Attachment 3: BRFSS Core Questionnaire Sections by Topic and Year of Administration

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Annual Core Questions

Core Section 1: Health Status

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CHS.01	Would you say that in general your health is —	GENHLTH	Read: 1 Excellent 2 Very Good 3 Good 4 Fair 5 Poor Do not read: 7 Don't know/Not sure 9 Refused			

Core Section 2: Healthy Days

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CHD.01	Now thinking about your physical health, which includes physical illness and injury, for how many days during the past 30 days was your physical health not good?	PHYSHLTH	Number of days (01- 30) 88 None 77 Don't know/not sure 99 Refused		88 may be coded if respondent says "never" or "none" It is not necessary to ask respondents to provide a number if they indicate that this never occurs.	
CHD.02	Now thinking about your mental health, which includes stress, depression, and problems with emotions, for how many days during the past 30 days was your mental health not good?	MENTHLTH	Number of days (01- 30) 88 None 77 Don't know/not sure 99 Refused		88 may be coded if respondent says "never" or "none" It is not necessary to ask respondents to provide a number if they indicate that this never occurs.	
				Skip CHD.03 if CHD.01, PHYSHLTH, is 88 and CHD.02, MENTHLTH, is 88		
CHD.03	During the past 30 days, for about how many days did poor physical or mental health keep	POORHLTH	Number of days (01- 30) 88 None 77 Don't know/not sure		88 may be coded if respondent says "never" or "none" It is not necessary to ask respondents to provide a number	

you from doing	99 Refused	if they indicate	
your usual		that this never	
activities, such		occurs.	
as self-care,			
work, or			
recreation?			

Core Section 3: Health Care Access

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CHCA.01	What is the current primary source of your health insurance?	***NEW***	Read if necessary: 01 A plan purchased through an employer or union (including plans purchased through another person's employer) 02 A private nongovernmental plan that you or another family member buys on your own 03 Medicare 04 Medigap 05 Medicaid 06 Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) 07 Military related health care: TRICARE (CHAMPUS) / VA health care / CHAMP- VA 08 Indian Health Service 09 State sponsored health plan 10 Other government program 88 No coverage of any type		If respondent has multiple sources of insurance, ask for the one used most often. If respondents give the name of a health plan rather than the type of coverage ask whether this is insurance purchased independently, through their employer, or whether it is through Medicaid or CHIP.	

			Know/Not Sure 99 Refused		
CHCA.02	Do you have one person or a group of doctors that you think of as your personal health care provider?	***NEW***	1 Yes, only one 2 More than one 3 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	If no, read: Is there more than one, or is there no person who you think of as your personal doctor or health care provider?	
CHCA.03	Was there a time in the past 12 months when you needed to see a doctor but could not because you could not afford it?	***NEW***	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		
CHCA.04	About how long has it been since you last visited a doctor for a routine checkup?	CHECKUP1	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 5 years (2 years but less than 5 years ago) 4 5 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 8 Never 9 Refused	Read if necessary: A routine checkup is a general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness, or condition.	

Core Section 4: Exercise

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CEX.01	During the past month, other than your regular job, did you participate in any physical activities or exercises such as running, calisthenics, golf, gardening, or walking for exercise?	EXERANY2	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Do not read: If respondent does not have a regular job or is retired, they may count any physical activity or exercise they do	

Core Section 7: Chronic Health Conditions

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
Prologue	Has a doctor, nurse, or other health professional ever told you that you had any of the following? For each, tell me Yes, No, Or You're Not Sure.					
CCHC.01	Ever told you that you had a heart attack also called a myocardial infarction?	CVDINFR4	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.02	(Ever told) (you had) angina or coronary heart disease?	CVDCRHD4	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.03	(Ever told) (you had) a stroke?	CVDSTRK3	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.04	(Ever told) (you had) asthma?	ASTHMA3	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CCHC.06		
CCHC.05	Do you still have asthma?	ASTHNOW	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			

