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Preface

The Health and Retirement Study (HRS) is a longitudinal household survey data set for the study of retirement and health among the elderly in the United States. The survey also produces data on the kids, parents and siblings of the Respondents. The resulting data are extremely rich and complex. In an effort to make the family data more accessible to researchers, HRS at the University of Michigan charged the RAND Center for the Study of Aging with creating the RAND HRS Family data files. This document describes these files.

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You can find more RAND HRS Data Products at the RAND Center for the Study of Aging website (<http://www.rand.org/labor/aging/dataproduct>). The RAND HRS Family data files can be downloaded from the HRS website (<http://hrsonline.isr.umich.edu/data/index.html>).

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What's New in RAND HRS Family Data?

RAND HRS Family Data 2014 (V1) incorporates the Final Release for 2014. It also makes clarifying adjustments and corrections to the data and documentation. The current versions of the core and cross-wave data used in these data are:

- 1992 Final V1.01
- 1993 Final V2.1 (March 1998)
- 1994 Final V1.0 (September 2004)
- 1995 Final V2.0 (August 2007)
- 1996 Final V4.0 (March 2007)
- 1998 Final V2.3 (November 2003)
- 2000 Final V1.0 (April 2004)
- 2002 Final V2.0 (July 2006)
- 2004 Final V1.0 (October 2006)
- 2006 Final Release V3.0 (December 2014)
- 2008 Final Release V3.0 (December 2014)
- 2010 Final Release V5.1 (November 2017)
- 2012 Final Release V2.0 (December 2017)
- 2014 Final Release V2.0 (December 2017)
- Tracker 2014 Final V1.0 (July 2017)

We have made the following adjustments, improvements, and corrections to the data and documentation:

Kid currently in school - The data on whether in-contact kids are currently attending school were previously only available through Wave 9. HRS recently released this measure for subsequent years, so we now have KwSCHL and HwSCHLKN through Wave 12.

Kid total family income - The 2012 questionnaire added another income range marker to the kid family income, "over \$100,000", which was not accounted for in the previous version of RAND HRS Family Data. Waves 11 and 12 now contain the income bracket ranges \$70-100k and \$100k+ for the variable KwINCB.

Kid relationship to Respondent - In order to adhere to RAND HRS general variable naming conventions, we renamed the variable KRREL, Kid Relationship to Respondent (best guess), to KAREL. The "A" represents "all", indicating the variable is not specific to any single wave.

We identified two possible systematic coding errors for raw HRS data on kid relationship. Some variation in reports of whether a kid is Respondent's own kid or stepkid may be expected for a variety of reasons, but most cases have consistent relationship data across waves. We have created a flag variable KARELEQ which indicates whether KwREL values are equal across waves.

For 9,653 respondent-kid level cases, relationship to Respondent switches from own kid to stepkid or vice versa between Wave 10 (K10REL) and one or both adjacent waves (K9REL, K11REL). The flag variable K10RELFLG indicates this kid-stepkid switch.

In 1994, relationship data were collected for Family Respondents, but not for their spouses. So those non-Family Respondents have K2REL=.M (missing). For 992 respondent-kid level cases, relationship to Respondent switches from stepkid in Wave 1 to own kid in Wave 3 and back to stepkid in later waves. The flag variable K2RELFLG indicates this type of relationship switch.

Kid helps with health care cost - Beginning in 2012, Respondents are not asked whether anyone else helped pay

for their health care cost if total expenditures were less than \$10,000. A special missing value code is now in place for KwHLTCST for waves 11 and 12.

Number of kids in contact - The waves in which previously interviewed households were not asked about frequency of contact with kids should have the special missing value ".Y=Alternative wave" for the household-level variable HwCONTKN. In previous versions, the value of HwCONTKN for these cases was erroneously set to 0.

Parent mortality - We improved the algorithm carrying forward data on deceased parents of couple households. When a Respondent reports a parent or parent-in-law as deceased, no questions are asked about that particular parent in subsequent waves. For non-responding spouses in the wave of the deceased parent report, the mortality data on that parent were previously missing for that wave and subsequent waves. The data have now been filled in where applicable by the non-missing data in the Respondent's record.

We also fixed a programming error affecting Wave 10 forward that incorrectly assigned a missing code of .U=unmarried to some married Respondents and to some Respondents who were not interviewed in a particular wave (INWw=0).

These changes affected some values in RwMOMLIV, RwDADLIV, SwMOMLIV, SwDADLIV, RwLIVPAR, SwLIVPAR, RwMOMAGE, RwDADAGE, SwMOMAGE, and RwDADAGE for about 3,600 cases.

Parent help - We corrected an error where the hours the Respondent and/or spouse cared for the spouse's parents were transposed from Wave 6 forward in the following two sets of variables: SwPSPCRH/SwPRPCRH and SwPSERDH/SwPRERDH. We also adjusted spouse's parent care hours (SwPRPCRH, SwPSPCRH) and errand hours (SwPRERDH, SwPSERDH) to represent time since last interview. These calculations were previously only occurring for Respondents' parents.

We corrected two issues specific to Wave 1 where: (1) S1PSPCRH and S1PRPCRH variable sets where values for helping the spouse's parents with personal needs were not applied correctly, and (2) the financial help given to parents were not consistent across the Respondent and spouse variables.

A typo affecting Wave 2 data was fixed where helping the spouse's parents with chores and errands (S2PSERDH and S2PRERDH) were inadvertently picking up help with personal needs variables.

The RAND HRS Family data project is committed to producing high quality data for analysis. To this end, we have employed many innovative programming and quality assurance techniques including paired peer programming, standardized macros, and independent review. However, if you do notice any undocumented discrepancies or apparent problems with the data, please let us know (randhrshelp@rand.org).

Although we have attempted to derive measures that are consistent across waves, the underlying HRS data do not always allow this. Some of the native inconsistencies are present in our derived measures but should be documented in detail in this codebook. Before using any measure comparatively across interview years, please be sure to read the variable description in this codebook carefully, particularly the sections on "How Constructed" and "Cross-Wave Differences in the Original HRS Data" that are included for each variable. If there are cross-wave differences that we have not documented, please let us know (randhrshelp@rand.org).

1. Introduction and Overview

Health and Retirement Study (HRS) Data

The Health and Retirement Study (HRS) is a national panel survey of individuals over age 50 and their spouses. Its main goal is to provide panel data that enable research and analysis in support of policies on retirement, health, and well-being of this population. To that end, the survey elicits information about demographics, income, assets, health, cognition, family structure and connections, health care utilization and costs, housing, job status and history, expectations, and insurance.

The HRS is primarily sponsored by the National Institute of Aging (NIA), with additional funding from the Social Security Administration (SSA) and administered by the Institute for Social Research (ISR) at the University of Michigan. It consists of six cohorts:

- Initial HRS cohort, born 1931 to 1941. This cohort was first interviewed in 1992 and subsequently every two years.
- AHEAD cohort, born before 1924, initially a separate study (The Study of Assets and Health Dynamics Among the Oldest Old). This cohort was first interviewed in 1993 and subsequently in 1995, 1998, and subsequently every two years.
- Children of Depression (CODA) cohort, born 1924 to 1930. This cohort was first interviewed in 1998 and subsequently every two years.
- War Baby (WB) cohort, born 1942 to 1947. This cohort was also first interviewed in 1998 and subsequently every two years.
- Early Baby Boomer (EBB) cohort, born 1948 to 1953. This cohort was first interviewed in 2004.
- Mid Baby Boomer (MBB) cohort, born 1954 to 1959. This cohort was first interviewed in 2010.

In addition to Respondents from eligible birth years, the survey interviewed the spouses of married Respondents or the partner of a Respondent, regardless of age. Some of the HRS and AHEAD entry cohort Respondents were spouses of HRS- and AHEAD-eligible individuals who are age-eligible for the CODA or WB cohorts. These HRS and AHEAD spouses are given weights beginning in 1998 (Wave 4) so that they contribute to the representation of the CODA/WB birth year population. Some spouses of the initial HRS entry cohort Respondents were age 70 or older and were subsequently included in the AHEAD study. These so-called HRS/AHEAD overlap cases may thus have been interviewed in 1992, 1993, 1995, and from 1998 forward.

RAND HRS Family Data

The RAND HRS Family data is a user-friendly version of HRS Family data. The data contain a cleaned, processed, and streamlined collection of variables related to the Respondent's family. The files described here include characteristics of all kids of HRS Respondents and spouses and summary measures of Respondents' parents and siblings. Variables are elaborately documented, with special attention to comparability across survey waves.

The RAND HRS Family data contain all six cohorts. The data are obtained from various modules of the HRS survey, some of which are specific to the household, others to the Respondent, and still others specific to the individual kids. These data are linked across waves and organized into two longitudinal files: one with Respondent-kid observations and one with Respondent observations containing summary variables about the Respondent's kids, parents, and siblings. Great care has been taken to check the linkage among kids across waves by taking into account information on birth year, sex, and relationship to other household members, as well as using restricted name data where possible and verifying the accuracy of these matches.

As of March 2018, there are fourteen HRS waves available for study. The RAND HRS Family Data 2014(V1) contains data for twelve waves, including the years 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1998, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2010, 2012, and 2014. These files only incorporate data from the core interviews. They do not include exit interview data or any restricted data. Future data development by this project will include more variables and more survey years.

1.1. Confidentiality and Access Restrictions

The data described in this document are based on HRS public release files. Before using the data, you must have obtained permission from HRS by registering with them for downloading the public release files. The HRS website contains information on the process to register for access to HRS public release data (<https://ssl.isr.umich.edu/hrs>).

By registering with HRS you agree to the "Conditions of Use" governing access to the data. This agreement applies to the use of the RAND HRS Family Data as well. There is NO RESTRICTED DATA on the RAND HRS Family Data files.

1.2. File Structure of the RAND HRS Family Data

The RAND HRS Family Data are distributed as two longitudinal files: one with Respondent-kid observations containing variables specific to parent-kid pairs and one with Respondent observations containing summary variables about the Respondent's kids, parents, and siblings.

The data contain Respondents from the HRS, AHEAD, CODA, WB, EBB, and MBB entry cohorts. Table 1.1 lists the source year of data for each of the entry cohorts by wave. The 1993 data are treated as Wave 2 data, and the 1995 data are treated as Wave 3 data for the AHEAD entry cohort. The 1994 data are treated as Wave 2 data, and the 1996 data are treated as Wave 3 data for the HRS entry cohort. The AHEAD and HRS survey instruments in these years differed significantly. This documentation distinguishes between the instruments by using Wave 2A and Wave 3A to refer to the 1993 and 1995 data for the AHEAD entry cohort, and Wave 2H and Wave 3H to refer to the 1994 and 1996 data for the HRS entry cohort.

Table 1.1 Source of Data for Entry Cohorts by Wave

Wave	Entry Cohort					
	HRS HACOHORT=3	AHEAD HACOHORT=0,1	CODA HACOHORT=2	WB HACOHORT=4	EBB HACOHORT=5	MBB HACOHORT=6
1	1992	1992 (HRS/AHEAD overlaps only)	Not available			
2	1994 (Wave 2H)	1993 (Wave 2A)				
3	1996 (Wave 3H)	1995 (Wave 3A)				
4	1998	1998	1998	1998	Not available	
5	2000	2000	2000	2000		
6	2002	2002	2002	2002		
7	2004	2004	2004	2004	2004	Not available
8	2006	2006	2006	2006	2006	
9	2008	2008	2008	2008	2008	
10	2010	2010	2010	2010	2010	2010
11	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012
12	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014

The Respondent-Kid file contains one record per Respondent-kid pair for years 1992 to 2014. For Respondents with kids, two variables, HHIDPN and KIDID, can be used to uniquely identify kids across waves. KIDID is a character variable and is constructed by combining HHID (household ID) and LOPN (longitudinal Other Person Number; see Section 2). Respondents with no kid data are not included in this file.

For the Respondent file, there is one record per person who responded to at least one HRS survey from 1992 to 2014. The file is uniquely identified by a household ID (HHID) and a person number (PN). We combined these variables into a single numeric ID variable: HHIDPN, where $HHIDPN = 1000 * HHID + PN$. This file may be merged with other HRS data by HHIDPN, or HHID and PN separately. The RAND HRS Family Data files are distributed with an electronic version of the RAND HRS Family Data documentation and are available in the following data formats:

- SAS
- Stata SE (Version 11+)
- SPSS for Windows

This release version is named RAND HRS Family Data 2014 (V1).

1.3. Merging Available Files

We merge all of the HRS raw family data modules together. The files are of multiple types and vary across years. They consist of files at the following levels:

- **_MC:** files for HH member child. The variables include gender, birth year, marital status, income education, and contact frequency.
- **_TC:** files for financial transfers to children.
- **_FC:** files for financial transfers from children.
- **_HP:** files for helpers.
- **_SB:** files for siblings.
- **D_H and F_R:** questions pertaining to parents and siblings, respectively.
- **_H:** questions reported on each Other Person Number (OPN). The variables include inclusion in trusts, wills, and health insurance.
- **_R:** questions reported on each OPN. The variables include help with functional limitations and chores.

We also draw heavily on the HRS restricted name files as a means of checking the quality of the linkages.

The LINK indicator distinguishes longitudinal linkages without any apparent problems (LINK = 1.Linkage OK) from those where the link is questionable (LINK = 0.Linkage problem). Linkage problems are identified by checking for changes over time in key information, e.g., gender, age, relationship, and name.

We made ID adjustments for the overlap cases in 1992-1998 in order to merge with other RAND HRS data products, such as the RAND HRS Longitudinal File and the RAND Fat Files. Note that we found some OPNs that were not consistent across files. Please see Appendix A for details.

1.4. Respondent-Kid File

The Respondent-Kid file contains one record per Respondent-kid pair from 1992 to 2014. The file only includes Respondents with kids. Two variables, HHIDPN and KIDID, can be used to uniquely identify kids across waves.

The records in this file are the sub-sample of the _MC file for each wave because only the kid records are included. Other household members, such as siblings, parents, and other relatives, are not included in this file. Starting in 2002, the kids' spouses have separate records in the _MC files. Wave-specific kids' spouse data are linked onto kid records.

The kid records are selected based on KAREL (best guess relationship). If the best guess relationship of the kid to the Respondent is kid, step-kid, or "kid but do not know type," then the record is included in the RAND HRS Family Data files. KAREL is processed from the answers across waves. If the relationship changes across waves, the most frequently reported relationship is used. Consequently, there are some records in the file where a wave-specific relationship (KwREL) is 3.grandkid, 8.sibling, 9.sibling-in-law, 10.parent, 11.other relative, or 12.other which does not match our KAREL value. We identified some cases where an OPN was re-used in a later wave for a different person. For those, we assigned LINK=0 (linkage problem).

Because the file is at the Respondent-kid level, the kid records will appear twice if both Respondents in a couple's household reported that kid. Users can use KwPICK=1 to pick one set of kid records to obtain a household kid-level file, i.e., the same observations in the _MC file. The variable KwPICK=1 selects the kid records pertaining to the Family Respondent.

1.4.1. Observations Across Waves

In the Respondent-Kid file, we organize the data at the Respondent-kid level rather than the household-kid level. Table 3 lists the number of records on kid-level or Respondent-kid level across waves.

Table 1.2 Number of Records Across Years

Year	HRS PR_MC File kid level	RAND Resp-kid file kid level: KwPICK=1	RAND Resp-kid file Resp-kid level
1992	24,697	24,680	42,064
1993	17,424	16,227	22,787
1994	22,741*	22,725*	37,933*
1995	15,617	14,423	19,876
1996	25,158	22,989	37,698
1998	49,013	45,353	69,115
2000	46,023	42,553	64,740
2002	70,127	40,720**	61,484**
2004	76,284	43,785**	66,463**
2006	72,080	40,942**	61,371**
2008	69,533	39,511**	58,185**
2010	83,453	48,347**	71,410**
2012	81,455	46,211**	67,539**
2014	76,005	42,891**	61,690**

*In 1994, the deceased sub-households (csubhh=3) are not included.

**Starting in 2002, the kid's spouses have separate records in the _MC files, but these spouse records are not included in the RAND HRS Family data files.

1.5. Respondent File

The Respondent file contains one record per Respondent from 1992 to 2014. It contains summary measures about Respondents' kids, parents, and siblings. Kid summary measures are calculated where the longitudinal linkages are valid (LINK = 1.Linkage OK).

Information about Respondents' and spouses' parents is reported in the Family Section at each interview. In Waves 1, 2H, 3H, 4, and 5, the designated Family Respondent answers all questions about parents and parents-in-law in a couple household. In Waves 2A and 3A and from Wave 6 forward, each Respondent answers the questions about his or her own parents.

In Waves 1 and 2H, the raw HRS data provides parent data in separate modules with observations by parent. In Wave 2H there may be multiple observations per parent. The modules may include information on up to four parents per household with up to two records for the Family Respondent's parents and up to two records for the parents-in-law. In Waves 2A and 3A and from Wave 6 forward, the raw data provide parent data in Respondent-level variables with one observation per Respondent. In Waves 3H, 4, and 5, the raw HRS data provide parent data in household-level variables with one observation per household holding information on up to four parents.

Preprocessing of Waves 1 and 2H data collapses the parent-level observations onto each Respondent record as a set of four variables for each measure pertaining to the Respondent's mother, father, mother-in-law, and father-in-law. The process takes into account whether or not the Respondent is also the Family Respondent. For Waves 2A and 3A and from Wave 6 forward, each Respondent provides information about his or her own mother and father, regardless of who the Family Respondent is. Information about parents-in-law is based on the spouse's responses. In Waves 3H, 4, and 5, the assignment of parent data is adjusted to account for the Respondent's Family Respondent status.

The sibling variables are processed similarly to the parent files. The sibling variables are derived based on the OPN reported in the following files: PR_SB and D_SB prior to Wave 6 and F_SB from Wave 6 forward. All siblings in the household are reported in PR_SB. In D_SB/F_SB, the number of reported siblings is capped at four.

1.6. Imputed Financial Transfer Amounts

There are two sets of financial transfer variables. One set is for Respondents who received transfers from kids and the other set is for Respondents who gave transfers to kids. We impute financial transfer amounts using the same imputation method as the RAND HRS income and wealth variables. In Wave 1, there were no bracket responses. As such, no imputations are performed, and the HRS imputed transfer amount values are used.

Starting with Wave 2, we impute a consistent measure for these two financial transfer amounts. For those who reported an amount, we take that exact amount. For those who reported bracketed responses, we impute amounts using the bracketed responses. The imputation model predictors are age, age-squared, education, gender, marital status, race, income, wealth, and number of kids.

For more detailed information, please see Section 3: "Income and Wealth Imputations" in the RAND HRS Longitudinal File codebook.

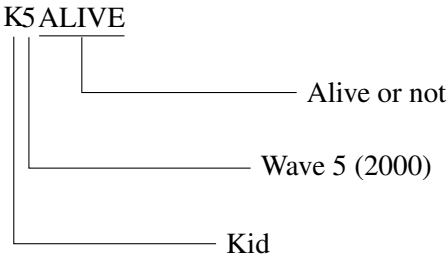
1.7. Helper Variables

There are two sections in the core data asking about kids being helpers for the Respondent. One section is in module E_R prior to 2002 and in module G_R starting in 2002. In E_R/G_R, the questions were asked about who helps with ADL, IADL, managing money, household chores, and future needs. We used the reported OPN to create the different helper variables.

The other section is E_HP prior to 2002 and G_HP starting in 2002. If helper OPNs were mentioned in ADL, IADL, and managing money questions, then additional questions were asked about those OPNs in the helper files E_HP/G_HP. This section collected detailed information about the helpers on topics such as the number of days and hours kids helped and whether they were paid or not, etc.

1.8. Variable Naming Conventions

Variable names in the RAND HRS Family Data follow the same consistent pattern of the RAND HRS. The first character indicates whether the variable refers to the reference person ("R"), spouse ("S"), or the household ("H"). In the Respondent-Kid data, the prefix indicates whether the variable refers to the kid ("K") or the kid's spouse ("KP"). The next segment indicates the wave to which the variable pertains: "1," "2," "3," "4," "5," "6," "7," "8," "9," "10," "11," "12," or "A." The "A" indicates "all," i.e., the variable is not specific to any single wave. An example is KABYEARBG, the best-guess birth year of the kid. The remaining characters describe the concept that the variable captures. For example:



Variable K5ALIVE captures whether the kid is alive or not in Wave 5.

In the Parent section, the "R" variables pertain to Respondent's parents. The "S" variables pertain to the parents of the Respondent's spouse and not to the Respondent's spouse.

1.9. Missing Values

Variables may contain missing values for several reasons. SAS and Stata offer the capability to distinguish multiple types of missing values, and we have attempted to record as much information as possible. Generally, the codes adhere to the classification in Table 1.3.

Table 1.3 Missing Codes

Code	Reason for missing
.	Reference person did not respond to this wave
.D	Don't know
.R	Refused
.S	Deceased kid
.M	Other missing
.X	Inapplicable
.L	Not resident kid
.F	No Family Respondent
.H	Not Kid (household members)
.A	Age limitation
.C	No Contact
.B	No will
.K	No Kids
.N	Sibling question not asked
.Y	Alternative Wave
.T	Other
.Q	Data not available because the question was not asked
.U	Reference person is not married (for spouse variables)
.V	Spouse did not respond this wave (for spousal variables)
.Z	Not available

The coding scheme varies across variables. Consult the Data Codebook section of this document for details on individual variables.

Stata introduced the ability to distinguish multiple types of missing values in its Version 8. The RAND HRS Family files in Stata SE format are for use with Version 11 or later.

2. Linking Across Waves

The RAND HRS Family data files processed the linkages among kids across waves. The Respondent-Kid file contains one record per person-kid pair from 1992 to 2014. The file only includes Respondents with kids. Two variables, HHIDPN and KIDID, can be used to uniquely identify kids across waves. Records are not included for those Respondents without kids.

HHIDPN is a numeric variable that combines HHID (household ID) and PN (person number), where $HHIDPN=1000*HHID+PN$.

KIDID is a character variable and is constructed by combining HHID (household ID) and LOPN (longitudinal Other Person Number).

The LOPN is constructed by using the SAS code from the HRS web site under "Resources for Analysis of Family Data" at <http://hrsonline.isr.umich.edu/index.php?p=famdatmrgkid>. The code is used to merge HRS household-member/kid records longitudinally. We use the OPNs from PR_MC instead of E_MC for keeping all the reported household members.

2.1. Derivation of LOPN

The first digit of the LOPN variable is the SUBHH in which the kid or household-member entered the study. The remaining three digits are the individual's OPN number. LOPN was constructed separately by entry cohort – HRS, AHEAD, CODA/WB, EBB, and MBB.

For kids or household-members who are missing an intermediate wave, e.g., for whom a report was obtained in Wave 1 and Wave 3 but not Wave 2, the missing SUBHH variable is assigned the last-known value, e.g., the Wave 2 SUBHH is assigned the Wave 1 value so that merging can proceed.

2.2. Changes in File Structure over time in the HRS raw data

Information about kids, household-members, and their spouses and partners has been collected in different ways over the years.

The 1992 and 1994 household listing files, HHLIST and W2HHLIST, contain two records for a married couple – one record for the kid or household-member and one record for his/her spouse or partner.

In waves 1993, 1995, 1996, 1998 and 2000, information about a non-resident kid's spouse/partner is contained in the non-resident kid's record. Each resident, however, has a separate record, whether the resident is a kid, spouse/partner of kid, or other resident. In other words for non-resident kids, the records in these files are couple records while resident kids, resident spouses/partners of kids, and other residents have individual records. During these waves if a non-resident kid died, the surviving non-resident spouse was assigned their deceased spouse's OPN.

Beginning in 2002, the household-member/kid files contain a separate record for each kid, kid's spouse/partner, and other household member. All records in the household-member/kid files from 2002 forward are individual records. In other words, the file contains two records for a married couple. This results in many "new" LOPNs in these years since the spouses/partners now have their own record.

From 2002 forward, the spouses/partners were assigned a new OPN which may not correspond to the 1992 and 1994 OPNs in the data. Beginning in 2002, the file also provided links between an HRS kid and his/her spouse/partner and grandkids. This file links members of a kid's family to the kid.

2.3. Limitations

The technique of matching OPN records to track kids across waves by HHID, previous wave SUBHH, and OPN is limited in the following cases:

1. Persons who assumed the OPN number of their deceased spouse or partner during the 1993 to 2000 waves.
2. New individuals who were assigned an OPN previously belonging to a prior household member or kid who had been dropped from the sample, e.g., deceased or moved out. The re-use of OPNs was obvious from changes in gender, birth year, relationship, and name.
3. Starting in 2002, the spouses of kids were given unique identifiers. In prior waves, their data was included in the kid's record.
4. For persons with more than one OPN or for OPNs used by more than one person.
5. OPN was switched within same household.

As indicated previously, the LINK indicator distinguishes longitudinal linkages without any apparent problems (LINK = 1.Linkage OK) from those where the link is questionable (LINK = 0.Linkage problem). Linkage problems are identified by checking for changes over time in key information, e.g., gender, age, relationship, and name. For kid summary measures in the Respondent-level file, we only include kids for whom LINK=1.

2.4. Split Household

When a household splits because of divorce or separation, more than one report about a single kid may be obtained in a given wave.

In this file, if a kid is listed in both post-split households, the kid record shows up with both Respondents in their new households. However, if the kid is not listed in one of the post-split households and is listed in the other, then the kid record only shows up with the Respondent who has the kid listed in the roster and not with the Respondent where the kid is not listed.

2.5. Linking Kid Families Within Wave

Beginning in 2002 when the spouses/partners of kids were assigned their own OPNs for the first time since the 1992 and 1994 waves, the spouse/partner is linked to the HRS kid using the line number reference to the kid given in the household member/kid roster. In addition, resident grandkids were similarly linked to HRS kids who are their parents. Most spouse/partners and kids of HRS kids can be successfully linked using this information.

For interview years before 2002, the spouse/partner information is tied to the HRS kid's OPN, but resident grandkids may also be assigned their own OPN either in the household member/kid roster or in the helper file. For those in the helper file, the OPN of the parent is provided and is used to link the grandkid's information to the kid. For resident grandkids who have an OPN of their own, the links to the HRS kid given in later waves (2002 forward) are searched, and if found, are also used to link the grandkid to the HRS kid in waves before 2002.

3. Structure of Codebook

The codebook documents all variables in the RAND HRS Family Data. This section explains how to interpret the codebook entries. The figure below shows a typical codebook page; the numbers in circles correspond to comments below.

Whether Kid Alive or Not

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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1ALIVE	K1ALIVE:W1 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
2	K2ALIVE	K2ALIVE:W2 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
3	K3ALIVE	K3ALIVE:W3 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
4	K4ALIVE	K4ALIVE:W4 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
5	K5ALIVE	K5ALIVE:W5 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
6	K6ALIVE	K6ALIVE:W6 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
7	K7ALIVE	K7ALIVE:W7 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
8	K8ALIVE	K8ALIVE:W8 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
9	K9ALIVE	K9ALIVE:W9 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
10	K10ALIVE	K10ALIVE:W10 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
11	K11ALIVE	K11ALIVE:W11 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
12	K12ALIVE	K12ALIVE:W12 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
3	KP3ALIVE	KP3ALIVE:W3 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4ALIVE	KP4ALIVE:W4 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5ALIVE	KP5ALIVE:W5 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6ALIVE	KP6ALIVE:W6 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7ALIVE	KP7ALIVE:W7 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8ALIVE	KP8ALIVE:W8 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9ALIVE	KP9ALIVE:W9 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10ALIVE	KP10ALIVE:W10 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11ALIVE	KP11ALIVE:W11 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12ALIVE	KP12ALIVE:W12 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ

5 Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1ALIVE	41866	1.00	0.00	1.0	1.0
K2ALIVE	58137	1.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
K3ALIVE	57159	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K4ALIVE	68539	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
K5ALIVE	64184	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K6ALIVE	61139	0.99	0.11	0.0	1.0
K7ALIVE	65619	0.98	0.12	0.0	1.0
K8ALIVE	61086	0.98	0.14	0.0	1.0
K9ALIVE	57994	0.98	0.15	0.0	1.0
K10ALIVE	71084	0.98	0.15	0.0	1.0
K11ALIVE	67314	0.97	0.16	0.0	1.0
K12ALIVE	61329	0.97	0.17	0.0	1.0
KP3ALIVE	37730	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP4ALIVE	42429	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP5ALIVE	41068	1.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP6ALIVE	38943	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP7ALIVE	41403	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
KP8ALIVE	39819	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP9ALIVE	38430	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP10ALIVE	43171	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP11ALIVE	41987	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP12ALIVE	39091	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0

6 Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1ALIVE	K2ALIVE	K3ALIVE	K4ALIVE	K5ALIVE	K6ALIVE	K7ALIVE
.A=Not 18+		1831					
.M=Missing		606					
.R=Refuse		2					
0.No		71	253	372	319	816	1019
1.Yes	41866	58066	56906	68167	63865	60323	64600

Value	K8ALIVE	K9ALIVE	K10ALIVE	K11ALIVE	K12ALIVE
0.No	1138	1360	1552	1739	1835
1.Yes	59948	56634	69532	65575	59494

Value	KP3ALIVE	KP4ALIVE	KP5ALIVE	KP6ALIVE	KP7ALIVE
.M=Missing		2	16		
.U=Unmarried		13008	26062	23069	21060
0.No		70	81	88	207
1.Yes		37660	42348	40980	38736

Value	KP8ALIVE	KP9ALIVE	KP10ALIVE	KP11ALIVE	KP12ALIVE
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No	249	269	289	277	226
1.Yes	39570	38161	42882	41710	38865

7 How Constructed

KwALIVE indicates whether or not the kid is alive in this wave. It is derived from KwSTAT.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwALIVE is taken from the kid's reported answer about his/her spouse. From Wave 6 forward, KPwALIVE is derived from the kid spouse KwSTAT variable.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

8 Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question about spouse was not asked in Waves 1 and 2. In Wave 2H, the question was not asked about kids under age 18.

9 HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8001 KIDS:AT HOME OR AWAY?
AHEAD 1993:
B443 D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
B445 D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:

W8016	E11. WHERE LIVING
AHEAD 1995:	
D13	HHMEM SP STATUS
D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:	
E13	HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F14	HHMEM SP STATUS
F7	HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G14	HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:	
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

- 1 **Title:** The variables are documented in groups according to the concept that they measure. For example, there are four sets of variables under the title "Whether Kid Helps Respondent with ADLs". They are all related to kid helping Respondent with ADLs, corresponding to several waves, representing slightly different measures and kid/kid's spouse data.
- 2 **Variable Names:** This entry shows the names of variables in the group.
- 3 **Variable Labels:** This entry shows the SAS/Stata variable labels. The labels typically include the name of the variable, the wave on which it is present, and a description of its contents.
- 4 **Variable Type:** This entry indicates the type of variable. It may be continuous (Cont), categorical (Categ), or character (Char).
- 5 **Descriptive Statistics:** This entry shows descriptive statistics on each variable. They include the number of nonmissing values, the mean, standard deviation, minimum value, and maximum value.
- 6 **Categorical Value Codes:** This entry shows the value label codes. These are only relevant for categorical variables. The entry also indicates which labels are assigned to which variables and shows frequency tabulations for all categorical variables.
- 7 **How Constructed:** This entry provides background on the manner in which variables were constructed.
- 8 **Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data:** This entry briefly describes differences in question wording or content between interview waves.
- 9 **HRS Variables Used:** This entry provides the names and labels of raw HRS variables that were used to construct the new variables.

4. Distribution and Technical Notes

4.1. Distribution files for Web Download

The RAND HRS Family data files are distributed with an electronic version of the RAND HRS Family Data documentation and are available in the following data formats:

- SAS
- Stata SE (Version 11+)
- SPSS for Windows

This release version is named RAND HRS Family Data 2014 (V1).

The files can be downloaded from the HRS website (<http://hrsonline.isr.umich.edu>) after you have registered to use HRS data. They are zipped for downloading; you must unzip them to make them usable. They are available for download as an entire package or documentation only. There are separate format packages for SAS, Stata/SE, and SPSS.

The SAS and Stata formats differ in value labels and missing value codes. The SAS format is the most comprehensive. Stata allows value labels for integer values only, so no value labels are available for non-integer values. Beginning with version 8, Stata supports multiple codes for missing values (.X, .S, .M, etc). SPSS does not support multiple missing codes.

Table 4.1 RAND HRS Family Data Distribution Files

Distribution file name	Included Files	Description
randhrsfam1992_2014v1_sas.zip	randhrsfam1992_2014v1.pdf	Codebook
	randhrsfamk1992_2014v1.sas7bdat	SAS data: Respondent-kid level file
	randhrsfamr1992_2014v1.sas7bdat	SAS data: Respondent-level file
	formats.sas7bdat	Formats (SAS)
randhrsfam1992_2014v1_stata.zip	randhrsfam1992_2014v1.pdf	Codebook
	randhrsfamk1992_2014v1.dta	Stata data: Respondent-kid level file
	randhrsfamr1992_2014v1.dta	Stata data: Respondent-level file
randhrsfam1992_2014v1_spss.zip	randhrsfam1992_2014v1.pdf	Codebook
	randhrsfamk1992_2014v1.sav	SPSS data: Respondent-kid level file
	randhrsfamr1992_2014v1.sav	SPSS data: Respondent-level file

4.2. The SAS Format Library

Many of the derived variables on this file have been assigned SAS formats or value labels. We are no longer distributing SAS formats as a format catalog. Instead we are providing SAS code to allow users to create their own formats catalog on any computing platform.

To create a formats catalog, assuming formats.sas7bdat is in C:\randhrsfam\sasdata, simply run the following code:

```
libname library "C:\randhrsfam\sasdata";
proc format library=library cntlin=library.formats;
run;
```

This SAS code will create a file called C:\randhrsfam\sasdata\formats.sas7bcat

To use them from the SAS format library you must include a LIBNAME LIBRARY statement:

```
LIBNAME LIBRARY "C:\randhrsfam\sasdata";
```

If you do not have the LIBNAME LIBRARY statement in your program, SAS usually gives an error message and stops processing, unless you specify NOFMterr in an OPTIONS statement. If you prefer not to use the assigned SAS formats, you can use "Format _ALL_" statement in a SAS data step.

4.3. Using the RAND HRS Family Data with Other HRS Files or RAND Data Products

The Respondent file (randhrsfamr1992_2014v1.sas7bdat) can easily be merged by HHIDPN (=1000*HHID+PN) with HRS raw files and RAND HRS files.

To use the Respondent-Kid file (randhrsfamk1992_2014v1.sas7bdat) with other HRS raw files such as MC, TC, FC, and HP, you can use HwHHID and OPN where "w" is the corresponding wave number—a value from 1 to 12. The HwHHID identifiers combine HHID with sub-household ID for each wave. They uniquely identify a household in a given wave. HwHHID is numeric (HHID*10+subHH). OPN is the other person number (OPN) in each wave.

Details on merging RAND HRS Family data to HRS files can be found in Appendix A.

4.4. Questions and Comments

Please let us know if you have any problems or questions about the RAND HRS Family Data. Please direct your questions or comments to: randhrshelp@rand.org.

For more Information about RAND data products and the RAND Center for the Study of Aging, please visit us at: <http://www.rand.org/labor/aging/dataproduct> and <http://www.rand.org/labor/aging>.

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5: Data Codebook For Respondent-Kid File

Section 5A: Demographics and Identifiers

Person Specific Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	HHIDPN	HHIDPN: HHold ID + Person Number /Num	Cont
1	HHID	HHID: HHold ID / 6-Char	Char
1	PN	Person Number (CHAR)	Char
1	RAHHIDPN	RAHHIDPN: HHold ID + Person Num /9-Char	Char

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
HHIDPN	128908	231311143.2	241741045.2	1010.0	959738010.0

How Constructed

HHIDPN is the numeric version of the combined household and person identifier that identifies each respondent uniquely. It is set to $HHID * 1000 + PN$. RAHHIDPN is the 9-character version of HHIDPN, with leading zeroes. For example, if the HHID is 012345 and PN is 010 then HHIDPN is 12345010 and RAHHIDPN is 012345010.

HHID and PN, HHIDPN, and RAHHIDPN are all equivalent and unique identifiers, and the RAND HRS sort order is the same for all three. To merge the RAND HRS with other data sources, use the single variables HHIDPN or RAHHIDPN, or the two variables HHID and PN, whichever is available and most convenient. Other RAND data products also provide all of these identifiers. The programs used to develop the RAND HRS use HHIDPN, so that the means of the numeric ID may be checked to ensure none are missing.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Household Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1HHID	H1HHID:W1 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
2	H2HHID	H2HHID:W2 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
3	H3HHID	H3HHID:W3 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
4	H4HHID	H4HHID:W4 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
5	H5HHID	H5HHID:W5 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
6	H6HHID	H6HHID:W6 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
7	H7HHID	H7HHID:W7 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
8	H8HHID	H8HHID:W8 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
9	H9HHID	H9HHID:W9 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
10	H10HHID	H10HHID:W10 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
11	H11HHID	H11HHID:W11 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
12	H12HHID	H12HHID:W12 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
1	H1HHIDC	H1HHIDC:W1 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
2	H2HHIDC	H2HHIDC:W2 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
3	H3HHIDC	H3HHIDC:W3 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
4	H4HHIDC	H4HHIDC:W4 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
5	H5HHIDC	H5HHIDC:W5 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
6	H6HHIDC	H6HHIDC:W6 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
7	H7HHIDC	H7HHIDC:W7 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
8	H8HHIDC	H8HHIDC:W8 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
9	H9HHIDC	H9HHIDC:W9 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
10	H10HHIDC	H10HHIDC:W10 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
11	H11HHIDC	H11HHIDC:W11 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
12	H12HHIDC	H12HHIDC:W12 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
1	H1SUBBH	H1SUBBH:W1 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
2	H2SUBBH	H2SUBBH:W2 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
3	H3SUBBH	H3SUBBH:W3 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
4	H4SUBBH	H4SUBBH:W4 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
5	H5SUBBH	H5SUBBH:W5 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
6	H6SUBBH	H6SUBBH:W6 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
7	H7SUBBH	H7SUBBH:W7 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
8	H8SUBBH	H8SUBBH:W8 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
9	H9SUBBH	H9SUBBH:W9 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
10	H10SUBBH	H10SUBBH:W10 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
11	H11SUBBH	H11SUBBH:W11 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
12	H12SUBBH	H12SUBBH:W12 Sub HHold ID /1-Char	Char
1	HASPLIT	HASPLIT: Whether Household ever split or not	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1HHID	41866	504341.58	278268.52	10.0	2088670.0
H2HHID	60576	1071618.11	775261.08	10.0	2088980.0
H3HHID	57159	1025133.13	763375.73	20.0	2088980.0
H4HHID	68539	1153438.21	764674.02	20.0	2134790.0
H5HHID	64184	1130509.29	759177.40	20.0	2134790.0
H6HHID	61139	1098476.03	751436.64	30.0	2134790.0
H7HHID	65619	1564223.91	1486976.37	30.0	5027610.0
H8HHID	61086	1565744.30	1512393.86	30.0	5027610.0
H9HHID	57994	1569940.22	1548314.87	30.0	5027610.0
H10HHID	71084	2878892.59	2817141.53	30.0	9597380.0
H11HHID	67314	2948118.09	2858923.75	30.0	9597380.0
H12HHID	61329	3086629.47	2917938.39	30.0	9597380.0
HASPLIT	128904	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	HASPLIT
0.No	120278
1.Yes	8626

How Constructed

The HwHHID identifiers combine HHID with sub-household ID for each wave. They uniquely identify a household in a given wave.

The HwSUBHH is the sub-household ID for each wave. Households that split are given different subHH ids by HRS.

HASPLIT indicates whether the household ever split. It is derived from HwSUBHH. If the Respondent and spouse remain in the same household, HwSUBHH remains 0 across waves and HASPLIT is 0. If the household splits, HASPLIT is 1 even if that household later reunites.

HwHHID is numeric ($HHID*10+subHH$). HwHHIDC is the 7-character version, with leading zeroes. For example if HHID is 012345 and the Wave "w" subHH is 2 then HwHHID is 123452 and HwHHIDC is "0123452".

