Attachment 2: Telephone Introduction Script

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Introduction and verification of respondent's name.

Explain why calling

We are asking for your help as we construct a health survey on behalf of the National Center for Health Statistics, part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

Phone call takes on average 20 minutes to complete.

Share confidentiality, informed consent, and voluntary participation information

All information which would permit identification of an individual, a practice, or an establishment will be held confidential, and will be used for statistical purposes only by NCHS staff and agents and will not be disclosed or released to other persons without your consent. If you have any questions about your rights as a participant in this research study, call NCHS' Confidentiality Officer at (888) 642-1459.

Participation is voluntary, but will assist greatly in helping further our nation's understanding of health and how we ask the public about public health issues.

Begin interview: [See questionnaire in Attachment 1]

Thank you and closure [According to NORC at the University of Chicago's internal processes].