CCHC.06	(Ever told) (you had) skin	CHCSCNCR	1 Yes 2 No			
	cancer?		7 Don't know			
			/ Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.07	(Ever told) (you had) any other types of cancer?	CHCOCNCR	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.08	(Ever told) (you had) C.O.P.D. (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease), emphysema or chronic bronchitis?	CHCCOPD3	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.09	(Ever told) (you had) a depressive disorder (including depression, major depression, dysthymia, or minor depression)?	ADDEPEV3	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CCHC.10	Not including kidney stones, bladder infection or incontinence, were you ever told you had kidney disease?	CHCKDNY2	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Read if necessary: Incontinence is not being able to control urine flow.	
CCHC.11	(Ever told) (you had) diabetes?	DIABETE4	1 Yes 2 Yes, but	Go to Pre-	If yes and respondent is female, ask: was this only when you were pregnant? If respondent says pre-diabetes or borderline diabetes, use response code 4.	

			female told only during pregnancy 3 No 4 No, pre- diabetes or borderline diabetes 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Diabetes Optional Module (if used). Otherwise, go to next section.	
CCHC.12	How old were you when you were told you had diabetes?	DIABAGE3	Code age in years [97 = 97 and older] 98 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused	Go to Diabetes Module if used, otherwise go to next section.	
CCHC.13	Has a doctor, nurse or other health professional ever told you that you had some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus, or fibromyalgia?	HAVARTH5	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		

Core Section 8: Demographics

CDEM.0 1 What is your age? CDEM.0 2 Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin? CDEM.0 3 Which one or more of the following would you say is your race? CDEM.0 3 Which one of the following would you say is your race? CDEM.0 3 Cuban 4 Another Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin Do not read: 5 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused 10 White 20 Black or African American Indian or Alaska Native 40 Asian 42 Chinese 43 Filipino 44 Iapanese 45 Korean 46 Vietnamese 47 Other Asian 50 Pacific Islander 51 Native Hawaiian 52 Guamanian or Chamorro 53 Samoan 54 Other Pacific Islander Do not read: 60 Other 88 No additional choices 77 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Number OTHERWISE NOTED)	(s) s)
2 Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin? American, Chicano/a 2 Puerto Rican 3 Cuban 4 Another Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin Do not read: 5 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused CDEM.0 Which one or more of the following would you say is your race? Alaska Native 40 Asian 42 Chinese 43 Filipino 44 Japanese 45 Korean 46 Vietnamese 47 Other Asian 50 Pacific Islander 50 Pacific Islander 51 Native Hawaiian 52 Guamanian or Chamorro 53 Samoan 54 Other Pacific Islander Do not read: 60 Other 88 No additional choices 77 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused If 40 (Asian) or 50 (Pacific lashader and code underneath major heading, One or more categories may be selected.	1 your age? 07 Don't know / Not sure	
or more of the following would you say is your race? American Jaska Native read and code subcategori es 43 Filipino underneath major heading. 40 Veteramese 45 Korean 46 Vietnamese 47 Other Asian 50 Pacific Islander Hawaiian 52 Guamanian or Chamorro 53 Samoan 54 Other Pacific Islander Do not read: 60 Other 88 No additional choices 77 Don't know / Not sure	Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin? Hispanic, Latino/a, or Spanish origin Do not read: 5 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	ories pe red.
If more than	3 or more of the following would you say is your race? 40 Asian Indian race? 41 Asian Indian subcat 42 Chinese es 43 Filipino 44 Japanese 45 Korean 46 Vietnamese 47 Other Asian 50 Pacific Islander 51 Native Hawaiian 52 Guamanian or Chamorro 53 Samoan 54 Other Pacific Islander Do not read: 60 Other 88 No additional choices 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused	ic ler) is red and tegori rneath or more ories pe

CDEM.0 4	Which one of these groups would you say best represents your race?	ORACE3	Please read: 10 White 20 Black or African American 30 American Indian or Alaska Native 40 Asian 41 Asian Indian 42 Chinese 43 Filipino 44 Japanese 45 Korean 46 Vietnamese 47 Other Asian 50 Pacific Islander 51 Native Hawaiian 52 Guamanian or Chamorro 53 Samoan 54 Other Pacific Islander Do not read: 60 Other 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused	one response to CDEM.03; continue. Otherwise, go to CDEM.05	If 40 (Asian) or 50 (Pacific Islander) is selected read and code subcategori es underneath major heading. If respondent has selected multiple races in previous and refuses to select a single race, code refused	
				If using Sex at Birth Module, insert here If using SOGI module, insert here.		
CDEM.0	Are you	MARITAL	Please read: 1 Married 2 Divorced 3 Widowed 4 Separated 5 Never married Or 6 A member of an unmarried couple Do not read: 9 Refused			
CDEM.0	What is	EDUCA	Read if necessary:			