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
BSUBHH	1993 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 1994:	
W2SUBHH	HRS Wave 2 Sub-Household
AHEAD 1995:	
DSUBHH	1995 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 1996:	
ESUBHH	HRS WAVE 3 SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 1998:	
FSUBHH	HRS98 SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2000:	
GSUBHH	HRS00 SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2002:	
HSUBHH	HRS 2002 SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2004:	
JSUBHH	2004 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2006:	
KSUBHH	2006 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2008:	
LSUBHH	2008 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2010:	
MSUBHH	2010 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2012:	
NSUBHH	2012 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2014:	
OSUBHH	2014 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
Tracker:	

ASUBHH	1992	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
BSUBHH	1993	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
CSUBHH	1994	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
DSUBHH	1995	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
ESUBHH	1996	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
FSUBHH	1998	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
GSUBHH	2000	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
HHID		HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
HSUBHH	2002	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
JSUBHH	2004	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
KSUBHH	2006	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
LSUBHH	2008	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
MSUBHH	2010	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
NSUBHH	2012	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
OSUBHH	2014	SUB-HOUSEHOLD	IDENTIFIER
OVHHID		OVERLAP CASE: OLD	HHID
OVPN		OVERLAP CASE: OLD	PN
PN		PERSON	NUMBER

Spouse Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	S1HHIDPN	S1HHIDPN:W1 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
2	S2HHIDPN	S2HHIDPN:W2 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
3	S3HHIDPN	S3HHIDPN:W3 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
4	S4HHIDPN	S4HHIDPN:W4 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
5	S5HHIDPN	S5HHIDPN:W5 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
6	S6HHIDPN	S6HHIDPN:W6 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
7	S7HHIDPN	S7HHIDPN:W7 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
8	S8HHIDPN	S8HHIDPN:W8 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
9	S9HHIDPN	S9HHIDPN:W9 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
10	S10HHIDPN	S10HHIDPN:W10 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
11	S11HHIDPN	S11HHIDPN:W11 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
12	S12HHIDPN	S12HHIDPN:W12 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
S1HHIDPN	41866	42874576.89	31920288.32	0.0	208867020.0
S2HHIDPN	60374	71216452.37	76417184.63	0.0	208898020.0
S3HHIDPN	56965	65578595.88	73258328.57	0.0	208898020.0
S4HHIDPN	68335	75170375.18	78378325.63	0.0	213479020.0
S5HHIDPN	64055	72078126.79	76896644.76	0.0	213479020.0
S6HHIDPN	61046	67835340.45	74725093.94	0.0	213479020.0
S7HHIDPN	65593	108298404.4	149804045.8	0.0	502759020.0
S8HHIDPN	61086	106673249.3	151534432.5	0.0	502759020.0
S9HHIDPN	57989	105133393.2	153913106.6	0.0	502759020.0
S10HHIDPN	71078	207089785.6	277338712.0	0.0	923525020.0
S11HHIDPN	67314	209000950.2	280717387.1	0.0	958361011.0
S12HHIDPN	61329	215816378.8	286794726.9	0.0	923525020.0

How Constructed

HRS Respondents have up to 4 different individuals as spouses or partners from 1992 to 2014. Cohabiting partners are treated as spouses in this file. SwHHIDPN gives the HHIDPN of the spouse in Wave "w". The SwHHIDPN variables are derived from HHID and the spouse person numbers found in the core data and on the Tracker file. These are the numeric versions of the IDs.

There are a number of cases where the spouse PN on the Tracker file does not match the one used in the core data or in this file. In some cases, the spouse identified on the Tracker is deceased or otherwise non-responding when R indicates not being married or partnered. In other cases, the spouse PN is missing on the Tracker file but available in the core data. On this file, the SwHHIDPNs of deceased or other spouses no longer part of the couple are set to zero, and core spouse PNs are used when missing from Tracker.

If there is no spouse in a given wave, SwHHIDPN is set to zero. If SwHHIDPN is unknown, and the marital status in a particular wave is either missing (.M) or married, SwHHIDPN is set to a special missing code of .M. If the Respondent is non-response in a given wave, SwHHIDPN is set to plain missing (.).

There are spouse versions of most respondent variables. Each wave carries that wave's spouse's demographic and other information. For example, S1COHBYR and S4COHBYR are the cohorts based on birth year for the Wave 1 and Wave 4 spouses, respectively. If the spouse in Wave 4 is the same as the spouse in Wave 1, these cohorts will be identical. But if the spouse in Wave 4 is different from the spouse in Wave 1, these cohorts could be different if the spouses' respective ages place them in different cohorts. If these spouse variables are missing because R is not married or partnered, they are set to SAS special missing .U. If they are missing because R's spouse or partner did not respond they are set to a .V missing.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:	
DPN_SP	1995 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 1998:	
FPN_SP	1998 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2000:	
GPN_SP	2000 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2002:	
HPN_SP	2002 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2004:	
JPN_SP	2004 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2006:	
KPN_SP	2006 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2008:	
LPN_SP	2008 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2010:	
MPN_SP	2010 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2012:	
NPN_SP	2012 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2014:	
OPN_SP	2014 SPOUSE/PARTNER PERSON NUMBER
Tracker:	
HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Kid Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KIDID	KIDID: Kid identifier/HHID+LOPN	Char
1	OPN	PN OF KID/HHM/SIB AND THEIR SPOUSES	Char
1	KP1KIDID	KP1KIDID:W1 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
2	KP2KIDID	KP2KIDID:W2 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
3	KP3KIDID	KP3KIDID:W3 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
4	KP4KIDID	KP4KIDID:W4 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
5	KP5KIDID	KP5KIDID:W5 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
6	KP6KIDID	KP6KIDID:W6 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
7	KP7KIDID	KP7KIDID:W7 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
8	KP8KIDID	KP8KIDID:W8 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
9	KP9KIDID	KP9KIDID:W9 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
10	KP10KIDID	KP10KIDID:W10 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
11	KP11KIDID	KP11KIDID:W11 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char
12	KP12KIDID	KP12KIDID:W12 Kid spouse ID from KIDID/Kidsp	Char

How Constructed

KIDID is the kid identifier. KIDID is constructed by combining HHID, SUBHH and OPN for each wave.

We used the SAS code from the HRS web site to merge household member/child records longitudinally. The code can be found at <http://hrsonline.isr.umich.edu/index.php?p=famdatmrgkid>.

Combined with HHIDPN, it uniquely identifies a kid in a given wave.

Using HHID, HwSUBHH and OPN, users can merge this file with household member/child files, such as PR_MC and E_MC.

We found some OPNs that had been reused. This became evident when we noticed changes in gender, birth year and/or name for a given OPN while looking across waves in the restricted name files. These cases are identified by the LINK variable.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

HHID HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER

Wave Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	INW1	INW1: =1 if Respondent W1	Categ
2	INW2	INW2: =1 if Respondent W2	Categ
3	INW3	INW3: =1 if Respondent W3	Categ
4	INW4	INW4: =1 if Respondent W4	Categ
5	INW5	INW5: =1 if Respondent W5	Categ
6	INW6	INW6: =1 if Respondent W6	Categ
7	INW7	INW7: =1 if Respondent W7	Categ
8	INW8	INW8: =1 if Respondent W8	Categ
9	INW9	INW9: =1 if Respondent W9	Categ
10	INW10	INW10: =1 if Respondent W10	Categ
11	INW11	INW11: =1 if Respondent W11	Categ
12	INW12	INW12: =1 if Respondent W12	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
INW1	128908	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
INW2	128908	0.54	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW3	128908	0.51	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW4	128908	0.60	0.49	0.0	1.0
INW5	128908	0.56	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW6	128908	0.54	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW7	128908	0.58	0.49	0.0	1.0
INW8	128908	0.53	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW9	128908	0.51	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW10	128908	0.61	0.49	0.0	1.0
INW11	128908	0.57	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW12	128908	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	INW1	INW2	INW3	INW4	INW5	INW6	INW7
0.NonResp	78271	58821	63626	52058	56652	59774	54505
1.Resp,alive	50637	70087	65282	76850	72256	69134	74403

Value	INW8	INW9	INW10	INW11	INW12
0.NonResp	59986	63754	50554	55504	62306
1.Resp,alive	68922	65154	78354	73404	66602

How Constructed

The INWw variables indicate whether an individual responded to a particular wave.

The Tracker file identifies one Respondent as deceased at Wave 2H, but flags in the HRS W2 data indicate that this case actually completed the interview and then died. In previous versions of the RANDHRS, this case has INW2=1 with

R2IWSTAT=2-Died after interview. In skip patterns within the interview the case is treated as living. We treat this case as deceased in W2, that is, we use the Tracker file mortality status.

Overlap Identifier for cases that moved from HRS to AHEAD
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAOVLAP	RAOVLAP: Overlap/AltID case	Categ
1	RAOVRAYR	RAOVRAYR:Ahd-Ahd overlap-alt id end yr	Cont
1	HAOAHDDH	HAOAHDDH: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHID/Num	Cont
1	RAOAHDDID	RAOAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
1	H1OHRSHH	H1OHRSHH:W1 HRS core HHID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
1	RAOHRSID	RAOHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAOVLAP	128908	0.00	0.07	0.0	3.0
RAOVRAYR	128900	0.22	20.80	0.0	1998.0
HAOAHDDH	128900	844.66	13133.96	0.0	208867.0
RAOAHDDID	128908	844602.65	13133554.92	0.0	208867020.0
H1OHRSHH	128900	1709.67	30445.35	0.0	870320.0
RAOHRSID	128908	203745.56	5155658.57	0.0	529766010.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAOVLAP
0.Not overlap case	128369
1.Hrs-Ahd overlap	517
2.Ahd-Ahd overlap	14
3.2006 PN chg	8

How Constructed

Around 100 individuals responded to HRS 1992 (W1) who were AHEAD eligible, and their households were given to the AHEAD sample. From 1993 on, they are treated as AHEAD cases. On this file, these cases are identified by their AHEAD IDs, and are linked to their HRS 1992 data. These are the only AHEAD entry cohort Respondents with any W1 data. These are "HRS-AHEAD" overlap cases and are identified by RAOVLAP (=1).

There is one case that does not appear to be an overlap case, that is, it has an HRS ID and no OVHHID on the Tracker file. However, the R is married in HRS W1 to a spouse who is an overlap case. The spouse is married in AHEAD to an individual who appears to be the same as the HRS-only spouse. We treat these spouses as the same person in this file.

In addition, a few individuals within the AHEAD sample married someone from a different AHEAD household. These cases have one AHEAD ID for early waves, but are assigned a new ID after the within-sample marriage. This file identifies these Respondents by their most recent AHEAD ID. RAOVRAYR gives the last year in which the original HHIDPN is assigned, i.e., the last interview before the within-sample marriage. For example, if someone married another AHEAD sample member in a different household between 1995 and 1998, RAOVRAYR=1995. These are "AHEAD-AHEAD" overlap cases and are identified by RAOVRLAP as well (=2).

RAOAHDDID is the AHEAD HHIDPN for the HRS-AHEAD overlap Respondents, and the original AHEAD ID for AHEAD-AHEAD overlap Respondents. HAOAHDHH gives just the HHID portion of RAOAHDDID. On this file, HHIDPN (numeric), RAHHIDPN (character), and RAOAHDDID (numeric) are all equal for HRS-AHEAD overlap cases.

For AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases, HHIDPN and RAHHIDPN are the most recent AHEAD ID, different from the original one found in RAOAHDDID. RAOAHDDID matches the OVHHID and OVPN found for the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases on the Tracker file, and the HHID and PN found in the core data for interviews up to and including RAOVRAYR. HHIDPN and RAHHIDPN match HHID and PN found in the core data for interviews after RAOVRAYR.

RAOHRSID is the HRS HHIDPN for the HRS-AHEAD overlap Respondents. RAOHRSID is the HHIDPN that identifies R in the HRS Wave 1 Public Use Data and by OVHHID and OVPN on the Tracker file.

For the HRS-AHEAD overlap cases the HwHHID and HwHHIDC variables reflect the AHEAD household identifier in all waves. For the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases, HwHHID and HwHHIDC reflect the actual AHEAD sub-household for the Respondent in each wave. For example, if R was in household 200000 in 1995 and married into household 290000 in 1998, H3HHID would be 200000 and H4HHID would be 290000.

RAOHRSHH is the HRS HHID for Respondents in the overlap household, and H1HRSHH is the HRS Wave 1 HHID plus sub-household for overlap Respondents. For AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases these HRS IDs are set to zero.

For non-overlap cases, all overlap IDs and RAOVRLAP are set to zero.

The spouse overlap flag and identifiers are taken from the Wave "w" spouse variables, i.e., from the Wave "w" spouse RAOVRLAP, RAOAHDDID, RAOHRSID, and RAOVRAYR.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Tracker identifies all the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases and HRS-AHEAD overlap cases.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OVHHID	OVERLAP CASE: OLD HHID
OVPN	OVERLAP CASE: OLD PN
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Sample Cohort

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	HACOHORT	HACOHORT: Sample cohort	Categ
1	RACOHBYR	RACOHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
1	S1COHBYR	S1COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
2	S2COHBYR	S2COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
3	S3COHBYR	S3COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
4	S4COHBYR	S4COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
5	S5COHBYR	S5COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
6	S6COHBYR	S6COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
7	S7COHBYR	S7COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
8	S8COHBYR	S8COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
9	S9COHBYR	S9COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
10	S10COHBYR	S10COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
11	S11COHBYR	S11COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
12	S12COHBYR	S12COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
HACOHORT	128908	3.19	1.56	0.0	6.0
RACOHBYR	128908	3.09	1.67	0.0	6.0
S1COHBYR	35429	3.03	0.73	0.0	6.0
S2COHBYR	44714	2.50	1.06	0.0	6.0
S3COHBYR	41268	2.58	1.05	0.0	6.0
S4COHBYR	48906	2.77	1.12	0.0	6.0
S5COHBYR	45097	2.83	1.11	0.0	6.0
S6COHBYR	41905	2.92	1.09	0.0	6.0
S7COHBYR	45712	3.26	1.31	0.0	6.0
S8COHBYR	41468	3.32	1.29	0.0	6.0
S9COHBYR	38196	3.39	1.29	0.0	6.0
S10COHBYR	47909	3.74	1.73	0.0	6.0
S11COHBYR	44222	3.80	1.74	0.0	6.0
S12COHBYR	39054	3.86	1.77	0.0	6.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	HACOHORT
0.Hrs/Ahead overlap	517
1.Ahead	24851
2.Coda	8579
3.Hrs	55709
4.WarBabies	9150
5.Early BabyBoomers	15018
6.Mid BabyBoomers	15084

Value	RACOHBYR
0.Not in any cohort	4963
1.Ahead	22709
2.Coda	15806
3.Hrs	42212
4.WarBabies	13131
5.Early BabyBoomers	15080
6.Mid BabyBoomers	15007

Value	S1COHBYR	S2COHBYR	S3COHBYR	S4COHBYR	S5COHBYR	S6COHBYR	S7COHBYR
.U=Unmar	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
.V=Sp NR		271	258	227	151	197	182
0.Not in any cohort	96	89	125	314	324	303	809
1.Ahead	853	11322	9164	7235	5731	4269	3146
2.Coda	3742	5689	5096	9604	8694	7801	7014
3.Hrs	25473	22751	22005	21346	20107	19298	18475
4.WarBabies	3885	3639	3620	7622	7535	7395	7220
5.Early BabyBoomers	1053	969	930	2091	2006	2036	6927
6.Mid BabyBoomers	327	255	328	694	700	803	2121

Value	S8COHBYR	S9COHBYR	S10COHBYR	S11COHBYR	S12COHBYR
.U=Unmar	19415	19525	22793	22565	21751
.V=Sp NR	203	273	382	527	524
0.Not in any cohort	803	814	3811	3654	3628
1.Ahead	2253	1636	954	588	298
2.Coda	6021	5000	4018	3266	2334
3.Hrs	16871	15761	14293	12855	10613
4.WarBabies	6880	6502	6827	6441	5767
5.Early BabyBoomers	6685	6493	8232	8001	7589
6.Mid BabyBoomers	1955	1990	9774	9417	8825

How Constructed

HACOHORT identifies the cohort in which the household was originally sampled. It does not necessarily reflect a birth year range but simply indicates when and how the household entered the study. RACOHBYR identifies the cohort a Respondent fits into based on birth year. In this file all entry cohorts, that is - HRS, AHEAD, CODA, WB, EBB and MBB - are included.

There are six birth year cohorts in the HRS: 1) AHEAD, born before 1924; 2) the Children of Depression (CODA), born 1924-1930; 3) HRS, born 1931-1941; 4) War Babies (WB), born 1942-1947, (5) Early Baby Boomers (EBB), born 1948-1953, and (6) Mid Baby Boomer (MBB), born 1954-1959. RACOHBYR uses RABYEAR to assign Respondents to the cohort with the corresponding birth year range. If birth year is missing, then RACOHBYR is missing. If birth year is after 1959 then RABCOHBYR is set to zero.

The HRS sample was interviewed separately in 1992, 1994, and 1996. The AHEAD sample was interviewed separately in 1993 and 1995. In 1998, the two studies were merged and the CODA and WB cohorts were added. The EBB cohort was added in 2004. The MBB cohort was added in 2010.

HACOHORT is assigned based on both response patterns and variables in the raw data that identify the cohort. HHIDPN could also be used, as each cohort has a unique range. HRS/AHEAD Overlap cases are identified as a separate category of their own. Please see the RAOVRLAP variable description for more information on these cases.

SwCOHBYR is taken from the Wave "w" spouse's value for RACOHBYR, i.e., based on the spouse's birth year.

See also RAHRSAMP which identifies age-eligible members of the HRS cohort (HACOHORT=3 and RACHOBYR=3) who responded to HRS 1992, and RAAHDSMP which identifies age-eligible members of the AHEAD cohort (HACOHORT=1 and RACHOBYR=1) who responded to Ahead 1993.

NOTE: At least one Respondent in a household should have a birth year appropriate for the cohort (though this is not always the case). From the HRS documentation on the weights, it appears that weights were assigned based on birth year, regardless of how a person entered the sample, beginning in 1998.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1998:	
F461	PRELOAD COHORT
HRS 2000:	
G482	CS0Y9.PRELOAD ENTRY COHORT
HRS 2002:	
HZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2004:	
JZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2006:	
KZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2008:	
LZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT
HRS 2010:	
MZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT -1
HRS 2012:	
NZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT
HRS 2014:	
OZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT

Whether Eligible for the HRS Sample
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAHRSAMP	RAHRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
1	S1HRSAMP	S1HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
2	S2HRSAMP	S2HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
3	S3HRSAMP	S3HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
4	S4HRSAMP	S4HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
5	S5HRSAMP	S5HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
6	S6HRSAMP	S6HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
7	S7HRSAMP	S7HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
8	S8HRSAMP	S8HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
9	S9HRSAMP	S9HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
10	S10HRSAMP	S10HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
11	S11HRSAMP	S11HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
12	S12HRSAMP	S12HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
1	RAAHSAMP	RAAHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
1	S1AHSAMP	S1AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
2	S2AHSAMP	S2AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
3	S3AHSAMP	S3AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
4	S4AHSAMP	S4AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
5	S5AHSAMP	S5AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
6	S6AHSAMP	S6AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
7	S7AHSAMP	S7AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
8	S8AHSAMP	S8AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
9	S9AHSAMP	S9AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
10	S10AHSAMP	S10AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
11	S11AHSAMP	S11AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
12	S12AHSAMP	S12AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAHRSAMP	128908	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
S1HRSAMP	35429	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S2HRSAMP	44778	0.49	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3HRSAMP	41342	0.51	0.50	0.0	1.0
S4HRSAMP	48943	0.41	0.49	0.0	1.0
S5HRSAMP	45119	0.42	0.49	0.0	1.0
S6HRSAMP	41933	0.43	0.49	0.0	1.0
S7HRSAMP	45724	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S8HRSAMP	41481	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S9HRSAMP	38215	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S10HRSAMP	47923	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S11HRSAMP	44335	0.25	0.44	0.0	1.0
S12HRSAMP	39235	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
RAAHSAMP	128908	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
S1AHSAMP	35429	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
S2AHSAMP	44778	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S3AHSAMP	41342	0.21	0.40	0.0	1.0
S4AHSAMP	48943	0.13	0.34	0.0	1.0
S5AHSAMP	45119	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
S6AHSAMP	41933	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0

S7AHD SMP	45724	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
S8AHD SMP	41481	0.04	0.21	0.0	1.0
S9AHD SMP	38215	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0
S10AHD SMP	47923	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
S11AHD SMP	44335	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
S12AHD SMP	39235	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAHRSAMP
0.Not in Sample	90385
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	38523

Value	S1HRSAMP	S2HRSAMP	S3HRSAMP	S4HRSAMP	S5HRSAMP	S6HRSAMP	S7HRSAMP
.U=Unmar	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
.V=Sp NR		207	184	190	129	169	170
0.Not in Sample	10730	22792	20365	28949	26347	24102	28799
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	24699	21986	20977	19994	18772	17831	16925

Value	S8HRSAMP	S9HRSAMP	S10HRSAMP	S11HRSAMP	S12HRSAMP
.U=Unmar	19415	19525	22793	22565	21751
.V=Sp NR	190	254	368	414	343
0.Not in Sample	26168	24038	35381	33096	29903
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	15313	14177	12542	11239	9332

Value	RAAHD SMP
0.Not in Sample	107542
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	21366

Value	S1AHD SMP	S2AHD SMP	S3AHD SMP	S4AHD SMP	S5AHD SMP	S6AHD SMP	S7AHD SMP
.U=Unmar	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
.V=Sp NR		207	184	190	129	169	170
0.Not in Sample	35219	34314	32838	42416	40086	38196	43069
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	210	10464	8504	6527	5033	3737	2655

Value	S8AHD SMP	S9AHD SMP	S10AHD SMP	S11AHD SMP	S12AHD SMP
.U=Unmar	19415	19525	22793	22565	21751
.V=Sp NR	190	254	368	414	343
0.Not in Sample	39655	36931	47211	43898	39002
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	1826	1284	712	437	233

How Constructed

These files contain observations for any individual who responded to any of the HRS or AHEAD waves, regardless of birth year.

RAHRSAMP identifies HRS-eligible individuals defined as those who are age-eligible and responded to Wave 1. HRS age-eligible individuals are those born from 1931 to 1941, according to RABDATE. A 1 indicates that the individual is

HRS-eligible and a 0 indicates that he/she is not. The spouses of individuals in this sample may or may not be in the sample as well.

RAAHDSMP identifies AHEAD-eligible individuals defined as those who are age-eligible and responded to Wave 2A. AHEAD age-eligible individuals are those born prior to 1924, according to RABDATE. A 1 indicates that the individual is AHEAD-eligible and a 0 indicates that he/she is not. The spouses of individuals in this sample may or may not be in the sample as well.

The SwHRSAMP and SwAHDSAMP variables indicate whether the Wave "w" spouse or partner is also in these files as a Respondent, i.e., whether the spouse is HRS or AHEAD age-eligible and responded to Wave 1 or Wave 2A, respectively. A 1 indicates that the spouse is in the sample and a 0 indicates that he/she is not.

See also HACOHORT, which identifies how the household entered the study, regardless of Respondent age, and RACOHBYR, which identifies which cohort a Respondent fits into based on birth year.

Household Analysis Weight

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1WTHH	R1WTHH:W1 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
2	R2WTHH	R2WTHH:W2 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
3	R3WTHH	R3WTHH:W3 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
4	R4WTHH	R4WTHH:W4 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
5	R5WTHH	R5WTHH:W5 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
6	R6WTHH	R6WTHH:W6 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
7	R7WTHH	R7WTHH:W7 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
8	R8WTHH	R8WTHH:W8 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
9	R9WTHH	R9WTHH:W9 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
10	R10WTHH	R10WTHH:W10 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
11	R11WTHH	R11WTHH:W11 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
12	R12WTHH	R12WTHH:W12 Household Analysis Weight	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1WTHH	41866	2330.37	1034.22	0.0	7380.0
R2WTHH	60576	2638.78	1205.63	0.0	10003.0
R3WTHH	57159	2722.98	1312.52	0.0	11557.0
R4WTHH	68539	3085.86	1802.39	0.0	13512.0
R5WTHH	64184	3232.09	2003.77	0.0	25973.0
R6WTHH	61139	3388.42	2097.07	0.0	13193.0
R7WTHH	65619	3637.98	2426.92	0.0	13146.0
R8WTHH	61086	3784.05	2620.32	0.0	14375.0
R9WTHH	57994	3813.44	2689.83	0.0	13209.0
R10WTHH	71084	3871.55	3179.16	0.0	17462.0
R11WTHH	67314	3947.58	3362.10	0.0	17875.0
R12WTHH	61329	4095.47	3537.26	0.0	18411.0

How Constructed

The household weights are taken directly from the Tracker file.

In 2010 HRS updated the household weight variables, due to a change in the CPS weights, and in part due to a calculation error.

An HRS analysis shows that these revisions do not substantially alter the weights, and do not significantly affect weighted distributions of key variables. Analyses done with the earlier versions of sampling weights should not in general require revision. Some possible exceptions include analyses that present population estimates (counts or percentages) for the 1995 AHEAD cohort or for the EBB non-minority (White/other) sample. Analyses that compare the EBB non-minority cohort to other subgroups may also be affected by the new weights. The full report can be found on the HRS website in the data description for the 2010 tracker file.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The household weights on the Tracker file are based on WGTBYR, which may differ from the Respondent's BIRTHYR used as the basis for birth year derived on these files. If the WGTBYR for someone in the HRS cohort sample (see HACOHORT) is outside of 1931-1941 or missing for all Respondents in a household, then the household may have a zero weight in W1, but still be HRS eligible (someone born 1931-1941) according to the household member's BIRTHYR. The same is also true for the AHEAD sample, the only difference being that these individuals were born prior to 1924. WGTBYR was provided as a variable on Tracker V2.0 but is not included in the current file. Other variables are available on the current Tracker which may help analysts determine why weights are not as expected. They are xWHY0WGT (where "x" is A through K depending on the interview year), xWHY0RWT (beginning in 2004), and WTCOHORT, which gives the birth cohort used for calculating weights.

The weights are structured to match the CPS which includes living, non-institutionalized Respondents. A household where the only or both Respondents are institutionalized at the time of the interview (e.g., living in a nursing home) will have zero household weights for that wave.

HRS Respondents who were given to the AHEAD study (overlap households) are assigned a weight of zero for HRS Wave 1.

Thus, there are cases where Respondents in a given wave have zero household weight for the wave on these files.

Note also that in HRS 1998, the AHEAD and HRS cohorts are combined, and the CODA and WB cohorts are added. The weights derived for waves from 1998 forward used Respondents from ALL cohorts (age-eligible for the entry cohort or not) to match the CPS-reported population sums. This means that some of the weight for the HRS birth year entry cohort is assigned to Respondents in other cohorts who happen to have been born 1931-1941, and some of the weight assigned to HRS birth year entry cohort Respondents outside the 1931-1941 range, accounts for some of the weight for other birth year entry cohorts.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AWGTHH	1992	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
BWGTHH	1993	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
CWGTHH	1994	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
DWGTHH	1995	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
EWGTHH	1996	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
FWGTHH	1998	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
GWGTHH	2000	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
HWGTHH	2002	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
JWGTHH	2004	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
KWGTHH	2006	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
LWGTHH	2008	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
MWGTHH	2010	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
NWGTHH	2012	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
OWGTHH	2014	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL

Person-Level Analysis Weight

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1WTRESP	R1WTRESP:W1 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
2	R2WTRESP	R2WTRESP:W2 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
3	R3WTRESP	R3WTRESP:W3 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
4	R4WTRESP	R4WTRESP:W4 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
5	R5WTRESP	R5WTRESP:W5 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
6	R6WTRESP	R6WTRESP:W6 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
7	R7WTRESP	R7WTRESP:W7 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
8	R8WTRESP	R8WTRESP:W8 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
9	R9WTRESP	R9WTRESP:W9 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
10	R10WTRESP	R10WTRESP:W10 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
11	R11WTRESP	R11WTRESP:W11 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
12	R12WTRESP	R12WTRESP:W12 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
1	S1WTRESP	S1WTRESP:W1 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
2	S2WTRESP	S2WTRESP:W2 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
3	S3WTRESP	S3WTRESP:W3 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
4	S4WTRESP	S4WTRESP:W4 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
5	S5WTRESP	S5WTRESP:W5 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
6	S6WTRESP	S6WTRESP:W6 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
7	S7WTRESP	S7WTRESP:W7 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
8	S8WTRESP	S8WTRESP:W8 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
9	S9WTRESP	S9WTRESP:W9 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
10	S10WTRESP	S10WTRESP:W10 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
11	S11WTRESP	S11WTRESP:W11 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
12	S12WTRESP	S12WTRESP:W12 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1WTRESP	41866	1853.75	1362.15	0.0	7710.0
R2WTRESP	60576	2224.19	1514.99	0.0	10956.0
R3WTRESP	57159	2253.51	1601.34	0.0	13795.0
R4WTRESP	68539	3052.40	1870.24	0.0	16153.0
R5WTRESP	64184	3143.60	2026.20	0.0	27408.0
R6WTRESP	61139	3258.10	2116.04	0.0	19101.0
R7WTRESP	65619	3711.25	2658.81	0.0	16170.0
R8WTRESP	61086	3865.03	2821.50	0.0	17035.0
R9WTRESP	57994	3896.38	2910.83	0.0	16558.0
R10WTRESP	71084	3886.43	3327.64	0.0	19408.0
R11WTRESP	67314	3953.45	3500.89	0.0	19866.0
R12WTRESP	61329	4133.34	3713.93	0.0	20348.0
S1WTRESP	34654	1779.26	1402.52	0.0	7710.0
S2WTRESP	43597	2105.83	1595.46	0.0	10956.0
S3WTRESP	40165	2117.46	1647.22	0.0	13795.0
S4WTRESP	47359	2967.92	1826.43	0.0	16153.0
S5WTRESP	44158	3089.29	1953.49	0.0	12159.0
S6WTRESP	41273	3234.44	2119.53	0.0	19101.0
S7WTRESP	44740	3787.79	2732.93	0.0	16170.0
S8WTRESP	40592	3987.69	2930.79	0.0	17035.0
S9WTRESP	37182	4019.31	3036.71	0.0	16558.0
S10WTRESP	45956	4016.65	3467.36	0.0	19408.0
S11WTRESP	42647	4093.69	3654.45	0.0	19866.0
S12WTRESP	37609	4341.81	3922.43	0.0	20348.0

How Constructed

The person-level weights are taken directly from the Tracker file and assigned to `RwWTRESP`. The person-level weights apply to those residing in the community, so are zero for those living in a nursing home.

From Wave 5 to 10, HRS provides weights for individuals living in a nursing home. These weights are provided in `RwWTR_NH`. For those not living in a nursing home, these weights are zero.

The spouse's person-level weight is taken from the Wave "w" spouse's variable, i.e., from the Wave "w" spouse's `RwWTRESP` or `RwWTR_NH`.

In 2010 HRS updated the weight variables, due to a change in the CPS weights, and in part due to a calculation error.

An HRS analysis shows that these revisions do not substantially alter the weights, and do not significantly affect weighted distributions of key variables. Analyses done with the earlier versions of sampling weights should not, in general, require revision. Some possible exceptions include analyses that present population estimates (counts or percentages) for the 1995 AHEAD cohort, or for the EBB non-minority (White/other) sample. Analyses that compare the EBB non-minority cohort to other subgroups may also be affected by the new weights. The full report can be found on the HRS website in the data description for the 2010 tracker file.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The standard HRS weights are structured to match the CPS which includes living, non-institutionalized Respondents. HRS sets these person-level weights to zero for those not age-eligible, living outside the U.S., or living in a nursing home. In 2000 and 2002, HRS provides separate person-level weights for nursing home residents.

The person-level weights on the Tracker file are based on `WGTBYR` which differ from the Respondent's `BIRTHYR` used as the basis for birth year derived on these files. If the `WGTBYR` for someone in the HRS cohort sample (see `HACOHORT`) is outside of 1931-1941 or missing, then a Respondent may have a zero weight in `W1`, but still be HRS eligible (someone born 1931-1941) according to `BIRTHYR`. The same is also true for the AHEAD sample, the only difference being that these individuals were born prior to 1924. `WGTBYR` was provided as a variable on Tracker V2.0, but has not been included on more recent versions of Tracker. Other variables available on more recent versions of Tracker may help analysts determine why weights are not as expected. They are `xWHY0WGT` (where "x" is A through K depending on the interview year), `xWHY0RWT` (beginning in 2004), and `WTCOHORT`, which gives the birth cohort used for calculating weights.

A Respondent who is institutionalized, e.g., in a nursing home, at the time of the interview will have zero person-level weight for that wave.

HRS Respondents who were given to the AHEAD study (overlap households) are assigned a weight of zero for HRS Wave 1.

Thus, there are cases where Respondents in a given wave have a zero person-level weight for the wave on these files.

Note also that in HRS 1998 the AHEAD and HRS cohorts are combined, and the CODA and WB cohorts are added. The weights derived for waves from 1998 forward used Respondents from ALL cohorts (age-eligible for the entry cohort or not) to match the CPS-reported population sums. This means that some of the weight for the HRS birth year entry cohort

is assigned to Respondents in other cohorts who happen to have been born 1931-1941, and some of the weight assigned to HRS birth year entry cohort Respondents outside the 1931-1941 range, accounts for some of the weight for other birth year entry cohorts.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AWGTR	1992	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
BWGTR	1993	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
CWGTR	1994	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
DWGTR	1995	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
EWGTR	1996	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
FWGTR	1998	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
GWGTR	2000	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
HWGTR	2002	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
JWGTR	2004	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
KWGTR	2006	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
LWGTR	2008	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
MWGTR	2010	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
NWGTR	2012	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
OWGTR	2014	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL

Whether Couple Household

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1CPL	H1CPL:W1 Whether couple HHold	Categ
2	H2CPL	H2CPL:W2 Whether couple HHold	Categ
3	H3CPL	H3CPL:W3 Whether couple HHold	Categ
4	H4CPL	H4CPL:W4 Whether couple HHold	Categ
5	H5CPL	H5CPL:W5 Whether couple HHold	Categ
6	H6CPL	H6CPL:W6 Whether couple HHold	Categ
7	H7CPL	H7CPL:W7 Whether couple HHold	Categ
8	H8CPL	H8CPL:W8 Whether couple HHold	Categ
9	H9CPL	H9CPL:W9 Whether couple HHold	Categ
10	H10CPL	H10CPL:W10 Whether couple HHold	Categ
11	H11CPL	H11CPL:W11 Whether couple HHold	Categ
12	H12CPL	H12CPL:W12 Whether couple HHold	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1CPL	41866	0.85	0.36	0.0	1.0
H2CPL	60576	0.74	0.44	0.0	1.0
H3CPL	57159	0.73	0.45	0.0	1.0
H4CPL	68539	0.72	0.45	0.0	1.0
H5CPL	64184	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
H6CPL	61139	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
H7CPL	65619	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
H8CPL	61086	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
H9CPL	57994	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
H10CPL	71084	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
H11CPL	67314	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
H12CPL	61329	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H1CPL	H2CPL	H3CPL	H4CPL	H5CPL	H6CPL	H7CPL
0.not a couple HH	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
1.couple HH	35429	44985	41526	49133	45248	42102	45894

Value	H8CPL	H9CPL	H10CPL	H11CPL	H12CPL
0.not a couple HH	19415	19520	22793	22565	21751
1.couple HH	41671	38474	48291	44749	39578

How Constructed

HwCPL indicates whether this household is treated as a couple household or not. Households in HRS can consist of a single Respondent or a couple. HwCPL is set to "1" if the Respondent is married (RwMSTAT or RwMSTATH is married or partnered), partnered (RwMPART=1), or if there are two Respondents in the wave-specific household (HwHHRESP=2). Otherwise a single Respondent is assumed, and HwCPL is set to "0." As with most other RAND HRS variables, HwCPL is missing in waves where the Respondent does not respond.

Financial, Family Respondent

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FAMR	R1FAMR:W1 Whether Family Resp	Categ
2	R2FAMR	R2FAMR:W2 Whether Family Resp	Categ
3	R3FAMR	R3FAMR:W3 Whether Family Resp	Categ
4	R4FAMR	R4FAMR:W4 Whether Family Resp	Categ
5	R5FAMR	R5FAMR:W5 Whether Family Resp	Categ
6	R6FAMR	R6FAMR:W6 Whether Family Resp	Categ
7	R7FAMR	R7FAMR:W7 Whether Family Resp	Categ
8	R8FAMR	R8FAMR:W8 Whether Family Resp	Categ
9	R9FAMR	R9FAMR:W9 Whether Family Resp	Categ
10	R10FAMR	R10FAMR:W10 Whether Family Resp	Categ
11	R11FAMR	R11FAMR:W11 Whether Family Resp	Categ
12	R12FAMR	R12FAMR:W12 Whether Family Resp	Categ
1	S1FAMR	S1FAMR:W1 Whether Family Resp	Categ
2	S2FAMR	S2FAMR:W2 Whether Family Resp	Categ
3	S3FAMR	S3FAMR:W3 Whether Family Resp	Categ
4	S4FAMR	S4FAMR:W4 Whether Family Resp	Categ
5	S5FAMR	S5FAMR:W5 Whether Family Resp	Categ
6	S6FAMR	S6FAMR:W6 Whether Family Resp	Categ
7	S7FAMR	S7FAMR:W7 Whether Family Resp	Categ
8	S8FAMR	S8FAMR:W8 Whether Family Resp	Categ
9	S9FAMR	S9FAMR:W9 Whether Family Resp	Categ
10	S10FAMR	S10FAMR:W10 Whether Family Resp	Categ
11	S11FAMR	S11FAMR:W11 Whether Family Resp	Categ
12	S12FAMR	S12FAMR:W12 Whether Family Resp	Categ
1	R1FINR	R1FINR:W1 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
2	R2FINR	R2FINR:W2 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
3	R3FINR	R3FINR:W3 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
4	R4FINR	R4FINR:W4 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
5	R5FINR	R5FINR:W5 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
6	R6FINR	R6FINR:W6 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
7	R7FINR	R7FINR:W7 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
8	R8FINR	R8FINR:W8 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
9	R9FINR	R9FINR:W9 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
10	R10FINR	R10FINR:W10 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
11	R11FINR	R11FINR:W11 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
12	R12FINR	R12FINR:W12 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
1	S1FINR	S1FINR:W1 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
2	S2FINR	S2FINR:W2 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
3	S3FINR	S3FINR:W3 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
4	S4FINR	S4FINR:W4 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
5	S5FINR	S5FINR:W5 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
6	S6FINR	S6FINR:W6 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
7	S7FINR	S7FINR:W7 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
8	S8FINR	S8FINR:W8 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
9	S9FINR	S9FINR:W9 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
10	S10FINR	S10FINR:W10 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
11	S11FINR	S11FINR:W11 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
12	S12FINR	S12FINR:W12 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
1	H1ANYFAM	H1ANYFAM:W1 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
2	H2ANYFAM	H2ANYFAM:W2 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
3	H3ANYFAM	H3ANYFAM:W3 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
4	H4ANYFAM	H4ANYFAM:W4 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
5	H5ANYFAM	H5ANYFAM:W5 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
6	H6ANYFAM	H6ANYFAM:W6 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
7	H7ANYFAM	H7ANYFAM:W7 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
8	H8ANYFAM	H8ANYFAM:W8 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
9	H9ANYFAM	H9ANYFAM:W9 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
10	H10ANYFAM	H10ANYFAM:W10 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
11	H11ANYFAM	H11ANYFAM:W11 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
12	H12ANYFAM	H12ANYFAM:W12 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
1	H1ANYFIN	H1ANYFIN:W1 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ

2	H2ANYFIN	H2ANYFIN:W2 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
3	H3ANYFIN	H3ANYFIN:W3 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
4	H4ANYFIN	H4ANYFIN:W4 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
5	H5ANYFIN	H5ANYFIN:W5 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
6	H6ANYFIN	H6ANYFIN:W6 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
7	H7ANYFIN	H7ANYFIN:W7 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
8	H8ANYFIN	H8ANYFIN:W8 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
9	H9ANYFIN	H9ANYFIN:W9 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
10	H10ANYFIN	H10ANYFIN:W10 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
11	H11ANYFIN	H11ANYFIN:W11 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
12	H12ANYFIN	H12ANYFIN:W12 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FAMR	41866	0.59	0.49	0.0	1.0
R2FAMR	60576	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
R3FAMR	57159	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R4FAMR	68539	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R5FAMR	64184	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R6FAMR	61139	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R7FAMR	65619	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R8FAMR	61086	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R9FAMR	57994	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R10FAMR	71084	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R11FAMR	67314	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R12FAMR	61329	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S1FAMR	34654	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S2FAMR	43597	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3FAMR	40165	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S4FAMR	47359	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S5FAMR	44158	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S6FAMR	41273	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S7FAMR	44740	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S8FAMR	40592	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S9FAMR	37182	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S10FAMR	45956	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S11FAMR	42647	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S12FAMR	37609	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
R1FINR	41866	0.58	0.49	0.0	1.0
R2FINR	60576	0.63	0.48	0.0	1.0
R3FINR	57159	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
R4FINR	68539	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R5FINR	64184	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
R6FINR	61139	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R7FINR	65619	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R8FINR	61086	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R9FINR	57994	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R10FINR	71084	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R11FINR	67314	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R12FINR	61329	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S1FINR	34654	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S2FINR	43597	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3FINR	40165	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0

S4FINR	47359	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S5FINR	44158	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S6FINR	41273	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S7FINR	44740	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S8FINR	40592	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S9FINR	37182	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S10FINR	45956	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S11FINR	42647	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S12FINR	37609	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
H1ANYFAM	41866	1.00	0.00	1.0	1.0
H2ANYFAM	60576	1.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
H3ANYFAM	57159	1.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
H4ANYFAM	68539	0.99	0.10	0.0	1.0
H5ANYFAM	64184	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
H6ANYFAM	61139	1.00	0.02	0.0	1.0
H7ANYFAM	65619	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H8ANYFAM	61086	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H9ANYFAM	57994	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H10ANYFAM	71084	0.99	0.11	0.0	1.0
H11ANYFAM	67314	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
H12ANYFAM	61329	0.99	0.10	0.0	1.0
H1ANYFIN	41866	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H2ANYFIN	60576	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
H3ANYFIN	57159	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
H4ANYFIN	68539	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H5ANYFIN	64184	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H6ANYFIN	61139	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
H7ANYFIN	65619	1.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
H8ANYFIN	61086	1.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
H9ANYFIN	57994	1.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
H10ANYFIN	71084	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H11ANYFIN	67314	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H12ANYFIN	61329	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		R1FAMR	R2FAMR	R3FAMR	R4FAMR	R5FAMR	R6FAMR	R7FAMR
0.No		17324	21680	20252	24187	22328	20610	22640
1.Yes		24542	38896	36907	44352	41856	40529	42979
Value		R8FAMR	R9FAMR	R10FAMR	R11FAMR	R12FAMR		
0.No		20565	18854	23828	21808	19248		
1.Yes		40521	39140	47256	45506	42081		

Value	S1FAMR	S2FAMR	S3FAMR	S4FAMR	S5FAMR	S6FAMR	S7FAMR
.U=Unmarried	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
.V=Sp NR	775	1388	1361	1774	1090	829	1154
0.No	17330	21862	20108	23836	22170	20647	22375
1.Yes	17324	21735	20057	23523	21988	20626	22365

Value	S8FAMR	S9FAMR	S10FAMR	S11FAMR	S12FAMR
.U=Unmarried	19415	19525	22793	22565	21751
.V=Sp NR	1079	1287	2335	2102	1969
0.No	20286	18573	22995	21359	18868
1.Yes	20306	18609	22961	21288	18741

Value	R1FINR	R2FINR	R3FINR	R4FINR	R5FINR	R6FINR	R7FINR
0.No	17594	22241	20319	24039	22296	20659	22518
1.Yes	24272	38335	36840	44500	41888	40480	43101

Value	R8FINR	R9FINR	R10FINR	R11FINR	R12FINR
0.No	20413	18788	23378	21665	19142
1.Yes	40673	39206	47706	45649	42187

Value	S1FINR	S2FINR	S3FINR	S4FINR	S5FINR	S6FINR	S7FINR
.U=Unmarried	6437	15591	15633	19406	18936	19037	19725
.V=Sp NR	775	1388	1361	1774	1090	829	1154
0.No	17326	21870	20108	23791	22161	20678	22410
1.Yes	17328	21727	20057	23568	21997	20595	22330

Value	S8FINR	S9FINR	S10FINR	S11FINR	S12FINR
.U=Unmarried	19415	19525	22793	22565	21751
.V=Sp NR	1079	1287	2335	2102	1969
0.No	20309	18587	23012	21373	18873
1.Yes	20283	18595	22944	21274	18736

Value	H1ANYFAM	H2ANYFAM	H3ANYFAM	H4ANYFAM	H5ANYFAM	H6ANYFAM	H7ANYFAM
0.No		52	229	664	340	19	290
1.Yes	41866	60524	56930	67875	63844	61120	65329

Value	H8ANYFAM	H9ANYFAM	H10ANYFAM	H11ANYFAM	H12ANYFAM
0.No	285	270	884	559	561
1.Yes	60801	57724	70200	66755	60768

Value	H1ANYFIN	H2ANYFIN	H3ANYFIN	H4ANYFIN	H5ANYFIN	H6ANYFIN	H7ANYFIN
0.No	266	509	291	471	299	99	203
1.Yes	41600	60067	56868	68068	63885	61040	65416

Value	H8ANYFIN	H9ANYFIN	H10ANYFIN	H11ANYFIN	H12ANYFIN
0.No	156	218	451	430	460
1.Yes	60930	57776	70633	66884	60869

How Constructed

In couple households, household level questions about finances are answered by one individual designated the "Financial Respondent," and questions about family are answered by the individual designated the "Family Respondent." The Financial Respondent may be the same as the Family Respondent, or not, depending on the household. In single households, the only Respondent is both the Financial and Family Respondent.

