

Section D: Weight Loss

TIME THIS SECTION BEGINS RECORDED HERE

TSST04D

You said that in the last 6 months you have had uncontrollable or involuntary weight loss.

D1. Did you get medical care for your weight loss during the last 6 months?

(Circle One)

- B04D01** YES 1 → SKIP TO D3
NO 2
DON'T RECALL / NOT SURE 3 → SKIP TO NEXT SYMPTOM
OR SECTION H

D2. (HAND R CARD #11) Please take a look at this card and tell me which category or categories come closest to the reason why you did not get medical care.

(Circle All that Apply)

- B04D02A** a. DIDN'T THINK I NEEDED MEDICAL CARE 1
B04D02B b. RECEIVED CARE FOR THIS IN THE PAST 2
B04D02C c. COULDN'T AFFORD MEDICAL CARE 3
B04D02D d. DIDN'T KNOW WHERE TO FIND MEDICAL CARE 4
B04D02E e. COULDN'T GET AN APPOINTMENT WHEN I COULD GO 5
B04D02F f. I WAS REFUSED CARE WHEN I TRIED TO GET IT 6
B04D02G g. I DON'T FEEL COMFORTABLE SPEAKING ENGLISH AND COULDN'T
FIND MEDICAL CARE WHERE THEY SPEAK MY LANGUAGE 7
B04D02H h. SOME OTHER REASON 8

SKIP TO NEXT SYMPTOM IF THERE IS ANOTHER OR SECTION H

D3. How soon did you get medical help about this problem after it started?

- a. ENTER HOW SOON: _____ b. CIRCLE UNIT: DAYS 1
B04D03 WEEKS 2

D4. Did someone in your health care provider's office weigh you at least two times in the last 6 months?

(Circle One)

- B04D04** YES 1
NO 2
DON'T RECALL 3

D5. Did your health care provider discuss your weight loss with you?

(Circle One)

B04D05 YES 1
NO 2
DON'T RECALL 3

D6. Some people with HIV have difficulty obtaining enough food either because they can't afford it or because they are too disabled to shop and prepare it. Did you have difficulty obtaining enough food in the last six months?

(Circle One)

B04D06 YES 1
NO 2 → SKIP TO D8

D7. Did your health care provider suggest any programs or services to help you pay for or obtain food or meals?

(Circle One)

B04D07 YES 1
NO 2

D8. Did your health care provider ask you about your appetite?

(Circle One)

B04D08 YES 1
NO 2

D9. Did your health care provider discuss any medications or food supplements for your weight loss?

(Circle One)

B04D09 YES 1
NO 2 → SKIP TO NEXT SYMPTOM
OR SECTION H