6	the highest grade or year of school you completed ?		1 Never attended school or only attended kindergarten 2 Grades 1 through 8 (Elementary) 3 Grades 9 through 11 (Some high school) 4 Grade 12 or GED (High school graduate) 5 College 1 year to 3 years (Some college or technical school) 6 College 4 years or more (College graduate) Do not read: 9 Refused		
CDEM.0 7	Do you own or rent your home?	RENTHOM 1	1 Own 2 Rent 3 Other arrangement 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Other arrangemen t may include group home, staying with friends or family without paying rent. Home is defined as the place where you live most of the time/the majority of the year. Read if necessary: We ask this question in order to compare health indicators among people with different housing situations.	
CDEM.0	In what county do	CTYCODE2	ANSI County Code 777 Don't know / Not		

	you currently live?		sure 999 Refused 888 County from another state			
CDEM.0 9	What is the ZIP Code where you currently live?	ZIPCODE1	 77777 Do not know 99999 Refused			
				If cell interview go to CDEM12		
CDEM.1	Not including	NUMHHOL 3	1 Yes			
0	cell phones or numbers used for computers , fax machines or security systems, do you have more than one telephone number in your household ?		2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CDEM.12		
CDEM.1 1	How many of these telephone numbers are residential numbers?	NUMPHON 3	Enter number (1-5) 6 Six or more 7 Don't know / Not sure 8 None 9 Refused			
CDEM.1 2	How many cell phones do you have for personal use?	CPDEMO1 B	Enter number (1-5) 6 Six or more 7 Don't know / Not sure 8 None 9 Refused	Last question needed for partial complete.	Read if necessary: Include cell phones used for both business and personal use.	
CDEM.1	Have you ever	VETERAN3	1 Yes 2 No		Read if necessary:	

	served on active duty in the United States Armed Forces, either in the regular military or in a National Guard or military reserve unit?		7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Active duty does not include training for the Reserves or National Guard, but DOES include activation, for example, for the Persian Gulf War.	
CDEM.1	Are you currently?	EMPLOY1	Read: 1 Employed for wages 2 Self-employed 3 Out of work for 1 year or more 4 Out of work for less than 1 year 5 A Homemaker 6 A Student 7 Retired Or 8 Unable to work Do not read: 9 Refused		If more than one, say "select the category which best describes you".	
CDEM.1 5	How many children less than 18 years of age live in your household?	CHILDREN	Number of children 88 None 99 Refused			
CDEM.1	Is your annual household income from all sources—	***NEW** *	Read if necessary: 01 Less than \$10,000? 02 Less than \$15,000? (\$10,000 to less than \$15,000) 03 Less than \$20,000? (\$15,000 to less than \$20,000) 04 Less than \$25,000 05 Less than \$35,000 If (\$25,000 to less than	SEE CATI information of order of coding; Start with category 05 and move up or down categories.	If respondent refuses at ANY income level, code '99' (Refused)	1.6

			\$35,000) 06 Less than \$50,000 If (\$35,000 to less than \$50,000) 07 Less than \$75,000? (\$50,000 to less than \$75,000) 08 Less than \$100,000? (\$75,000 to less than \$100,000) 09 Less than \$150,000? (\$100,000 to less than \$150,000)? 10 Less than \$200,000? (\$150,000 to less than \$200,000) 11 \$200,000 or more Do not read: 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused	Skip if Male		
				(MSAB.01, BIRTHSEX, is coded 1). If MSAB.01=missi ng and (CP05=1 or LL12=1; or LL09 = 1 or LL07 =1). or YEARBORN < 1972 (Age >49)		
CDEM.1 7	To your knowledge , are you now pregnant?	PREGNANT	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDEM.1 8	About how much do you weigh without shoes?	WEIGHT2	Weight (pounds/kilograms) 7777 Don't know / Not sure 9999 Refused		If respondent answers in metrics, put 9 in first column. Round fractions up	
CDEM.1	About how tall are you without	HEIGHT3	/Height (ft / inches/meters/centimete rs) 77/77 Don't know / Not		If respondent answers in metrics, put	