RwFINR and RwFAMR indicate whether the Respondent is the designated Financial and Family Respondent, respectively. These flags are set to "1" if the designated Respondent, or "0" if not.

HwANYFIN indicates if any individual in the household is the Financial Respondent, and HwANYFAM indicates the same for the Family Respondent. A value of "0" in HwANYFIN or HwANYFAM indicates that there is no Financial or Family Respondent, respectively, and thus no household level information on the relevant topics. HwANYFIN and HwANYFAM are set to .S for the deceased Respondents in Wave 2 in previous versions of RANDHRS. We exclude the W2 deceased Respondents in this version.

SwFINR and SwFAMR are taken from the Wave "w" spouse's value for RwFINR and RwFAMR, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AFAMR	1992	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
AFINR	1992	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
ASUBHH	1992	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
BFAMR	1993	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
BFINR	1993	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
BSUBHH	1993	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
CFAMR	1994	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
CFINR	1994	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
CSUBHH	1994	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
DFAMR	1995	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
DFINR	1995	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
DSUBHH	1995	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
EFAMR	1996	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
EFINR	1996	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
ESUBHH	1996	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
FFAMR	1998	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
FFINR	1998	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
FSUBHH	1998	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
GFAMR	2000	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
GFINR	2000	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
GSUBHH	2000	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HFAMR	2002	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
HFINR	2002	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
HSUBHH	2002	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
JFAMR	2004	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
JFINR	2004	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
JSUBHH	2004	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
KFAMR	2006	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
KFINR	2006	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
KSUBHH	2006	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
LFAMR	2008	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
LFINR	2008	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
LSUBHH	2008	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
MFAMR	2010	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT

MFINR	2010	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
MSUBHH	2010	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
NFAMR	2012	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
NFINR	2012	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
NSUBHH	2012	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OFAMR	2014	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
OFINR	2014	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
OSUBHH	2014	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER

Whether Kid in the Core Data

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1IND	K1IND:W1 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
2	K2IND	K2IND:W2 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
3	K3IND	K3IND:W3 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
4	K4IND	K4IND:W4 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
5	K5IND	K5IND:W5 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
6	K6IND	K6IND:W6 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
7	K7IND	K7IND:W7 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
8	K8IND	K8IND:W8 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
9	K9IND	K9IND:W9 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
10	K10IND	K10IND:W10 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
11	K11IND	K11IND:W11 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
12	K12IND	K12IND:W12 Whether Kid in the core data	Categ
1	KP1IND	KP1IND:W1 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
2	KP2IND	KP2IND:W2 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
3	KP3IND	KP3IND:W3 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4IND	KP4IND:W4 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5IND	KP5IND:W5 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6IND	KP6IND:W6 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7IND	KP7IND:W7 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8IND	KP8IND:W8 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9IND	KP9IND:W9 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10IND	KP10IND:W10 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11IND	KP11IND:W11 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12IND	KP12IND:W12 Whether Kid in the core data/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1IND	128908	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
K2IND	128908	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
K3IND	128908	0.44	0.50	0.0	1.0
K4IND	128908	0.53	0.50	0.0	1.0
K5IND	128908	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
K6IND	128908	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
K7IND	128908	0.51	0.50	0.0	1.0
K8IND	128908	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
K9IND	128908	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
K10IND	128908	0.55	0.50	0.0	1.0
K11IND	128908	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0
K12IND	128908	0.48	0.50	0.0	1.0
KP1IND	24154	0.85	0.36	0.0	1.0
KP2IND	38044	0.92	0.26	0.0	1.0
KP3IND	44151	0.78	0.41	0.0	1.0
KP4IND	42477	0.98	0.15	0.0	1.0
KP5IND	41115	0.97	0.17	0.0	1.0
KP6IND	40079	0.97	0.17	0.0	1.0
KP7IND	42959	0.96	0.19	0.0	1.0
KP8IND	41045	0.97	0.17	0.0	1.0
KP9IND	39440	0.97	0.16	0.0	1.0
KP10IND	43826	0.99	0.12	0.0	1.0
KP11IND	42767	0.98	0.13	0.0	1.0
KP12IND	39670	0.99	0.12	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K1IND	K2IND	K3IND	K4IND	K5IND	K6IND	K7IND
0.Not in data		87042	68332	71749	60369	64724	67769	63289
1.In data		41866	60576	57159	68539	64184	61139	65619

Value		K8IND	K9IND	K10IND	K11IND	K12IND
0.Not in data		67822	70914	57824	61594	67579
1.In data		61086	57994	71084	67314	61329

Value		KP1IND	KP2IND	KP3IND	KP4IND	KP5IND	KP6IND	KP7IND
.U=Unmarried		17712	22532	13008	26062	23069	21060	22660
0.Not in data		3680	2890	9556	1011	1239	1136	1556
1.In data		20474	35154	34595	41466	39876	38943	41403

Value		KP8IND	KP9IND	KP10IND	KP11IND	KP12IND
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.Not in data		1226	1010	655	780	579
1.In data		39819	38430	43171	41987	39091

How Constructed

KwIND indicates whether the Respondent-kid pair is present in the core data at each wave, i.e., the records are in the various _MC files. The _MC files include PR_MC (preload HH member child file) and E_MC (Family Structure HH member child file).

Because the file is a Respondent-kid level file, kid records will appear twice if it is a couple household and both members have been core Respondents. In couple households where one Respondent does not respond in a particular wave (INWw=0) and the other Respondent does (INWw=1), their kid could have one record with KwIND=0 and another record with KwIND=1. If KwIND=0 for both records of one kid, either there was no reported data for that kid or both parents were non-Respondents for that wave. If KwIND=1 for both records of one kid, that kid's data will appear on the record of each parent. Please see the KwPICK variable description for more information on how to select one of the kid's records.

The records in this file are the sub-sample of _MC files for each wave. Some kid records that were reported in _MC are not included because of the inconsistency of relationships across waves. The records are selected if KAREL (best guess relationship) is kid, step-kid, or kid DK type.

Starting in 2002, the kids' spouses have separate records in the _MC files. These data are included on the kids' records rather than as separate records on this file.

KPwIND indicates whether the kid's spouse is listed in the current wave.

Whether the Linkage is Valid

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	LINK	LINK: Linkage indicator	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
LINK	128904	0.99	0.12	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	LINK
0.Linkage problem	1777
1.Linkage OK	127127

How Constructed

LINK is the indicator that distinguishes longitudinal linkages without any apparent problems (LINK = 1.Linkage OK) from those where the link is questionable (LINK = 0.Linkage problem). Linkage problems are identified by checking for changes over time in key information, e.g., gender, age, relationship and name. These changes are due to the following reasons:

- persons who assumed the OPN number of their deceased spouse or partner during the 1993 to 2000 waves,
- spouses or partners assigned a new OPN in 2002,
- persons with more than one OPN, or OPNs used by more than one person.

Pick the Kid Records

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KAPICK	KAPICK: Pick the kid records from longest lived R	Categ
1	K1PICK	K1PICK:W1 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
2	K2PICK	K2PICK:W2 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
3	K3PICK	K3PICK:W3 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
4	K4PICK	K4PICK:W4 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
5	K5PICK	K5PICK:W5 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
6	K6PICK	K6PICK:W6 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
7	K7PICK	K7PICK:W7 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
8	K8PICK	K8PICK:W8 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
9	K9PICK	K9PICK:W9 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
10	K10PICK	K10PICK:W10 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
11	K11PICK	K11PICK:W11 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ
12	K12PICK	K12PICK:W12 Pick the kid records from FamR	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
KAPICK	128908	0.61	0.49	0.0	1.0
K1PICK	41866	0.59	0.49	0.0	1.0
K2PICK	60576	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
K3PICK	57159	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
K4PICK	68539	0.66	0.48	0.0	1.0
K5PICK	64184	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
K6PICK	61139	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
K7PICK	65619	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
K8PICK	61086	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
K9PICK	57994	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
K10PICK	71084	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
K11PICK	67314	0.68	0.46	0.0	1.0
K12PICK	61329	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	KAPICK
0.No	49910
1.Yes	78998

Value	K1PICK	K2PICK	K3PICK	K4PICK	K5PICK	K6PICK	K7PICK
0.No	17324	21705	20041	23577	21988	20591	22350
1.Yes	24542	38871	37118	44962	42196	40548	43269

Value	K8PICK	K9PICK	K10PICK	K11PICK	K12PICK
0.No	20279	18584	22944	21255	18706
1.Yes	40807	39410	48140	46059	42623

How Constructed

Because the file is a Respondent-kid level file, a particular kid will appear in two records if s/he is connected to a couple household and both members are core Respondents. The PICK variables can be used to select just one record per kid.

KAPICK is the indicator for selecting the kid record from the longest lived Respondent if it is a couple household. If both members are present throughout the data, the record from Family Respondent is selected. This variable was derived from the INWw flags and FamR. This indicator selects the unique kid records from the Respondent-kid level file.

KwPICK is the wave specific indicator for selecting the kid record from the Family Respondent if it is a couple household. For split households, one kid may appear in two records with KwPICK=1 if the former spouses are both Family Respondents for their respective households.

Kid Relationship to Respondent (Best Guess)
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KAREL	KAREL: Kid Relation to Resp (best guess)	Categ
1	K1REL	K1REL:W1 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
2	K2REL	K2REL:W2 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
3	K3REL	K3REL:W3 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
4	K4REL	K4REL:W4 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
5	K5REL	K5REL:W5 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
6	K6REL	K6REL:W6 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
7	K7REL	K7REL:W7 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
8	K8REL	K8REL:W8 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
9	K9REL	K9REL:W9 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
10	K10REL	K10REL:W10 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
11	K11REL	K11REL:W11 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
12	K12REL	K12REL:W12 Kid Relation to Resp from core data	Categ
1	KARELEQ	KARELEQ:KwREL values equal across waves	Categ
2	K2RELFLG	K2RELFLG:W2 nonFamR Kid/Stepkid switch flag	Categ
10	K10RELFLG	K10RELFLG:W10 Kid/Stepkid switch flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
KAREL	128903	1.23	0.66	1.0	7.0
K1REL	41866	1.18	0.53	1.0	12.0
K2REL	46649	1.17	0.68	1.0	12.0
K3REL	56864	1.15	0.74	1.0	12.0
K4REL	68455	1.18	0.82	1.0	12.0
K5REL	64148	1.22	0.98	1.0	12.0
K6REL	61109	1.21	0.80	1.0	12.0
K7REL	65310	1.23	0.83	1.0	12.0
K8REL	61053	1.25	0.91	1.0	12.0
K9REL	57964	1.27	0.98	1.0	12.0
K10REL	70964	1.29	0.90	1.0	12.0
K11REL	67141	1.32	1.01	1.0	12.0
K12REL	61304	1.35	1.17	1.0	12.0
KARELEQ	128908	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
K2RELFLG	60576	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K10RELFLG	71084	0.14	0.34	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	KAREL
1.kid	105377
2.step-kid	22423
7.kid-DK type	1103

Value	K1REL	K2REL	K3REL	K4REL	K5REL	K6REL	K7REL
.M=Missing		13893	183	84	36	30	304
.R=Refuse		34					
.S=Deceased			108				
.U=Unmarried			4				5
1.kid	35457	40661	50510	59950	55429	51694	54572
2.step-kid	6218	5707	6093	8082	8090	8827	9984
3.grandkid		5	28	32	34	11	21
5.professional			4	3	1	1	
6.kid-in-law	9		11	37	108	279	211
7.kid-DK type	181	191				104	341
8.sibling					3		2
9.sib-in-law			1	5	18		
10.parent/par-in-law			8	72	65	1	9
11.other relative		10	13	35	38	47	44
12.other	1	75	196	239	362	145	126

Value	K8REL	K9REL	K10REL	K11REL	K12REL
.M=Missing	33	30	114	63	25
.U=Unmarried			6	4	
1.kid	50410	47296	56263	52695	47993
2.step-kid	9897	9999	13532	13197	12149
3.grandkid	20	31	30	26	30
6.kid-in-law	201	85	197	134	127
7.kid-DK type	256	211	778	822	506
8.sibling	3	1	4	2	2
9.sib-in-law	4		1		3
10.parent/par-in-law	7	1	1		
11.other relative	75	67	142	114	115
12.other	180	273	16	151	379

Value	KARELEQ
0=no (KwREL values vary)	18406
1=yes (KwREL values equal)	110502

Value	K2RELFLG
0.No	59584
1.Yes	992

Value	K10RELFLG
0.No	61444
1.Yes	9640

How Constructed

KAREL is the best guess kid relationship to the Respondent. It is processed from the answers across waves. The most frequently reported relationship is used if the relationship changes across waves. If two relationship types tie in frequency, the relationship code of lower value is assigned to KAREL.

In this file, only the kid records are included, i.e., KAREL is 1=kid, 2=step-kid or 7=Kid DK type.

KwREL is the wave-specific kid relationship to the Respondent given in the core data.

There are some records in the file where wave-specific relationship (KwREL) is 3.grandkid, 6.kid-in-law, 8.sibling, 9.sibling-in-law, 10.parent, 11.other relative or 12.other. This is because the most frequently reported relationship to the Respondent is kid but the relationship code changed across waves. When we identified cases where the OPN was re-used, the LINK variable was set to LINK=0 (linkage problem).

In some cases, KwREL is 10.parent. We checked name, birth year, and gender to verify that these cases are kid records. This process uncovered some reporting errors in the raw data, especially in Wave 4 and Wave 5.

KARELEQ is a flag that indicates whether relationship is reported consistently across waves. Cases for which KARELEQ=1 have equal values of KwREL over time. Some cases for which KARELEQ=0 can be attributed to two types of possible coding errors that have been identified in the HRS raw data on kid relationship to Respondent.

K2RELFLG is a flag that indicates a relationship switch from "stepkid" in Wave 1 (K1REL=2) to "kid" in Wave 3 (K3REL=1), then back to "stepkid" in later waves. This inconsistency occurs for those who are non-Family Respondents in Wave 2 (R2FAMR=0), for whom there is no kid relationship data (K2REL=.M).

K10RELFLG indicates a relationship switch from "kid" to "stepkid" or vice versa between Wave 10 and an adjacent wave (Wave 9 and/or Wave 10).

HRS Variables Used

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HRS 1992:
  V8006          KIDS:REL TO R          :IMP
  V8007          KIDS:REL TO H/P       :IMP
AHEAD 1993:
  B418          D5d. HHM REL TO FAMILY R
  B421          D6. HHM REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:
  W8003          RELATIONSHIP TO R
AHEAD 1995:
  D10          HHMEM REL TO IDFM
  D11          HHMEM REL TO IDNFM
HRS 1996:
  E10          HHMEM REL TO FAMILY R
  E11          HHMEN REL TO NONFAM R
HRS 1998:
  F11A         HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED - CORRECTED
  F12         HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
HRS 2000:
  G11         HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED
  G12         HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
HRS 2002:
  HX061_MC     RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
  HX063_MC     RELATIONSHIP TO SPOUSE/PARTNER OF R
HRS 2004:
  JX061_MC     RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
  JX063_MC     RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2006:
  KX061_MC     RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
  KX063_MC     RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2008:

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LX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
LX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
MX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
NX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
OX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED

Kid Birth Year

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KABYEARBG	KABYEARBG: Birth year (best guess)	Cont
1	K1BYEAR	K1BYEAR:W1 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
2	K2BYEAR	K2BYEAR:W2 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
3	K3BYEAR	K3BYEAR:W3 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
4	K4BYEAR	K4BYEAR:W4 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
5	K5BYEAR	K5BYEAR:W5 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
6	K6BYEAR	K6BYEAR:W6 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
7	K7BYEAR	K7BYEAR:W7 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
8	K8BYEAR	K8BYEAR:W8 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
9	K9BYEAR	K9BYEAR:W9 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
10	K10BYEAR	K10BYEAR:W10 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
11	K11BYEAR	K11BYEAR:W11 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
12	K12BYEAR	K12BYEAR:W12 Kid Birth Year reported each wave	Cont
3	KP3BYEAR	KP3BYEAR:W3 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
4	KP4BYEAR	KP4BYEAR:W4 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
5	KP5BYEAR	KP5BYEAR:W5 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
6	KP6BYEAR	KP6BYEAR:W6 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
7	KP7BYEAR	KP7BYEAR:W7 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
8	KP8BYEAR	KP8BYEAR:W8 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
9	KP9BYEAR	KP9BYEAR:W9 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
10	KP10BYEAR	KP10BYEAR:W10 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
11	KP11BYEAR	KP11BYEAR:W11 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont
12	KP12BYEAR	KP12BYEAR:W12 Kid Birth Year reported each wave/Kidsp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
KABYEARBG	125364	1965.26	14.58	1904.0	2014.0
K1BYEAR	41437	1963.32	7.25	1932.0	1991.0
K2BYEAR	59527	1957.38	11.22	1909.0	1993.0
K3BYEAR	53911	1957.82	11.04	1911.0	1993.0
K4BYEAR	67377	1959.73	11.02	1904.0	1998.0
K5BYEAR	63362	1960.41	10.85	1904.0	2000.0
K6BYEAR	60296	1961.09	10.68	1908.0	2003.0
K7BYEAR	64276	1963.90	11.75	1914.0	2003.0
K8BYEAR	60294	1964.44	11.61	1914.0	2005.0
K9BYEAR	57278	1965.12	11.48	1914.0	2007.0
K10BYEAR	67864	1969.97	13.11	1914.0	2011.0
K11BYEAR	65694	1970.94	13.01	1914.0	2012.0
K12BYEAR	60456	1971.88	12.90	1914.0	2014.0
KP3BYEAR	12388	1946.96	9.20	1906.0	1974.0
KP4BYEAR	38847	1957.35	10.15	1908.0	1994.0
KP5BYEAR	37981	1958.24	10.05	1901.0	1983.0
KP6BYEAR	36820	1959.48	10.03	1901.0	2002.0
KP7BYEAR	38760	1961.49	10.44	1901.0	2003.0
KP8BYEAR	37527	1962.70	10.70	1901.0	2005.0
KP9BYEAR	36275	1963.83	10.87	1903.0	2007.0
KP10BYEAR	39728	1966.81	11.46	1903.0	2011.0
KP11BYEAR	39434	1968.30	11.63	1907.0	2012.0
KP12BYEAR	37073	1969.71	11.77	1907.0	2014.0

How Constructed

KABYEARBG is the kid's best guess birth year. It is processed from the answers across waves. The most frequently reported birth year is used if birth year changed across waves.

KwBYEAR is the wave-specific kid's birth year reported in that wave.

We found reported birth years prior to 1900; the most frequent of these records listed 1897 as the birth year. We cross checked these records with Respondent birth year and determined that these are reporting errors. We recoded these cases to missing, .M.

There are some records in the file where wave-specific relationship (KwREL) is 3.grandkid, 6.kid-in-law, 8.sibling, 9.sibling-in-law, 10.parent, 11.other relative or 12.other. This is because the most frequently reported relationship to the Respondent is kid but the relationship code changed across waves. When we identified cases where the OPN was re-used, the LINK variable was set to LINK=0 (linkage problem).

Prior to Wave 6, KPwBYEAR is taken from kid's reported answer about his/her spouse. The question about spouse was not asked in Waves 1 and 2. From Wave 6 forward, KPwBYEAR is taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the MC module.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
V8005	KIDS:AGE	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:		
B422YR	HHMEM YEAR BORN	
B447YR	D22-D23. NRCHILD YEAR BORN	
HRS 1994:		
W8002	CHILD AGE	
AHEAD 1995:		
D17	HHMEM W1 YR BORN	
HRS 1996:		
E17	HHMEM PREV WAVE R YEAR BORN	
HRS 1998:		
F16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
F17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2000:		
G16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
G17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:		
HX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED	
HRS 2004:		
JX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2006:		
KX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2008:		
LX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2010:		
MX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2012:		
NX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2014:		

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YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC

Kid Age at Interview

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1AGEBG	K1AGEBG: W1 Age (best guess)	Cont
2	K2AGEBG	K2AGEBG: W2 Age (best guess)	Cont
3	K3AGEBG	K3AGEBG: W3 Age (best guess)	Cont
4	K4AGEBG	K4AGEBG: W4 Age (best guess)	Cont
5	K5AGEBG	K5AGEBG: W5 Age (best guess)	Cont
6	K6AGEBG	K6AGEBG: W6 Age (best guess)	Cont
7	K7AGEBG	K7AGEBG: W7 Age (best guess)	Cont
8	K8AGEBG	K8AGEBG: W8 Age (best guess)	Cont
9	K9AGEBG	K9AGEBG: W9 Age (best guess)	Cont
10	K10AGEBG	K10AGEBG: W10 Age (best guess)	Cont
11	K11AGEBG	K11AGEBG: W11 Age (best guess)	Cont
12	K12AGEBG	K12AGEBG: W12 Age (best guess)	Cont
1	K1AGE	K1AGE:W1 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
2	K2AGE	K2AGE:W2 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
3	K3AGE	K3AGE:W3 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
4	K4AGE	K4AGE:W4 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
5	K5AGE	K5AGE:W5 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
6	K6AGE	K6AGE:W6 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
7	K7AGE	K7AGE:W7 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
8	K8AGE	K8AGE:W8 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
9	K9AGE	K9AGE:W9 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
10	K10AGE	K10AGE:W10 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
11	K11AGE	K11AGE:W11 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont
12	K12AGE	K12AGE:W12 Kid Age reported each wave	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1AGEBG	41659	28.68	7.27	1.0	84.0
K2AGEBG	60123	36.27	10.90	1.0	86.0
K3AGEBG	56558	37.66	10.72	1.0	85.0
K4AGEBG	68106	38.20	11.05	1.0	94.0
K5AGEBG	63864	39.59	10.83	1.0	96.0
K6AGEBG	60652	40.90	10.65	1.0	94.0
K7AGEBG	64885	40.02	11.78	1.0	90.0
K8AGEBG	60642	41.54	11.60	1.0	92.0
K9AGEBG	57560	42.86	11.48	1.0	94.0
K10AGEBG	69548	39.76	13.17	1.0	96.0
K11AGEBG	65754	41.07	13.01	1.0	98.0
K12AGEBG	60492	42.12	12.90	1.0	100.0
K1AGE	41437	28.68	7.25	1.0	60.0
K2AGE	59527	36.29	10.93	1.0	84.0
K3AGE	53881	39.01	10.88	4.0	86.0
K4AGE	67152	38.30	11.02	0.0	94.0
K5AGE	63362	39.59	10.85	0.0	96.0
K6AGE	60296	41.91	10.68	0.0	95.0
K7AGE	64276	41.10	11.75	2.0	91.0
K8AGE	60294	42.56	11.61	2.0	93.0
K9AGE	57278	43.88	11.48	2.0	95.0
K10AGE	67864	41.03	13.11	0.0	97.0
K11AGE	65694	42.06	13.01	1.0	99.0
K12AGE	60456	43.12	12.90	1.0	101.0

How Constructed

KwAGEBG is the best guess kid age and is calculated from the kid's best guess birth year (KABYEARBG) and interview year.

KwAGE is the wave-specific kid age and is calculated from the kid's reported birth year and interview year.

We found some cases where KwAGEBG or KwAGE is greater than 85. We checked these cases and their reported relationships are kids or step-kids. We used their reported birth year to calculate the KwAGEBG or KwAGE.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
V8005	KIDS:AGE	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:		
B422YR	HHMEM YEAR BORN	
B447YR	D22-D23. NRCHILD YEAR BORN	
HRS 1994:		
W8002	CHILD AGE	
AHEAD 1995:		
D17	HHMEM W1 YR BORN	
D18	HHMEM W1 SPIN YR BORN	
HRS 1996:		
E17	HHMEM PREV WAVE R YEAR BORN	
E18	HHMEM PREV WAVE S/P YEAR BORN	
HRS 1998:		
F16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
F17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2000:		
G16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
G17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:		
HX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED	
HRS 2004:		
JX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2006:		
KX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2008:		
LX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2010:		
MX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2012:		
NX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2014:		
OX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	

Kid Gender

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KAGENDERBG	KAGENDERBG: Gender (best guess)	Categ
1	K1GENDER	K1GENDER:W1 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
2	K2GENDER	K2GENDER:W2 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
3	K3GENDER	K3GENDER:W3 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
4	K4GENDER	K4GENDER:W4 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
5	K5GENDER	K5GENDER:W5 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
6	K6GENDER	K6GENDER:W6 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
7	K7GENDER	K7GENDER:W7 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
8	K8GENDER	K8GENDER:W8 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
9	K9GENDER	K9GENDER:W9 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
10	K10GENDER	K10GENDER:W10 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
11	K11GENDER	K11GENDER:W11 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
12	K12GENDER	K12GENDER:W12 Kid gender reported each wave	Categ
6	KP6GENDER	KP6GENDER:W6 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7GENDER	KP7GENDER:W7 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8GENDER	KP8GENDER:W8 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9GENDER	KP9GENDER:W9 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10GENDER	KP10GENDER:W10 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11GENDER	KP11GENDER:W11 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12GENDER	KP12GENDER:W12 Kid gender reported each wave/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
KAGENDERBG	128460	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K1GENDER	41737	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
K2GENDER	60237	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K3GENDER	57152	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K4GENDER	68494	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K5GENDER	64178	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K6GENDER	61033	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K7GENDER	65402	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
K8GENDER	61036	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
K9GENDER	57953	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
K10GENDER	71046	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
K11GENDER	67311	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
K12GENDER	61326	1.49	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP6GENDER	38941	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP7GENDER	41379	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP8GENDER	39804	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP9GENDER	38403	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP10GENDER	43005	1.51	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP11GENDER	41865	1.50	0.50	1.0	2.0
KP12GENDER	38990	1.51	0.50	1.0	2.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	KAGENDERBG
.M=Missing	448
1.Male	64864
2.Female	63596

Value	K1GENDER	K2GENDER	K3GENDER	K4GENDER	K5GENDER	K6GENDER	K7GENDER
.D=DK		3				4	
.M=Missing	129	1	7	43	6	102	217
.R=Refuse		295		2			
.S=Deceased Kid		40					
1.Male	21293	30339	28856	34418	32252	30733	33016
2.Female	20444	29898	28296	34076	31926	30300	32386

Value	K8GENDER	K9GENDER	K10GENDER	K11GENDER	K12GENDER
.M=Missing	50	41	38	3	3
1.Male	30886	29338	36035	34055	30972
2.Female	30150	28615	35011	33256	30354

Value	KP6GENDER	KP7GENDER
.D=DK		2
.M=Missing		24
.U=Unmarried	21060	22660
1.Male	19578	20779
2.Female	19363	20600

Value	KP8GENDER	KP9GENDER	KP10GENDER	KP11GENDER	KP12GENDER
.M=Missing	15	27	166	122	101
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
1.Male	19839	19085	21252	20775	19288
2.Female	19965	19318	21753	21090	19702

How Constructed

KAGENDERBG is the kid's best guess gender. It is processed from the responses across waves. The most frequently reported gender is used if gender changed across waves.

KwGENDER is the wave-specific kid's gender.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 V8004 KIDS:SEX :IMP

AHEAD 1993:
 B417 D5c. HHM SEX
 B442 D20c. NRCHILD SEX

HRS 1994:
 W8001 CHILD GENDER

AHEAD 1995:

D9	HHMEM SEX
HRS 1996:	
E9	UPDATED HHMEM SEX
HRS 1998:	
F10	HHMEM MEM SEX
HRS 2000:	
G10	HHMEM MEM SEX - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED
HRS 2004:	
JX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC
HRS 2006:	
KX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC
HRS 2008:	
LX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC
HRS 2010:	
MX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC
HRS 2012:	
NX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC
HRS 2014:	
OX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC

Kid Marital Status

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1MSTAT	K1MSTAT:W1 Kid marital status	Categ
2	K2MSTAT	K2MSTAT:W2 Kid marital status	Categ
3	K3MSTAT	K3MSTAT:W3 Kid marital status	Categ
4	K4MSTAT	K4MSTAT:W4 Kid marital status	Categ
5	K5MSTAT	K5MSTAT:W5 Kid marital status	Categ
6	K6MSTAT	K6MSTAT:W6 Kid marital status	Categ
7	K7MSTAT	K7MSTAT:W7 Kid marital status	Categ
8	K8MSTAT	K8MSTAT:W8 Kid marital status	Categ
9	K9MSTAT	K9MSTAT:W9 Kid marital status	Categ
10	K10MSTAT	K10MSTAT:W10 Kid marital status	Categ
11	K11MSTAT	K11MSTAT:W11 Kid marital status	Categ
12	K12MSTAT	K12MSTAT:W12 Kid marital status	Categ
6	KP6MSTAT	KP6MSTAT:W6 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7MSTAT	KP7MSTAT:W7 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8MSTAT	KP8MSTAT:W8 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9MSTAT	KP9MSTAT:W9 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10MSTAT	KP10MSTAT:W10 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11MSTAT	KP11MSTAT:W11 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12MSTAT	KP12MSTAT:W12 Kid marital status/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1MSTAT	38186	0.54	0.50	0.0	1.0
K2MSTAT	57685	0.61	0.49	0.0	2.0
K3MSTAT	57053	0.61	0.51	0.0	2.0
K4MSTAT	68490	0.60	0.51	0.0	2.0
K5MSTAT	64150	0.62	0.51	0.0	2.0
K6MSTAT	61033	0.75	0.66	0.0	3.0
K7MSTAT	65517	0.78	0.69	0.0	3.0
K8MSTAT	61022	0.81	0.71	0.0	3.0
K9MSTAT	57952	0.83	0.72	0.0	3.0
K10MSTAT	71029	0.78	0.75	0.0	3.0
K11MSTAT	67220	0.82	0.77	0.0	3.0
K12MSTAT	61249	0.84	0.77	0.0	3.0
KP6MSTAT	38886	1.14	0.47	1.0	3.0
KP7MSTAT	40987	1.19	0.51	1.0	3.0
KP8MSTAT	39284	1.21	0.52	1.0	3.0
KP9MSTAT	38430	1.23	0.54	1.0	3.0
KP10MSTAT	43144	1.26	0.54	1.0	3.0
KP11MSTAT	41982	1.29	0.57	1.0	3.0
KP12MSTAT	39080	1.30	0.57	1.0	3.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1MSTAT	K2MSTAT	K3MSTAT	K4MSTAT	K5MSTAT	K6MSTAT	K7MSTAT
.D=DK		177	66	17	11		
.M=Missing	3680	2622	29	28	23	106	102
.R=Refuse		92	11	4			
0.Not married/Div/Sep/Wid	17712	22532	22818	27952	25506	21061	22670
1.Married	20474	34929	33689	39662	37749	36349	36716
2.Partnered		224	546	876	895	1695	4148
3.Other						1928	1983

Value	K8MSTAT	K9MSTAT	K10MSTAT	K11MSTAT	K12MSTAT
.M=Missing	64	42	55	94	80
0.Not married/Div/Sep/Wid	20056	18554	27258	24547	21664
1.Married	34331	32536	34601	32733	29844
2.Partnered	4652	4755	6920	7357	7478
3.Other	1983	2107	2250	2583	2263

Value	KP6MSTAT	KP7MSTAT
.M=Missing	57	416
.U=Unmarried	21060	22660
1.Married	35363	35317
2.Partnered	1560	3568
3.Other	1963	2102

Value	KP8MSTAT	KP9MSTAT	KP10MSTAT	KP11MSTAT	KP12MSTAT
.M=Missing	535		27	5	11
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
1.Married	33172	31746	34153	32240	29515
2.Partnered	4048	4490	6748	7165	7318
3.Other	2064	2194	2243	2577	2247

How Constructed

KwMSTAT categorizes the kid's current marital status.

Prior to Wave 6, the KPwMSTAT is not available because there is no linkage information to the kid's spouse record. From Wave 6 forward, KPwMSTAT is taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

From Wave 6 forward, if there is no spouse information, i.e., KPwMSTAT=.U, then KwMSTAT is coded as 0="Not married/div/sep/wid".

There are known discrepancies between the marital status of the kid and spouse, but these are self-reported responses.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The marital status questions are different across waves.

In Waves 1 and 2H, the questions only ask whether married or not.

In Wave 2A, the questions ask whether married, living with partner or single.

In Waves 3A and 3H, the questions ask whether married, living with partner, divorced/separated, widowed or single.

