE32000/(TROUBLE\_INLAWS\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE33000/(FINANCIAL\_CHANGE). Had a major change in your financial status (a lot better off or a lot worse off)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	CHANGE_FAMILY_CLOSE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE34000/(FINANCIAL\_CHANGE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE35000/(CHANGE\_FAMILY\_CLOSE). Had a major change in closeness of family members (increased or decreased closeness)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	NEW_FAMILY_MEMBER

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE36000/(CHANGE\_FAMILY\_CLOSE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE37000/(NEW\_FAMILY\_MEMBER).** Gained a new family member (through adoption or a family member moving in, not including your pregnancy)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	NEW_PLACE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE38000/(NEW\_FAMILY\_MEMBER\_IMPACT).** Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE39000/(NEW\_PLACE).** Moved to a new place?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	SEPARATION_HUSBAND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE40000/(NEW\_PLACE\_IMPACT).** Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?



Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE41000/(SEPARATION\_HUSBAND).** Had a separation from your spouse or partner because you were not getting along?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	CHURCH_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE42000/(SEPARATION\_HUSBAND\_IMPACT).** Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE43000/(CHURCH\_CHANGE).** Had a major change in church activities (increased or decreased)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	REUNITE_HUSBAND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

**MLE44000/(CHURCH\_CHANGE\_IMPACT).** Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE45000/(REUNITE\_HUSBAND). Gotten back together with your spouse or partner after a separation?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	ARGUMENTS_HUSBAND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE46000/(REUNITE\_HUSBAND\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE47000/(ARGUMENTS\_HUSBAND). Had a major change in number of arguments you have with your spouse or partner (a lot more or a lot fewer arguments)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	JOB_CHANGE_HUSBAND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE48000/(ARGUMENTS\_HUSBAND\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE49000/(JOB\_CHANGE\_HUSBAND). Had a change in your spouse's or partner's work (he lost a job or started a new job)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	RECREATION_CHANGE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE50000/(JOB\_CHANGE\_HUSBAND\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE51000/(RECREATION\_CHANGE). Had a major change in usual type and/or amount of recreation?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	BORROWED_MORE_15000

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE52000/(RECREATION\_CHANGE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE53000/(BORROWED\_MORE\_15000). Borrowed more than \$15,000 (such as buying a home or business)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	BORROWED_LESS_15000

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE54000/(BORROWED\_MORE\_15000\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE55000/(BORROWED\_LESS\_15000). Borrowed less than \$15,000 (such as buying a car or getting a school loan)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	FIRED_JOB

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE56000/(BORROWED\_LESS\_15000\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE57000/(FIRED\_JOB). Been fired from a job?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	MAJOR_ILLNESS

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE58000/(FIRED\_JOB\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE59000/(MAJOR\_ILLNESS). Had a major personal illness or injury?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	CHANGE_SOCIAL_ACTIVIT Y

**SOURCE**

MLE60000/(MAJOR\_ILLNESS\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE61000/(CHANGE\_SOCIAL\_ACTIVITY). Had a major change in social activities such as parties, movies, visiting (either increased or decreased)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	CHANGE_LIVING_COND

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE62000/(CHANGE\_SOCIAL\_ACTIVITY\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE63000/(CHANGE\_LIVING\_COND). Had a major change in living conditions of your family (built a new home, remodeled, had your home or neighborhood decline)?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	DIVORCE

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE64000/(CHANGE\_LIVING\_COND\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE65000/(DIVORCE). Gotten a divorce?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	FRIEND_ILLNESS

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE66000/(DIVORCE\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE67000/(FRIEND\_ILLNESS). Had a close friend with a serious injury or illness?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	CHILD_LEAVE_HOME

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE68000/(FRIEND\_ILLNESS\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE69000/(CHILD\_LEAVE\_HOME). Had a son or daughter leave home because of a marriage or school?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	DROP_GRAD_SCHOOL

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE70000/(CHILD\_LEAVE\_HOME\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE71000/(DROP\_GRAD\_SCHOOL). Dropped out or graduated from school?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	SEPAR_HUSB_WORK

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE72000/(DROP\_GRAD\_SCHOOL\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?



Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE73000/(SEPAR\_HUSB\_WORK). Had a separation from your spouse or partner because of work, travel, or family needs?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	ENGAGED

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE74000/(SEPAR\_HUSB\_WORK\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

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MLE75000/(ENGAGED). Gotten engaged to be married?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	LEFT_HOME

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE76000/(ENGAGED\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE77000/(LEFT\_HOME). Left home for the first time?

Label	Code	Go To
Yes	1	
No	2	MLE79000

**SOURCE**

Legacy Life Experiences Survey, Sarason Major Life Experiences

MLE78000/(LEFT\_HOME\_IMPACT). Negative/Bad or Positive/Good Impact on your life?

Label	Code	Go To
Extremely Negative	1	
Moderately Negative	2	
Somewhat Negative	3	
No Impact	4	
Somewhat Positive	5	
Moderately Positive	6	
Extremely Positive	7	

**SOURCE**

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MLE79000. Thank you for participating in the National Children's Study and for taking the time to complete this survey.

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