shoes?	sure	9 in first
	99/ 99 Refused	column.
		Round
		fractions
		down

Core Section 10: Disability

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CDIS.01	Some people who are deaf or have serious difficulty hearing use assistive devices to communicate by phone. Are you deaf or do you have serious difficulty hearing?	DEAF	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDIS.02	Are you blind or do you have serious difficulty seeing, even when wearing glasses?	BLIND	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDIS.03	Because of a physical, mental, or emotional condition, do you have serious difficulty concentrating, remembering, or making decisions?	DECIDE	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDIS.04	Do you have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	DIFFWALK	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDIS.05	Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	DIFFDRES	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CDIS.06	Because of a physical, mental, or	DIFFALON	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know /			

emotional	Not sure		
condition, do	9 Refused		
you have			
difficulty doing			
errands alone			
such as visiting			
a doctor's office			
or shopping?			

Core Section 11: Tobacco Use

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CTOB.01	Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your entire life?	SMOKE100	1 Yes		Do not include: electronic cigarettes (e- cigarettes, njoy, bluetip, JUUL), herbal cigarettes, cigars, cigarillos, little cigars, pipes, bidis, kreteks, water pipes (hookahs) or marijuana. 5 packs = 100 cigarettes.	
			2 No 7 Don't know/Not Sure 9 Refused	Go to CTOB.03		
CTOB.02	Do you now smoke cigarettes every day, some days, or not at all?	SMOKDAY2	1 Every day 2 Some days 3 Not at all 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			
CTOB.03	Do you currently use chewing tobacco, snuff, or snus every day, some days, or not at all?	USENOW3	1 Every day 2 Some days 3 Not at all 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Read if necessary: Snus (Swedish for snuff) is a moist smokeless tobacco, usually sold in small pouches that are placed under the lip against the gum.	
CTOB.04	Do you now use e- cigarettes or other electronic vaping products every day, some	***NEW***	1 Every day 2 Some days 3 Not at all 4 Never used e-cigs 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Electronic cigarettes (e- cigarettes) and other electronic vaping products include electronic hookahs (e- hookahs), vape	

days or not at	pens, e-cigars, and
all?	others. These
	products are
	battery-powered
	and usually contain
	nicotine and flavors
	such as fruit, mint,
	or candy. Brands
	you may have
	heard of are JUUL,
	NJOY, or blu.
	Interviewer note:
	These questions
	concern electronic
	vaping products for
	nicotine use. The
	use of electronic
	vaping products for
	marijuana use is not
	included in these
	questions.

Core Section 12: Alcohol Consumption

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CALC.01	During the past 30 days, how many days per week or per month did you have at least one drink of any alcoholic beverage such as beer, wine, a malt beverage or liquor?	ALCDAY5	1 Days per week 2 Days in past 30 days 888 No drinks in past 30 days 777 Don't know / Not sure 999 Refused	Go to next section	Read if necessary: A 40-ounce beer would count as 3 drinks, or a cocktail drink with 2 shots would count as 2 drinks.	
CALC.02	One drink is equivalent to a 12-ounce beer, a 5-ounce glass of wine, or a drink with one shot of liquor. During the past 30 days, on the days when you drank, about how many drinks did you drink on the average?	AVEDRNK3	Number of drinks 88 None 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused		Read if necessary: A 40-ounce beer would count as 3 drinks, or a cocktail drink with 2 shots would count as 2 drinks.	
CALC.03	Considering all types of alcoholic beverages, how many times during the past 30 days did you have X [CATI X = 5 for men, X = 4 for women] or more drinks on an occasion?	DRNK3GE5	Number of times 77 Don't know / Not sure 88 no days 99 Refused	CATI X = 5 for men, X = 4 for women (states may use sex at birth to determine sex if module is adopted)		
CALC.04	During the past 30 days, what is the largest	MAXDRNKS	Number of drinks 77 Don't			

number of	know / Not	
drinks you had	sure	
on any	99 Refused	
occasion?		