From Wave 4 forward, the question ask whether married, partnered or other.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
V8011	KIDS:MARRIED?	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:		
B417	D5c. HHM SEX	
HRS 1994:		
W8012	E7. MARITAL STATUS	
AHEAD 1995:		
D12	HHMEM MAR STAT (CHILD)	
HRS 1996:		
E12	HHMEM MAR STAT	
HRS 1998:		
F13	HHMEM MARITAL (CHILD)	
HRS 2000:		
G13	HHMEM MARITAL (CHILD) - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:		
HX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2004:		
JX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2006:		
KX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2008:		
LX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2010:		
MX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2012:		
NX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2014:		
OX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	

Kid Status

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1STAT	K1STAT:W1 Kid status	Categ
2	K2STAT	K2STAT:W2 Kid status	Categ
3	K3STAT	K3STAT:W3 Kid status	Categ
4	K4STAT	K4STAT:W4 Kid status	Categ
5	K5STAT	K5STAT:W5 Kid status	Categ
6	K6STAT	K6STAT:W6 Kid status	Categ
7	K7STAT	K7STAT:W7 Kid status	Categ
8	K8STAT	K8STAT:W8 Kid status	Categ
9	K9STAT	K9STAT:W9 Kid status	Categ
10	K10STAT	K10STAT:W10 Kid status	Categ
11	K11STAT	K11STAT:W11 Kid status	Categ
12	K12STAT	K12STAT:W12 Kid status	Categ
3	KP3STAT	KP3STAT:W3 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4STAT	KP4STAT:W4 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5STAT	KP5STAT:W5 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6STAT	KP6STAT:W6 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7STAT	KP7STAT:W7 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8STAT	KP8STAT:W8 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9STAT	KP9STAT:W9 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10STAT	KP10STAT:W10 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11STAT	KP11STAT:W11 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12STAT	KP12STAT:W12 Kid status/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1STAT	41866	4.19	1.59	1.0	5.0
K2STAT	58137	4.59	1.21	1.0	6.0
K3STAT	57159	4.54	1.27	1.0	5.0
K4STAT	68539	4.54	1.27	1.0	7.0
K5STAT	64184	4.62	1.19	1.0	7.0
K6STAT	61133	4.66	1.12	1.0	7.0
K7STAT	65613	4.55	1.26	1.0	6.0
K8STAT	61085	4.60	1.19	1.0	6.0
K9STAT	57991	4.64	1.14	1.0	6.0
K10STAT	70966	4.43	1.38	1.0	6.0
K11STAT	67102	4.48	1.33	1.0	6.0
K12STAT	61329	4.51	1.29	1.0	6.0
KP3STAT	37730	4.92	0.55	1.0	5.0
KP4STAT	42429	4.93	0.54	1.0	7.0
KP5STAT	41068	4.93	0.55	1.0	7.0
KP6STAT	38941	4.94	0.52	1.0	7.0
KP7STAT	41341	4.92	0.55	1.0	6.0
KP8STAT	39758	4.92	0.57	1.0	6.0
KP9STAT	38426	4.93	0.57	1.0	6.0
KP10STAT	43076	4.92	0.60	1.0	6.0
KP11STAT	41876	4.91	0.62	1.0	6.0
KP12STAT	39086	4.90	0.64	1.0	6.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1STAT	K2STAT	K3STAT	K4STAT	K5STAT	K6STAT	K7STAT
.A=Not 18+		1831					
.D=DK						3	1
.M=Missing		598				3	3
.R=Refuse		10					2
1.Resident	7930	5611	6408	7710	6141	5022	7029
2.Away/inst	713	506	79	120	84	133	253
3.Away/othr			57	80	36	31	63
4.Died		71	253	372	319	816	1019
5.Non-resident	33223	51871	50362	59973	57083	54450	56593
6.No contact		78		231	462	499	656
7.Not kid/HHmem				53	59	182	

Value	K8STAT	K9STAT	K10STAT	K11STAT	K12STAT
.D=DK			12	27	
.M=Missing	1		106	185	
.R=Refuse		3			
1.Resident	5743	4872	9466	8184	7025
2.Away/inst	246	220	447	407	298
3.Away/othr	40	32	46	65	42
4.Died	1138	1360	1552	1739	1835
5.Non-resident	53165	50693	58717	56007	51466
6.No contact	753	814	738	700	663

Value	KP3STAT	KP4STAT	KP5STAT	KP6STAT	KP7STAT	
.D=DK					1	
.M=Missing		2	16	2	60	
.R=Refuse					1	
.U=Unmarried		13008	26062	23069	21060	22660
1.Resident		722	767	746	619	758
2.Away/inst		4	7	12	1	11
3.Away/othr		32	44	18	9	23
4.Died		70	81	88	207	352
5.Non-resident		36902	41414	40038	37833	39897
6.No contact			97	131	178	300
7.Not kid/HHmem			19	35	94	

Value	KP8STAT	KP9STAT	KP10STAT	KP11STAT	KP12STAT
.D=DK	1	2	11	11	2
.M=Missing	59	2	80	100	
.R=Refuse	1		4		3
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
1.Resident	773	741	934	982	987
2.Away/inst	7	12	5	12	6
3.Away/othr	11	5	6	9	6
4.Died	249	269	289	277	226
5.Non-resident	38332	36951	41436	40243	37492
6.No contact	386	448	406	353	369

How Constructed

KwSTAT categorizes a kid's status relative to the Respondent.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwSTAT is taken from kid's reported status about his/her spouse. From Wave 6 forward, KPwSTAT is taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question about spouse was not asked in Waves 1 and 2. In Wave 2H, the question was not asked about kids under age 18.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8001	KIDS:AT HOME OR AWAY?
AHEAD 1993:	
B443	D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
B445	D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:	
W8004	CHILD PROBLEM CODE
AHEAD 1995:	
D13	HHMEM SP STATUS
D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:	
E13	HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F14	HHMEM SP STATUS
F7	HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G14	HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:	
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

Kid Alive or Not

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1ALIVE	K1ALIVE:W1 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
2	K2ALIVE	K2ALIVE:W2 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
3	K3ALIVE	K3ALIVE:W3 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
4	K4ALIVE	K4ALIVE:W4 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
5	K5ALIVE	K5ALIVE:W5 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
6	K6ALIVE	K6ALIVE:W6 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
7	K7ALIVE	K7ALIVE:W7 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
8	K8ALIVE	K8ALIVE:W8 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
9	K9ALIVE	K9ALIVE:W9 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
10	K10ALIVE	K10ALIVE:W10 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
11	K11ALIVE	K11ALIVE:W11 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
12	K12ALIVE	K12ALIVE:W12 Whether Kid alive or not	Categ
3	KP3ALIVE	KP3ALIVE:W3 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4ALIVE	KP4ALIVE:W4 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5ALIVE	KP5ALIVE:W5 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6ALIVE	KP6ALIVE:W6 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7ALIVE	KP7ALIVE:W7 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8ALIVE	KP8ALIVE:W8 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9ALIVE	KP9ALIVE:W9 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10ALIVE	KP10ALIVE:W10 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11ALIVE	KP11ALIVE:W11 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12ALIVE	KP12ALIVE:W12 Whether Kid alive or not/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1ALIVE	41866	1.00	0.00	1.0	1.0
K2ALIVE	58137	1.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
K3ALIVE	57159	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K4ALIVE	68539	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
K5ALIVE	64184	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K6ALIVE	61139	0.99	0.11	0.0	1.0
K7ALIVE	65619	0.98	0.12	0.0	1.0
K8ALIVE	61086	0.98	0.14	0.0	1.0
K9ALIVE	57994	0.98	0.15	0.0	1.0
K10ALIVE	71084	0.98	0.15	0.0	1.0
K11ALIVE	67314	0.97	0.16	0.0	1.0
K12ALIVE	61329	0.97	0.17	0.0	1.0
KP3ALIVE	37730	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP4ALIVE	42429	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP5ALIVE	41068	1.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP6ALIVE	38943	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP7ALIVE	41403	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
KP8ALIVE	39819	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP9ALIVE	38430	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP10ALIVE	43171	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP11ALIVE	41987	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP12ALIVE	39091	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1ALIVE	K2ALIVE	K3ALIVE	K4ALIVE	K5ALIVE	K6ALIVE	K7ALIVE
.A=Not 18+		1831					
.M=Missing		606					
.R=Refuse		2					
0.No		71	253	372	319	816	1019
1.Yes	41866	58066	56906	68167	63865	60323	64600

Value	K8ALIVE	K9ALIVE	K10ALIVE	K11ALIVE	K12ALIVE
0.No	1138	1360	1552	1739	1835
1.Yes	59948	56634	69532	65575	59494

Value	KP3ALIVE	KP4ALIVE	KP5ALIVE	KP6ALIVE	KP7ALIVE
.M=Missing		2	16		
.U=Unmarried		13008	26062	23069	21060
0.No		70	81	88	207
1.Yes		37660	42348	40980	38736

Value	KP8ALIVE	KP9ALIVE	KP10ALIVE	KP11ALIVE	KP12ALIVE
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No	249	269	289	277	226
1.Yes	39570	38161	42882	41710	38865

How Constructed

KwALIVE indicates whether or not the kid is alive in this wave. It is derived from KwSTAT.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwALIVE is taken from the kid's reported answer about his/her spouse. From Wave 6 forward, KPwALIVE is derived from the kid spouse KwSTAT variable.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question about spouse was not asked in Waves 1 and 2. In Wave 2H, the question was not asked about kids under age 18.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8001	KIDS:AT HOME OR AWAY?
AHEAD 1993:	
B443	D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
B445	D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:	
W8016	E11. WHERE LIVING
AHEAD 1995:	
D13	HHMEM SP STATUS
D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:	

E13	HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F14	HHMEM SP STATUS
F7	HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G14	HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:	
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

Kid Resident Status

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1RES	K1RES:W1 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
2	K2RES	K2RES:W2 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
3	K3RES	K3RES:W3 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
4	K4RES	K4RES:W4 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
5	K5RES	K5RES:W5 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
6	K6RES	K6RES:W6 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
7	K7RES	K7RES:W7 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
8	K8RES	K8RES:W8 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
9	K9RES	K9RES:W9 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
10	K10RES	K10RES:W10 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
11	K11RES	K11RES:W11 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
12	K12RES	K12RES:W12 Whether Kid live with R or not	Categ
3	KP3RES	KP3RES:W3 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4RES	KP4RES:W4 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5RES	KP5RES:W5 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6RES	KP6RES:W6 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7RES	KP7RES:W7 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8RES	KP8RES:W8 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9RES	KP9RES:W9 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10RES	KP10RES:W10 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11RES	KP11RES:W11 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12RES	KP12RES:W12 Whether Kid live with R or not/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1RES	41866	0.22	0.46	0.0	2.0
K2RES	58066	0.11	0.34	0.0	2.0
K3RES	56906	0.12	0.33	0.0	2.0
K4RES	68167	0.12	0.33	0.0	2.0
K5RES	63865	0.10	0.31	0.0	2.0
K6RES	60317	0.09	0.29	0.0	2.0
K7RES	64594	0.12	0.34	0.0	2.0
K8RES	59947	0.11	0.32	0.0	2.0
K9RES	56631	0.09	0.31	0.0	2.0
K10RES	69414	0.15	0.38	0.0	2.0
K11RES	65363	0.14	0.37	0.0	2.0
K12RES	59494	0.13	0.35	0.0	2.0
KP3RES	37660	0.02	0.15	0.0	2.0
KP4RES	42348	0.02	0.15	0.0	2.0
KP5RES	40980	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
KP6RES	38734	0.02	0.13	0.0	2.0
KP7RES	40989	0.02	0.15	0.0	2.0
KP8RES	39509	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
KP9RES	38157	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
KP10RES	42787	0.02	0.15	0.0	2.0
KP11RES	41599	0.02	0.16	0.0	2.0
KP12RES	38860	0.03	0.16	0.0	2.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1RES	K2RES	K3RES	K4RES	K5RES	K6RES	K7RES
.A=not 18+		1831					
.D=DK						3	1
.M=Missing		598				3	3
.R=Refuse		10					2
.S=Deceased		71	253	372	319	816	1019
0.Not resident	33223	51949	50362	60257	57604	55131	57249
1.Resident	7930	5611	6408	7710	6141	5022	7029
2.Resident, away	713	506	136	200	120	164	316

Value	K8RES	K9RES	K10RES	K11RES	K12RES
.D=DK			12	27	
.M=Missing	1		106	185	
.R=Refuse		3			
.S=Deceased	1138	1360	1552	1739	1835
0.Not resident	53918	51507	59455	56707	52129
1.Resident	5743	4872	9466	8184	7025
2.Resident, away	286	252	493	472	340

Value	KP3RES	KP4RES	KP5RES	KP6RES	KP7RES
.D=DK					1
.M=Missing		2	16	2	60
.R=Refuse					1
.S=Deceased		22	58	74	352
.U=Unmarried		13019	26085	23083	21060
0.Not resident		36902	41530	40204	38105
1.Resident		722	767	746	619
2.Resident, away		36	51	30	10

Value	KP8RES	KP9RES	KP10RES	KP11RES	KP12RES
.D=DK	1	2	11	11	2
.M=Missing	59	2	80	100	
.R=Refuse	1		4		3
.S=Deceased	249	269	289	277	226
.U=Unmarried	20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.Not resident	38718	37399	41842	40596	37861
1.Resident	773	741	934	982	987
2.Resident, away	18	17	11	21	12

How Constructed

KwRESD indicates whether a kid resides with the Respondent. It is derived from KwSTAT.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwRESD is taken from the kid's reported answer about his/her spouse. From Wave 6 forward, KPwRESD is taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the PR_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question about spouse was not asked in Waves 1 and 2. In Wave 2H, the question was not asked about kids under age 18.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8001	KIDS:AT HOME OR AWAY?
AHEAD 1993:	
B443	D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
B445	D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:	
W8016	E11. WHERE LIVING
AHEAD 1995:	
D13	HHMEM SP STATUS
D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:	
E13	HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F14	HHMEM SP STATUS
F7	HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G14	HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:	
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

Kid Years of Education

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	KAEDUC	KAEDUC:Kid years of education last reported	Categ
1	K1EDUC	K1EDUC:W1 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
2	K2EDUC	K2EDUC:W2 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
3	K3EDUC	K3EDUC:W3 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
4	K4EDUC	K4EDUC:W4 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
5	K5EDUC	K5EDUC:W5 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
6	K6EDUC	K6EDUC:W6 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
7	K7EDUC	K7EDUC:W7 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
8	K8EDUC	K8EDUC:W8 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
9	K9EDUC	K9EDUC:W9 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
10	K10EDUC	K10EDUC:W10 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
11	K11EDUC	K11EDUC:W11 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
12	K12EDUC	K12EDUC:W12 Kid Education reported each wave	Categ
1	K1SCHL	K1SCHL:W1 Kid in school	Categ
2	K2SCHL	K2SCHL:W2 Kid in school	Categ
4	K4SCHL	K4SCHL:W4 Kid in school	Categ
5	K5SCHL	K5SCHL:W5 Kid in school	Categ
6	K6SCHL	K6SCHL:W6 Kid in school	Categ
7	K7SCHL	K7SCHL:W7 Kid in school	Categ
8	K8SCHL	K8SCHL:W8 Kid in school	Categ
9	K9SCHL	K9SCHL:W9 Kid in school	Categ
10	K10SCHL	K10SCHL:W10 Kid in school	Categ
11	K11SCHL	K11SCHL:W11 Kid in school	Categ
12	K12SCHL	K12SCHL:W12 Kid in school	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
KAEDUC	118335	13.27	2.46	0.0	17.0
K1EDUC	38884	12.92	2.21	1.0	17.0
K2EDUC	56732	13.14	2.45	0.0	17.0
K3EDUC	2466	12.80	2.48	0.0	17.0
K4EDUC	21111	13.34	2.33	0.0	17.0
K5EDUC	58123	13.40	2.41	0.0	17.0
K6EDUC	9223	13.60	2.33	0.0	17.0
K7EDUC	13879	13.42	2.27	0.0	17.0
K8EDUC	9902	13.64	2.25	0.0	17.0
K9EDUC	8087	13.74	2.24	0.0	17.0
K10EDUC	16382	13.19	2.34	0.0	17.0
K11EDUC	5368	14.02	2.18	0.0	17.0
K12EDUC	4177	14.14	2.07	0.0	17.0
K1SCHL	37763	0.12	0.33	0.0	1.0
K2SCHL	35177	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
K4SCHL	21673	0.13	0.34	0.0	1.0
K5SCHL	60185	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
K6SCHL	56611	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
K7SCHL	60189	0.07	0.26	0.0	1.0
K8SCHL	56159	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
K9SCHL	53199	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
K10SCHL	64474	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
K11SCHL	61600	0.08	0.26	0.0	1.0

K12SCHL	56280	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
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Categorical Variable Codes

Value	KAEDUC
.M=Missing	10573
0 years	250
1-17 years	118085

Value	K1EDUC	K2EDUC	K3EDUC	K4EDUC	K5EDUC	K6EDUC	K7EDUC
.A=Not 18+	2840	1826	1278	1798	1362	1005	2128
.C=No contact		77		231	462	499	653
.D=DK		452	198	575	2012	570	618
.F=No FamR			228	660	335	19	288
.H=Not kid/HHmem				53	59	135	
.M=Missing	142	425	1952	1795	277	1362	1760
.P=Prev reported		508	50769	41697	252	47348	45144
.R=Refuse		343	1	30	248	63	18
.S=Deceased Kid		71	253	372	319	816	1019
.T=other		142	14	217	735	99	112
0 years		83	12	30	108	21	14
1-17 years	38884	56649	2454	21081	58015	9202	13865

Value	K8EDUC	K9EDUC	K10EDUC	K11EDUC	K12EDUC
.A=Not 18+	1436	1059	3017	2303	1635
.C=No contact	753	814	734	700	663
.D=DK	561	441	654	218	199
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.M=Missing	1994	2135	3532	4971	4690
.P=Prev reported	44936	43714	44172	51383	47520
.R=Refuse	13	11	33	13	10
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1359	1550	1739	1835
.T=other	73	111	136	72	49
0 years	15	19	24	12	1
1-17 years	9887	8068	16358	5356	4176

Value	K1SCHL	K2SCHL	K4SCHL	K5SCHL	K6SCHL	K7SCHL
.A=Not 18+	2850	1867	1798	1362	1002	2128
.C=No contact		78	231	462	499	651
.D=DK		46	235	718	970	763
.F=No FamR		52	660	335	19	288
.H=Not kid/HHmem			53	59	71	
.M=Missing	1253	23274	1794	529	795	461
.P=Prev reported			41697			
.R=Refuse		11	26	215	360	120
.S=Deceased Kid		71	372	319	812	1019
0.No	33115	31723	18815	56749	53709	55886
1.Yes	4648	3454	2858	3436	2902	4303

Value	K8SCHL	K9SCHL	K10SCHL	K11SCHL	K12SCHL
.A=Not 18+	1436	1059	2907	2232	1591
.C=No contact	753	814	734	700	663
.D=DK	959	868	474	437	364
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.M=Missing	291	338	10		
.R=Refuse	70	94	61	59	45
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1359	1550	1739	1835
0.No	52647	50075	58938	56934	52583
1.Yes	3512	3124	5536	4666	3697

How Constructed

KAEDUC indicates the kid's latest reported years of completed education. The values range from 0 to 17.

KwEDUC is the kid's reported years of completed education in each wave.

KwSCHL indicates whether or not the kid is in school.

These variables are derived from the E_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Wave 4, the Respondent is asked about school for each kid and education level only for kids under age 30 or those not previously listed. In Waves 6 through 9, the Respondent is asked about school for each kid and asked about education level only for kids under age 30 in school or those not previously listed. In Waves 10 forward, the Respondent is asked whether any kids are in school and asked about education level only for kids in school or those not previously listed.

In Waves 2A and 3, the question about whether the child is in school is not asked.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8008	KIDS:IN SCHOOL? :IMP
V8009	KIDS:HIGHEST GRADE C:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
EDUCP	EDUC CHILD/OTHR HHM
HRS 1994:	
W8009	E3. IN SCHOOL
W8010	E5. HIGHEST GRADE
AHEAD 1995:	
D1402	D2.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPER
D1414	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 1996:	
E1372	D1A.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPER
E1384	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 1998:	
F1791	D1AA.IF IN SCHOOL
F1792	D1A.EDUC IF LESS THAN 30 OR NEW
F1805	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2000:	
G2007	D1AA.IF IN SCHOOL
G2008	D1A.EDUC IF LESS THAN 30 OR NEW
HRS 2002:	
HE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
HE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2004:	
JE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
JE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2006:	
KE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
KE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2008:	
LE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL

LE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2010:	
ME029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
ME169	ANY KIDS IN SCHOOL
ME171M1	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -1
ME171M2	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -2
ME171M3	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -3
ME171M4	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -4
ME171M5	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -5
ME171M6	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -6
ME171M7	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -7
ME171M8	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -8
ME171M9	WHICH KIDS IN SCHOOL -9
HRS 2012:	
NE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2014:	
OE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON

Kid Number of Children

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1NKID	K1NKID:W1 # children kid has	Categ
2	K2NKID	K2NKID:W2 # children kid has	Categ
3	K3NKID	K3NKID:W3 # children kid has	Categ
4	K4NKID	K4NKID:W4 # children kid has	Categ
5	K5NKID	K5NKID:W5 # children kid has	Categ
6	K6NKID	K6NKID:W6 # children kid has	Categ
7	K7NKID	K7NKID:W7 # children kid has	Categ
8	K8NKID	K8NKID:W8 # children kid has	Categ
9	K9NKID	K9NKID:W9 # children kid has	Categ
10	K10NKID	K10NKID:W10 # children kid has	Categ
11	K11NKID	K11NKID:W11 # children kid has	Categ
12	K12NKID	K12NKID:W12 # children kid has	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1NKID	38418	1.19	1.49	0.0	15.0
K2NKID	59978	1.48	1.51	0.0	17.0
K3NKID	54382	1.69	1.56	0.0	20.0
K4NKID	18520	1.67	1.50	0.0	18.0
K5NKID	59885	1.72	1.54	0.0	20.0
K6NKID	56227	1.76	1.52	0.0	18.0
K7NKID	59795	1.71	1.54	0.0	32.0
K8NKID	55997	1.78	1.54	0.0	18.0
K9NKID	53010	1.84	1.57	0.0	23.0
K10NKID	62268	1.70	1.57	0.0	23.0
K11NKID	59406	1.76	1.62	0.0	33.0
K12NKID	54680	1.74	1.59	0.0	21.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1NKID	K2NKID	K3NKID	K4NKID	K5NKID	K6NKID	K7NKID
.A=Not 18+	2813	18	1023	1862	1370	1013	2144
.C=No contact				231	442	495	645
.D=DK	32	166	738	111	963	984	811
.F=No FamR			220	590	325	19	265
.H=Not kid/HHmem				51	59	61	
.M=Missing	603	96	372	273	544	1106	771
.R=Refuse		318	261	45	278	423	169
.S=Deceased Kid			163	367	318	811	1019
.Y=Alternate wave				46489			
0=0 kids	16765	21349	15960	5020	16770	14864	17178
1-20+ Kids	21653	38629	38422	13500	43115	41363	42617

Value	K8NKID	K9NKID	K10NKID	K11NKID	K12NKID
.A=Not 18+	1432	1074	3048	2283	1620
.C=No contact	752	799	724	692	656
.D=DK	864	837	902	895	815
.F=No FamR	269	251	824	528	534
.M=Missing	572	562	1619	1601	1071
.R=Refuse	64	105	154	177	122
.S=Deceased Kid	1136	1356	1545	1732	1831
0=0 kids	14970	13460	18746	17136	16108
1-20+ Kids	41027	39550	43522	42270	38572

How Constructed

KwNKID indicates the number of children that kid has.

These variables are primarily derived from the Family Structure MC section.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Wave 1, the question was asked only of kids 18 and older.

In Wave 4, the question was skipped for the re-interviewed households. The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave".

In Waves 4 and 5, data on new grandchildren from the Family Structure (Household) section were incorporated in this variable derivation because it was not consistently included in the Member Child count. Therefore, for re-interviewed Respondents' kids with new children, K4NKID may have a non-missing value rather than ".Y".

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8013 KIDS:# KIDS < 18 :IMP

AHEAD 1993:
B429 D13. HHM # CHILDREN
B450 D25. NRCHILD # CHILDREN

HRS 1994:
W8014 E9. NUMBER OF KIDS <18 YRS

AHEAD 1995:

D1422	D10.# CHILDREN
HRS 1996:	
E1392	D10. # CHILDREN
HRS 1998:	
F1773	D04.NEW GRANDCHILDREN
F1814	D10. NUMBER OF CHILDREN
HRS 2000:	
G1989	D04.NEW GRANDCHILDREN
G2030	D10. NUMBER OF CHILDREN
HRS 2002:	
HE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2004:	
JE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2006:	
KE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2008:	
LE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2010:	
ME044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2012:	
NE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP
HRS 2014:	
OE044	# CHILDREN OF CHILD AND CHILD SP

Kid Frequency of Contact

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3CONTYR	K3CONTYR:W3 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
4	K4CONTYR	K4CONTYR:W4 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
5	K5CONTYR	K5CONTYR:W5 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
6	K6CONTYR	K6CONTYR:W6 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
7	K7CONTYR	K7CONTYR:W7 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
8	K8CONTYR	K8CONTYR:W8 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
9	K9CONTYR	K9CONTYR:W9 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
10	K10CONTYR	K10CONTYR:W10 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
11	K11CONTYR	K11CONTYR:W11 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ
12	K12CONTYR	K12CONTYR:W12 Freq contact w/kid per yr	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3CONTYR	30449	145.98	261.13	0.0	9125.0
K4CONTYR	12365	143.06	265.33	0.0	10950.0
K5CONTYR	55079	139.13	257.92	0.0	18250.0
K6CONTYR	52390	136.35	235.97	0.0	18250.0
K7CONTYR	55026	145.40	259.43	0.0	18250.0
K8CONTYR	1495	110.97	209.86	0.0	3650.0
K9CONTYR	49595	142.86	234.30	0.0	11315.0
K10CONTYR	11238	193.46	331.55	0.0	10950.0
K11CONTYR	53176	151.82	265.85	0.0	11315.0
K12CONTYR	808	134.04	257.05	0.0	3650.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K3CONTYR	K4CONTYR	K5CONTYR	K6CONTYR	K7CONTYR
.A=Not 18+	1288	1750	1398	1029	2155
.D=DK	92	19	290	660	371
.F=No FamR	220	590	325	19	265
.H=Not kid/HHmem	44	93	166	457	151
.L=Resident	4191	6234	5130	4432	5598
.M=Missing	20557	1015	1087	619	569
.R=Refuse	72	3	147	281	121
.S=Deceased Kid	214	372	376	812	1019
.T=Other	32	15	186	440	344
.Y=Alternate wave		46083			
0-18250	30449	12365	55079	52390	55026

Value	K8CONTYR	K9CONTYR	K10CONTYR	K11CONTYR	K12CONTYR
.A=Not 18+	1123	1084	2840	2288	1569
.D=DK	18	444	142	1013	44
.F=No FamR	269	251	826	524	530
.H=Not kid/HHmem	121	101	406	597	265
.L=Resident	577	4302	3390	6777	253
.M=Missing	4	384	471	983	3
.R=Refuse	1	92	25	190	7
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1359	1552	1723	1835
.T=Other	15	382	23	43	
.Y=Alternate wave	56325		50171		56015
0-18250	1495	49595	11238	53176	808

How Constructed

KwCONTYR is the total number of contacts a kid has had with the Respondent in the past 12 months. It is calculated from the frequency and period of contacts reported.

The form of contacts may be in person, by phone, or by mail.

The questions are skipped for the co-resident kids.

These variables are derived from the E_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions are skipped for re-interviewed households in Wave 4 and in "alternate" waves (i.e. even-numbered waves) beginning with Wave 8 and going forward. The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave."

The question is not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E1375	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
E1376	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 1998:	
F1795	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
F1796	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 2000:	
G2011	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
G2012	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 2002:	
HE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
HE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2004:	
JE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
JE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2006:	
KE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
KE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2008:	
LE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
LE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2010:	
ME032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
ME033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2012:	
NE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
NE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2014:	
OE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
OE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER

Kid Lives Within 10 Miles

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1LV10MI	K1LV10MI:W1 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
2	K2LV10MI	K2LV10MI:W2 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
3	K3LV10MI	K3LV10MI:W3 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
4	K4LV10MI	K4LV10MI:W4 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
5	K5LV10MI	K5LV10MI:W5 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
6	K6LV10MI	K6LV10MI:W6 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
7	K7LV10MI	K7LV10MI:W7 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
8	K8LV10MI	K8LV10MI:W8 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
9	K9LV10MI	K9LV10MI:W9 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
10	K10LV10MI	K10LV10MI:W10 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
11	K11LV10MI	K11LV10MI:W11 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
12	K12LV10MI	K12LV10MI:W12 Kid live within 10 miles	Categ
3	K3LVNEAR	K3LVNEAR:W3 How close kid lives near R	Categ
4	K4LVNEAR	K4LVNEAR:W4 How close kid lives near R	Categ
5	K5LVNEAR	K5LVNEAR:W5 How close kid lives near R	Categ
6	K6LVNEAR	K6LVNEAR:W6 How close kid lives near R	Categ
7	K7LVNEAR	K7LVNEAR:W7 How close kid lives near R	Categ
8	K8LVNEAR	K8LVNEAR:W8 How close kid lives near R	Categ
9	K9LVNEAR	K9LVNEAR:W9 How close kid lives near R	Categ
10	K10LVNEAR	K10LVNEAR:W10 How close kid lives near R	Categ
11	K11LVNEAR	K11LVNEAR:W11 How close kid lives near R	Categ
12	K12LVNEAR	K12LVNEAR:W12 How close kid lives near R	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1LV10MI	33223	0.40	0.49	0.0	1.0
K2LV10MI	51321	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
K3LV10MI	49193	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
K4LV10MI	59339	0.33	0.47	0.0	1.0
K5LV10MI	49223	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
K6LV10MI	54023	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
K7LV10MI	56268	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
K8LV10MI	52848	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
K9LV10MI	50362	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
K10LV10MI	57604	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
K11LV10MI	55320	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
K12LV10MI	50745	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
K3LVNEAR	55584	6.07	2.61	1.0	10.0
K4LVNEAR	60359	6.25	2.98	1.0	10.0
K5LVNEAR	49533	6.33	2.97	1.0	10.0
K6LVNEAR	52623	6.59	2.90	1.0	10.0
K7LVNEAR	56175	6.84	3.35	1.0	10.0
K8LVNEAR	52074	7.03	3.29	1.0	10.0
K9LVNEAR	51588	7.19	3.18	1.0	10.0
K10LVNEAR	61711	6.72	3.47	1.0	10.0
K11LVNEAR	60167	6.88	3.38	1.0	10.0
K12LVNEAR	52995	6.91	3.39	1.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1LV10MI	K2LV10MI	K3LV10MI	K4LV10MI	K5LV10MI	K6LV10MI	K7LV10MI
.C=No contact		78		230	457	490	654
.D=DK		121	410	58	45	52	73
.F=No FamR		49	193	518	292	19	225
.H=Not kid/HHmem				51	59	180	
.L=Resident	8643	6117	6544	7856	6217	5186	7340
.M=Missing		2557	426	104	7543	344	58
.R=Refuse		262	167	21	32	45	8
.S=Deceased Kid		71	226	362	316	800	993
0.No	20065	25768	31002	39730	33522	37232	38613
1.Yes	13158	25553	18191	19609	15701	16791	17655

Value	K8LV10MI	K9LV10MI	K10LV10MI	K11LV10MI	K12LV10MI
.C=No contact	751	811	731	696	661
.D=DK	70	86	155	234	71
.F=No FamR	228	214	660	447	464
.L=Resident	6027	5124	9958	8656	7363
.M=Missing	37	58	429	227	220
.R=Refuse	11	4	22	26	11
.S=Deceased Kid	1114	1335	1525	1708	1794
0.No	37333	35654	40645	39348	36027
1.Yes	15515	14708	16959	15972	14718

Value	K3LVNEAR	K4LVNEAR	K5LVNEAR	K6LVNEAR	K7LVNEAR
.C=No contact		228	457	485	654
.D=DK if within 10 mi	383	58	45	52	73
.F=No FamR	193	518	292	19	225
.H=Not kid/HHmem		51	59	173	
.M=Missing	620	6946	13450	6953	7491
.R=Refuse if within 10 mi	159	21	32	45	8
.S=Deceased Kid	220	358	316	789	993
1.Co-Resident	6544	7856	6217	5186	7340
4.Within 10 mi, closest (so	7718	6724	5154	5570	8755
5.Within 10mi	10473	12885	10547	11221	8900
6.More than 10 mi,closest	5945	10229	8333	8532	3539
8.More than 10 mi, not clos	18598	5014	4527	4599	
10.More than 10mi DK closes	6306	17651	14755	17515	27641

Value	K8LVNEAR	K9LVNEAR	K10LVNEAR	K11LVNEAR	K12LVNEAR
.C=No contact	751	810	730	693	658
.D=DK if within 10 mi	70	86	155	234	71
.F=No FamR	228	214	660	447	464
.M=Missing	6847	3967	6293	4053	5354
.R=Refuse if within 10 mi	11	4	22	26	11
.S=Deceased Kid	1105	1325	1513	1694	1776
1.Co-Resident	6027	5124	9958	8656	7363
4.Within 10 mi, closest (so	8169	7513	9255	8653	8021
5.Within 10mi	7346	7195	7704	7319	6697
6.More than 10 mi,closest	3353	3423	4232	4254	3623
8.More than 10 mi, not clos	669	2102	758	2151	587
10.More than 10mi DK closes	26510	26231	29804	29134	26704

How Constructed

KwLV10MI indicates whether a kid lives within 10 miles of Respondent.

KwLVNEAR indicates how close the kid lives to the Respondent's home. It is derived from information about living within 10 miles and from Wave 3 forward, who lives closest.

If the response is "All Children", all kids are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Waves 1 and 2, the Respondent is asked whether each kid lived within 10 miles. The Respondent is not asked which kid lived closest.

From Waves 3 forward, the Respondent is asked which kids live within 10 miles and which one lives closest.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8019	KIDS:LIVE W/IN 10 MI:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
B452	D27. NRCHILD LIVE >10 MILES AWAY
HRS 1994:	
W8020	E15. LIVE W/IN 10 MILES
AHEAD 1995:	
D1411	D6.NONR CHILD LIVE NEAR
D1435	D22.ANY CHILDREN CLOSER
D1436M1	D22A.WHICH CHILD?-1
D1436M2	D22A.WHICH CHILD?-1
D1438	D23. CHILD CLOSEST TO MAIN RESIDENCE
D1439	D23.CHILD CLOSEST TO MAIN RESIDENCE
HRS 1996:	
E1381	D6.NONR CHILD LIVE NEAR
E1399	D15.ANY CHILDREN CLOSER
E1402	D16.CHILD CLOSEST TO MAIN RESIDENCE
E1409	D19.#2ADDRESS CHILD 10 MILES
HRS 1998:	
F1728	CS # OF NON-RESIDENT KIDS
F1764	D01.CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
F1765M1	D01A.WHICH CHILD
F1765M2	D01A.WHICH CHILD
F1765M3	D01A.WHICH CHILD
F1766	D01B.NON-RES CHILD LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2000:	
G1934	D049Y13.CS # NR KIDS
G1980	D01.CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
G1981M1	D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1981M2	D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1981M3	D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1982	D01B.LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2002:	
HA100	COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
HE012	CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
HE013M01	WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
HE013M02	WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
HE013M03	WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
HE014	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2004:	
JA100	COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
JE012	CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
JE013M1	WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1

JE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
JE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
HRS 2006:
KA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
KE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
KE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
KE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
KE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
KE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-1
KE014M2 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-2
KE014M3 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-3
KE014M4 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-4
KE014M5 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-5
HRS 2008:
LA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
LE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
LE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
LE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
LE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
LE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-1
LE014M2 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-2
LE014M3 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-3
LE014M4 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-4
LE014M5 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-5
HRS 2010:
MA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
ME012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
ME013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
ME013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
ME013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
ME014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -1
ME014M2 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -2
ME014M3 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -3
ME014M4 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -4
ME014M5 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -5
ME014M6 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -6
ME014M7 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -7
ME014M8 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -8
ME014M9 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -9
HRS 2012:
NA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
NE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
NE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
NE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
NE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
NE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -1
NE014M2 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -2
NE014M3 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -3
NE014M4 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -4
NE014M5 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -5
NE014M6 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -6
NE014M7 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -7
NE014M8 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -8
NE014M9 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -9
HRS 2014:
OA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
OE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
OE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
OE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2

OE013M3	WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES-	3
OE014M1	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-1
OE014M2	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-2
OE014M3	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-3
OE014M4	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-4
OE014M5	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-5
OE014M6	WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST	-6

Kid Works Part Time or Full Time

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1WORK	K1WORK:W1 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
2	K2WORK	K2WORK:W2 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
3	K3WORK	K3WORK:W3 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
4	K4WORK	K4WORK:W4 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
5	K5WORK	K5WORK:W5 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
6	K6WORK	K6WORK:W6 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
7	K7WORK	K7WORK:W7 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
8	K8WORK	K8WORK:W8 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
9	K9WORK	K9WORK:W9 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
10	K10WORK	K10WORK:W10 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
11	K11WORK	K11WORK:W11 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
12	K12WORK	K12WORK:W12 Kid Works PT or FT	Categ
3	KP3WORK	KP3WORK:W3 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
4	KP4WORK	KP4WORK:W4 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
5	KP5WORK	KP5WORK:W5 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
6	KP6WORK	KP6WORK:W6 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7WORK	KP7WORK:W7 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8WORK	KP8WORK:W8 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9WORK	KP9WORK:W9 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10WORK	KP10WORK:W10 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11WORK	KP11WORK:W11 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12WORK	KP12WORK:W12 Kid Works PT or FT/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1WORK	38937	1.49	0.81	0.0	2.0
K2WORK	56324	1.51	0.81	0.0	2.0
K3WORK	53038	1.51	0.81	0.0	2.0
K4WORK	62697	1.55	0.78	0.0	2.0
K5WORK	58591	1.57	0.77	0.0	2.0
K6WORK	55295	1.54	0.79	0.0	2.0
K7WORK	58271	1.53	0.80	0.0	2.0
K8WORK	54887	1.55	0.78	0.0	2.0
K9WORK	51441	1.52	0.80	0.0	2.0
K10WORK	59936	1.41	0.85	0.0	2.0
K11WORK	56621	1.42	0.85	0.0	2.0
K12WORK	52604	1.45	0.84	0.0	2.0
KP3WORK	32234	1.52	0.80	0.0	2.0
KP4WORK	38070	1.56	0.78	0.0	2.0
KP5WORK	35708	1.55	0.79	0.0	2.0
KP6WORK	34182	1.54	0.80	0.0	2.0
KP7WORK	36279	1.53	0.80	0.0	2.0
KP8WORK	35123	1.55	0.78	0.0	2.0
KP9WORK	32838	1.52	0.80	0.0	2.0
KP10WORK	36202	1.46	0.83	0.0	2.0
KP11WORK	34186	1.44	0.84	0.0	2.0
KP12WORK	32586	1.49	0.82	0.0	2.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1WORK	K2WORK	K3WORK	K4WORK	K5WORK	K6WORK	K7WORK
.A=Not 18+	2810	1828	1025	1871	1395	1020	2154
.C=No contact		78		231	458	495	645
.D=DK		1055	1894	2106	2242	2222	2594
.F=No FamR			220	590	325	19	265
.H=Not kid/HHmem				51	59	60	
.M=Missing	119	863	435	478	510	792	464
.R=Refuse		357	294	143	285	424	207
.S=Deceased Kid		71	253	372	319	812	1019
0.Not working	7955	11223	10599	11215	10229	10457	11267
1.Work PT	3791	5306	5000	5558	4744	4259	5085
2.Work FT	27191	39795	37439	45924	43618	40579	41919

Value	K8WORK	K9WORK	K10WORK	K11WORK	K12WORK
.A=Not 18+	1447	1083	3060	2295	1619
.C=No contact	753	802	727	692	662
.D=DK	2220	2596	3404	3718	3041
.F=No FamR	269	251	823	528	533
.H=Not kid/HHmem					212
.M=Missing	291	338	1368	1404	619
.R=Refuse	81	124	216	317	204
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1359	1550	1739	1835
0.Not working	10043	10147	14539	13512	11865
1.Work PT	4829	4500	6255	5854	5114
2.Work FT	40015	36794	39142	37255	35625

Value	KP3WORK	KP4WORK	KP5WORK	KP6WORK	KP7WORK
.A=Not 18+				51	64
.C=No contact		32	51	175	300
.D=DK	1456	1652	2033	1950	2178
.F=No FamR	129	327	201	8	126
.H=Not kid/HHmem		2	14	18	
.M=Missing		613	271	446	2125
.R=Refuse		215	181	188	227
.S=Deceased Kid		5	3	3	207
.U=Unmarried			1136	1746	
0.Not working		6416	6886	6696	6558
1.Work PT		2786	3125	2626	2717
2.Work FT		23032	28059	26386	24907

Value	KP8WORK	KP9WORK	KP10WORK	KP11WORK	KP12WORK
.A=Not 18+	136	185	187	180	168
.C=No contact	385	445	405	349	369
.D=DK	1781	2444	3238	3836	2937
.F=No FamR	167	155	434	323	291
.H=Not kid/HHmem					2129
.M=Missing	1935	2036	2252	2578	227
.R=Refuse	43	59	164	258	158
.S=Deceased Kid	249	268	289	277	226
0.Not working	6471	6460	8083	7850	6946
1.Work PT	2916	2850	3410	3427	2885
2.Work FT	25736	23528	24709	22909	22755

How Constructed

KwWORK categorizes a kid's working status. The variable is defined as working full-time if the kid is working 30 hours or more per week; working part-time if the kid is working under 30 hours per week; or not working at all.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwWORK is taken from kid's reported answer about his/her spouse's work. From Wave 6 forward, KPwWORK is taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the E_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question about spouse is not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8010	KIDS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
WORKP	WORK STATUS CHILD/OTHR HHM
HRS 1994:	
W8011	E6. WORK STATUS
AHEAD 1995:	
D1404	D4.WORK CHILD ONLY
D1416	D8.HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 1996:	
E1374	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
E1386	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 1998:	
F1794	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
F1806	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 2000:	
G2010	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
G2022	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 2002:	
HE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2004:	
JE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2006:	
KE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2008:	
LE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2010:	
ME031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2012:	
NE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2014:	
OE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS

Kid Total Family Income

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1INCB	K1INCB:W1 Kid income range	Categ
3	K3INCB	K3INCB:W3 Kid income range	Categ
4	K4INCB	K4INCB:W4 Kid income range	Categ
5	K5INCB	K5INCB:W5 Kid income range	Categ
6	K6INCB	K6INCB:W6 Kid income range	Categ
7	K7INCB	K7INCB:W7 Kid income range	Categ
8	K8INCB	K8INCB:W8 Kid income range	Categ
9	K9INCB	K9INCB:W9 Kid income range	Categ
10	K10INCB	K10INCB:W10 Kid income range	Categ
11	K11INCB	K11INCB:W11 Kid income range	Categ
12	K12INCB	K12INCB:W12 Kid income range	Categ
2	K2INCA	K2INCA:W2 Kid income continuous amount (94)	Cont
3	K3INCA	K3INCA:W3 Kid income continuous amount	Cont
2	K2INCB	k2INCB:W2 Kid income bracket (93)	Categ
2	K2INCBH	K2INCBH:W2 Kid income bracket (94)	Categ
1	K1INCMIN	K1INCMIN:W1 Kid income range-min	Cont
2	K2INCMIN	K2INCMIN:W2 Kid income range-min	Cont
3	K3INCMIN	K3INCMIN:W3 Kid income range-min	Cont
4	K4INCMIN	K4INCMIN:W4 Kid income range-min	Cont
5	K5INCMIN	K5INCMIN:W5 Kid income range-min	Cont
6	K6INCMIN	K6INCMIN:W6 Kid income range-min	Cont
7	K7INCMIN	K7INCMIN:W7 Kid income range-min	Cont
8	K8INCMIN	K8INCMIN:W8 Kid income range-min	Cont
9	K9INCMIN	K9INCMIN:W9 Kid income range-min	Cont
10	K10INCMIN	K10INCMIN:W10 Kid income range-min	Cont
11	K11INCMIN	K11INCMIN:W11 Kid income range-min	Cont
12	K12INCMIN	K12INCMIN:W12 Kid income range-min	Cont
1	K1INCMAX	K1INCMAX:W1 Kid income range-max	Cont
2	K2INCMAX	K2INCMAX:W2 Kid income range-max	Cont
3	K3INCMAX	K3INCMAX:W3 Kid income range-max	Cont
4	K4INCMAX	K4INCMAX:W4 Kid income range-max	Cont
5	K5INCMAX	K5INCMAX:W5 Kid income range-max	Cont
6	K6INCMAX	K6INCMAX:W6 Kid income range-max	Cont
7	K7INCMAX	K7INCMAX:W7 Kid income range-max	Cont
8	K8INCMAX	K8INCMAX:W8 Kid income range-max	Cont
9	K9INCMAX	K9INCMAX:W9 Kid income range-max	Cont
10	K10INCMAX	K10INCMAX:W10 Kid income range-max	Cont
11	K11INCMAX	K11INCMAX:W11 Kid income range-max	Cont
12	K12INCMAX	K12INCMAX:W12 Kid income range-max	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1INCB	32831	2.25	0.76	1.0	3.0
K3INCB	41784	3.06	2.67	0.0	8.0
K4INCB	10468	2.55	1.23	1.0	5.0
K5INCB	38878	2.90	1.30	1.0	5.0
K6INCB	35509	3.05	1.34	1.0	5.0
K7INCB	37702	3.02	1.38	1.0	5.0
K8INCB	848	2.72	1.37	1.0	5.0
K9INCB	34491	3.28	1.41	1.0	5.0
K10INCB	10658	2.11	1.22	1.0	5.0
K11INCB	39952	3.16	1.90	1.0	7.0