Core Section 13: Immunization

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CIMM.01	During the past 12 months, have you had either a flu vaccine that was sprayed in your nose or a flu shot injected into your arm?	FLUSHOT7	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CIMM.04	Read if necessary: A new flu shot came out in 2011 that injects vaccine into the skin with a very small needle. It is called Fluzone Intradermal vaccine. This is also considered a flu shot.	
CIMM.02	During what month and year did you receive your most recent flu vaccine that was sprayed in your nose or flu shot injected into your arm?	FLSHTMY3	/ Month / Year 77 / 7777 Don't know / Not sure 09 / 9999 Refused			
CIMM.03	Have you ever had a pneumonia shot also known as a pneumococcal vaccine?	PNEUVAC4	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Read if necessary: There are two types of pneumonia shots: polysaccharide, also known as Pneumovax, and conjugate, also known as Prevnar.	

Core Section 14: H.I.V./AIDS

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CHIV.01	Including fluid testing from your mouth, but not including tests you may have had for blood donation, have you ever been tested for H.I.V?	HIVTST7	2 No 7 Don't know/ not sure 9 Refused	Go to Next section	Please remember that your answers are strictly confidential and that you don't have to answer every question if you do not want to. Although we will ask you about testing, we will not ask you about the results of any test you may have had.	
CHIV.02	Not including blood donations, in what month and year was your last H.I.V. test?	HIVTSTD3	Code month and year 77/ 7777 Don't know / Not sure 99/ 9999 Refused	If response is before January 1985, code "777777".	INTERVIEWER NOTE: If the respondent remembers the year but cannot remember the month, code the first two digits 77 and the last four digits for the year.	

Rotating Core Sections By Year

Rotating Core Section 1: Place of Flu Vaccination (2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				Ask if CIMM= 1 This question may be inserted in core after CIMM.02		
MFP.01	At what kind of place did you get your last flu shot or vaccine?	IMFVPLA1	Read if necessary: 01 A doctor's office or health maintenance organization (HMO) 02 A health department 03 Another type of clinic or health center (a community health center) 04 A senior, recreation, or community center 05 A store (supermarket, drug store) 06 A hospital (inpatient or outpatient) 07 An		Read if necessary: How would you describe the place where you went to get your most recent flu vaccine?	348-349

emergency room	
room	
08 Workplace	
09 Some other	
kind of place	
11 A school	
Do not read:	
10 Received	
vaccination in	
Canada/Mexico	
77 Don't know /	
Not sure	
99 Refused	

Rotating Core Section 2: Hypertension Awareness (2023)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
C05.01	Have you ever been told by a doctor, nurse, or other health professional that you have high blood pressure?		2 Yes, but female told only during pregnancy 3 No 4 Told borderline high or prehypertensive or elevated blood pressure 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to next section	If "Yes" and respondent is female, ask: "Was this only when you were pregnant?" By other health professional we mean nurse practitioner, a physician assistant, or some other licensed health professional.	
C05.02	Are you currently taking prescription medicine for your high blood pressure?	BPMEDS	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			

Rotating Core Section 3: Cholesterol Awareness (2023)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
C06.01	Cholesterol is a fatty substance found in the blood. About how long has it been since you last had your cholesterol checked?		2 Within the past year (anytime less than one year ago) 3 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 4 Within the past 3 years (2 years but less than 3 years ago) 5 Within the past 4 years (3 years but less than 4 years ago) 6 Within the past 5 years (4 years but less than 5 years ago) 8 5 or more years ago 7 Don't know/ Not sure	Go to next section.		

			9 Refused		
C06.02	Have you ever been told by a doctor, nurse or other health professional that your cholesterol is high?		1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	By other health professional we mean nurse practitioner, a physician assistant, or some other licensed health professional.	
C06.03	Are you currently taking medicine prescribed by your doctor or other health professional for your-cholesterol?	CHOLMED2	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Doctors might prescribe statin for those without high cholesterol but with high atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease risk	

Rotating Core Section 4: Inadequate Sleep (2022)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CIS.01	On average, how many hours of sleep do you get in a 24-hour period?	SLEPTIM1	Number of hours [01-24] 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused		Do not read: Enter hours of sleep in whole numbers, rounding 30 minutes (1/2 hour) or more up to the next whole hour and dropping 29 or fewer minutes.	113-114

Rotating Core Section 5: Oral Health (2022, 2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
COH.01	Including all types of dentists, such as orthodontists, oral surgeons, and all other dental specialists, as well as dental hygienists, how long has it been since you last visited a dentist or a dental clinic for any reason?	LASTDEN4	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 5 years (2 years but less than 5 years ago) 4 5 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 8 Never 9 Refused			129
COH.02	Not including teeth lost for injury or orthodontics, how many of your permanent teeth have been removed because of tooth decay or gum disease?	RMVTETH4	Read if necessary: 1 1 to 5 2 6 or more but not all 3 All 8 None Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Read if necessary: If wisdom teeth are removed because of tooth decay or gum disease, they should be included in the count for lost teeth.	130

Rotating Core Section 6: Falls (2023)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				Skip Section if AGE, coded 18- 44		
CFAL.01	In the past 12 months, how many times have you fallen?	FALL12MN	Number of times 88 None 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused	Go to Next Section	Read if necessary: By a fall, we mean when a person unintentionally comes to rest on the ground or another lower level.	226-227
CFAL.02	How many of these falls caused an injury that limited your regular activities for at least a day or caused you to go to see a doctor?	FALLINJ4	Number of falls [76 = 76 or more] 88 None 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused		Read if necessary: By an injury, we mean the fall caused you to limit your regular activities for at least a day or to go see a doctor.	228-229

Rotating Core Section 7: Seat Belt Use and Drinking and Driving (2023)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
CSBD.01	How often do you use seat belts when you drive or ride in a car? Would you say	SEATBELT	Read: 1 Always 2 Nearly always 3 Sometimes 4 Seldom 5 Never Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 8 Never drive or ride in a car 9 Refused	Go to next section		230
				If CALC.01 = 888 (No drinks in the past 30 days); go to next section.		
CSBD.02	During the past 30 days, how many times have you driven when you've had perhaps too much to drink?	DRNKDRI2	Number of times 88 None 77 Don't know / Not sure 99 Refused			231-232

Rotating Core Section 8: Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening (2022, 2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				Skip if Male (MSAB.01, BIRTHSEX, is coded 1). If MSAB.01=missing and (CP05=1 or LL12=1; or LL09 = 1 or LL07 =1).		
CBCC.01	The next questions are about breast and cervical cancer. Have you ever had a mammogram?	questions are about breast	1 Yes		A mammogram is an x-ray of each breast to look for breast cancer.	233
			2 No 7 Don't know/ not sure 9 Refused	Go to CBCC.03	Go to CBCC.03	
CBCC.02	How long has it been since you had your last mammogram?	HOWLONG	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 3 years (2 years but less than 3 years ago) 4 Within the past 5 years (3 years but less than 5 years ago) 5 years ago) 5 or more			234

	I				T	1
			years ago 7 Don't			
			know / Not			
			sure			
			9 Refused			
CBCC.03	,	Have you ever HADPAP2 had a Pap test?	1 Yes		A Pap test is a test for cancer of	235
	rida a r ap test.		2 No	Go to CBCC.05	the cervix.	
			7 Don't			
			know / Not			
			sure			
			9 Refused			
CBCC.04	How long has it	LASTPAP2	Read if			236
	been since you had your last		necessary: 1 Within the			
	Pap test?		past year			
			(anytime			
			less than 12			
			months ago)			
			2 Within the			
			past 2 years			
			(1 year but less than 2			
			years ago)			
			3 Within the			
			past 3 years			
			(2 years but			
			less than 3			
			years ago) 4 Within the			
			past 5 years			
			(3 years but			
			less than 5			
			years ago)			
			5 5 or more			
			years ago 7 Don't			
			know / Not			
			sure			
			9 Refused			
CBCC.05	An H.P.V. test is	HPVTEST	1 Yes		Human	237
	sometimes given with the		2 No	Go to CBCC.07	papillomarvirus (pap-uh-loh-muh	
	Pap test for		7 Da :- 24		virus)	
	cervical cancer		7 Don't know / Not		43/	
	screening. Have		sure			
	you ever had an		9 Refused			
	H.P.V. test?					
CBCC.06	How long has it	HPLSTTST	Read if			238