K12INCB	490	2.61	1.69	1.0	7.0
K2INCA	8870	35135.39	44759.90	0.0	2500000.0
K3INCA	14543	39958.45	40620.07	0.0	750000.0
K2INCBA	16744	3.28	1.56	1.0	7.0
K2INCBH	33473	1.63	2.03	0.0	8.0
K1INCMIN	32831	14679.00	9874.73	0.0	25001.0
K2INCMIN	33881	23297.06	16355.90	0.0	50001.0
K3INCMIN	27241	27214.26	22416.48	0.0	100001.0
K4INCMIN	10468	23544.46	22239.26	0.0	70001.0
K5INCMIN	38878	29591.90	23909.29	0.0	70001.0
K6INCMIN	35509	32298.19	24609.88	0.0	70001.0
K7INCMIN	37702	31728.75	25114.34	0.0	70001.0
K8INCMIN	848	26474.84	24370.89	0.0	70001.0
K9INCMIN	34491	36302.09	25878.99	0.0	70001.0
K10INCMIN	10658	16312.31	21251.42	0.0	70001.0
K11INCMIN	39952	33617.51	32549.65	0.0	100001.0
K12INCMIN	490	23857.89	29083.34	0.0	100001.0
K1INCMAX	18283	19697.53	7171.03	10000.0	25000.0
K2INCMAX	22780	32849.43	12790.28	10000.0	50000.0
K3INCMAX	24099	48672.56	27487.38	10000.0	100000.0
K4INCMAX	8578	40086.85	22598.64	10000.0	70000.0
K5INCMAX	28274	44135.78	22513.87	10000.0	70000.0
K6INCMAX	24033	45116.09	22631.91	10000.0	70000.0
K7INCMAX	25058	42833.23	23352.81	10000.0	70000.0
K8INCMAX	622	38480.71	23595.47	10000.0	70000.0
K9INCMAX	19852	44022.01	23569.64	10000.0	70000.0
K10INCMAX	9317	29915.75	21403.39	10000.0	70000.0
K11INCMAX	30854	46486.68	30280.49	10000.0	100000.0
K12INCMAX	420	38321.43	26908.83	10000.0	100000.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K1INCB
.A=Not 18+		9035
1.< 10K		6463
2.10K-25K		11820
3.25K+		14548

Value		K3INCB
.D.DK/RF		13591
.M=Missing		1780
.T=Other		4
0.Amount reported		14543
1.100k+		979
2.50k-100k		4584
3.50k+		488
4.35k-50k		6889
5.35k+		1675
6.10k-35k		9008
7.less 10k		2872
8.less 35k		746

Value	K4INCB	K5INCB	K6INCB	K7INCB
.A=Not 18+	3076	2106	1640	3079
.C=No contact	172	378	373	476
.D=DK	3421	20102	29	21370
.F=No FamR		213	14	151
.H=Not kid/HHmem	96	141	507	40
.M=Missing	830	249	22252	350
.R=Refuse	323	1798	3	1432
.S=Deceased Kid	372	319	812	1019
.Y=Alternate wave	49781			
1.< 10K	2050	5100	4173	5555
2.10K-35K	3817	12151	9933	9927
3.35K-70K	2711	11023	9927	9576
4.35K+	540	2833	2950	3523
5.70K+	1350	7771	8526	9121

Value	K8INCB	K9INCB	K10INCB
.A=Not 18+	1814	1563	5107
.C=No contact	586	658	510
.D=DK	585	18237	3331
.F=No FamR	219	208	266
.H=Not kid/HHmem	116	120	312
.M=Missing		312	26
.R=Refuse	24	1045	212
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1360	1552
.Y=Alternate wave	55756		49110
1.< 10K	185	4250	4111
2.10K-35K	243	7449	3623
3.35K-70K	194	8153	1583
4.35K+	74	3786	333
5.70K+	152	10853	1008

Value	K11INCB	K12INCB
.A=Not 18+	2265	1371
.C=No contact	698	16
.D=DK	18788	403
.F=No FamR	524	530
.H=Not kid/HHmem	578	263
.M=Missing	1028	3
.R=Refuse	1742	26
.S=Deceased Kid	1739	1835
.Y=Alternate wave		56392
1.< 10K	8013	126
2.10K-35K	10480	195
3.35K-70K	8291	63
4.70K-100K	4070	36
5.35K+	3198	25
6.70K+	1292	12
7.100K+	4608	33

Value	K2INCB
.D=DK	3620
.L=Not resident	1505
.R=Refuse	854
1.less than 20k	2536
2.20K-30k	2444
3.30k-50k	4656
4.50k+	4728
5.0-30k	470
6.30k+	1087
7.0-50k	823

Value	K2INCBH
.D=DK	4380
0.Amount reported	16336
1.40k+	3400
2.25k-40k	4819
3.25k+	747
4.10k-25k	4519
5.less 10k	2106
6.less 25k	357
7.10k+	1139
8.less 10k	50

How Constructed

KwINCB categorizes the ranges of total income from a kid and his/her family.

In Wave 2H and Wave 3, KwINCA indicates the reported continuous income.

KwINCMIN and KwINCMAX are the min and max values based on the reported bracket ranges (KwINCB). For the top open bracket, the special code .B is used.

These variables are derived from the D_MC or E_MC modules.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Bracket ranges are different for Waves 1, 2 and 3 as compared to bracket ranges in later waves.

In Wave 1, there is no continuous amount reported. K1INCB indicates the income bracket ranges: less than 10K, 10K-25K and more than 25K.

In Wave 2A (1993), there also is no continuous amount reported. K2INCBA indicates the income bracket ranges: less than 20K, 20K-30K, 30-50K, 50K+, 0-30K, 30K+ and 0-50K.

In Wave 2H (1994), K2INCA indicates the reported continuous amount and K2INCBH is the income bracket ranges: 40K+, 25K-40K, 25K+, 10K-25K, less than 25K, 10K+ and less than 10K.

For Wave 3 (1995 and 1996), K3INCA is the reported continuous amount and K3INCB indicates the income bracket ranges: 100K+, 50K-100K, 50K+, 35K-50K, 35K+, 10K-35K, less than 10K, and less than 35K.

From Wave 4 forward, only bracket ranges are reported. In Waves 4-10, KwINCB indicates the bracket ranges: less than 10K, 10K-35K, 35K-70K, more than 35K and more than 70K.

In Waves 11-12, the threshold 100k is added, creating additional bracket ranges: 70K-100K and more than 100K. NOTE: These categories are not strictly ordinal. For example, KwINCB=5 indicates the income is at least 35K, which may well represent a value that is less than one indicated by KwINCB=4 (70K-100K).

The questions are skipped for re-interviewed households in Wave 4 and in "alternate" waves (i.e. even-numbered waves) beginning with Wave 8 and going forward. The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave."

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8020 KIDS:ANNUAL INCOME :IMP

AHEAD 1993:
B458C CATEG: D30-D32. NRCHILD HH INCOME

HRS 1994:
W8021 E16. 1993 INCOME

AHEAD 1995:
D1417 D9.CHILD FAMILY INCOME

HRS 1996:
E1387 D9. CHILD FAMILY INCOME

HRS 1998:
F1807 D9. CHILD FAMILY INCOME
F1808 D9A.CHILD FAM INC TOP

HRS 2000:
G2023 D9. CHILD FAMILY INCOME
G2024 D9A.CHILD FAM INC TOP

HRS 2002:
HE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
HE043 CHILD FAM INC- > \$70,000

HRS 2004:
JE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
JE043 CHILD FAM INC GT \$70000

HRS 2006:
KE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
KE043 CHILD FAM INC GT \$70000

HRS 2008:
LE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
LE043 CHILD FAM INC GT \$70000

HRS 2010:
ME042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
ME043 CHILD FAM INC- > \$70,000 -1

HRS 2012:
NE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
NE043 CHILD FAM INC- > \$70,000 -1

HRS 2014:
OE042 CHILDS FAMILY INCOME
OE043 CHILD FAM INC- > \$70,000

Kid Contributes to HH Finances

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HHFIN	K3HHFIN:W3 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
4	K4HHFIN	K4HHFIN:W4 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
5	K5HHFIN	K5HHFIN:W5 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
6	K6HHFIN	K6HHFIN:W6 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
7	K7HHFIN	K7HHFIN:W7 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
8	K8HHFIN	K8HHFIN:W8 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
9	K9HHFIN	K9HHFIN:W9 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
10	K10HHFIN	K10HHFIN:W10 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
11	K11HHFIN	K11HHFIN:W11 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ
12	K12HHFIN	K12HHFIN:W12 Kid contributes HH finances	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HHFIN	5502	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
K4HHFIN	6165	0.46	0.50	0.0	1.0
K5HHFIN	5030	0.49	0.50	0.0	1.0
K6HHFIN	4330	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
K7HHFIN	5507	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
K8HHFIN	4817	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
K9HHFIN	4255	0.51	0.50	0.0	1.0
K10HHFIN	7141	0.46	0.50	0.0	1.0
K11HHFIN	6656	0.48	0.50	0.0	1.0
K12HHFIN	5990	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K3HHFIN	K4HHFIN	K5HHFIN	K6HHFIN	K7HHFIN
.A=Not 18+	1085	1899	1393	1026	2162
.C=No contact		231	458	495	650
.D=DK	13	31	38	26	27
.F=No FamR	220	590	325	19	265
.H=Not kid/HHmem		51	59	169	
.L=Not resident	49968	59133	56494	54160	55905
.M=Missing	83	47	17	61	56
.R=Refuse	35	20	51	37	28
.S=Deceased Kid	253	372	319	816	1019
0.No	2940	3343	2564	2158	3008
1.Yes	2562	2822	2466	2172	2499

Value	K8HHFIN	K9HHFIN	K10HHFIN	K11HHFIN	K12HHFIN
.A=Not 18+	1452	1088	3072	2301	1646
.C=No contact	753	802	731	694	658
.D=DK	13	28	31	36	27
.F=No FamR	269	251	828	528	534
.L=Not resident	52583	50178	57391	55046	50549
.M=Missing	52	19	314	297	62
.R=Refuse	9	13	24	17	28
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1360	1552	1739	1835
0.No	2406	2075	3862	3486	2904
1.Yes	2411	2180	3279	3170	3086

How Constructed

KwHHFIN indicates whether a resident kid contributes financially to the household.

These questions were skipped for non-resident kids.

These variables are derived from the E_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
B424	D9. HHM CONTRIBUTE FINANCES?
B431	D16. HHM SP CONTRIBUTE FINANCES?
AHEAD 1995:	
D1403	D3.FINANCE HHM
D1412	D7.HHMEM SP CONTRIBUTE
HRS 1996:	
E1373	D2.FINANCE HHM
HRS 1998:	
F1800	D7.HHMEM SP CONTRIBUTE
F1893	D62.TRANSFER FROM CHILD LARGEST-1
HRS 2000:	
G2009	D2.FINANCE HHM
G2016	D7.HHMEM SP CONTRIBUTE
HRS 2002:	
HE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2004:	
JE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2006:	
KE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2008:	
LE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2010:	
ME030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2012:	
NE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM
HRS 2014:	
OE030	FIN CONTRIBUTION TO HHM

Kid Owns Home

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1OWNHM	K1OWNHM:W1 Kid owns a home	Categ
2	K2OWNHM	K2OWNHM:W2 Kid owns a home	Categ
3	K3OWNHM	K3OWNHM:W3 Kid owns a home	Categ
4	K4OWNHM	K4OWNHM:W4 Kid owns a home	Categ
5	K5OWNHM	K5OWNHM:W5 Kid owns a home	Categ
6	K6OWNHM	K6OWNHM:W6 Kid owns a home	Categ
7	K7OWNHM	K7OWNHM:W7 Kid owns a home	Categ
8	K8OWNHM	K8OWNHM:W8 Kid owns a home	Categ
9	K9OWNHM	K9OWNHM:W9 Kid owns a home	Categ
10	K10OWNHM	K10OWNHM:W10 Kid owns a home	Categ
11	K11OWNHM	K11OWNHM:W11 Kid owns a home	Categ
12	K12OWNHM	K12OWNHM:W12 Kid owns a home	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1OWNHM	32831	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
K2OWNHM	50796	0.58	0.49	0.0	1.0
K3OWNHM	31099	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0
K4OWNHM	67673	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
K5OWNHM	63139	0.53	0.50	0.0	1.0
K6OWNHM	59541	0.57	0.49	0.0	1.0
K7OWNHM	63641	0.54	0.50	0.0	1.0
K8OWNHM	4531	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
K9OWNHM	55570	0.57	0.50	0.0	1.0
K10OWNHM	19012	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
K11OWNHM	64377	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
K12OWNHM	2635	0.27	0.44	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1OWNHM	K2OWNHM	K3OWNHM	K4OWNHM	K5OWNHM	K6OWNHM	K7OWNHM
.C=No contact				214	362	415	584
.D=DK		525	706	253	277	237	340
.M=Missing	392	2710					
.Q=Not ask this wave			19733				
.R=Refuse		357	152	30	94	135	47
.S=Deceased Kid		71	136	369	312	811	1007
.W=Resident/res away	8643	6117	5333				
0.No	18152	21179	14814	33913	29905	25441	29138
1.Yes	14679	29617	16285	33760	33234	34100	34503

Value	K8OWNHM	K9OWNHM	K10OWNHM	K11OWNHM	K12OWNHM
.C=No contact	89	709	56	676	16
.D=DK	29	317	163	442	75
.R=Refuse		48	26	96	
.S=Deceased Kid	161	1350	196	1723	1833
.Y=Alternate wave	54420		51631		56770
0.No	2770	23998	15430	35629	1932
1.Yes	1761	31572	3582	28748	703

How Constructed

KwOWNHM indicates whether or not a kid owns a home.

In Waves 1, 2 and 3H, the question is asked in the PR_MC module. The KwOWNHM variable is coded 0=Not own home and 1=Own home.

From Wave 4 and forward, the question is asked in either the household file D_H or E_H. These variables are derived based on OPN reported. If the response "All children" is given, all the Respondent's kids are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question is not asked in Wave 3A, so KwOWNHM is set to .Q for this wave.

Beginning in Wave 8 and going forward, the question is skipped for re-interviewed households in "alternate" waves (i.e. even-numbered waves). The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave."

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8018	KIDS:OWN HOME? :IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
B454	D28. NRCHILD OWN HOME?
HRS 1994:	
W8015	E10. OWN A HOME?
HRS 1996:	
E1393	D11. OWN HOME
HRS 1998:	
F1767	D02.CHILDREN OWN HOME
F1768M1	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
F1768M2	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
F1768M3	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
HRS 2000:	
G1983	D02.CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M1	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M2	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M3	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
HRS 2002:	
HE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
HE016M01	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
HE016M02	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
HE016M03	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
HE016M04	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
HE016M05	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2004:	
JE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
JE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
JE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
JE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
JE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
JE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2006:	
KE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
KE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1

KE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
KE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
KE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
KE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2008:	
LE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
LE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
LE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
LE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
LE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
LE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2010:	
ME015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
ME016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -1
ME016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -2
ME016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -3
ME016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -4
ME016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -5
HRS 2012:	
NE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
NE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -1
NE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -2
NE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -3
NE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -4
NE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -5
HRS 2014:	
OE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
OE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -1
OE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -2
OE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -3
OE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -4
OE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -5

Number of Grandchildren

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2GKIDS	K2GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
3	K3GKIDS	K3GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
4	K4GKIDS	K4GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
5	K5GKIDS	K5GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
6	K6GKIDS	K6GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
7	K7GKIDS	K7GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
8	K8GKIDS	K8GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
9	K9GKIDS	K9GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
10	K10GKIDS	K10GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
11	K11GKIDS	K11GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont
12	K12GKIDS	K12GKIDS: # grandkids from kid	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2GKIDS	59978	0.00	0.06	0.0	4.0
K3GKIDS	54395	0.01	0.16	0.0	5.0
K4GKIDS	19251	0.07	0.36	0.0	5.0
K5GKIDS	59906	0.03	0.25	0.0	5.0
K6GKIDS	56279	0.04	0.29	0.0	6.0
K7GKIDS	59850	0.04	0.29	0.0	7.0
K8GKIDS	56047	0.05	0.30	0.0	6.0
K9GKIDS	53077	0.05	0.31	0.0	9.0
K10GKIDS	62351	0.05	0.32	0.0	6.0
K11GKIDS	59490	0.06	0.34	0.0	6.0
K12GKIDS	54762	0.06	0.35	0.0	7.0

How Constructed

KwGKIDS indicates the number of grandchildren that kid has.

The variables are derived from the E_MC module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Wave 1.

Section 5B: Kid Transfer to Respondent

Whether Kid Helps Respondent with ADLs

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPADL	K3HLPADL:W3 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
4	K4HLPADL	K4HLPADL:W4 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
5	K5HLPADL	K5HLPADL:W5 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
6	K6HLPADL	K6HLPADL:W6 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
7	K7HLPADL	K7HLPADL:W7 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
8	K8HLPADL	K8HLPADL:W8 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
9	K9HLPADL	K9HLPADL:W9 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
10	K10HLPADL	K10HLPADL:W10 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
11	K11HLPADL	K11HLPADL:W11 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
12	K12HLPADL	K12HLPADL:W12 Kid help R w/ADLs	Categ
6	KP6HLPADL	KP6HLPADL:W6 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPADL	KP7HLPADL:W7 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPADL	KP8HLPADL:W8 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPADL	KP9HLPADL:W9 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPADL	KP10HLPADL:W10 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPADL	KP11HLPADL:W11 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPADL	KP12HLPADL:W12 Kid help R w/ADLs/Kidsp	Categ
3	K3HLPADLO	K3HLPADLO:W3 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
4	K4HLPADLO	K4HLPADLO:W4 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
5	K5HLPADLO	K5HLPADLO:W5 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
6	K6HLPADLO	K6HLPADLO:W6 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
7	K7HLPADLO	K7HLPADLO:W7 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
8	K8HLPADLO	K8HLPADLO:W8 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
9	K9HLPADLO	K9HLPADLO:W9 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
10	K10HLPADLO	K10HLPADLO:W10 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
11	K11HLPADLO	K11HLPADLO:W11 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
12	K12HLPADLO	K12HLPADLO:W12 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often	Categ
6	KP6HLPADLO	KP6HLPADLO:W6 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPADLO	KP7HLPADLO:W7 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPADLO	KP8HLPADLO:W8 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPADLO	KP9HLPADLO:W9 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPADLO	KP10HLPADLO:W10 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPADLO	KP11HLPADLO:W11 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPADLO	KP12HLPADLO:W12 Kid help R w/ADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPADL	57104	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K4HLPADL	68536	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K5HLPADL	64170	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6HLPADL	61139	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K7HLPADL	65611	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K8HLPADL	59262	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K9HLPADL	57984	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K10HLPADL	71075	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K11HLPADL	67303	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K12HLPADL	61323	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
KP6HLPADL	38943	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP7HLPADL	41395	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP8HLPADL	38581	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP9HLPADL	38424	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP10HLPADL	43165	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0

KP11HLPADL	41984	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
KP12HLPADL	39087	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K3HLPADLO	57104	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K4HLPADLO	68536	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K5HLPADLO	64170	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K6HLPADLO	61139	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K7HLPADLO	65611	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K8HLPADLO	59262	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K9HLPADLO	57984	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K10HLPADLO	71075	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K11HLPADLO	67303	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K12HLPADLO	61323	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
KP6HLPADLO	38943	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP7HLPADLO	41395	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP8HLPADLO	38581	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP9HLPADLO	38424	0.00	0.02	0.0	1.0
KP10HLPADLO	43165	0.00	0.02	0.0	1.0
KP11HLPADLO	41984	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP12HLPADLO	39087	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLPADL	K4HLPADL	K5HLPADL	K6HLPADL	K7HLPADL
.D=DK		4		11		5
.R=Refuse		7		3		3
0.No		56605	67788	63542	60455	64887
1.Yes		499	748	628	684	724

Value		K8HLPADL	K9HLPADL	K10HLPADL	K11HLPADL	K12HLPADL
.D=DK		1	10	5		6
.R=Refuse		5		4	11	
0.No		58580	57353	70010	66318	60308
1.Yes		682	631	1065	985	1015

Value		KP6HLPADL	KP7HLPADL
.D=DK			5
.R=Refuse			3
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38861	41307
1.Yes		82	88

Value		KP8HLPADL	KP9HLPADL	KP10HLPADL	KP11HLPADL	KP12HLPADL
.D=DK		1	6	3		4
.R=Refuse		1		3	3	
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38492	38336	43063	41873	38977
1.Yes		89	88	102	111	110

Value		K3HLPADLO	K4HLPADLO	K5HLPADLO	K6HLPADLO	K7HLPADLO
.D=DK			4	11		5
.R=Refuse			7	3		3
0.No			56902	68211	63844	60807
1.Yes			202	325	326	332

Value		K8HLPADLO	K9HLPADLO	K10HLPADLO	K11HLPADLO	K12HLPADLO
.D=DK		1	10	5		6
.R=Refuse		5		4	11	
0.No		58940	57697	70613	66892	60904
1.Yes		322	287	462	411	419

Value		KP6HLPADLO	KP7HLPADLO
.D=DK			5
.R=Refuse			3
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38916	41368
1.Yes		27	27

Value		KP8HLPADLO	KP9HLPADLO	KP10HLPADLO	KP11HLPADLO	KP12HLPADLO
.D=DK		1	6	3		4
.R=Refuse		1		3	3	
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38555	38400	43145	41955	39054
1.Yes		26	24	20	29	33

How Constructed

KwHLPADL indicates whether a kid (or grandkid) helps with the Respondent's ADLs (dressing, walking, bathing, eating, getting in/out of bed, toileting).

KwHLPADLO indicates whether this record is the first kid OPN listed. This signals that he/she was the only kid mentioned or that he/she helped most.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwHLPADL and KPwHLPADLO are not available because the questions were not asked of the kid's spouse. From Wave 6 forward, KPwHLPADL and KPwHLPADLO are taken from the self-reported answers of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the Respondent level file G_R.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

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HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D1961	E83.WHO HELP-11
D1967	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
D1975	E84.WHO HELP-2
D1976	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
D1984	E85.WHO HELP-3
D1985	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
D1988	E86.WHO HELP-4
D1989	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
D1992	E87.WHO HELP-5
D1993	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
D1996	E88.WHO HELP-6
D1997	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
D2000	E89.WHO HELP-7
D2001	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 1996:

E1976	E83.WHO HELP-11
E1982	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
E1990	E84.WHO HELP-2
E1991	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
E1999	E85.WHO HELP-3
E2000	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
E2003	E86.WHO HELP-4
E2004	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
E2007	E87.WHO HELP-5
E2008	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
E2011	E88.WHO HELP-6
E2012	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
E2015	E89.WHO HELP-7
E2016	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 1998:

F2502	E83.WHO HELP-11
F2508	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
F2516	E84.WHO HELP-2
F2517	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
F2525	E85.WHO HELP-3
F2526	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
F2529	E86.WHO HELP-4
F2530	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
F2533	E87.WHO HELP-5
F2534	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
F2537	E88.WHO HELP-6
F2538	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
F2541	E89.WHO HELP-7
F2542	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 2000:

G2800	E83.WHO HELP-11
G2806	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
G2814	E84.WHO HELP-2
G2815	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
G2823	E85.WHO HELP-3
G2824	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3

G2827 E86.WHO HELP-4
G2828 E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
G2831 E87.WHO HELP-5
G2832 E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
G2835 E88.WHO HELP-6
G2836 E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
G2839 E89.WHO HELP-7
G2840 E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 2002:
HG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
HG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
HG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
HG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
HG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
HG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
HG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2004:
JG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
JG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
JG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
JG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
JG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
JG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
JG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
JG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2006:
KG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
KG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
KG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
KG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
KG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
KG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
KG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
KG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2008:
LG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
LG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
LG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
LG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
LG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
LG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
LG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
LG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2010:
MG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
MG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
MG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
MG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
MG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
MG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
MG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
MG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2012:
NG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
NG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
NG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
NG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
NG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1

NG033_2	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	2
NG033_3	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	3
NG033_4	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	4
HRS 2014:		
OG032_1	WHO HELPS MOST- ADL-	1
OG032_2	WHO HELPS- ADL-	2
OG032_3	WHO HELPS- ADL-	3
OG032_4	WHO HELPS- ADL-	4
OG033_1	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	1
OG033_2	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	2
OG033_3	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	3
OG033_4	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	4

Whether Kid Helps Respondent with IADLs

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPIADL	K3HLPIADL:W3 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
4	K4HLPIADL	K4HLPIADL:W4 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
5	K5HLPIADL	K5HLPIADL:W5 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
6	K6HLPIADL	K6HLPIADL:W6 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
7	K7HLPIADL	K7HLPIADL:W7 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
8	K8HLPIADL	K8HLPIADL:W8 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
9	K9HLPIADL	K9HLPIADL:W9 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
10	K10HLPIADL	K10HLPIADL:W10 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
11	K11HLPIADL	K11HLPIADL:W11 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
12	K12HLPIADL	K12HLPIADL:W12 Kid help R w/IADLs	Categ
6	KP6HLPIADL	KP6HLPIADL:W6 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPIADL	KP7HLPIADL:W7 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPIADL	KP8HLPIADL:W8 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPIADL	KP9HLPIADL:W9 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPIADL	KP10HLPIADL:W10 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPIADL	KP11HLPIADL:W11 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPIADL	KP12HLPIADL:W12 Kid help R w/IADLs/Kidsp	Categ
3	K3HLPIADLO	K3HLPIADLO:W3 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
4	K4HLPIADLO	K4HLPIADLO:W4 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
5	K5HLPIADLO	K5HLPIADLO:W5 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
6	K6HLPIADLO	K6HLPIADLO:W6 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
7	K7HLPIADLO	K7HLPIADLO:W7 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
8	K8HLPIADLO	K8HLPIADLO:W8 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
9	K9HLPIADLO	K9HLPIADLO:W9 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
10	K10HLPIADLO	K10HLPIADLO:W10 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
11	K11HLPIADLO	K11HLPIADLO:W11 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
12	K12HLPIADLO	K12HLPIADLO:W12 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often	Categ
6	KP6HLPIADO	KP6HLPIADO:W6 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPIADO	KP7HLPIADO:W7 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPIADO	KP8HLPIADO:W8 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPIADO	KP9HLPIADO:W9 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPIADO	KP10HLPIADO:W10 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPIADO	KP11HLPIADO:W11 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPIADO	KP12HLPIADO:W12 Kid help R w/IADLs-most often/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPIADL	57094	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K4HLPIADL	68527	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K5HLPIADL	64153	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K6HLPIADL	61131	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K7HLPIADL	65607	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K8HLPIADL	59304	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K9HLPIADL	57982	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K10HLPIADL	71060	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K11HLPIADL	67301	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K12HLPIADL	61324	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
KP6HLPIADL	38937	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
KP7HLPIADL	41396	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
KP8HLPIADL	38571	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
KP9HLPIADL	38422	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
KP10HLPIADL	43160	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0

KP11HLP IADL	41981	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
KP12HLP IADL	39086	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K3HLP IADLO	57094	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K4HLP IADLO	68527	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K5HLP IADLO	64153	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6HLP IADLO	61131	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K7HLP IADLO	65607	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K8HLP IADLO	59304	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K9HLP IADLO	57982	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K10HLP IADLO	71060	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K11HLP IADLO	67301	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K12HLP IADLO	61324	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
KP6HLP IADO	38937	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP7HLP IADO	41396	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP8HLP IADO	38571	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP9HLP IADO	38422	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP10HLP IADO	43160	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP11HLP IADO	41981	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP12HLP IADO	39086	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLP IADL	K4HLP IADL	K5HLP IADL	K6HLP IADL	K7HLP IADL
.D=DK		7	3	14	8	5
.R=Refuse		15	6	17		7
0.No		56265	67300	63101	60085	64496
1.Yes		829	1227	1052	1046	1111

Value		K8HLP IADL	K9HLP IADL	K10HLP IADL	K11HLP IADL	K12HLP IADL
.D=DK		6	10	7	6	5
.R=Refuse		9	2	17	5	
0.No		58203	56937	69547	65900	59920
1.Yes		1101	1045	1513	1401	1404

Value		KP6HLPIADL	KP7HLPIADL
.D=DK		6	3
.R=Refuse			4
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38797	41236
1.Yes		140	160

Value		KP8HLPIADL	KP9HLPIADL	KP10HLPIADL	KP11HLPIADL	KP12HLPIADL
.D=DK		5	6	2	4	5
.R=Refuse		7	2	9		
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38453	38303	43001	41830	38916
1.Yes		118	119	159	151	170

Value		K3HLPIADLO	K4HLPIADLO	K5HLPIADLO	K6HLPIADLO	K7HLPIADLO
.D=DK			7	3	14	8
.R=Refuse			15	6	17	7
0.No			56659	67798	63538	60497
1.Yes			435	729	615	634

Value		K8HLPIADLO	K9HLPIADLO	K10HLPIADLO	K11HLPIADLO	K12HLPIADLO
.D=DK		6	10	7	6	5
.R=Refuse		9	2	17	5	
0.No		58658	57377	70253	66564	60587
1.Yes		646	605	807	737	737

Value		KP6HLPIADO	KP7HLPIADO
.D=DK		6	3
.R=Refuse			4
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38882	41335
1.Yes		55	61

Value		KP8HLPIADO	KP9HLPIADO	KP10HLPIADO	KP11HLPIADO	KP12HLPIADO
.D=DK		5	6	2	4	5
.R=Refuse		7	2	9		
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38530	38372	43111	41939	39034
1.Yes		41	50	49	42	52

How Constructed

KwHLPIADL indicates whether a kid (or grandkid) helps with the Respondent's IADLs (meal preparation, grocery shopping, making phone calls, taking medication).

KwHLPIADLO indicates whether this record is the first kid OPN listed. This signals that he/she was the only kid mentioned or that he/she helped most.

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HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2041	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
D2042	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
D2050	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
D2051	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
D2055	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
D2056	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
D2061	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
D2062	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
D2067	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
D2068	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
D2073	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
D2074	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 1996:

E2056	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
E2057	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
E2065	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
E2066	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
E2070	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
E2071	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
E2076	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
E2077	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
E2082	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
E2083	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
E2088	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
E2089	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 1998:

F2582	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
F2583	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
F2591	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
F2592	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
F2596	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
F2597	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
F2602	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
F2603	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
F2608	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
F2609	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
F2614	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
F2615	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 2000:

G2880	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP-1
G2881	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
G2889	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP-2
G2890	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
G2894	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP-3
G2895	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
G2900	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP-4
G2901	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
G2906	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP-5
G2907	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
G2912	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP-6
G2913	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 2002:
HG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
HG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
HG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
HG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
HG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
HG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
HG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
HG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2004:
JG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
JG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
JG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
JG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
JG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
JG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
JG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
JG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2006:
KG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
KG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
KG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
KG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
KG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
KG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
KG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
KG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2008:
LG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
LG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
LG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
LG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
LG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
LG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
LG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
LG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2010:
MG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
MG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
MG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
MG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
MG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
MG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
MG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
MG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2012:
NG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
NG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
NG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
NG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
NG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
NG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
NG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
NG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2014:
OG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
OG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
OG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
OG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4

OG055_1	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
OG055_2	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
OG055_3	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
OG055_4	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

Whether Kid Helps Respondent with Finances

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPPFIN	K3HLPPFIN:W3 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
4	K4HLPPFIN	K4HLPPFIN:W4 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
5	K5HLPPFIN	K5HLPPFIN:W5 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
6	K6HLPPFIN	K6HLPPFIN:W6 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
7	K7HLPPFIN	K7HLPPFIN:W7 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
8	K8HLPPFIN	K8HLPPFIN:W8 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
9	K9HLPPFIN	K9HLPPFIN:W9 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
10	K10HLPPFIN	K10HLPPFIN:W10 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
11	K11HLPPFIN	K11HLPPFIN:W11 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
12	K12HLPPFIN	K12HLPPFIN:W12 Kid help R w/finances	Categ
6	KP6HLPPFIN	KP6HLPPFIN:W6 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPPFIN	KP7HLPPFIN:W7 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPPFIN	KP8HLPPFIN:W8 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPPFIN	KP9HLPPFIN:W9 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPPFIN	KP10HLPPFIN:W10 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPPFIN	KP11HLPPFIN:W11 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPPFIN	KP12HLPPFIN:W12 Kid help R w/finances/Kidsp	Categ
3	K3HLPPFINO	K3HLPPFINO:W3 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
4	K4HLPPFINO	K4HLPPFINO:W4 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
5	K5HLPPFINO	K5HLPPFINO:W5 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
6	K6HLPPFINO	K6HLPPFINO:W6 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
7	K7HLPPFINO	K7HLPPFINO:W7 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
8	K8HLPPFINO	K8HLPPFINO:W8 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
9	K9HLPPFINO	K9HLPPFINO:W9 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
10	K10HLPPFINO	K10HLPPFINO:W10 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
11	K11HLPPFINO	K11HLPPFINO:W11 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
12	K12HLPPFINO	K12HLPPFINO:W12 Kid help R w/finances-most often	Categ
6	KP6HLPPFINO	KP6HLPPFINO:W6 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HLPPFINO	KP7HLPPFINO:W7 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HLPPFINO	KP8HLPPFINO:W8 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HLPPFINO	KP9HLPPFINO:W9 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HLPPFINO	KP10HLPPFINO:W10 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HLPPFINO	KP11HLPPFINO:W11 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HLPPFINO	KP12HLPPFINO:W12 Kid help R w/finances-most often/Kidsp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPPFIN	57143	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K4HLPPFIN	68526	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K5HLPPFIN	64166	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6HLPPFIN	61120	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K7HLPPFIN	65595	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K8HLPPFIN	59266	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K9HLPPFIN	57981	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K10HLPPFIN	71044	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K11HLPPFIN	67262	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K12HLPPFIN	61294	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
KP6HLPPFIN	38933	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP7HLPPFIN	41388	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP8HLPPFIN	38562	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP9HLPPFIN	38422	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP10HLPPFIN	43148	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0

KP11HLPFIN	41951	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
KP12HLPFIN	39068	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
K3HLPFINO	57143	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K4HLPFINO	68526	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K5HLPFINO	64166	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6HLPFINO	61120	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K7HLPFINO	65595	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K8HLPFINO	59266	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K9HLPFINO	57981	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K10HLPFINO	71044	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K11HLPFINO	67262	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K12HLPFINO	61294	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
KP6HLPFINO	38933	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP7HLPFINO	41388	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP8HLPFINO	38562	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP9HLPFINO	38422	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP10HLPFINO	43148	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP11HLPFINO	41951	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0
KP12HLPFINO	39068	0.00	0.03	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLPFIN	K4HLPFIN	K5HLPFIN	K6HLPFIN	K7HLPFIN
.D=DK		1	4	14	7	6
.R=Refuse		5	6	4	12	18
0.No		56709	67848	63494	60458	64994
1.Yes		434	678	672	662	601

Value		K8HLPFIN	K9HLPFIN	K10HLPFIN	K11HLPFIN	K12HLPFIN
.D=DK		7	9	19	43	30
.R=Refuse		9	4	21	9	5
0.No		58570	57338	70265	66507	60462
1.Yes		696	643	779	755	832

Value		KP6HLPFIN	KP7HLPFIN
.D=DK		6	5
.R=Refuse		4	10
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38879	41337
1.Yes		54	51

Value		KP8HLPFIN	KP9HLPFIN	KP10HLPFIN	KP11HLPFIN	KP12HLPFIN
.D=DK		3	5	12	29	17
.R=Refuse		7	3	11	7	5
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38506	38363	43085	41886	38998
1.Yes		56	59	63	65	70

Value		K3HLPFINO	K4HLPFINO	K5HLPFINO	K6HLPFINO	K7HLPFINO
.D=DK		1	4	14	7	6
.R=Refuse		5	6	4	12	18
0.No		56769	67933	63572	60525	65056
1.Yes		374	593	594	595	539

Value		K8HLPFINO	K9HLPFINO	K10HLPFINO	K11HLPFINO	K12HLPFINO
.D=DK		7	9	19	43	30
.R=Refuse		9	4	21	9	5
0.No		58674	57412	70393	66641	60642
1.Yes		592	569	651	621	652

Value		KP6HLPFINO	KP7HLPFINO
.D=DK		6	5
.R=Refuse		4	10
.U=Unmarried		21060	22660
0.No		38895	41354
1.Yes		38	34

Value		KP8HLPFINO	KP9HLPFINO	KP10HLPFINO	KP11HLPFINO	KP12HLPFINO
.D=DK		3	5	12	29	17
.R=Refuse		7	3	11	7	5
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659
0.No		38530	38388	43111	41906	39030
1.Yes		32	34	37	45	38

How Constructed

KwHLPFIN indicates whether a kid (or grandkid) helps the Respondent manage money.

KRwHLPFINO indicates whether this record is the first kid OPN listed. This signals he/she was the only kid mentioned or that he/she helped most.

Prior to Wave 6, KPwHLPFIN and KPwHLPFINO are not available because the questions were not asked of the kid's spouse.