	been since you		nococcen"			
	1		necessary:			
	had your last		1 Within the			
	H.P.V. test?		past year			
			(anytime			
			less than 12			
			months ago)			
			2 Within the			
			past 2 years			
			(1 year but			
			less than 2			
			years ago)			
			3 Within the			
			past 3 years			
			(2 years but			
			less than 3			
			years ago)			
			4 Within the			
			past 5 years			
			(3 years but			
			less than 5			
			years ago)			
			5 5 or more			
			years ago			
			7 Don't			
			know / Not			
			sure			
			9 Refused			
CBCC.07	Have you had a	HADHYST2	1 Yes	If response to	Read if	239
	hysterectomy?		2 No	Core CDEM.17 =	necessary: A	
			7 Don't	1 (is pregnant);	hysterectomy is	
			know / Not	then go to next	an operation to	
			sure	section.	remove the	
			9 Refused		uterus (womb).	

Rotating Core Section 9: Prostate Cancer Screening (2022,2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				If respondent is ≤39 years of age, or Skip if female (MSAB.01, BIRTHSEX, is coded 2). If MSAB.01=missing and (CP05=2 or LL12=2; or LL09 = 2 or LL07 =2)., go to next section.		
CPCS.01	Has a doctor, nurse, or other health professional ever talked with you about the advantages of the Prostate- Specific Antigen or P.S.A. test?	PCPSAAD3	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know/ not sure 9 Refused		Read if necessary: A prostate- specific antigen test, also called a P.S.A. test, is a blood test used to check men for prostate cancer.	240
CPCS.02	Has a doctor, nurse, or other health professional ever talked with you about the disadvantages of the P.S.A. test?	PCPSADI1	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know/ not sure 9 Refused			241
CPCS.03	Has a doctor, nurse, or other health professional ever recommended that you have a P.S.A. test?	PCPSARE1	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			242
CPCS.04	Have you ever had a P.S.A.	PSATEST1	1 Yes 2 No	Go to next section		243

	test?				
	test.		7 Don't		
			know / Not		
			sure		
			9 Refused		
CPCS.05	How long has it	PSATIME	Read if		244
	been since you		necessary: 1 Within the		
	had your last P.S.A. test?		past year		
	F.J.A. lest:		(anytime less		
			than 12		
			months ago)		
			2 Within the		
			past 2 years		
			(1 year but		
			less than 2		
			years ago)		
			3 Within the		
			past 3 years		
			(2 years but less than 3		
			years ago)		
			4 Within the		
			past 5 years		
			(3 years but		
			less than 5		
			years ago)		
			5 5 or more		
			years ago Do not read:		
			7 Don't		
			know / Not		
			sure		
			9 Refused		
CPCS.06	What was the	PCPSARS1	Read:		245
	main reason you		1 Part of a		
	had this P.S.A.		routine		
	test - was it?		exam		
			2 Because of		
			a prostate problem		
			3 Because of		
			a family		
			history of		
			prostate		
			cancer		
			4 Because		
			you were		
			told you had		
			prostate		

cancer	
5 Some	
other reason	
Do not read:	
7 Don't	
know / Not	
sure	
9 Refused	

Rotating Core Section 10: Colorectal Cancer Screening (2022, 2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				CATI note: If respondent is < 45 years of age, go to next section.		
Prologue	The next questions are about the five different types of tests for colorectal cancer screening.					
CRC.01	A colonoscopy checks the entire colon. You are usually given medication through a needle in your arm to make you sleepy and told to have someone else drive you home after the test.	COLNSCPY	1 Yes		Do not include a virtual colonoscopy, where your colon is filled with air and you are moved through a donut shaped X-ray machine as you lie on your back and then on your stomach.	246
	Have you ever had a colonoscopy?		2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CRC.03		
CRC.02	How long has it been since you had this test?	COLNTEST	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago)			247

			3 Within the past 5 years (2 years but less than 5 years ago) 4 Within the past 10 years (5 years but less than 10 years ago) 5 10 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		
CRC.03	A sigmoidoscopy checks part of the	SIGMSCPY	1 Yes		248
	colon and you are fully awake. Have you ever had a sigmoidoscopy?		2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CRC.05	
CRC.04	How long has it been since you had this test?	SIGMTEST	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 s ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 5 years (2 years but less than 5 years ago) 4 Within the past 10 years (5 years but less than 10 years ago) 5 10 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		249

CRC.05	Another test uses a special kit to obtain a small amount of stool at home to determine whether the stool contains blood and returns the kit to the doctor or the lab. Have you ever had this test using a home kit?	BLDSTOL1	2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CRC.07	This is also called a fecal immunochemical test or F.I.T. or a guaiac-based fecal occult blood test also known as gFOBT. The FIT test uses antibodies to detect blood in the stool. The gFOBT uses a chemical called guaiac to detect blood in the stool.	250
CRC.06	How long has it been since you had this test?	LSTBLDS4	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 3 years (2 years but less than 3 years ago) 4 Within the past 5 years (3 years but less than 5 years ago) 5 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			251
CRC.07	Another test uses a special kit to	STOOLDNA	1 Yes		This is also called a FIT-DNA test, a	252

	obtain an entire bowel movement at home and returns the kit to a lab. Have you ever had this test?		2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to CRC.09	stool DNA test, or a Cologuard test. This test combined the FIT with a test that detects altered DNA in the stool.	
CRC.08	How long has it been since you had this test?	SDNATEST	Read if necessary: 1 Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago) 2 Within the past 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago) 3 Within the past 3 years (2 years but less than 3 years ago) 4 Within the past 5 years (3 years but less than 5 years ago) 5 or more years ago Do not read: 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			253
CRC.09	For a virtual colonoscopy, your colon is filled with air and you are moved through a donut	VIRCOLON	1 Yes		Unlike a regular colonoscopy, you do not need medication to make you sleepy during the test.	254
	shaped X-ray machine as you lie on your back and then on your stomach. Have you ever had a virtual		2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused	Go to next section		16

	colonoscopy?				
CRC.10	How long has it	VCLNTEST	Read if		255
	been since you		necessary:		
	had this test?		1 Within the		
			past year		
			(anytime less		
			than 12		
			months ago)		
			2 Within the		
			past 2 years		
			(1 year but		
			less than 2		
			years ago)		
			3 Within the		
			past 3 years		
			(2 years but		
			less than 3		
			years ago)		
			4 Within the		
			past 5 years		
			(3 years but		
			less than 5		
			years ago)		
			5 5 or more		
			years ago		
			Do not read:		
			7 Don't know		
			/ Not sure		
			9 Refused		

Rotating Core Section 11: HIV Risk (2022, 2024)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
C14.03	I am going to read you a list. When I am done, please tell me if any of the situations apply to you. You do not need to tell me which one. You have injected any drug other than those prescribed for you in the past year. You have been treated for a sexually transmitted disease or STD in the past year. You have given or received money or drugs in exchange for sex in the past year. You had anal sex without a condom in the past year. You had four or more sex partners in the past year. Do any of these situations apply to you? Do any of these situations apply to you?	HIVRISK5	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused			277

Rotating Core Section 12: Shingles Vaccination (2023)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
				If age <50 GOTO CIMM.04.		
CIMM.03	Have you ever had the shingles or zoster vaccine?	SHINGLE2	1 Yes 2 No 7 Don't know / Not sure 9 Refused		Shingles is an illness that results in a rash or blisters on the skin, and is usually painful. There are two vaccines now available for shingles: Zostavax, which requires 1 shot and Shingrix which requires 2 shots.	224

Rotating Core Section 13: TDAP Vaccination (2022)

Question Number	Question text	Variable names	Responses (DO NOT READ UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)	SKIP INFO/ CATI Note	Interviewer Note (s)	Column(s)
C13.03	Have you received a tetanus shot in the past 10 years?	TETANUS1	1 Yes, received Tdap 2 Yes, received tetanus shot, but not Tdap 3 Yes, received tetanus shot but not sure what type 4 No, did not receive any tetanus shot in the past 10 years 7 Don't know/Not sure 9 Refused		If yes, ask: Was this Tdap, the tetanus shot that also has pertussis or whooping cough vaccine?	268