From Wave 6 forward, KPwHLPFIN and KPwHLPFINO are taken from the self-reported answers of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the Respondent level file G_R.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:
 D2102 E106C.IADL MONEY WHO HELP,1
 D2107 E107. MONEY HELP-1
 D2121 E108. MONEY HELPER-2

HRS 1996:
 E2096 E106C.IADL MONEY WHO HELP,1
 E2101 E107. MONEY HELP-1
 E2109 E108. MONEY HELPER-2

HRS 1998:
 F2621 E107. MONEY HELP-1
 F2625 E108. MONEY HELPER-2

HRS 2000:
 G2919 E107. MONEY HELP-1
 G2920 E107A.TYPE MONEY HELPER-1
 G2923 E108. MONEY HELPER-2
 G2924 E108A.TYPE MONEY HELPER-2

HRS 2002:
 HG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 HG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 HG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 HG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 HG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2004:
 JG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 JG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 JG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 JG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 JG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2006:
 KG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 KG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 KG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 KG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 KG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2008:
 LG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 LG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 LG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 LG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 LG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2010:
 MG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 MG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 MG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 MG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 MG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2012:
 NG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
 NG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
 NG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
 NG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
 NG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2014:
OG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
OG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
OG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
OG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
OG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

Whether Kid Will Help Respondent in the Future

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPFUT	K3HLPFUT:W3 Kid help R in the future	Categ
4	K4HLPFUT	K4HLPFUT:W4 Kid help R in the future	Categ
5	K5HLPFUT	K5HLPFUT:W5 Kid help R in the future	Categ
6	K6HLPFUT	K6HLPFUT:W6 Kid help R in the future	Categ
7	K7HLPFUT	K7HLPFUT:W7 Kid help R in the future	Categ
8	K8HLPFUT	K8HLPFUT:W8 Kid help R in the future	Categ
9	K9HLPFUT	K9HLPFUT:W9 Kid help R in the future	Categ
10	K10HLPFUT	K10HLPFUT:W10 Kid help R in the future	Categ
11	K11HLPFUT	K11HLPFUT:W11 Kid help R in the future	Categ
12	K12HLPFUT	K12HLPFUT:W12 Kid help R in the future	Categ
3	K3HLPFUTG	K3HLPFUTG:W3 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
4	K4HLPFUTG	K4HLPFUTG:W4 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
5	K5HLPFUTG	K5HLPFUTG:W5 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
6	K6HLPFUTG	K6HLPFUTG:W6 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
7	K7HLPFUTG	K7HLPFUTG:W7 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
8	K8HLPFUTG	K8HLPFUTG:W8 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
9	K9HLPFUTG	K9HLPFUTG:W9 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
10	K10HLPFUTG	K10HLPFUTG:W10 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
11	K11HLPFUTG	K11HLPFUTG:W11 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ
12	K12HLPFUTG	K12HLPFUTG:W12 Grandkid help R in the future	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPFUT	55756	0.24	0.42	0.0	1.0
K4HLPFUT	66547	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
K5HLPFUT	62142	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
K6HLPFUT	58812	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
K7HLPFUT	63361	0.27	0.44	0.0	1.0
K8HLPFUT	56963	0.27	0.45	0.0	1.0
K9HLPFUT	55976	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
K10HLPFUT	69381	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
K11HLPFUT	65739	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
K12HLPFUT	59980	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
K3HLPFUTG	55756	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K4HLPFUTG	66547	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K5HLPFUTG	62142	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6HLPFUTG	58812	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K7HLPFUTG	63361	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K8HLPFUTG	56948	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K9HLPFUTG	55976	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K10HLPFUTG	69381	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K11HLPFUTG	65739	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K12HLPFUTG	59980	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLPFUT	K4HLPFUT	K5HLPFUT	K6HLPFUT	K7HLPFUT
.D=DK		1363	1941	1994	2283	2228
.R=Refuse		24	48	48	44	30
0.No		42614	46053	43669	43923	46253
1.Yes		13142	20494	18473	14889	17108

Value		K8HLPFUT	K9HLPFUT	K10HLPFUT	K11HLPFUT	K12HLPFUT
.D=DK		2151	1967	1599	1512	1264
.R=Refuse		13	35	69	62	78
0.No		41442	41814	53242	49749	44594
1.Yes		15521	14162	16139	15990	15386

Value		K3HLPFUTG	K4HLPFUTG	K5HLPFUTG	K6HLPFUTG	K7HLPFUTG
.D=DK		1363	1941	1994	2283	2228
.R=Refuse		24	48	48	44	30
0.No		55427	65746	61569	57823	62595
1.Yes		329	801	573	989	766

Value		K8HLPFUTG	K9HLPFUTG	K10HLPFUTG	K11HLPFUTG	K12HLPFUTG
.D=DK		2151	1967	1599	1512	1264
.R=Refuse		13	35	69	62	78
0.No		56141	55352	68468	64776	58750
1.Yes		807	624	913	963	1230

How Constructed

KwHLPFUT indicates whether the Respondent says a kid would be willing and able to help with basic personal care activities over a long period of time if the respondent needed it.

KwHLPFUTG indicates whether a grandkid would help if needed.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the Respondent level file G_R. If the answer is "All Children," all the kids from the Respondent are coded as "yes."

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2172 E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
 D2174M1 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
 D2174M2 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
 D2174M3 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 1996:

E2175 E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
 E2177M2 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
 E2177M3 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 1998:
F2684 E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
F2685M1 E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
F2685M2 E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
F2686M1 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2686M2 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2686M3 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2687M1 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
F2687M2 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
F2687M3 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD

HRS 2000:
G3002 E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
G3003M1 E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3003M2 E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3003M3 E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3004M1 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3004M2 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3004M3 E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3005M1 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
G3005M2 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
G3005M3 E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD

HRS 2002:
HG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
HG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
HG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
HG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
HG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
HG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
HG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
HG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
HG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
HG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2004:
JG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
JG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
JG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
JG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
JG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
JG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
JG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
JG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
JG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
JG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2006:
KG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
KG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
KG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
KG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
KG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
KG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
KG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
KG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
KG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
KG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2008:
LG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
LG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
LG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
LG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3

LG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
LG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
LG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
LG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
LG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
LG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2010:

MG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
MG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
MG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
MG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
MG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
MG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
MG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
MG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
MG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
MG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2012:

NG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
NG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
NG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
NG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
NG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
NG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
NG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
NG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
NG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
NG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2014:

OG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
OG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
OG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
OG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
OG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
OG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
OG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
OG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
OG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
OG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

Whether Kid Helps Respondent With Chores & Errands

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPCHR	K3HLPCHR:W3 Kid help w/chores & errands	Categ
4	K4HLPCHR	K4HLPCHR:W4 Kid help w/chores & errands	Categ
5	K5HLPCHR	K5HLPCHR:W5 Kid help w/chores & errands	Categ
6	K6HLPCHR	K6HLPCHR:W6 Kid help w/chores & errands	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPCHR	57126	0.14	0.35	0.0	1.0
K4HLPCHR	68502	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
K5HLPCHR	64139	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0
K6HLPCHR	61096	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLPCHR	K4HLPCHR	K5HLPCHR	K6HLPCHR
.D=DK		13	21	24	12
.R=Refuse		12	13	21	31
0.No		48909	55632	53882	50882
1.Yes		8217	12870	10257	10214

How Constructed

KwHLPCHR indicates whether a kid (or grandkid) helps the Respondent with household chores, errands and transportation.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the Respondent level file G_R. If the answer is "All Children," all the kids from the Respondent are coded as "yes."

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was only asked in Waves 3, 4, 5 and 6.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2164	E171.REL HELP CHORE
D2165M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
D2165M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
D2165M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1

HRS 1996:

E2166	E171.REL HELP CHORE
E2167M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
E2167M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
E2167M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 1998:	
F2675	E171.REL HELP CHORE
F2676M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M4	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M5	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M6	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M7	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 2000:	
G2993	E171.REL HELP CHORE
G2994M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M4	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M5	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M6	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M7	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 2002:	
HG084	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES
HG085M1	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -1
HG085M2	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -2
HG085M3	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -3
HG085M4	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -4

Whether Kid Helps With Health Care Cost

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLTCST	K3HLTCST:W3 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
4	K4HLTCST	K4HLTCST:W4 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
5	K5HLTCST	K5HLTCST:W5 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
6	K6HLTCST	K6HLTCST:W6 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
7	K7HLTCST	K7HLTCST:W7 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
8	K8HLTCST	K8HLTCST:W8 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
9	K9HLTCST	K9HLTCST:W9 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
10	K10HLTCST	K10HLTCST:W10 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
11	K11HLTCST	K11HLTCST:W11 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ
12	K12HLTCST	K12HLTCST:W12 Kid help w/health care cost	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLTCST	57110	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K4HLTCST	68527	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K5HLTCST	64120	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K6HLTCST	61062	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K7HLTCST	65525	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K8HLTCST	59075	0.01	0.09	0.0	1.0
K9HLTCST	57897	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K10HLTCST	70907	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K11HLTCST	2188	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K12HLTCST	1863	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLTCST	K4HLTCST	K5HLTCST	K6HLTCST	K7HLTCST
.D=DK		21	6	59	48	62
.R=Refuse		15	3	5	29	32
0.No		56762	68120	63670	60651	65068
1.Yes		348	407	450	411	457

Value		K8HLTCST	K9HLTCST	K10HLTCST	K11HLTCST	K12HLTCST
.D=DK		54	76	123	22	6
.J=MedExp<\$10k					65104	59460
.R=Refuse		14	21	54		
0.No		58639	57636	70512	2162	1844
1.Yes		436	261	395	26	19

How Constructed

KwHLTCST indicates whether a kid (or grandkid) helps the Respondent with health care costs including, for example: any costs not covered by insurance; the cost of health insurance; or the cost of long-term care insurance.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the Respondent level file G_R. If the answer is "All Children," all the kids from the Respondent are coded as "yes."

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2. From Wave 11 forward, the question is asked only if total medical expenditures are greater than \$10,000.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D1805	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
D1807M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
D1807M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
D1807M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 1996:

E1847	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
E1849M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M4	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M5	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 1998:

F2377	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
F2379M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
F2379M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
F2379M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 2000:

G2654	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
G2656M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1
G2656M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1
G2656M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1

HRS 2002:

HN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M3	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS

HRS 2004:

JN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
JN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
JN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
JN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2
JN214M3	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3

HRS 2006:

KN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
KN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
KN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
KN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2
KN214M3	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3

HRS 2008:

LN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
LN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
LN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
LN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2

LN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3
HRS 2010:
MN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
MN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
MN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
MN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
MN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3
HRS 2012:
NN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
NN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
NN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
NN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
NN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3
HRS 2014:
ON212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
ON213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
ON214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
ON214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
ON214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3

Respondent Received Financial Transfer from Kid
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2FCANY	K2FCANY:W2 Any transfer from kid	Categ
3	K3FCANY	K3FCANY:W3 Any transfer from kid	Categ
4	K4FCANY	K4FCANY:W4 Any transfer from kid	Categ
5	K5FCANY	K5FCANY:W5 Any transfer from kid	Categ
6	K6FCANY	K6FCANY:W6 Any transfer from kid	Categ
7	K7FCANY	K7FCANY:W7 Any transfer from kid	Categ
8	K8FCANY	K8FCANY:W8 Any transfer from kid	Categ
9	K9FCANY	K9FCANY:W9 Any transfer from kid	Categ
10	K10FCANY	K10FCANY:W10 Any transfer from kid	Categ
11	K11FCANY	K11FCANY:W11 Any transfer from kid	Categ
12	K12FCANY	K12FCANY:W12 Any transfer from kid	Categ
2	K2FCNTRAN	K2FCNTRAN:W2 # of transfers from kid	Categ
3	K3FCNTRAN	K3FCNTRAN:W3 # of transfers from kid	Categ
4	K4FCNTRAN	K4FCNTRAN:W4 # of transfers from kid	Categ
5	K5FCNTRAN	K5FCNTRAN:W5 # of transfers from kid	Categ
6	K6FCNTRAN	K6FCNTRAN:W6 # of transfers from kid	Categ
7	K7FCNTRAN	K7FCNTRAN:W7 # of transfers from kid	Categ
8	K8FCNTRAN	K8FCNTRAN:W8 # of transfers from kid	Categ
9	K9FCNTRAN	K9FCNTRAN:W9 # of transfers from kid	Categ
10	K10FCNTRAN	K10FCNTRAN:W10 # of transfers from kid	Categ
11	K11FCNTRAN	K11FCNTRAN:W11 # of transfers from kid	Categ
12	K12FCNTRAN	K12FCNTRAN:W12 # of transfers from kid	Categ
2	K2FCAMT	K2FCAMT:W2 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
3	K3FCAMT	K3FCAMT:W3 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
4	K4FCAMT	K4FCAMT:W4 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
5	K5FCAMT	K5FCAMT:W5 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
6	K6FCAMT	K6FCAMT:W6 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
7	K7FCAMT	K7FCAMT:W7 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
8	K8FCAMT	K8FCAMT:W8 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
9	K9FCAMT	K9FCAMT:W9 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
10	K10FCAMT	K10FCAMT:W10 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
11	K11FCAMT	K11FCAMT:W11 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
12	K12FCAMT	K12FCAMT:W12 Amounts of transfer from kid(imputed)	Cont
2	K2FCFLG	K2FCFLG:W2 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
3	K3FCFLG	K3FCFLG:W3 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
4	K4FCFLG	K4FCFLG:W4 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
5	K5FCFLG	K5FCFLG:W5 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
6	K6FCFLG	K6FCFLG:W6 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
7	K7FCFLG	K7FCFLG:W7 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
8	K8FCFLG	K8FCFLG:W8 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
9	K9FCFLG	K9FCFLG:W9 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
10	K10FCFLG	K10FCFLG:W10 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
11	K11FCFLG	K11FCFLG:W11 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
12	K12FCFLG	K12FCFLG:W12 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2FCANY	59734	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K3FCANY	56218	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0
K4FCANY	66925	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K5FCANY	62613	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K6FCANY	59139	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K7FCANY	63346	0.02	0.16	0.0	1.0
K8FCANY	51858	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K9FCANY	55314	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0

K10FCANY	67266	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K11FCANY	63932	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K12FCANY	57962	0.02	0.16	0.0	1.0
K2FCNTRAN	59734	0.02	0.16	0.0	4.0
K3FCNTRAN	56218	0.04	0.20	0.0	3.0
K4FCNTRAN	66925	0.02	0.14	0.0	5.0
K5FCNTRAN	62613	0.02	0.15	0.0	3.0
K6FCNTRAN	59139	0.02	0.15	0.0	2.0
K7FCNTRAN	63346	0.02	0.16	0.0	2.0
K8FCNTRAN	51858	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
K9FCNTRAN	55314	0.02	0.15	0.0	3.0
K10FCNTRAN	67266	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
K11FCNTRAN	63932	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
K12FCNTRAN	57962	0.03	0.16	0.0	4.0
K2FCAMT	59732	27.35	432.76	0.0	35000.0
K3FCAMT	56218	56.81	742.94	0.0	50000.0
K4FCAMT	66925	54.02	960.17	0.0	100000.0
K5FCAMT	62613	58.56	895.52	0.0	80000.0
K6FCAMT	59139	77.97	1037.07	0.0	65000.0
K7FCAMT	63346	72.46	866.74	0.0	40000.0
K8FCAMT	51858	55.07	764.45	0.0	50000.0
K9FCAMT	55314	76.42	952.66	0.0	50000.0
K10FCAMT	67266	71.47	1107.23	0.0	84000.0
K11FCAMT	63932	70.70	971.07	0.0	60000.0
K12FCAMT	57962	85.96	1804.73	0.0	250000.0
K2FCFLG	59732	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K3FCFLG	56199	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K4FCFLG	66922	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K5FCFLG	62607	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K6FCFLG	59128	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K7FCFLG	63340	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K8FCFLG	51843	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K9FCFLG	55314	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K10FCFLG	67261	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K11FCFLG	63928	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K12FCFLG	57948	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2FCANY	K3FCANY	K4FCANY	K5FCANY	K6FCANY	K7FCANY
.C=No contact	78		231	461	496	654
.F=No FamR	10	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem	96	104	131	118	242	55
.M=Missing	590	366	225	345	435	263
.S=Deceased Kid	68	251	368	312	808	1014
0.No	58419	54125	65657	61296	57771	61785
1.Yes	1315	2093	1268	1317	1368	1561

Value	K8FCANY	K9FCANY	K10FCANY	K11FCANY	K12FCANY
.C=No contact	742	814	738	700	663
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	47	57	36	31	36
.M=Missing	7025	189	626	369	293
.S=Deceased Kid	1134	1357	1544	1735	1824
0.No	50794	54060	65906	62638	56525
1.Yes	1064	1254	1360	1294	1437

Value	K2FCNTRAN	K3FCNTRAN	K4FCNTRAN	K5FCNTRAN	K6FCNTRAN	K7FCNTRAN
.C=No contact	78		231	461	496	654
.F=No FamR	10	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem	96	104	131	118	242	55
.M=Missing	590	366	225	345	435	263
.S=Deceased Kid	68	251	368	312	808	1014
0.No transfer	58419	54125	65657	61296	57771	61785
1-12 transfers	1315	2093	1268	1317	1368	1561

Value	K8FCNTRAN	K9FCNTRAN	K10FCNTRAN	K11FCNTRAN	K12FCNTRAN
.C=No contact	742	814	738	700	663
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	47	57	36	31	36
.M=Missing	7025	189	626	369	293
.S=Deceased Kid	1134	1357	1544	1735	1824
0.No transfer	50794	54060	65906	62638	56525
1-12 transfers	1064	1254	1360	1294	1437

Value	K2FCFLG	K3FCFLG	K4FCFLG	K5FCFLG	K6FCFLG	K7FCFLG
.C=No contact	78		231	462	499	656
.F=No FamR	10	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem	96	104	131	118	242	55
.M=Missing	590	383	225	345	435	263
.S=Deceased Kid	70	253	371	317	816	1018
0.Not imputed	59352	55853	66695	62358	58876	63025
1.Imputed	380	346	227	249	252	315

Value	K8FCFLG	K9FCFLG	K10FCFLG	K11FCFLG	K12FCFLG
.C=No contact	753	814	738	700	663
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	47	57	36	31	36
.M=Missing	7025	189	626	369	297
.S=Deceased Kid	1138	1357	1549	1739	1834
0.Not imputed	51658	55073	67061	63714	57755
1.Imputed	185	241	200	214	193

How Constructed

KwFCANY indicates whether the Respondent received financial help from the kid (or grandkid). The question asks whether the Respondent received financial help totaling \$500 or more. In 1994 and 1995, the financial assistance amount was \$100 or more.

The follow-up detail question allows any amount, including amounts less than the amount specified in the lead-in question.

KwFCNTRAN is the number of financial transfers the Respondent received from that kid or grandkid.

KwFCAMT is the financial transfer amount. If the financial transfer amount is missing, the amount is imputed from the bracket answers if they are available. Otherwise, the amount is imputed using donor data.

KwFCANY, KwFCNTRAN, and KwFCAMT are derived from the E_FC module.

From Wave 2 forward, KwFCAMT was imputed using same income and wealth imputation methods as the RAND HRS. Please see the Imputation Method section for more details.

KwFCFLG indicates whether the transfer amount was imputed.

If the OPN is "All Children equally," "All Grandchildren equally," or "All Children and Grandchildren equally," then all the kids/grandkids from the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The financial assistance amount is different in 1994 and 1995.

In other years, the question asked whether the Respondent or spouse received financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$500 or more from their kids. In 1994 and 1995, the question asks whether Respondent or spouse received \$100 or more in financial assistance.

The bracket responses 1993, 1994, and 1995 are different from other years.

The questions were not asked in Wave 1.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
B1600	J44. ANY \$500/+ ASSISTANCE FROM REL 92/3
B1606X	IMP: J46-1. CASH ASST: TOTAL \$-1
HRS 1994:	
W8027	E32B. AMOUNT CHILD GAVE
W903	E32. Receive Assistance from
AHEAD 1995:	
D1518	D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
D1527	D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT
HRS 1996:	
E1488	D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
E1497	D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT
HRS 1998:	
F1891	D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
F1896	D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT
HRS 2000:	
G2107	D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
G2112	D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT
HRS 2002:	
HE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
HE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2004:	
JE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
JE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2006:	
KE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
KE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2008:	
LE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
LE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2010:	
ME087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
ME093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2012:	
NE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
NE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD
HRS 2014:	
OE087	TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
OE093	DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

Whether Kid in Helper File

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3INHP	K3INHP:W3 Whether in helper file	Categ
4	K4INHP	K4INHP:W4 Whether in helper file	Categ
5	K5INHP	K5INHP:W5 Whether in helper file	Categ
6	K6INHP	K6INHP:W6 Whether in helper file	Categ
7	K7INHP	K7INHP:W7 Whether in helper file	Categ
8	K8INHP	K8INHP:W8 Whether in helper file	Categ
9	K9INHP	K9INHP:W9 Whether in helper file	Categ
10	K10INHP	K10INHP:W10 Whether in helper file	Categ
11	K11INHP	K11INHP:W11 Whether in helper file	Categ
12	K12INHP	K12INHP:W12 Whether in helper file	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3INHP	57159	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K4INHP	68539	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K5INHP	64184	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K6INHP	61139	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K7INHP	65619	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K8INHP	61086	0.03	0.17	0.0	1.0
K9INHP	57994	0.03	0.17	0.0	1.0
K10INHP	71084	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0
K11INHP	67314	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0
K12INHP	61329	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3INHP	K4INHP	K5INHP	K6INHP	K7INHP
0.Not in data		55585	66659	62528	59447	63894
1.In data		1574	1880	1656	1692	1725

Value		K8INHP	K9INHP	K10INHP	K11INHP	K12INHP
0.Not in data		59349	56308	68666	65100	59052
1.In data		1737	1686	2418	2214	2277

How Constructed

KwINHP indicates whether the kid is reported in the Helper file.

The variable is derived from the HP module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no Helper file in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

Whether Kid is a Helper

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HELPR	K3HELPR:W3 Whether helper or not	Categ
4	K4HELPR	K4HELPR:W4 Whether helper or not	Categ
5	K5HELPR	K5HELPR:W5 Whether helper or not	Categ
6	K6HELPR	K6HELPR:W6 Whether helper or not	Categ
7	K7HELPR	K7HELPR:W7 Whether helper or not	Categ
8	K8HELPR	K8HELPR:W8 Whether helper or not	Categ
9	K9HELPR	K9HELPR:W9 Whether helper or not	Categ
10	K10HELPR	K10HELPR:W10 Whether helper or not	Categ
11	K11HELPR	K11HELPR:W11 Whether helper or not	Categ
12	K12HELPR	K12HELPR:W12 Whether helper or not	Categ
6	KP6HELPR	KP6HELPR:W6 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
7	KP7HELPR	KP7HELPR:W7 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
8	KP8HELPR	KP8HELPR:W8 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
9	KP9HELPR	KP9HELPR:W9 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
10	KP10HELPR	KP10HELPR:W10 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
11	KP11HELPR	KP11HELPR:W11 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
12	KP12HELPR	KP12HELPR:W12 Whether helper or not/Kidsp	Categ
3	K3HLPALL	K3HLPALL:W3 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
4	K4HLPALL	K4HLPALL:W4 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
5	K5HLPALL	K5HLPALL:W5 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
6	K6HLPALL	K6HLPALL:W6 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
7	K7HLPALL	K7HLPALL:W7 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
8	K8HLPALL	K8HLPALL:W8 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
9	K9HLPALL	K9HLPALL:W9 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
10	K10HLPALL	K10HLPALL:W10 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
11	K11HLPALL	K11HLPALL:W11 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
12	K12HLPALL	K12HLPALL:W12 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs	Categ
6	KP6HLPALL	KP6HLPALL:W6 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
7	KP7HLPALL	KP7HLPALL:W7 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
8	KP8HLPALL	KP8HLPALL:W8 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
9	KP9HLPALL	KP9HLPALL:W9 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
10	KP10HLPALL	KP10HLPALL:W10 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
11	KP11HLPALL	KP11HLPALL:W11 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ
12	KP12HLPALL	KP12HLPALL:W12 Whether kid is a helper/ADLs/IADLs (Kidsp)	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HELPR	1574	0.87	0.33	0.0	1.0
K4HELPR	1880	0.92	0.27	0.0	1.0
K5HELPR	1656	0.93	0.26	0.0	1.0
K6HELPR	1692	0.93	0.25	0.0	1.0
K7HELPR	1725	0.93	0.26	0.0	1.0
K8HELPR	1737	0.94	0.24	0.0	1.0
K9HELPR	1686	0.92	0.26	0.0	1.0
K10HELPR	2418	0.92	0.26	0.0	1.0
K11HELPR	2214	0.94	0.24	0.0	1.0
K12HELPR	2277	0.91	0.28	0.0	1.0
KP6HELPR	38917	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP7HELPR	41366	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP8HELPR	38585	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP9HELPR	38397	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP10HELPR	43134	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0

KP11HELPR	41958	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
KP12HELPR	39063	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K3HLPALL	57137	0.05	0.34	0.0	5.0
K4HLPALL	68530	0.04	0.29	0.0	5.0
K5HLPALL	64150	0.04	0.30	0.0	5.0
K6HLPALL	61134	0.04	0.31	0.0	5.0
K7HLPALL	65599	0.04	0.29	0.0	5.0
K8HLPALL	60988	0.04	0.28	0.0	5.0
K9HLPALL	57973	0.04	0.31	0.0	5.0
K10HLPALL	71055	0.05	0.32	0.0	5.0
K11HLPALL	67292	0.05	0.31	0.0	5.0
K12HLPALL	61319	0.06	0.35	0.0	5.0
KP6HLPALL	38937	0.01	0.15	0.0	5.0
KP7HLPALL	41388	0.01	0.14	0.0	5.0
KP8HLPALL	38598	0.01	0.13	0.0	5.0
KP9HLPALL	38416	0.01	0.15	0.0	5.0
KP10HLPALL	43157	0.01	0.15	0.0	5.0
KP11HLPALL	41981	0.01	0.15	0.0	5.0
KP12HLPALL	39083	0.01	0.15	0.0	5.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HELPR	K4HELPR	K5HELPR	K6HELPR	K7HELPR
.Z=Not in Helper file		55585	66659	62528	59447	63894
0.No		197	151	122	117	125
1.Yes		1377	1729	1534	1575	1600
Value		K8HELPR	K9HELPR	K10HELPR	K11HELPR	K12HELPR
.Z=Not in Helper file		59349	56308	68666	65100	59052
0.No		107	127	183	140	194
1.Yes		1630	1559	2235	2074	2083

Value						KP6HELPR	KP7HELPR	
.U=Unmarried						21060	22660	
0.No						38726	41159	
1.Yes						191	207	
Value		KP8HELPR	KP9HELPR	KP10HELPR	KP11HELPR	KP12HELPR		
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659		
0.No		38400	38206	42903	41741	38825		
1.Yes		185	191	231	217	238		
Value				K3HLPALL	K4HLPALL	K5HLPALL	K6HLPALL	K7HLPALL
.D=DK				7	3	17	5	10
.R=RF				15	6	17		10
0.Not a helper				55653	66683	62511	59466	63889
1.Helper/ADL/IADL				962	1474	1238	1271	1334
2.ADL/IADL				20	13	13	4	11
3.Helper only				415	255	296	304	266
4.ADL only				28	43	30	40	50
5.IADL only				59	62	62	49	49
Value		K8HLPALL	K9HLPALL	K10HLPALL	K11HLPALL	K12HLPALL		
.D=DK		5	19	12	6	10		
.R=RF		12	2	17	16			
0.Not a helper		59359	56318	68673	65112	59082		
1.Helper/ADL/IADL		1324	1260	1898	1747	1749		
2.ADL/IADL		3	2	18	13	16		
3.Helper only		225	299	337	327	334		
4.ADL only		37	50	67	44	75		
5.IADL only		40	44	62	49	63		
Value						KP6HLPALL	KP7HLPALL	
.D=DK						6	8	
.R=RF							7	
.U=Unmarried						21060	22660	
0.Not a helper						38726	41159	
1.Helper/ADL/IADL						160	186	
2.ADL/IADL						1		
3.Helper only						31	21	
4.ADL only						4	7	
5.IADL only						15	15	
Value		KP8HLPALL	KP9HLPALL	KP10HLPALL	KP11HLPALL	KP12HLPALL		
.D=DK		5	12	5	3	8		
.R=RF		6	2	9	3			
.U=Unmarried		20041	18554	27258	24547	21659		
0.Not a helper		38400	38206	42903	41741	38825		
1.Helper/ADL/IADL		160	157	196	183	207		
2.ADL/IADL		1	1	2	2	1		
3.Helper only		25	34	35	34	31		
4.ADL only		6	11	11	9	11		
5.IADL only		6	7	10	12	8		

How Constructed

KwHELPR indicates whether or not the kid is a helper. It is derived from the helper file.

KwHLPALL is the summary measure that combines KwHELPR, KwHLPADL and KwHLPIADL. KwHLPALL is 1

if kid is a helper from the helper file and either helps Respondent with ADLs or IADLs; KwHLPALL is 2 if kid helps respondent with ADLs and IADLs; KwHLPALL is 3 if the kid is only a helper; KwHLPALL is 4 if the kid only helps the Respondent with ADLs; and KwHLPALL is 5 if the kid only helps Respondent with IADLs.

KPwHLPALL is the summary measure that combined KPwHELPR, KPwHLPADL and KPwHLPIADL.

KPwHELPR and KPwHLPALL are taken from the self-reported answer of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the HP module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no Helper file in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
D2137	E158.SEX HELPER
D2140	E160.HELPER OFTEN
D2145	E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:

E2120A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
E2122	MARRIED OR NOT
E2123	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
E2127	E159-1. HELPER HOURS

HRS 1998:

F2639A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
F2642	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
F2643	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
F2644	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
F2646	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
F2649	E162-1. HELPER PAID
F2650	E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
F2651	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
F2652	E165-1. HELPER, PER
F2658	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
F2659	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
F2660	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
F2662	E159-2. HELPER HOURS

HRS 2000:

G2947A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
G2950	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
G2951	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
G2952	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
G2954	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
G2957	E162-1. HELPER PAID
G2959	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2960	E165-1. HELPER, PER
G2976	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
G2977	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
G2978	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
G2980	E159-2. HELPER HOURS
G2983	E162-2. HELPER PAID

G2985 E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2986 E165-2. HELPER, PER
HRS 2002:
HG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
HG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
HG071 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
HG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
HG073 #HRS OF HELP
HG076 HELPER PAID TO HELP
HG078 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
HG079 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
HG080 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
HG081 OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER
HRS 2004:
JG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
JG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
JG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
JG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
JG073 #HRS OF HELP
JG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
JG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
JG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
JG080 AMT \$100
JG081 OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2006:
KG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
KG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
KG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
KG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
KG073 #HRS OF HELP
KG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
KG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
KG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
KG080 AMT \$100
KG081 OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2008:
LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
LG073 #HRS OF HELP
LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
LG080 AMT \$100
LG081 OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2010:
MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1
MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1
HRS 2012:
NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP

NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2014:
OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Number of Days and Hours Kid Helped
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPDAYS	K3HLPDAYS:W3 Days helped last month	Cont
4	K4HLPDAYS	K4HLPDAYS:W4 Days helped last month	Cont
5	K5HLPDAYS	K5HLPDAYS:W5 Days helped last month	Cont
6	K6HLPDAYS	K6HLPDAYS:W6 Days helped last month	Cont
7	K7HLPDAYS	K7HLPDAYS:W7 Days helped last month	Cont
8	K8HLPDAYS	K8HLPDAYS:W8 Days helped last month	Cont
9	K9HLPDAYS	K9HLPDAYS:W9 Days helped last month	Cont
10	K10HLPDAYS	K10HLPDAYS:W10 Days helped last month	Cont
11	K11HLPDAYS	K11HLPDAYS:W11 Days helped last month	Cont
12	K12HLPDAYS	K12HLPDAYS:W12 Days helped last month	Cont
6	KP6HLPDAYS	KP6HLPDAYS:W6 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
7	KP7HLPDAYS	KP7HLPDAYS:W7 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
8	KP8HLPDAYS	KP8HLPDAYS:W8 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
9	KP9HLPDAYS	KP9HLPDAYS:W9 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
10	KP10HLPDAYS	KP10HLPDAYS:W10 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
11	KP11HLPDAYS	KP11HLPDAYS:W11 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
12	KP12HLPDAYS	KP12HLPDAYS:W12 Days helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
3	K3HLPHRS	K3HLPHRS:W3 Hours helped last month	Cont
4	K4HLPHRS	K4HLPHRS:W4 Hours helped last month	Cont
5	K5HLPHRS	K5HLPHRS:W5 Hours helped last month	Cont
6	K6HLPHRS	K6HLPHRS:W6 Hours helped last month	Cont
7	K7HLPHRS	K7HLPHRS:W7 Hours helped last month	Cont
8	K8HLPHRS	K8HLPHRS:W8 Hours helped last month	Cont
9	K9HLPHRS	K9HLPHRS:W9 Hours helped last month	Cont
10	K10HLPHRS	K10HLPHRS:W10 Hours helped last month	Cont
11	K11HLPHRS	K11HLPHRS:W11 Hours helped last month	Cont
12	K12HLPHRS	K12HLPHRS:W12 Hours helped last month	Cont
6	KP6HLPHRS	KP6HLPHRS:W6 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
7	KP7HLPHRS	KP7HLPHRS:W7 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
8	KP8HLPHRS	KP8HLPHRS:W8 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
9	KP9HLPHRS	KP9HLPHRS:W9 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
10	KP10HLPHRS	KP10HLPHRS:W10 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
11	KP11HLPHRS	KP11HLPHRS:W11 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont
12	KP12HLPHRS	KP12HLPHRS:W12 Hours helped last month/Kidsp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPDAYS	1358	17.29	12.27	1.0	31.0
K4HLPDAYS	1676	15.34	12.23	1.0	31.0
K5HLPDAYS	1496	15.77	12.27	1.0	31.0
K6HLPDAYS	1532	15.67	12.37	1.0	31.0
K7HLPDAYS	1549	15.14	12.20	1.0	31.0
K8HLPDAYS	1589	15.33	12.10	1.0	31.0
K9HLPDAYS	1520	14.83	12.32	1.0	31.0
K10HLPDAYS	2183	14.12	11.87	1.0	31.0
K11HLPDAYS	2021	14.64	12.03	1.0	31.0
K12HLPDAYS	2019	13.79	11.88	1.0	31.0
KP6HLPDAYS	186	15.38	12.76	1.0	31.0
KP7HLPDAYS	203	14.66	12.66	1.0	31.0
KP8HLPDAYS	176	15.43	12.33	1.0	31.0
KP9HLPDAYS	183	13.74	12.41	1.0	31.0
KP10HLPDAYS	228	13.75	11.78	1.0	31.0

KP11HLPDAYS	210	14.40	11.97	1.0	31.0
KP12HLPDAYS	230	13.51	11.99	1.0	31.0
K3HLPHRS	1302	82.21	153.60	1.0	744.0
K4HLPHRS	1623	75.16	144.95	1.0	744.0
K5HLPHRS	1434	73.70	141.43	1.0	744.0
K6HLPHRS	1484	73.89	137.38	1.0	744.0
K7HLPHRS	1470	73.98	136.63	1.0	744.0
K8HLPHRS	1533	71.60	135.34	1.0	744.0
K9HLPHRS	1457	76.21	152.53	1.0	744.0
K10HLPHRS	2104	65.52	129.51	1.0	744.0
K11HLPHRS	1937	68.88	130.07	1.0	744.0
K12HLPHRS	1936	62.94	126.01	1.0	744.0
KP6HLPHRS	180	62.04	124.91	1.0	720.0
KP7HLPHRS	196	78.37	161.26	1.0	744.0
KP8HLPHRS	169	69.40	128.94	1.0	744.0
KP9HLPHRS	174	63.23	128.64	1.0	744.0
KP10HLPHRS	221	58.96	115.31	1.0	720.0
KP11HLPHRS	200	66.98	131.13	1.0	720.0
KP12HLPHRS	222	53.60	104.06	1.0	720.0

How Constructed

KwHLPDAYS is the number of days kids helped the Respondent last month. KwHLPHRS is the total hours kids helped the Respondent last month. One question or the other is answered.

The KPwHLPDAYS and KPwHLPHRS variables are taken from the self-reported answers of the kid's spouse.

These variables are derived from the HP module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no Helper file in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
D2137	E158.SEX HELPER
D2140	E160.HELPER OFTEN
D2145	E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:

E2120A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
E2122	MARRIED OR NOT
E2123	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
E2127	E159-1. HELPER HOURS

HRS 1998:

F2639A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
F2642	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
F2643	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK

F2644	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
F2646	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
F2649	E162-1. HELPER PAID
F2650	E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
F2651	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
F2652	E165-1. HELPER, PER
F2658	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
F2659	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
F2660	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
F2662	E159-2. HELPER HOURS
HRS 2000:	
G2947A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
G2950	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
G2951	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
G2952	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
G2954	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
G2957	E162-1. HELPER PAID
G2959	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2960	E165-1. HELPER, PER
G2976	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
G2977	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
G2978	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
G2980	E159-2. HELPER HOURS
G2983	E162-2. HELPER PAID
G2985	E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2986	E165-2. HELPER, PER
HRS 2002:	
HG069	HELPER RELATIONSHIP
HG070	FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
HG071	FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
HG072	DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
HG073	#HRS OF HELP
HG076	HELPER PAID TO HELP
HG078	AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
HG079	AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
HG080	AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
HG081	OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER
HRS 2004:	
JG069	HELPER RELATIONSHIP
JG070	FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
JG071	# DAYS HELPER HELPED
JG072	DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
JG073	#HRS OF HELP
JG076	HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
JG078	AMT R/SP/P PAID
JG079	AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
JG080	AMT \$100
JG081	OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2006:	
KG069	HELPER RELATIONSHIP
KG070	FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
KG071	# DAYS HELPER HELPED
KG072	DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
KG073	#HRS OF HELP
KG076	HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
KG078	AMT R/SP/P PAID
KG079	AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
KG080	AMT \$100
KG081	OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2008:
LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
LG073 #HRS OF HELP
LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
LG080 AMT \$100
LG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2010:
MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1
MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1

HRS 2012:
NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2014:
OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Whether Kid Helper Got Paid

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLPPAID	K3HLPPAID:W3 Whether helper paid	Categ
4	K4HLPPAID	K4HLPPAID:W4 Whether helper paid	Categ
5	K5HLPPAID	K5HLPPAID:W5 Whether helper paid	Categ
6	K6HLPPAID	K6HLPPAID:W6 Whether helper paid	Categ
7	K7HLPPAID	K7HLPPAID:W7 Whether helper paid	Categ
8	K8HLPPAID	K8HLPPAID:W8 Whether helper paid	Categ
9	K9HLPPAID	K9HLPPAID:W9 Whether helper paid	Categ
10	K10HLPPAID	K10HLPPAID:W10 Whether helper paid	Categ
11	K11HLPPAID	K11HLPPAID:W11 Whether helper paid	Categ
12	K12HLPPAID	K12HLPPAID:W12 Whether helper paid	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLPPAID	1574	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K4HLPPAID	1880	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K5HLPPAID	1656	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K6HLPPAID	1692	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K7HLPPAID	1725	0.04	0.18	0.0	1.0
K8HLPPAID	1737	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0
K9HLPPAID	1686	0.04	0.20	0.0	1.0
K10HLPPAID	2418	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
K11HLPPAID	2214	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
K12HLPPAID	2277	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		K3HLPPAID	K4HLPPAID	K5HLPPAID	K6HLPPAID	K7HLPPAID
.Z=Not in Helper file		55585	66659	62528	59447	63894
0.No		1545	1831	1611	1645	1664
1.Yes		29	49	45	47	61

Value		K8HLPPAID	K9HLPPAID	K10HLPPAID	K11HLPPAID	K12HLPPAID
.Z=Not in Helper file		59349	56308	68666	65100	59052
0.No		1680	1613	2309	2104	2160
1.Yes		57	73	109	110	117

How Constructed

KwHLPPAID is an indicator of whether or not the helper was paid.

These variables are derived from the HP module.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no Helper file in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 D2137 E158.SEX HELPER
 D2140 E160.HELPER OFTEN
 D2145 E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:

E2120A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 E2122 MARRIED OR NOT
 E2123 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 E2127 E159-1. HELPER HOURS

HRS 1998:

F2639A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 F2642 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 F2643 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
 F2644 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2646 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 F2649 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 F2650 E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
 F2651 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 F2652 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 F2658 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 F2659 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 F2660 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2662 E159-2. HELPER HOURS

HRS 2000:

G2947A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 G2950 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 G2951 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK

G2952 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2954 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 G2957 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 G2959 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2960 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 G2976 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 G2977 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 G2978 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2980 E159-2. HELPER HOURS
 G2983 E162-2. HELPER PAID
 G2985 E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2986 E165-2. HELPER, PER
 HRS 2002:
 HG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 HG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
 HG071 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
 HG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 HG073 #HRS OF HELP
 HG076 HELPER PAID TO HELP
 HG078 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 HG079 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
 HG080 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
 HG081 OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER
 HRS 2004:
 JG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 JG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
 JG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
 JG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 JG073 #HRS OF HELP
 JG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
 JG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
 JG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 JG080 AMT \$100
 JG081 OTR FIN HELP
 HRS 2006:
 KG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 KG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
 KG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
 KG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 KG073 #HRS OF HELP
 KG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
 KG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
 KG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 KG080 AMT \$100
 KG081 OTR FIN HELP
 HRS 2008:
 LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
 LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
 LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
 LG073 #HRS OF HELP
 LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
 LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
 LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
 LG080 AMT \$100
 LG081 OTR FIN HELP
 HRS 2010:
 MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
 MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1

MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1

HRS 2012:

NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2014:

OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Section 5C: Kid Transfer from Respondent

Kid Uses Parents for Childcare

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2KDCARE	K2KDCARE:W2 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
3	K3KDCARE	K3KDCARE:W3 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
4	K4KDCARE	K4KDCARE:W4 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
5	K5KDCARE	K5KDCARE:W5 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
6	K6KDCARE	K6KDCARE:W6 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
7	K7KDCARE	K7KDCARE:W7 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
8	K8KDCARE	K8KDCARE:W8 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
9	K9KDCARE	K9KDCARE:W9 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
10	K10KDCARE	K10KDCARE:W10 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
11	K11KDCARE	K11KDCARE:W11 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ
12	K12KDCARE	K12KDCARE:W12 Kid uses parents for childcare	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2KDCARE	22723	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K3KDCARE	57102	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
K4KDCARE	68464	0.12	0.33	0.0	1.0
K5KDCARE	64083	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
K6KDCARE	61048	0.10	0.31	0.0	1.0
K7KDCARE	65565	0.10	0.31	0.0	1.0
K8KDCARE	59132	0.10	0.31	0.0	1.0
K9KDCARE	57902	0.09	0.29	0.0	1.0
K10KDCARE	70941	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
K11KDCARE	67102	0.10	0.29	0.0	1.0
K12KDCARE	61238	0.10	0.29	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2KDCARE	K3KDCARE	K4KDCARE	K5KDCARE	K6KDCARE	K7KDCARE
.D=DK		44	73	91	70	42
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		13	2	10	21	12
0.No	22132	49799	60097	56802	54660	58704
1.Yes	591	7303	8367	7281	6388	6861

Value	K8KDCARE	K9KDCARE	K10KDCARE	K11KDCARE	K12KDCARE
.D=DK	100	74	133	165	71
.R=Refuse		18	10	44	18
0.No	52988	52579	64015	60670	55409
1.Yes	6144	5323	6926	6432	5829

How Constructed

KwKDCARE indicates the Respondent or Respondent's spouse spent 100 or more hours taking care of grandchildren or great-grandchildren.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the household level file E_H. If the response is "All Children", all the children in the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2H. In 2A, the question asked about whether grandchild care was given for a year or longer.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
CHLDCARE	R CARED FOR GRANDKID 1/+ YEARS
AHEAD 1995:	
D1590	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
D1591M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
D1591M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
D1591M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
HRS 1996:	
E1544	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
E1545M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
E1545M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
E1545M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
HRS 1998:	
F1832	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
F1833M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1833M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1833M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1834	D77A.R CARE HRS
F1845	D77D.SPOUSE HRS
HRS 2000:	
G2048	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
G2049M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2049M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2049M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2050	D77A.R CARE HRS
G2061	D77D.SPOUSE HRS
HRS 2002:	
HE060	CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
HE061M01	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
HE061M02	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
HE061M03	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
HE063	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
HE068	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
HRS 2004:	
JE060	CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
JE061M1	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
JE061M2	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
JE061M3	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
JE063	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
JE068	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
HRS 2006:	
KE060	CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
KE061M1	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
KE061M2	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2

KE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
KE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
KE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS

HRS 2008:
LE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
LE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
LE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
LE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
LE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
LE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS

HRS 2010:
ME060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
ME061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
ME061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
ME061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
ME063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
ME068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS

HRS 2012:
NE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
NE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
NE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
NE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
NE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
NE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS

HRS 2014:
OE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
OE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
OE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
OE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
OE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
OE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS

Respondent Gave Financial Transfer to Kid

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	K1TCANY	K1TCANY:W1 Any transfer to kid	Categ
2	K2TCANY	K2TCANY:W2 Any transfer to kid	Categ
3	K3TCANY	K3TCANY:W3 Any transfer to kid	Categ
4	K4TCANY	K4TCANY:W4 Any transfer to kid	Categ
5	K5TCANY	K5TCANY:W5 Any transfer to kid	Categ
6	K6TCANY	K6TCANY:W6 Any transfer to kid	Categ
7	K7TCANY	K7TCANY:W7 Any transfer to kid	Categ
8	K8TCANY	K8TCANY:W8 Any transfer to kid	Categ
9	K9TCANY	K9TCANY:W9 Any transfer to kid	Categ
10	K10TCANY	K10TCANY:W10 Any transfer to kid	Categ
11	K11TCANY	K11TCANY:W11 Any transfer to kid	Categ
12	K12TCANY	K12TCANY:W12 Any transfer to kid	Categ
1	K1TCNTRAN	K1TCNTRAN:W1 # of transfers to kid	Categ
2	K2TCNTRAN	K2TCNTRAN:W2 # of transfers to kid	Categ
3	K3TCNTRAN	K3TCNTRAN:W3 # of transfers to kid	Categ
4	K4TCNTRAN	K4TCNTRAN:W4 # of transfers to kid	Categ
5	K5TCNTRAN	K5TCNTRAN:W5 # of transfers to kid	Categ
6	K6TCNTRAN	K6TCNTRAN:W6 # of transfers to kid	Categ
7	K7TCNTRAN	K7TCNTRAN:W7 # of transfers to kid	Categ
8	K8TCNTRAN	K8TCNTRAN:W8 # of transfers to kid	Categ
9	K9TCNTRAN	K9TCNTRAN:W9 # of transfers to kid	Categ
10	K10TCNTRAN	K10TCNTRAN:W10 # of transfers to kid	Categ
11	K11TCNTRAN	K11TCNTRAN:W11 # of transfers to kid	Categ
12	K12TCNTRAN	K12TCNTRAN:W12 # of transfers to kid	Categ
1	K1TCAMT	K1TCAMT:W1 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
2	K2TCAMT	K2TCAMT:W2 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
3	K3TCAMT	K3TCAMT:W3 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
4	K4TCAMT	K4TCAMT:W4 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
5	K5TCAMT	K5TCAMT:W5 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
6	K6TCAMT	K6TCAMT:W6 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
7	K7TCAMT	K7TCAMT:W7 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
8	K8TCAMT	K8TCAMT:W8 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
9	K9TCAMT	K9TCAMT:W9 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
10	K10TCAMT	K10TCAMT:W10 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
11	K11TCAMT	K11TCAMT:W11 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
12	K12TCAMT	K12TCAMT:W12 Amount of transfer to kid(imputed)	Cont
1	K1TCFLG	K1TCFLG:W1 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
2	K2TCFLG	K2TCFLG:W2 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
3	K3TCFLG	K3TCFLG:W3 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
4	K4TCFLG	K4TCFLG:W4 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
5	K5TCFLG	K5TCFLG:W5 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
6	K6TCFLG	K6TCFLG:W6 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
7	K7TCFLG	K7TCFLG:W7 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
8	K8TCFLG	K8TCFLG:W8 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
9	K9TCFLG	K9TCFLG:W9 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
10	K10TCFLG	K10TCFLG:W10 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
11	K11TCFLG	K11TCFLG:W11 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ
12	K12TCFLG	K12TCFLG:W12 Imputed flag: Amount of transfer	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K1TCANY	41751	0.14	0.35	0.0	1.0
K2TCANY	59931	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
K3TCANY	56159	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
K4TCANY	66715	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0
K5TCANY	62502	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0

K6TCANY	59111	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
K7TCANY	63198	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
K8TCANY	51727	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
K9TCANY	55306	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
K10TCANY	67004	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
K11TCANY	63815	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
K12TCANY	57821	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
K1TCNTRAN	41866	0.14	0.35	0.0	2.0
K2TCNTRAN	59931	0.22	0.48	0.0	8.0
K3TCNTRAN	56159	0.23	0.48	0.0	12.0
K4TCNTRAN	66715	0.17	0.38	0.0	4.0
K5TCNTRAN	62502	0.17	0.39	0.0	4.0
K6TCNTRAN	59111	0.15	0.37	0.0	6.0
K7TCNTRAN	63198	0.18	0.40	0.0	5.0
K8TCNTRAN	51727	0.18	0.41	0.0	5.0
K9TCNTRAN	55306	0.16	0.38	0.0	4.0
K10TCNTRAN	67004	0.17	0.40	0.0	6.0
K11TCNTRAN	63815	0.15	0.38	0.0	5.0
K12TCNTRAN	57821	0.16	0.39	0.0	6.0
K1TCAMT	41866	508.41	2939.70	0.0	99979.0
K2TCAMT	59931	712.54	4140.98	0.0	160000.0
K3TCAMT	56159	1250.96	9908.40	0.0	520000.0
K4TCAMT	66715	928.70	4845.31	0.0	310000.0
K5TCAMT	62502	1042.55	5921.97	0.0	350000.0
K6TCAMT	59111	1059.08	10084.30	0.0	1000000.0
K7TCAMT	63198	1185.54	6801.98	0.0	650000.0
K8TCAMT	51727	1297.77	8766.22	0.0	900000.0
K9TCAMT	55306	1212.80	8928.02	0.0	600000.0
K10TCAMT	67002	1344.46	8114.22	0.0	800000.0
K11TCAMT	63815	1177.09	10020.94	0.0	900000.0
K12TCAMT	57818	1301.23	12825.60	0.0	1000000.0
K1TCFLG	27665	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K2TCFLG	59914	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0
K3TCFLG	56106	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0
K4TCFLG	66652	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K5TCFLG	62458	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K6TCFLG	59072	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K7TCFLG	63153	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K8TCFLG	51695	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K9TCFLG	55244	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K10TCFLG	66955	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K11TCFLG	63749	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K12TCFLG	57764	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K1TCANY	K2TCANY	K3TCANY	K4TCANY	K5TCANY	K6TCANY	K7TCANY
.C=No contact		78		231	443	495	649
.F=No FamR		52	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem	115	97	104	129	114	237	41
.M=Missing		357	452	459	497	499	473
.S=Deceased Kid		61	224	346	293	778	971
0.No	35954	48474	44470	55716	52302	50509	52240
1.Yes	5797	11457	11689	10999	10200	8602	10958

Value	K8TCANY	K9TCANY	K10TCANY	K11TCANY	K12TCANY
.C=No contact	746	798	731	688	652
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	35	30	21	27	23
.M=Missing	7200	291	955	566	506
.S=Deceased Kid	1098	1306	1499	1671	1776
0.No	42881	46840	55864	54412	49252
1.Yes	8846	8466	11140	9403	8569

Value	K1TCNTRAN	K2TCNTRAN	K3TCNTRAN	K4TCNTRAN	K5TCNTRAN	K6TCNTRAN	K7TCNTRAN
.C=No contact		78		231	443	495	649
.F=No FamR		52	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem		97	104	129	114	237	41
.M=Missing		357	452	459	497	499	473
.S=Deceased Kid		61	224	346	293	778	971
0.No transfer	36069	48474	44470	55716	52302	50509	52240
1-12 transfers	5797	11457	11689	10999	10200	8602	10958

Value	K8TCNTRAN	K9TCNTRAN	K10TCNTRAN	K11TCNTRAN	K12TCNTRAN
.C=No contact	746	798	731	688	652
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	35	30	21	27	23
.M=Missing	7200	291	955	566	506
.S=Deceased Kid	1098	1306	1499	1671	1776
0.No transfer	42881	46840	55864	54412	49252
1-12 transfers	8846	8466	11140	9403	8569

Value	K1TCFLG	K2TCFLG	K3TCFLG	K4TCFLG	K5TCFLG	K6TCFLG	K7TCFLG
.C=No contact		78		231	462	499	655
.F=No FamR		52	220	659	335	19	287
.H=Not kid/HHmem	115	97	104	131	118	240	41
.M=Missing	14086	364	485	499	497	499	473
.S=Deceased Kid		71	244	367	314	810	1010
0.Not imputed	27174	57622	54184	65016	60859	57914	61621
1.Imputed	491	2292	1922	1636	1599	1158	1532

Value	K8TCFLG	K9TCFLG	K10TCFLG	K11TCFLG	K12TCFLG
.C=No contact	753	814	738	699	661
.F=No FamR	280	263	874	547	551
.H=Not kid/HHmem	35	30	21	27	23
.M=Missing	7200	291	955	566	506
.S=Deceased Kid	1123	1352	1541	1726	1824
0.Not imputed	50427	54158	65728	62680	56811
1.Imputed	1268	1086	1227	1069	953

How Constructed

KwTCANY indicates whether Respondent gave financial help to any child (or grandchild). The question in the E_H module asks whether the financial help or (other) gifts totaled \$500 or more. In 1994 and 1995, the cut-off amount was \$100 or more.

The follow-up detail question allows any amount, including amounts less than the amount specified in the lead-in question.

KwTCNTRAN is the number of financial transfers that child received.

KwTCAMT is the financial transfer amount. If the financial transfer amount is missing, the amount is imputed from the bracket answers if they are available. Otherwise, the amount is imputed using donor data.

KwTCANY, KwTCNTRAN, and KwTCAMT are derived from the E_TC module.

In Wave 1, K1TCAMT is the HRS imputed amount and is from the HRS imputation file. There is not enough information to perform the RAND imputation.

From Wave 2 forward, KwTCAMT is imputed using the same income and wealth imputation method as the RAND HRS. Please see the Imputation Method section for more details.

KwTCFLG indicates whether the transfer amount was imputed.

If the OPN is "All Children equally", "All Grandchildren equally" or "All Children and Grandchildren equally" then all the children/grandchildren from the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The financial assistance amount is different in 1994 and 1995.

In other years, the question asked whether the Respondent or spouse gave financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$500 or more to their children. In 1994 and 1995, the question asks whether Respondent or spouse gave \$100 or more in financial assistance.

The bracket responses in 1993, 1994 and 1995 are different from other years.

In Wave 1, there are 29 cases that were not found in the household roster. Due to missing information, these cases are not included.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V1504	E35:FINANC. ASSIST >:IMP
V1507	E37:1ST-LST YRS ASST:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
B494	D41. \$500/+ TO CHILD/GRKID PAST 12 MOS-1
B499	D43. HOW MUCH \$ TO CHILD PAST 12 MOS-1
HRS 1994:	
W8024	E30B. AMOUNT CHILD RECEIVED
W902	E30. Give assistance to

AHEAD 1995:
D1471 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR

HRS 1996:
E1441 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
E1449 D53/D57.TRANSFER TO \$ AMOUNT

HRS 1998:
F1863 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
F1868 D53.TRANSFER TO CHILD \$ AMOUNT

HRS 2000:
G2079 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
G2084 D53.TRANSFER TO CHILD \$ AMOUNT

HRS 2002:
HE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
HE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2004:
JE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
JE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2006:
KE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
KE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2008:
LE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
LE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2010:
ME075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
ME081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2012:
NE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
NE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

HRS 2014:
OE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
OE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

Kid Included in Will

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2WILL	K2WILL:W2 Kid in the will	Categ
3	K3WILL	K3WILL:W3 Kid in the will	Categ
4	K4WILL	K4WILL:W4 Kid in the will	Categ
5	K5WILL	K5WILL:W5 Kid in the will	Categ
6	K6WILL	K6WILL:W6 Kid in the will	Categ
7	K7WILL	K7WILL:W7 Kid in the will	Categ
8	K8WILL	K8WILL:W8 Kid in the will	Categ
9	K9WILL	K9WILL:W9 Kid in the will	Categ
10	K10WILL	K10WILL:W10 Kid in the will	Categ
11	K11WILL	K11WILL:W11 Kid in the will	Categ
12	K12WILL	K12WILL:W12 Kid in the will	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2WILL	14219	0.76	0.43	0.0	1.0
K3WILL	36209	0.63	0.48	0.0	1.0
K4WILL	35362	0.79	0.40	0.0	1.0
K5WILL	34102	0.81	0.39	0.0	1.0
K6WILL	33115	0.80	0.40	0.0	1.0
K7WILL	33184	0.79	0.40	0.0	1.0
K8WILL	31133	0.80	0.40	0.0	1.0
K9WILL	30633	0.79	0.41	0.0	1.0
K10WILL	32173	0.77	0.42	0.0	1.0
K11WILL	29847	0.77	0.42	0.0	1.0
K12WILL	26907	0.76	0.43	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2WILL	K3WILL	K4WILL	K5WILL	K6WILL	K7WILL
.B=No will	8504	20877	33136	30048	27992	32401
.D=DK		58	4	21	13	13
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		7	34	13	19	21
0.No	3381	13327	7280	6553	6559	6827
1.Yes	10838	22882	28082	27549	26556	26357

Value	K8WILL	K9WILL	K10WILL	K11WILL	K12WILL
.B=No will	28115	27327	38870	37420	34348
.D=DK	11	25	7	9	24
.R=Refuse	14	9	34	38	50
0.No	6145	6552	7559	7008	6391
1.Yes	24988	24081	24614	22839	20516

How Constructed

KwWILL indicates whether or not the child is included in the Respondent's will.

These variables are derived from the OPN in the respondent file T_R. If Respondent indicates "All Children" are included in the will, then all Respondent's children are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in waves 1 and 2H (1994).

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:

B1690	J55. R WILL: HAVE ONE
B1691	J56. R WILL: INCLUDE ANY FAM MEMBERS
B1692	J56a. R WILL: INCLUDE ANY CHILDREN
B1693A1	J56b. R WILL: WHICH CHILD-1
B1693A2	J56b. R WILL: WHICH CHILD-2
B1694	J56c. R WILL: EQUAL FOR ALL CHILDREN

AHEAD 1995:

D4768	J90. R HAS WILL
D4769	J91. WILL FAMILY
D4770	J91A. WILL CHILDREN
D4771M1	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M2	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M3	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M4	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M5	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M6	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4772M1	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4772M2	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4772M3	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4773	J91B.WILL-EQUALLY

HRS 1996:

E4769	J323.R HAS WILL
E4770	J324.WILL FAMILY
E4771	J325.WILL CHILDREN
E4772M1	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M2	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M3	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M4	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M5	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M6	J326. (J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4773	J328.WILL-EQUALLY

HRS 1998:

F5529	J323.R HAS WILL
F5530	J324.WILL FAMILY
F5531	J325.WILL CHILDREN
F5532M1	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M10	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M2	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M3	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M4	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M5	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1

F5532M6 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M7 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M8 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M9 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5533 J328.WILL-EQUALLY

HRS 2000:
G5884 J325.WILL CHILDREN
G5885M1 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M2 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M3 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M4 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M5 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M6 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M7 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M8 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M9 J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5886 J328.WILL-EQUALLY

HRS 2002:
HT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
HT004M01 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
HT004M02 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
HT004M03 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
HT004M04 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
HT004M05 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
HT004M06 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
HT004M07 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
HT004M08 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
HT004M09 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
HT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
HT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
HT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2004:
JT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
JT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
JT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
JT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
JT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
JT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
JT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
JT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
JT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
JT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
JT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
JT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
JT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2006:
KT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
KT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
KT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
KT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
KT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
KT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
KT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
KT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
KT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
KT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
KT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
KT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
KT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2008:
LT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
LT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
LT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
LT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
LT004M12 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M12
LT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
LT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
LT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
LT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
LT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
LT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
LT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
LT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
LT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2010:
MT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
MT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
MT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
MT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
MT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
MT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
MT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
MT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
MT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
MT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
MT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
MT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
MT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2012:
NT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
NT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
NT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
NT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
NT004M12 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -12
NT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
NT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
NT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
NT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
NT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
NT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
NT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
NT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
NT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

HRS 2014:
OT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
OT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
OT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
OT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
OT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
OT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
OT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
OT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
OT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
OT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
OT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
OT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
OT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

Kid is Beneficiary of Life Insurance

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2LFINS	K2LFINS:W2 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
3	K3LFINS	K3LFINS:W3 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
4	K4LFINS	K4LFINS:W4 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
5	K5LFINS	K5LFINS:W5 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
6	K6LFINS	K6LFINS:W6 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
7	K7LFINS	K7LFINS:W7 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
8	K8LFINS	K8LFINS:W8 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
9	K9LFINS	K9LFINS:W9 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
10	K10LFINS	K10LFINS:W10 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
11	K11LFINS	K11LFINS:W11 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ
12	K12LFINS	K12LFINS:W12 Kid is beneficiary of life ins	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2LFINS	22723	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
K3LFINS	42570	0.18	0.39	0.0	1.0
K4LFINS	47059	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
K5LFINS	42372	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
K6LFINS	39448	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
K7LFINS	42314	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
K8LFINS	37408	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0
K9LFINS	35252	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0
K10LFINS	40872	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
K11LFINS	37179	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
K12LFINS	33495	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2LFINS	K3LFINS	K4LFINS	K5LFINS	K6LFINS	K7LFINS
.D=DK		271	275	361	441	391
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		86	156	189	273	228
.T=No ins		14213	21046	21262	20977	22686
0.No	20709	34822	35187	32160	29466	31233
1.Yes	2014	7748	11872	10212	9982	11081

Value	K8LFINS	K9LFINS	K10LFINS	K11LFINS	K12LFINS
.D=DK	386	451	551	404	412
.R=Refuse	232	260	331	398	336
.T=No ins	21249	22031	29325	29333	27086
0.No	27102	25399	27824	24067	20807
1.Yes	10306	9853	13048	13112	12688

How Constructed

KwLFINS indicates whether the child is a beneficiary of the Respondent's life insurance.

These variables are derived from the OPN in the Respondent file T_R. If the Respondent indicates "All Children" are beneficiaries, then all Respondent's children are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2H.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
BENETIF	BENEFICIARY OF TERM INS BY FEMALE R
BENETIM	BENEFICIARY OF TERM INS BY MALE R
HRS 1996:	
E5284	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
E5292M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 1998:	
F6015	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
F6025M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M7	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 2000:	
G6409	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
G6428M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M7	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M8	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M9	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 2002:	
HT011	R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
HT017M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
HT017M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
HT017M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
HT017M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
HT017M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
HT017M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
HT017M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
HT017M8	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8
HRS 2004:	

JT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
JT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
JT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
JT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
JT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
JT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
JT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
JT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
JT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8
JT017M9 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M9

HRS 2006:
KT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
KT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
KT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
KT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
KT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
KT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
KT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
KT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
KT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8

HRS 2008:
LT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
LT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
LT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
LT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
LT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
LT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
LT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
LT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
LT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8

HRS 2010:
MT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
MT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -1
MT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -2
MT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -3
MT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -4
MT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -5
MT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -6
MT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -7
MT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -8

HRS 2012:
NT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
NT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -1
NT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -2
NT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -3
NT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -4
NT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -5
NT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -6
NT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -7
NT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -8

HRS 2014:
OT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
OT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -1
OT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -2
OT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -3
OT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -4
OT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -5
OT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -6
OT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -7

OT017M8

WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -8

Kid is Beneficiary of Whole Life Insurance

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
5	K5WLFINS	K5WLFINS:W5 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
6	K6WLFINS	K6WLFINS:W6 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
7	K7WLFINS	K7WLFINS:W7 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
8	K8WLFINS	K8WLFINS:W8 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
9	K9WLFINS	K9WLFINS:W9 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
10	K10WLFINS	K10WLFINS:W10 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
11	K11WLFINS	K11WLFINS:W11 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ
12	K12WLFINS	K12WLFINS:W12 Kid is beneficiary of whole life ins	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K5WLFINS	39142	0.04	0.20	0.0	1.0
K6WLFINS	38101	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
K7WLFINS	41234	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
K8WLFINS	37390	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
K9WLFINS	37324	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
K10WLFINS	47727	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
K11WLFINS	45907	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
K12WLFINS	42321	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K5WLFINS	K6WLFINS	K7WLFINS
.D=DK	2757	2529	3048
.R=Refuse	198	289	237
.T=No WLF ins	22085	20220	21098
0.No	37547	36190	39120
1.Yes	1595	1911	2114

Value	K8WLFINS	K9WLFINS	K10WLFINS	K11WLFINS	K12WLFINS
.D=DK	2916	2689	3047	2304	2165
.R=Refuse	174	188	344	366	351
.T=No WLF ins	18659	17793	19966	18733	16488
0.No	35634	35602	45503	43681	40175
1.Yes	1756	1722	2224	2226	2146

How Constructed

KwWLFINS indicates whether the child is a beneficiary of the Respondent's whole life insurance.

These variables are derived from the OPN in the Respondent file T_R. If the Respondent indicates "All Children" are beneficiaries, then all Respondent's children are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Prior to Wave 5, the question was not asked.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 2000:	
G6429	R99.POLICIES BUILD UP CASH VALUE
G6440M1	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M2	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M3	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M4	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M5	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M6	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 2002:	
HT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
HT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
HT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
HT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
HT029M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
HT029M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
HT029M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
HT029M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M7
HRS 2004:	
JT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
JT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
JT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
JT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
JT029M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
JT029M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
JT029M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
JT029M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M7
HRS 2006:	
KT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
KT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
KT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
KT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
KT029M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
KT029M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
KT029M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
HRS 2008:	
LT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
LT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
LT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
LT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
LT029M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
LT029M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
LT029M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
LT029M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -7
HRS 2010:	
MT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
MT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
MT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
MT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
MT029M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
MT029M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
MT029M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
MT029M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

HRS 2012:
NT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
NT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
NT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
NT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
NT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
NT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
NT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
NT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

HRS 2014:
OT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
OT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
OT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
OT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
OT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
OT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
OT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
OT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

Kid is Covered by Respondent's Health Insurance
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3HLTINS	K3HLTINS:W3 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
4	K4HLTINS	K4HLTINS:W4 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
5	K5HLTINS	K5HLTINS:W5 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
6	K6HLTINS	K6HLTINS:W6 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
7	K7HLTINS	K7HLTINS:W7 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
8	K8HLTINS	K8HLTINS:W8 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
9	K9HLTINS	K9HLTINS:W9 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
10	K10HLTINS	K10HLTINS:W10 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
11	K11HLTINS	K11HLTINS:W11 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ
12	K12HLTINS	K12HLTINS:W12 Kid covered by R health ins	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3HLTINS	37405	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K4HLTINS	68504	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K5HLTINS	64166	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
K6HLTINS	61112	0.02	0.12	0.0	1.0
K7HLTINS	65580	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K8HLTINS	59108	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K9HLTINS	57977	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K10HLTINS	71010	0.04	0.20	0.0	1.0
K11HLTINS	67297	0.04	0.18	0.0	1.0
K12HLTINS	61319	0.04	0.18	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K3HLTINS	K4HLTINS	K5HLTINS	K6HLTINS	K7HLTINS
.D=DK	17	29	9	19	35
.R=Refuse	4	3	9	8	4
0.No	36455	67160	63272	60151	64029
1.Yes	950	1344	894	961	1551

Value	K8HLTINS	K9HLTINS	K10HLTINS	K11HLTINS	K12HLTINS
.D=DK	11	17	57	17	10
.R=Refuse	2		17		
0.No	57521	56843	67947	64939	59163
1.Yes	1587	1134	3063	2358	2156

How Constructed

KwHLTNS indicates whether the child is covered by Respondent's health insurance.

These variables are derived from the OPN in the Respondent file N_R. If Respondent indicates "All Children" are covered, then all Respondent's children are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1, 2 and 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:

E5172_1	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED
E5173001	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173002	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173003	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173004	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173005	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173011	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173012	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173013	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173014	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173015	R19D.WHO COVERED?

HRS 1998:

F5905	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED
F5906M1	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M2	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M3	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M4	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M5	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M6	R19D.WHO COVERED?

HRS 2000:

G6278	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED
G6279M1	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M2	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M3	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M4	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M5	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M6	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M7	R19D.WHO COVERED?

HRS 2002:

HN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
HN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
HN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
HN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
HN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
HN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
HN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
HN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
HN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
HN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
HN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
HN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
HN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
HN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
HN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
HN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
HN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4

HRS 2004:

JN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
JN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
JN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
JN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1

JN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
JN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
JN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
JN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
JN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
JN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
JN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
JN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
JN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
JN049_2E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-2-5
JN049_2F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED -2
JN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
JN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
JN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-3-3
JN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4
JN049_3E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 5
JN049_3F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 6
HRS 2006:	
KN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
KN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
KN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
KN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
KN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
KN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
KN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
KN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
KN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
KN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
KN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
KN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
KN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
KN049_2E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED -2- 5
KN049_2F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED -2- 6
KN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
KN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
KN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 3
KN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4
KN049_3E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 5
KN049_3F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 6
HRS 2008:	
LN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
LN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
LN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
LN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
LN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
LN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
LN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
LN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
LN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
LN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
LN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
LN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
LN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
LN049_2E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED -2- 5
LN049_2F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED -2- 6
LN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
LN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
LN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 3
LN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4

HRS 2010:

MN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
MN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
MN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
MN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
MN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
MN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
MN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
MN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
MN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
MN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
MN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
MN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
MN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
MN049_2E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED	-2- 5
MN049_2F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 6
MN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
MN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
MN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
MN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4

HRS 2012:

NN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
NN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
NN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
NN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
NN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
NN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
NN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
NN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
NN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
NN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
NN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
NN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
NN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
NN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
NN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
NN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
NN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4

HRS 2014:

ON048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
ON048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
ON048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
ON049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
ON049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
ON049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
ON049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
ON049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
ON049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
ON049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
ON049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
ON049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
ON049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
ON049_2E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 5
ON049_2F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 6
ON049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
ON049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
ON049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
ON049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4

Kid is Beneficiary of Respondent Trust

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	K3TRUST	K3TRUST:W3 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
4	K4TRUST	K4TRUST:W4 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
5	K5TRUST	K5TRUST:W5 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
6	K6TRUST	K6TRUST:W6 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
7	K7TRUST	K7TRUST:W7 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
8	K8TRUST	K8TRUST:W8 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
9	K9TRUST	K9TRUST:W9 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
10	K10TRUST	K10TRUST:W10 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
11	K11TRUST	K11TRUST:W11 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ
12	K12TRUST	K12TRUST:W12 Kid benefit from R trust	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K3TRUST	56793	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
K4TRUST	67957	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K5TRUST	63664	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K6TRUST	60478	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K7TRUST	65029	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K8TRUST	58557	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K9TRUST	57441	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K10TRUST	70186	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K11TRUST	66749	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K12TRUST	60671	0.03	0.18	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K3TRUST	K4TRUST	K5TRUST	K6TRUST	K7TRUST
.D=DK	68	136	137	197	239
.R=Refuse	298	446	383	464	351
0.No	55758	66553	62259	58907	63638
1.Yes	1035	1404	1405	1571	1391

Value	K8TRUST	K9TRUST	K10TRUST	K11TRUST	K12TRUST
.D=DK	225	264	347	217	228
.R=Refuse	343	289	551	342	430
0.No	57092	55991	68656	65369	58633
1.Yes	1465	1450	1530	1380	2038

How Constructed

KwTRUST indicates whether the child benefits from the Respondent's trust.

These variables are derived from the OPN in the household file Q_H. All Respondent's children are coded as yes if Respondent indicates "All Children" as beneficiaries.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:	
D4708	J80.TRUSTS
D4710M1	J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
D4710M2	J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
D4710M3	J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
HRS 1996:	
E4709	J295.TRUSTS
E4711M1	J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
E4711M2	J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
E4711M3	J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
HRS 1998:	
F5469	J295.TRUSTS
F5471M1	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
F5471M2	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
F5471M3	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
HRS 2000:	
G5829	J295.TRUSTS
G5831M1	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
G5831M2	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
G5831M3	J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
HRS 2002:	
HQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
HQ466M01	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
HQ466M02	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
HQ466M03	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2004:	
JQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
JQ466M1	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
JQ466M2	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
JQ466M3	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2006:	
KQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
KQ466M1	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
KQ466M2	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
KQ466M3	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2008:	
LQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
LQ466M1	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
LQ466M2	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
LQ466M3	WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2010:	
MQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
MQ466M1	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
MQ466M2	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
MQ466M3	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2012:	
NQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
NQ466M1	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
NQ466M2	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
NQ466M3	WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
HRS 2014:	
OQ464	PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST

OQ466M1 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
OQ466M2 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
OQ466M3 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3

Kid Received a Deed to a House from Respondent

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2DEED	K2DEED:W2 Kid on R home deed	Categ
3	K3DEED	K3DEED:W3 Kid on R home deed	Categ
4	K4DEED	K4DEED:W4 Kid on R home deed	Categ
5	K5DEED	K5DEED:W5 Kid on R home deed	Categ
6	K6DEED	K6DEED:W6 Kid on R home deed	Categ
7	K7DEED	K7DEED:W7 Kid on R home deed	Categ
8	K8DEED	K8DEED:W8 Kid on R home deed	Categ
9	K9DEED	K9DEED:W9 Kid on R home deed	Categ
10	K10DEED	K10DEED:W10 Kid on R home deed	Categ
11	K11DEED	K11DEED:W11 Kid on R home deed	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2DEED	22723	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K3DEED	57056	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K4DEED	68459	0.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
K5DEED	64071	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K6DEED	61041	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K7DEED	65497	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
K8DEED	59057	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
K9DEED	57913	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K10DEED	70992	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K11DEED	67157	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2DEED	K3DEED	K4DEED	K5DEED	K6DEED	K7DEED
.D=DK		51	39	34	22	39
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		52	41	79	76	83
0.No	22276	56756	68137	63723	60706	65103
1.Yes	447	300	322	348	335	394

Value	K8DEED	K9DEED	K10DEED	K11DEED
.D=DK	47	72	36	91
.R=Refuse	25	9	56	66
0.No	58735	57671	70746	66942
1.Yes	322	242	246	215

How Constructed

KwDEED indicates that the Respondent gave the child a deed to a house.

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the household level file E_H. If Respondent indicates "All Children" as recipients of a deed, then all the children in the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1, 2H, and 12.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
HELPDEED	R GAVE DEED TO HOUSE
AHEAD 1995:	
D1463	D46.DEED
D1465M1	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
D1465M2	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
D1465M3	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
HRS 1996:	
E1433	D46.DEED
E1435M1	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
E1435M2	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
E1435M3	D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
HRS 1998:	
F1856	D46.DEED
F1857M1	D46A.WHICH CHILD
F1857M2	D46A.WHICH CHILD
F1857M3	D46A.WHICH CHILD
HRS 2002:	
HE073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
HE074M01	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
HE074M02	WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
HE074M03	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2004:	
JE073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
JE074M1	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
JE074M2	WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
JE074M3	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2006:	
KE073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
KE074M1	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
KE074M2	WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
KE074M3	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2008:	
LE073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
LE074M1	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
LE074M2	WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
LE074M3	WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2010:	
ME073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
ME074M1	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -1
ME074M2	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -2
ME074M3	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -3
HRS 2012:	
NE073	SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
NE074M1	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -1
NE074M2	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -2
NE074M3	WHICH CHILD ON DEED -3

Kid on Home Deed (from Housing Section)
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2HMDEED	K2HMDEED:W2 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
3	K3HMDEED	K3HMDEED:W3 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
4	K4HMDEED	K4HMDEED:W4 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
5	K5HMDEED	K5HMDEED:W5 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
6	K6HMDEED	K6HMDEED:W6 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
7	K7HMDEED	K7HMDEED:W7 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
8	K8HMDEED	K8HMDEED:W8 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
9	K9HMDEED	K9HMDEED:W9 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
10	K10HMDEED	K10HMDEED:W10 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
11	K11HMDEED	K11HMDEED:W11 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ
12	K12HMDEED	K12HMDEED:W12 Kid on home deed-housing section	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2HMDEED	22723	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0
K3HMDEED	56883	0.02	0.16	0.0	1.0
K4HMDEED	68214	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K5HMDEED	63807	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K6HMDEED	60699	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K7HMDEED	65241	0.02	0.15	0.0	1.0
K8HMDEED	59072	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
K9HMDEED	57601	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K10HMDEED	70893	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K11HMDEED	66687	0.02	0.14	0.0	1.0
K12HMDEED	61262	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2HMDEED	K3HMDEED	K4HMDEED	K5HMDEED	K6HMDEED	K7HMDEED
.D=DK		183	188	234	287	246
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		93	137	143	153	132
0.No	21862	55469	66540	62207	59155	63645
1.Yes	861	1414	1674	1600	1544	1596

Value	K8HMDEED	K9HMDEED	K10HMDEED	K11HMDEED	K12HMDEED
.D=DK	40	314	117	504	35
.R=Refuse		79	74	123	32
0.No	58978	56138	70746	65379	61174
1.Yes	94	1463	147	1308	88

How Constructed

KwHMDEED indicates whether the Respondent's child is on the home deed (from the housing section).

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the household level file H_H. If Respondent indicates "All Children" are on home deed, then all the children in the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2H.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
DEEDHOME	NAMED ON TITLE TO R'S HOME
AHEAD 1995:	
D2288	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
D2290	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 1996:	
E2288	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
E2290	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 1998:	
F2805	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
F2807M1	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
F2807M2	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
F2807M3	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2000:	
G3123	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
G3125M1	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
G3125M2	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
G3125M3	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2002:	
HH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
HH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2004:	
JH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
JH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2006:	
KH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
KH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2008:	
LH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
LH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2010:	
MH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
MH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2012:	
NH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
NH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2014:	
OH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
OH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1

Kid Owns Respondent Home (From Respondent Section)

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	K2OWNRHM	K2OWNRHM:W2 Kid owns R home	Categ
3	K3OWNRHM	K3OWNRHM:W3 Kid owns R home	Categ
4	K4OWNRHM	K4OWNRHM:W4 Kid owns R home	Categ
5	K5OWNRHM	K5OWNRHM:W5 Kid owns R home	Categ
6	K6OWNRHM	K6OWNRHM:W6 Kid owns R home	Categ
7	K7OWNRHM	K7OWNRHM:W7 Kid owns R home	Categ
8	K8OWNRHM	K8OWNRHM:W8 Kid owns R home	Categ
9	K9OWNRHM	K9OWNRHM:W9 Kid owns R home	Categ
10	K10OWNRHM	K10OWNRHM:W10 Kid owns R home	Categ
11	K11OWNRHM	K11OWNRHM:W11 Kid owns R home	Categ
12	K12OWNRHM	K12OWNRHM:W12 Kid owns R home	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
K2OWNRHM	22723	0.03	0.16	0.0	1.0
K3OWNRHM	57128	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
K4OWNRHM	68495	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K5OWNRHM	64136	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
K6OWNRHM	61129	0.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
K7OWNRHM	65602	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K8OWNRHM	59095	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K9OWNRHM	57986	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
K10OWNRHM	71081	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
K11OWNRHM	67295	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
K12OWNRHM	61307	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	K2OWNRHM	K3OWNRHM	K4OWNRHM	K5OWNRHM	K6OWNRHM	K7OWNRHM
.D=DK		26	9	5	4	8
.Q=Not ask this wave	37853					
.R=Refuse		5	35	43	6	9
0.No	22146	56478	67749	63484	60896	65419
1.Yes	577	650	746	652	233	183

Value	K8OWNRHM	K9OWNRHM	K10OWNRHM	K11OWNRHM	K12OWNRHM
.D=DK				17	2
.R=Refuse	20	8	3	2	20
0.No	58919	57816	70971	67190	61211
1.Yes	176	170	110	105	96

How Constructed

KwOWNRHM indicates whether the child owns Respondent's home (from the housing section).

These variables are derived from the OPN reported in the household level file H_H. If Respondent indicates "All Children" own his/her home, then all the children in the household are coded as yes.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2H.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
OWNRHOME	OWNS R'S HOME
AHEAD 1995:	
D2311	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
D2313	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 1996:	
E2311	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
E2313	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 1998:	
F2828	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
F2830	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2000:	
G3146	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
G3148M1	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3148M2	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3148M3	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2002:	
HH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
HH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2004:	
JH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
JH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2006:	
KH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
KH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2008:	
LH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
LH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2010:	
MH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
MH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2012:	
NH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
NH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 2014:	
OH088	RELATIVE OWN HOME
OH091	RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

6: Data Codebook For Respondent File

Section 6A: Demographics and Identifiers

Person Specific Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	HHIDPN	HHIDPN: HHold ID + Person Number /Num	Cont
1	HHID	HHID: HHold ID / 6-Char	Char
1	PN	Person Number (CHAR)	Char
1	RAHHIDPN	RAHHIDPN: HHold ID + Person Num /9-Char	Char

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
HHIDPN	37495	256784263.5	248369575.7	1010.0	959738010.0

How Constructed

HHIDPN is the numeric version of the combined household and person identifier that identifies each respondent uniquely. It is set to $HHID * 1000 + PN$. RAHHIDPN is the 9-character version of HHIDPN, with leading zeroes. For example, if the HHID is 012345 and PN is 010 then HHIDPN is 12345010 and RAHHIDPN is 012345010.

HHID and PN, HHIDPN, and RAHHIDPN are all equivalent and unique identifiers, and the RAND HRS sort order is the same for all three. To merge the RAND HRS with other data sources, use the single variables HHIDPN or RAHHIDPN, or the two variables HHID and PN, whichever is available and most convenient. Other RAND data products also provide all of these identifiers. The programs used to develop the RAND HRS use HHIDPN, so that the means of the numeric ID may be checked to ensure none are missing.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Household Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1HHID	H1HHID:W1 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
2	H2HHID	H2HHID:W2 HHold ID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
3	H3HHID	H3HHID:W3 HHold ID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
4	H4HHID	H4HHID:W4 HHold ID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
5	H5HHID	H5HHID:W5 HHold ID + SubHHod / Num	Cont
6	H6HHID	H6HHID:W6 HHold ID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
7	H7HHID	HRS 2004 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
8	H8HHID	HRS 2006 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
9	H9HHID	HRS 2008 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
10	H10HHID	HRS 2010 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
11	H11HHID	HRS 2012 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
12	H12HHID	HRS 2014 HOUSEHOLD + SUBHH (Num)	Cont
1	H1HHIDC	H1HHIDC:W1 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
2	H2HHIDC	H2HHIDC:W2 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
3	H3HHIDC	H3HHIDC:W3 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
4	H4HHIDC	H4HHIDC:W4 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
5	H5HHIDC	H5HHIDC:W5 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
6	H6HHIDC	H6HHIDC:W6 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
7	H7HHIDC	H7HHIDC:W7 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
8	H8HHIDC	H8HHIDC:W8 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
9	H9HHIDC	H9HHIDC:W9 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
10	H10HHIDC	H10HHIDC:W10 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
11	H11HHIDC	H11HHIDC:W11 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char
12	H12HHIDC	H12HHIDC:W12 HHold ID + SubHHold /7-Char	Char

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1HHID	12652	492181.43	273913.39	10.0	2088670.0
H2HHID	19642	1133404.38	791404.84	10.0	2088980.0
H3HHID	17991	1090001.28	784075.68	20.0	2088980.0
H4HHID	21384	1209708.45	767109.01	20.0	2134790.0
H5HHID	19579	1178813.45	763685.69	20.0	2134790.0
H6HHID	18165	1139184.18	755892.49	30.0	2134790.0
H7HHID	20129	1748203.12	1606542.38	30.0	5027610.0
H8HHID	18469	1716759.78	1610087.26	30.0	5027610.0
H9HHID	17217	1717848.99	1641192.71	30.0	5027610.0
H10HHID	22034	3190737.77	2882407.61	30.0	9597380.0
H11HHID	20554	3227024.24	2899750.15	30.0	9597380.0
H12HHID	18748	3321864.62	2929639.33	30.0	9597380.0

How Constructed

The HwHHID identifiers combine HHID with sub-household ID for each wave. They uniquely identify a household in a given wave. Households that split are given different subHH ids by HRS. HwHHID is numeric ($\text{HHID} \times 10 + \text{subHH}$). HwHHIDC is the 7-character version, with leading zeroes. For example if HHID is 012345 and the Wave "w" subHH is 2 then HwHHID is 123452 and HwHHIDC is "0123452".

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:		
BSUBHH	1993	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 1994:		
W2SUBHH	HRS Wave 2	Sub-Household
AHEAD 1995:		
DSUBHH	1995	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 1996:		
ESUBHH	HRS WAVE 3	SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 1998:		
FSUBHH	HRS98	SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2000:		
GSUBHH	HRS00	SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2002:		
HSUBHH	HRS 2002	SUB-HOUSEHOLD ID (Char)
HRS 2004:		
JSUBHH	2004	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2006:		
KSUBHH	2006	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2008:		
LSUBHH	2008	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2010:		
MSUBHH	2010	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2012:		
NSUBHH	2012	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HRS 2014:		
OSUBHH	2014	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
Tracker:		
ASUBHH	1992	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
BSUBHH	1993	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
CSUBHH	1994	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
DSUBHH	1995	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
ESUBHH	1996	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
FSUBHH	1998	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
GSUBHH	2000	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HHID		HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HSUBHH	2002	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
JSUBHH	2004	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
KSUBHH	2006	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
LSUBHH	2008	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
MSUBHH	2010	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
NSUBHH	2012	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OSUBHH	2014	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OVHHID		OVERLAP CASE: OLD HHID
OVPN		OVERLAP CASE: OLD PN
PN		PERSON NUMBER

Spouse Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	S1HHIDPN	S1HHIDPN:W1 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
2	S2HHIDPN	S2HHIDPN:W2 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
3	S3HHIDPN	S3HHIDPN:W3 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
4	S4HHIDPN	S4HHIDPN:W4 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
5	S5HHIDPN	S5HHIDPN:W5 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
6	S6HHIDPN	S6HHIDPN:W6 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
7	S7HHIDPN	S7HHIDPN:W7 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
8	S8HHIDPN	S8HHIDPN:W8 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
9	S9HHIDPN	S9HHIDPN:W9 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
10	S10HHIDPN	S10HHIDPN:W10 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
11	S11HHIDPN	S11HHIDPN:W11 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont
12	S12HHIDPN	S12HHIDPN:W12 Spouse HHIDPN	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
S1HHIDPN	12652	40146194.53	31817608.99	0.0	208867020.0
S2HHIDPN	19579	69286448.52	78269490.35	0.0	208898020.0
S3HHIDPN	17924	64712174.26	75514086.18	0.0	208898020.0
S4HHIDPN	21318	73875455.18	79688483.08	0.0	213479020.0
S5HHIDPN	19545	70097172.55	77812345.28	0.0	213479020.0
S6HHIDPN	18144	65995307.78	75312554.74	0.0	213479020.0
S7HHIDPN	20118	114263253.9	160029968.4	0.0	502759020.0
S8HHIDPN	18468	111704937.0	159934303.8	0.0	502759020.0
S9HHIDPN	17216	110966257.4	162224673.2	0.0	502759020.0
S10HHIDPN	22030	211046750.7	279915027.4	0.0	923525020.0
S11HHIDPN	20554	212084841.2	281896335.7	0.0	958361011.0
S12HHIDPN	18748	216332029.9	285535754.1	0.0	923525020.0

How Constructed

HRS respondents have up to 4 different individuals as spouses or partners from 1992 to 2010. Cohabiting partners are treated as spouses for all but the marriage variables in this file. RASPCT tells how many spouses R has over all waves. Their HHIDPNs are given in RASPID1-RASPID4. SwHHIDPN gives the HHIDPN of the spouse in Wave "w". The SwHHIDPN variables are derived from HHID and the spouse person numbers found in the core data and on the Tracker file. These are the numeric versions of the IDs.

There are a number of cases where the spouse PN on the Tracker file does not match the one used in the core data or in this file. In some cases, the spouse identified on the Tracker is deceased or otherwise non-responding when R indicates not being married or partnered. In other cases, the spouse PN is missing on the Tracker file but available in the core data. On this file, the SwHHIDPNs of deceased or other spouses no longer part of the couple are set to zero, and core spouse PNs are used when missing from Tracker.

If there is no spouse in a given wave, SwHHIDPN is set to zero. If SwHHIDPN is unknown, and the marital status in a particular wave is either missing (.M) or married, SwHHIDPN is set to a special missing code of .M. If the Respondent is non-response in a given wave, SwHHIDPN is set to plain missing (.).

There are spouse versions of most respondent variables. Each wave carries that wave's spouse's demographic and other information. For example, S1COHBYR and S4COHBYR are the cohorts based on birth year for the Wave 1 and Wave 4 spouses, respectively. If the spouse in Wave 4 is the same as the spouse in Wave 1, these cohorts will be identical. But if the spouse in Wave 4 is different from the spouse in Wave 1, these cohorts could be different if the spouses' respective ages place them in different cohorts. If these spouse variables are missing because R is not married or partnered, they are set to SAS special missing .U. If they are missing because R's spouse or partner did not respond they are set to a .V missing.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:			
	BSPN	SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 1998:			
	FPN_SP	1998 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2000:			
	GPN_SP	2000 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2002:			
	HPN_SP	2002 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2004:			
	JPN_SP	2004 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2006:			
	KPN_SP	2006 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2008:			
	LPN_SP	2008 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2010:			
	MPN_SP	2010 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2012:			
	NPN_SP	2012 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2014:			
	OPN_SP	2014 SPOUSE/PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
Tracker:			
	APPN	1992 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	BPPN	1993 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	CPPN	1994 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	DPPN	1995 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	EPPN	1996 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	FPPN	1998 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	GPPN	2000 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER	
	HPPN	2002 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	JPPN	2004 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	KPPN	2006 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	LPPN	2008 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	MPPN	2010 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	NPPN	2012 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER
	OPPN	2014 SPOUSE-PARTNER	PERSON NUMBER

Overlap Identifier for Cases that Moved from HRS to AHEAD
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAOVLAP	RAOVLAP: Overlap/AltID case	Categ
1	RAOVRAYR	RAOVRAYR:Ahd-Ahd overlap-alt id end yr	Cont
1	HAOAHDDH	HAOAHDDH: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHID/Num	Cont
1	RAOAHDDID	RAOAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
1	S1OAHDDID	S1OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
2	S2OAHDDID	S2OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
3	S3OAHDDID	S3OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
4	S4OAHDDID	S4OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
5	S5OAHDDID	S5OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
6	S6OAHDDID	S6OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
7	S7OAHDDID	S7OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
8	S8OAHDDID	S8OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
9	S9OAHDDID	S9OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
10	S10OAHDDID	S10OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
11	S11OAHDDID	S11OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
12	S12OAHDDID	S12OAHDDID: Overlap/AltID case-Ahead core HHIDPN	Cont
1	H1OHRSHH	H1OHRSHH:W1 HRS core HHID + SubHHold /Num	Cont
1	RAOHRSID	RAOHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
1	S1OHRSID	S1OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
2	S2OHRSID	S2OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
3	S3OHRSID	S3OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
4	S4OHRSID	S4OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
5	S5OHRSID	S5OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
6	S6OHRSID	S6OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
7	S7OHRSID	S7OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
8	S8OHRSID	S8OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
9	S9OHRSID	S9OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
10	S10OHRSID	S10OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
11	S11OHRSID	S11OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont
12	S12OHRSID	S12OHRSID: Overlap/AltID case-HRS core HHIDPN/Num	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAOVLAP	37495	0.00	0.06	0.0	3.0
RAOVRAYR	37493	0.11	14.58	0.0	1998.0
HAOAHDDH	37493	611.38	11170.40	0.0	208867.0
RAOAHDDID	37495	611350.86	11170107.69	0.0	208867020.0
S1OAHDDID	10279	2170520.05	20968403.46	0.0	208867020.0
S2OAHDDID	13608	1593881.14	17990880.05	0.0	208867020.0
S3OAHDDID	12269	1434741.97	17078562.49	0.0	208867020.0
S4OAHDDID	14453	1103979.05	14988650.82	0.0	208867020.0
S5OAHDDID	13007	1084597.76	14853225.53	0.0	208289020.0
S6OAHDDID	11822	865667.89	13284425.71	0.0	208867020.0
S7OAHDDID	13307	600720.19	11081327.60	0.0	208867020.0
S8OAHDDID	12001	545914.88	10559062.63	0.0	207784020.0

S90AHDID	10953	431146.38	9399931.70	0.0	208867020.0
S100AHDID	14147	201948.13	6417230.81	0.0	208867020.0
S110AHDID	12985	172441.14	5922978.57	0.0	208867020.0
S120AHDID	11538	140610.60	5338901.77	0.0	208867020.0
H10HRSHH	37493	1299.75	27069.57	0.0	870320.0
RAOHRSID	37495	158150.71	4712727.80	0.0	529766010.0
S10HRSID	10279	470989.17	5144962.69	0.0	87032030.0
S20HRSID	13608	350099.40	4457688.02	0.0	87032030.0
S30HRSID	12269	324834.80	4309945.56	0.0	87032030.0
S40HRSID	14453	238759.63	3645042.87	0.0	87032030.0
S50HRSID	13007	235302.27	3619739.25	0.0	87032030.0
S60HRSID	11822	172952.56	3128305.12	0.0	87032030.0
S70HRSID	13307	115974.37	2511708.09	0.0	87032030.0
S80HRSID	12001	102664.43	2278951.45	0.0	87032030.0
S90HRSID	10953	88615.77	2139235.68	0.0	87032030.0
S100HRSID	14147	44716.43	1529853.05	0.0	87032030.0
S110HRSID	12985	116207.88	6679809.97	0.0	529766010.0
S120HRSID	11538	72282.39	5028707.60	0.0	526934010.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAOVLAP
0.Not overlap case	37381
1.Hrs-Ahd overlap	110
2.Ahd-Ahd overlap	2
3.2006 PN chg	2

How Constructed

Around 100 individuals responded to HRS 1992 (W1) who were AHEAD eligible, and their households were given to the AHEAD sample. From 1993 on, they are treated as AHEAD cases. On this file, these cases are identified by their AHEAD IDs, and are linked to their HRS 1992 data. These are the only AHEAD entry cohort Respondents with any W1 data. These are "HRS-AHEAD" overlap cases and are identified by RAOVLAP (=1).

There is one case that does not appear to be an overlap case, that is, it has an HRS ID and no OVHHID on the Tracker file. However, the R is married in HRS W1 to a spouse who is an overlap case. The spouse is married in AHEAD to an individual who appears to be the same as the HRS-only spouse. We treat these spouses as the same person in this file.

In addition, a few individuals within the AHEAD sample married someone from a different AHEAD household. These cases have one AHEAD ID for early waves, but are assigned a new ID after the within-sample marriage. This file identifies these Respondents by their most recent AHEAD ID. RAOVRAYR gives the last year in which the original HHIDPN is assigned, i.e., the last interview before the within-sample marriage. For example, if someone married another AHEAD sample member in a different household between 1995 and 1998, RAOVRAYR=1995. These are "AHEAD-AHEAD" overlap cases and are identified by RAOVLAP as well (=2).

RAOAHDDID is the AHEAD HHIDPN for the HRS-AHEAD overlap Respondents, and the original AHEAD ID for AHEAD-AHEAD overlap Respondents. HAOAHDHH gives just the HHID portion of RAOAHDDID. On this file, HHIDPN

(numeric), RAHHIDPN (character), and RAOAHDID (numeric) are all equal for HRS-AHEAD overlap cases.

For AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases, HHIDPN and RAHHIDPN are the most recent AHEAD ID, different from the original one found in RAOAHDID. RAOAHDID matches the OVHHID and OVPN found for the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases on the Tracker file, and the HHID and PN found in the core data for interviews up to and including RAOVRAYR. HHIDPN and RAHHIDPN match HHID and PN found in the core data for interviews after RAOVRAYR.

RAOHRSID is the HRS HHIDPN for the HRS-AHEAD overlap Respondents. RAOHRSID is the HHIDPN that identifies R in the HRS Wave 1 Public Use Data and by OVHHID and OVPN on the Tracker file.

For the HRS-AHEAD overlap cases the HwHHID and HwHHIDC variables reflect the AHEAD household identifier in all waves. For the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases, HwHHID and HwHHIDC reflect the actual AHEAD sub-household for the Respondent in each wave. For example, if R was in household 200000 in 1995 and married into household 290000 in 1998, H3HHID would be 200000 and H4HHID would be 290000.

RAOHRSHH is the HRS HHID for Respondents in the overlap household, and H1HRSHH is the HRS Wave 1 HHID plus sub-household for overlap Respondents. For AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases these HRS IDs are set to zero.

For non-overlap cases, all overlap IDs and RAOVRLAP are set to zero.

The spouse overlap flag and identifiers are taken from the Wave "w" spouse variables, i.e., from the Wave "w" spouse RAOVRLAP, RAOAHDID, RAOHRSID, and RAOVRAYR.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Tracker identifies all the AHEAD-AHEAD overlap cases and HRS-AHEAD overlap cases.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OVHHID	OVERLAP CASE: OLD HHID
OVPN	OVERLAP CASE: OLD PN
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Wave Identifier

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	INW1	INW1: =1 if Respondent W1	Categ
2	INW2	INW2: =1 if Respondent W2	Categ
3	INW3	INW3: =1 if Respondent W3	Categ
4	INW4	INW4: =1 if Respondent W4	Categ
5	INW5	INW5: =1 if Respondent W5	Categ
6	INW6	INW6: =1 if Respondent W6	Categ
7	INW7	INW7: =1 if Respondent W7	Categ
8	INW8	INW8: =1 if Respondent W8	Categ
9	INW9	INW9: =1 if Respondent W9	Categ
10	INW10	INW10: =1 if Respondent W10	Categ
11	INW11	INW11: =1 if Respondent W11	Categ
12	INW12	INW12: =1 if Respondent W12	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
INW1	37495	0.34	0.47	0.0	1.0
INW2	37495	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW3	37495	0.48	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW4	37495	0.57	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW5	37495	0.52	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW6	37495	0.48	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW7	37495	0.54	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW8	37495	0.49	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW9	37495	0.46	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW10	37495	0.59	0.49	0.0	1.0
INW11	37495	0.55	0.50	0.0	1.0
INW12	37495	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	INW1	INW2	INW3	INW4	INW5	INW6	INW7
0.NonResp	24843	17853	19504	16111	17916	19330	17366
1.Resp, alive	12652	19642	17991	21384	19579	18165	20129

Value	INW8	INW9	INW10	INW11	INW12
0.NonResp	19026	20278	15461	16941	18748
1.Resp, alive	18469	17217	22034	20554	18747

How Constructed

The INWw variables indicate whether an individual responded to a particular wave.

The Tracker file identifies one Respondent as deceased at Wave 2H, but flags in the HRS W2 data indicate that this case actually completed the interview and then died. In previous versions of the RANDHRS, this case has INW2=1 with R2IWSTAT=2-Died after interview. In skip patterns within the interview the case is treated as living. We treat this case as deceased in W2, that is, we use the Tracker file mortality status.

Sample Cohort

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	HACOHORT	HACOHORT: Sample cohort	Categ
1	RACOHBYR	RACOHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
1	S1COHBYR	S1COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
2	S2COHBYR	S2COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
3	S3COHBYR	S3COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
4	S4COHBYR	S4COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
5	S5COHBYR	S5COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
6	S6COHBYR	S6COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
7	S7COHBYR	S7COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
8	S8COHBYR	S8COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
9	S9COHBYR	S9COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
10	S10COHBYR	S10COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
11	S11COHBYR	S11COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ
12	S12COHBYR	S12COHBYR: Cohort based on birth yr	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
HACOHORT	37495	3.24	1.67	0.0	6.0
RACOHBYR	37494	3.12	1.76	0.0	6.0
S1COHBYR	10279	3.05	0.72	0.0	6.0
S2COHBYR	13583	2.45	1.08	0.0	6.0
S3COHBYR	12247	2.52	1.07	0.0	6.0
S4COHBYR	14441	2.77	1.15	0.0	6.0
S5COHBYR	13002	2.84	1.13	0.0	6.0
S6COHBYR	11814	2.92	1.11	0.0	6.0
S7COHBYR	13305	3.34	1.35	0.0	6.0
S8COHBYR	11999	3.40	1.33	0.0	6.0
S9COHBYR	10948	3.46	1.32	0.0	6.0
S10COHBYR	14144	3.83	1.77	0.0	6.0
S11COHBYR	12954	3.89	1.77	0.0	6.0
S12COHBYR	11487	3.95	1.79	0.0	6.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	HACOHORT
0.Hrs/Ahead overlap	110
1.Ahead	8337
2.Coda	2428
3.Hrs	13593
4.WarBabies	2797
5.Early BabyBoomers	4975
6.Mid BabyBoomers	5255

Value	RACOHBYR
.M=Oth missing	1
0.Not in any cohort	1437
1.Ahead	7758
2.Coda	4231
3.Hrs	10498
4.WarBabies	3665
5.Early BabyBoomers	4812
6.Mid BabyBoomers	5093

Value	S1COHBYR	S2COHBYR	S3COHBYR	S4COHBYR	S5COHBYR	S6COHBYR	S7COHBYR
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR		89	86	74	39	45	47
0.Not in any cohort	27	29	30	76	82	79	244
1.Ahead	219	3834	3094	2389	1812	1314	976
2.Coda	1019	1601	1435	2704	2396	2100	1868
3.Hrs	7446	6660	6292	5978	5568	5261	4967
4.WarBabies	1177	1108	1058	2443	2344	2261	2175
5.Early BabyBoomers	299	275	253	660	618	600	2390
6.Mid BabyBoomers	92	76	85	191	182	199	685

Value	S8COHBYR	S9COHBYR	S10COHBYR	S11COHBYR	S12COHBYR
.U=Unmar	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	53	63	91	126	138
0.Not in any cohort	226	229	1191	1117	1083
1.Ahead	692	483	267	158	82
2.Coda	1598	1328	1057	840	594
3.Hrs	4558	4209	3799	3410	2834
4.WarBabies	2068	1948	1997	1886	1708
5.Early BabyBoomers	2235	2135	2632	2518	2383
6.Mid BabyBoomers	622	616	3201	3025	2803

How Constructed

HACOHORT identifies the cohort in which the household was originally sampled. It does not necessarily reflect a birth year range but simply indicates when and how the household entered the study. RACOHBYR identifies the cohort a Respondent fits into based on birth year. In this file all entry cohorts, that is - HRS, AHEAD, CODA, WB, EBB and MBB - are included.

There are six birth year cohorts in the HRS: 1) AHEAD, born before 1924; 2) the Children of Depression (CODA), born 1924-1930; 3) HRS, born 1931-1941; 4) War Babies (WB), born 1942-1947, (5) Early Baby Boomers (EBB), born 1948-1953, and (6) Mid Baby Boomer (MBB), born 1954-1959. RACOHBYR uses RABYEAR to assign Respondents to the cohort with the corresponding birth year range. If birth year is missing, then RACOHBYR is missing. If birth year is after 1959 then RABCOHBYR is set to zero.

The HRS sample was interviewed separately in 1992, 1994, and 1996. The AHEAD sample was interviewed separately in 1993 and 1995. In 1998, the two studies were merged and the CODA and WB cohorts were added. The EBB cohort was added in 2004. The MBB cohort was added in 2010.

HACOHORT is assigned based on both response patterns and variables in the raw data that identify the cohort. HHIDPN could also be used, as each cohort has a unique range. HRS/AHEAD Overlap cases are identified as a separate category of their own. Please see the RAOVRLAP variable description for more information on these cases.

SwCOHBYR is taken from the Wave "w" spouse's value for RACOHBYR, i.e., based on the spouse's birth year.

See also RAHRSAMP which identifies age-eligible members of the HRS cohort (HACOHORT=3 and RACHOBYR=3) who responded to HRS 1992, and RAAHDSMP which identifies age-eligible members of the AHEAD cohort (HACOHORT=1 and RACOHBYR=1) who responded to Ahead 1993.

NOTE: At least one Respondent in a household should have a birth year appropriate for the cohort (though this is not always the case). From the HRS documentation on the weights, it appears that weights were assigned based on birth year, regardless of how a person entered the sample, beginning in 1998.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1998:	
F461	PRELOAD COHORT
HRS 2000:	
G482	CS0Y9.PRELOAD ENTRY COHORT
HRS 2002:	
HZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2004:	
JZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2006:	
KZ023	WHICH COHORT
HRS 2008:	
LZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT
HRS 2010:	
MZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT -1
HRS 2012:	
NZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT
HRS 2014:	
OZ023	PREV WAVE WHICH COHORT
Tracker:	
HHID	HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OVHHID	OVERLAP CASE: OLD HHID
PN	PERSON NUMBER

Whether Eligible for the HRS Sample
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAHRSAMP	RAHRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
1	S1HRSAMP	S1HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
2	S2HRSAMP	S2HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
3	S3HRSAMP	S3HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
4	S4HRSAMP	S4HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
5	S5HRSAMP	S5HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
6	S6HRSAMP	S6HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
7	S7HRSAMP	S7HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
8	S8HRSAMP	S8HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
9	S9HRSAMP	S9HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
10	S10HRSAMP	S10HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
11	S11HRSAMP	S11HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
12	S12HRSAMP	S12HRSAMP: HRS Sample-Age Elig/Hrs92 Resp	Categ
1	RAAHSAMP	RAAHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
1	S1AHSAMP	S1AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
2	S2AHSAMP	S2AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
3	S3AHSAMP	S3AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
4	S4AHSAMP	S4AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
5	S5AHSAMP	S5AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
6	S6AHSAMP	S6AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
7	S7AHSAMP	S7AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
8	S8AHSAMP	S8AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
9	S9AHSAMP	S9AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
10	S10AHSAMP	S10AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
11	S11AHSAMP	S11AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ
12	S12AHSAMP	S12AHSAMP: AHEAD Sample-Age Elig/Ahd93 Resp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAHRSAMP	37495	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S1HRSAMP	10279	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S2HRSAMP	13608	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3HRSAMP	12269	0.49	0.50	0.0	1.0
S4HRSAMP	14453	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
S5HRSAMP	13007	0.40	0.49	0.0	1.0
S6HRSAMP	11822	0.42	0.49	0.0	1.0
S7HRSAMP	13307	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
S8HRSAMP	12001	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
S9HRSAMP	10953	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
S10HRSAMP	14147	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S11HRSAMP	12985	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S12HRSAMP	11538	0.22	0.42	0.0	1.0
RAAHSAMP	37495	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S1AHSAMP	10279	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
S2AHSAMP	13608	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S3AHSAMP	12269	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S4AHSAMP	14453	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S5AHSAMP	13007	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
S6AHSAMP	11822	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0

S7AHD SMP	13307	0.06	0.25	0.0	1.0
S8AHD SMP	12001	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
S9AHD SMP	10953	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0
S10AHD SMP	14147	0.02	0.12	0.0	1.0
S11AHD SMP	12985	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
S12AHD SMP	11538	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAHRSAMP
0.Not in Sample	27733
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	9762

Value	S1HRSAMP	S2HRSAMP	S3HRSAMP	S4HRSAMP	S5HRSAMP	S6HRSAMP	S7HRSAMP
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR		64	64	62	34	37	45
0.Not in Sample	3167	7229	6257	8822	7761	6903	8681
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	7112	6379	6012	5631	5246	4919	4626

Value	S8HRSAMP	S9HRSAMP	S10HRSAMP	S11HRSAMP	S12HRSAMP
.U=Unmar	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	51	58	88	95	87
0.Not in Sample	7782	7075	10711	9904	8969
1.In Samp,Hrs92 Resp b.1931	4219	3878	3436	3081	2569

Value	RAAHD SMP
0.Not in Sample	30053
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	7442

Value	S1AHD SMP	S2AHD SMP	S3AHD SMP	S4AHD SMP	S5AHD SMP	S6AHD SMP	S7AHD SMP
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR		64	64	62	34	37	45
0.Not in Sample	10226	10026	9357	12239	11353	10627	12443
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	53	3582	2912	2214	1654	1195	864

Value	S8AHD SMP	S9AHD SMP	S10AHD SMP	S11AHD SMP	S12AHD SMP
.U=Unmar	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	51	58	88	95	87
0.Not in Sample	11402	10544	13928	12856	11468
1.In Sample,Ahd93 Resp b.be	599	409	219	129	70

How Constructed

These files contain observations for any individual who responded to any of the HRS or AHEAD waves, regardless of birth year.

RAHRSAMP identifies HRS-eligible individuals defined as those who are age-eligible and responded to Wave 1. HRS age-eligible individuals are those born from 1931 to 1941, according to RABDATE. A 1 indicates that the individual is

HRS-eligible and a 0 indicates that he/she is not. The spouses of individuals in this sample may or may not be in the sample as well.

RAAHDSMP identifies AHEAD-eligible individuals defined as those who are age-eligible and responded to Wave 2A. AHEAD age-eligible individuals are those born prior to 1924, according to RABDATE. A 1 indicates that the individual is AHEAD-eligible and a 0 indicates that he/she is not. The spouses of individuals in this sample may or may not be in the sample as well.

The SwHRSAMP and SwAHDSAMP variables indicate whether the Wave "w" spouse or partner is also in these files as a Respondent, i.e., whether the spouse is HRS or AHEAD age-eligible and responded to Wave 1 or Wave 2A, respectively. A 1 indicates that the spouse is in the sample and a 0 indicates that he/she is not.

See also HACOHORT, which identifies how the household entered the study, regardless of Respondent age, and RACOHBYR, which identifies which cohort a Respondent fits into based on birth year.

Household Analysis Weight

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1WTHH	R1WTHH:W1 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
2	R2WTHH	R2WTHH:W2 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
3	R3WTHH	R3WTHH:W3 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
4	R4WTHH	R4WTHH:W4 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
5	R5WTHH	R5WTHH:W5 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
6	R6WTHH	R6WTHH:W6 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
7	R7WTHH	R7WTHH:W7 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
8	R8WTHH	R8WTHH:W8 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
9	R9WTHH	R9WTHH:W9 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
10	R10WTHH	R10WTHH:W10 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
11	R11WTHH	R11WTHH:W11 Household Analysis Weight	Cont
12	R12WTHH	R12WTHH:W12 Household Analysis Weight	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1WTHH	12652	2408.41	1052.21	0.0	7380.0
R2WTHH	19642	2710.33	1200.69	0.0	10003.0
R3WTHH	17991	2792.74	1315.28	0.0	11557.0
R4WTHH	21384	3238.12	1911.60	0.0	13512.0
R5WTHH	19579	3386.56	2125.09	0.0	25973.0
R6WTHH	18165	3562.30	2222.33	0.0	13193.0
R7WTHH	20129	3918.32	2580.83	0.0	13146.0
R8WTHH	18469	4093.87	2801.06	0.0	14375.0
R9WTHH	17217	4158.92	2870.62	0.0	13209.0
R10WTHH	22034	4215.08	3447.82	0.0	17462.0
R11WTHH	20554	4338.55	3654.94	0.0	17875.0
R12WTHH	18748	4502.54	3837.90	0.0	18411.0

How Constructed

The household weights are taken directly from the Tracker file.

In 2010 HRS updated the household weight variables, due to a change in the CPS weights, and in part due to a calculation error.

An HRS analysis shows that these revisions do not substantially alter the weights, and do not significantly affect weighted distributions of key variables. Analyses done with the earlier versions of sampling weights should not in general require revision. Some possible exceptions include analyses that present population estimates (counts or percentages) for the 1995 AHEAD cohort or for the EBB non-minority (White/other) sample. Analyses that compare the EBB non-minority cohort to other subgroups may also be affected by the new weights. The full report can be found on the HRS website in the data description for the 2010 tracker file.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The household weights on the Tracker file are based on WGTBYR, which may differ from the Respondent's BIRTHYR used as the basis for birth year derived on these files. If the WGTBYR for someone in the HRS cohort sample (see HACOHORT) is outside of 1931-1941 or missing for all Respondents in a household, then the household may have a zero weight in W1, but still be HRS eligible (someone born 1931-1941) according to the household member's BIRTHYR. The same is also true for the AHEAD sample, the only difference being that these individuals were born prior to 1924. WGTBYR was provided as a variable on Tracker V2.0 but is not included in the current file. Other variables are available on the current Tracker which may help analysts determine why weights are not as expected. They are xWHY0WGT (where "x" is A through K depending on the interview year), xWHY0RWT (beginning in 2004), and WTCOHORT, which gives the birth cohort used for calculating weights.

The weights are structured to match the CPS which includes living, non-institutionalized Respondents. A household where the only or both Respondents are institutionalized at the time of the interview (e.g., living in a nursing home) will have zero household weights for that wave.

HRS Respondents who were given to the AHEAD study (overlap households) are assigned a weight of zero for HRS Wave 1.

Thus, there are cases where Respondents in a given wave have zero household weight for the wave on these files.

Note also that in HRS 1998, the AHEAD and HRS cohorts are combined, and the CODA and WB cohorts are added. The weights derived for waves from 1998 forward used Respondents from ALL cohorts (age-eligible for the entry cohort or not) to match the CPS-reported population sums. This means that some of the weight for the HRS birth year entry cohort is assigned to Respondents in other cohorts who happen to have been born 1931-1941, and some of the weight assigned to HRS birth year entry cohort Respondents outside the 1931-1941 range, accounts for some of the weight for other birth year entry cohorts.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AWGTHH	1992	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
BWGTHH	1993	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
CWGTHH	1994	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
DWGTHH	1995	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
EWGTHH	1996	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
FWGTHH	1998	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
GWGTHH	2000	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD-LEVEL
HWGTHH	2002	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
JWGTHH	2004	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
KWGTHH	2006	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
LWGTHH	2008	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
MWGTHH	2010	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
NWGTHH	2012	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL
OWGTHH	2014	WEIGHT: HOUSEHOLD LEVEL

Person-Level Analysis Weight

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1WTRESP	R1WTRESP:W1 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
2	R2WTRESP	R2WTRESP:W2 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
3	R3WTRESP	R3WTRESP:W3 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
4	R4WTRESP	R4WTRESP:W4 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
5	R5WTRESP	R5WTRESP:W5 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
6	R6WTRESP	R6WTRESP:W6 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
7	R7WTRESP	R7WTRESP:W7 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
8	R8WTRESP	R8WTRESP:W8 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
9	R9WTRESP	R9WTRESP:W9 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
10	R10WTRESP	R10WTRESP:W10 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
11	R11WTRESP	R11WTRESP:W11 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
12	R12WTRESP	R12WTRESP:W12 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
1	S1WTRESP	S1WTRESP:W1 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
2	S2WTRESP	S2WTRESP:W2 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
3	S3WTRESP	S3WTRESP:W3 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
4	S4WTRESP	S4WTRESP:W4 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
5	S5WTRESP	S5WTRESP:W5 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
6	S6WTRESP	S6WTRESP:W6 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
7	S7WTRESP	S7WTRESP:W7 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
8	S8WTRESP	S8WTRESP:W8 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
9	S9WTRESP	S9WTRESP:W9 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
10	S10WTRESP	S10WTRESP:W10 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
11	S11WTRESP	S11WTRESP:W11 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
12	S12WTRESP	S12WTRESP:W12 Person-Level Analysis Weight	Cont
1	R1WTCRHH	R1WTCRHH:W1 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
2	R2WTCRHH	R2WTCRHH:W2 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
3	R3WTCRHH	R3WTCRHH:W3 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
4	R4WTCRHH	R4WTCRHH:W4 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
5	R5WTCRHH	R5WTCRHH:W5 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
6	R6WTCRHH	R6WTCRHH:W6 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
7	R7WTCRHH	R7WTCRHH:W7 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
8	R8WTCRHH	R8WTCRHH:W8 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
9	R9WTCRHH	R9WTCRHH:W9 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
10	R10WTCRHH	R10WTCRHH:W10 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
11	R11WTCRHH	R11WTCRHH:W11 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
12	R12WTCRHH	R12WTCRHH:W12 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
1	S1WTCRHH	S1WTCRHH:W1 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
2	S2WTCRHH	S2WTCRHH:W2 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
3	S3WTCRHH	S3WTCRHH:W3 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
4	S4WTCRHH	S4WTCRHH:W4 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
5	S5WTCRHH	S5WTCRHH:W5 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
6	S6WTCRHH	S6WTCRHH:W6 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
7	S7WTCRHH	S7WTCRHH:W7 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
8	S8WTCRHH	S8WTCRHH:W8 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
9	S9WTCRHH	S9WTCRHH:W9 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
10	S10WTCRHH	S10WTCRHH:W10 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
11	S11WTCRHH	S11WTCRHH:W11 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont
12	S12WTCRHH	S12WTCRHH:W12 Combined Respondent weight and NursHm Resident weight	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1WTRESP	12652	1939.03	1378.59	0.0	7710.0
R2WTRESP	19642	2346.18	1503.49	0.0	10956.0
R3WTRESP	17991	2367.79	1604.28	0.0	13795.0
R4WTRESP	21384	3189.06	1972.98	0.0	16153.0
R5WTRESP	19579	3288.55	2149.96	0.0	27408.0

R6WTRESP	18165	3415.77	2241.68	0.0	19101.0
R7WTRESP	20129	3985.39	2834.74	0.0	16170.0
R8WTRESP	18469	4154.28	3019.87	0.0	17035.0
R9WTRESP	17217	4220.44	3113.39	0.0	16558.0
R10WTRESP	22034	4304.30	3734.48	0.0	19408.0
R11WTRESP	20554	4412.71	3923.57	0.0	19866.0
R12WTRESP	18748	4614.57	4151.11	0.0	20348.0
S1WTRESP	9900	1830.30	1419.98	0.0	7710.0
S2WTRESP	13088	2186.32	1589.97	0.0	10956.0
S3WTRESP	11915	2187.79	1636.49	0.0	13795.0
S4WTRESP	13978	3069.16	1883.98	0.0	16153.0
S5WTRESP	12730	3202.42	2023.21	0.0	12159.0
S6WTRESP	11639	3367.77	2220.86	0.0	19101.0
S7WTRESP	12972	4033.28	2869.39	0.0	16170.0
S8WTRESP	11735	4243.69	3075.27	0.0	17035.0
S9WTRESP	10646	4333.94	3211.33	0.0	16558.0
S10WTRESP	13513	4384.00	3745.25	0.0	19408.0
S11WTRESP	12488	4508.76	3954.19	0.0	19866.0
S12WTRESP	11031	4778.41	4233.40	0.0	20348.0
R1WTCRNH	12652	1939.03	1378.59	0.0	7710.0
R2WTCRNH	19642	2346.18	1503.49	0.0	10956.0
R3WTCRNH	17991	2367.79	1604.28	0.0	13795.0
R4WTCRNH	21384	3189.06	1972.98	0.0	16153.0
R5WTCRNH	19579	3373.16	2107.40	0.0	27408.0
R6WTCRNH	18165	3505.32	2191.75	0.0	19101.0
R7WTCRNH	20129	4063.64	2783.29	0.0	16170.0
R8WTCRNH	18469	4236.21	2963.52	0.0	17035.0
R9WTCRNH	17217	4303.88	3053.39	0.0	16558.0
R10WTCRNH	22034	4366.85	3694.52	0.0	19408.0
R11WTCRNH	20554	4479.33	3880.14	0.0	19866.0
R12WTCRNH	18748	4614.57	4151.11	0.0	20348.0
S1WTCRNH	9900	1830.30	1419.98	0.0	7710.0
S2WTCRNH	13088	2186.32	1589.97	0.0	10956.0
S3WTCRNH	11915	2187.79	1636.49	0.0	13795.0
S4WTCRNH	13978	3069.16	1883.98	0.0	16153.0
S5WTCRNH	12730	3230.13	2013.15	0.0	12159.0
S6WTCRNH	11639	3395.08	2211.49	0.0	19101.0
S7WTCRNH	12972	4055.41	2855.85	0.0	16170.0
S8WTCRNH	11735	4267.78	3057.67	0.0	17035.0
S9WTCRNH	10646	4357.60	3194.34	0.0	16558.0
S10WTCRNH	13513	4408.25	3729.46	0.0	19408.0
S11WTCRNH	12488	4532.49	3939.41	0.0	19866.0
S12WTCRNH	11031	4778.41	4233.40	0.0	20348.0

How Constructed

The person-level weights are taken directly from the Tracker file and assigned to RwWTRESP. The person-level weights apply to those residing in the community, so are zero for those living in a nursing home.

From Wave 5, HRS provides weights for individuals living in a nursing home. These weights are provided in RwWTR_NH. For those not living in a nursing home, these weights are zero.

Nursing home weights become available for the most recent wave when a final release of the Tracker file is completed. Early Release Tracker does not contain nursing home weights so $RwWTCRNH$ equals $RwWTRESP$.

$RwWTCRNH$ is the person-level weight and the nursing home weight combined. From Wave 1 to 4, there is no nursing home weight so $RwWTCRNH$ equals $RwWTRESP$.

From Wave 5, for those not living in a nursing home, $RwWTCRNH$ equals $RwWTRESP$ and for those living in a nursing home, $RwWTCRNH$ equals $RwWTR_NH$.

The spouse's person-level weight is taken from the Wave "w" spouse's variable, i.e., from the Wave "w" spouse's $RwWTRESP$, $RwWTR_NH$ or $RwWTCRNH$.

In 2010 HRS updated the weight variables, due to a change in the CPS weights, and in part due to a calculation error.

An HRS analysis shows that these revisions do not substantially alter the weights, and do not significantly affect weighted distributions of key variables. Analyses done with the earlier versions of sampling weights should not, in general, require revision. Some possible exceptions include analyses that present population estimates (counts or percentages) for the 1995 AHEAD cohort, or for the EBB non-minority (White/other) sample. Analyses that compare the EBB non-minority cohort to other subgroups may also be affected by the new weights. The full report can be found on the HRS website in the data description for the 2010 tracker file.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The standard HRS weights are structured to match the CPS which includes living, non-institutionalized Respondents. HRS sets these person-level weights to zero for those not age-eligible, living outside the U.S., or living in a nursing home. In 2000 and 2002, HRS provides separate person-level weights for nursing home residents.

The person-level weights on the Tracker file are based on $WGTBYR$ which differ from the Respondent's $BIRTHYR$ used as the basis for birth year derived on these files. If the $WGTBYR$ for someone in the HRS cohort sample (see $HACOHORT$) is outside of 1931-1941 or missing, then a Respondent may have a zero weight in $W1$, but still be HRS eligible (someone born 1931-1941) according to $BIRTHYR$. The same is also true for the AHEAD sample, the only difference being that these individuals were born prior to 1924. $WGTBYR$ was provided as a variable on Tracker V2.0, but has not been included on more recent versions of Tracker. Other variables available on more recent versions of Tracker may help analysts determine why weights are not as expected. They are $xWHY0WGT$ (where "x" is A through K depending on the interview year), $xWHY0RWT$ (beginning in 2004), and $WTCOHORT$, which gives the birth cohort used for calculating weights.

A Respondent who is institutionalized, e.g., in a nursing home, at the time of the interview will have zero person-level weight for that wave.

HRS Respondents who were given to the AHEAD study (overlap households) are assigned a weight of zero for HRS Wave 1.

Thus, there are cases where Respondents in a given wave have a zero person-level weight for the wave on these files.

Note also that in HRS 1998 the AHEAD and HRS cohorts are combined, and the CODA and WB cohorts are added. The weights derived for waves from 1998 forward used Respondents from ALL cohorts (age-eligible for the entry cohort or

not) to match the CPS-reported population sums. This means that some of the weight for the HRS birth year entry cohort is assigned to Respondents in other cohorts who happen to have been born 1931-1941, and some of the weight assigned to HRS birth year entry cohort Respondents outside the 1931-1941 range, accounts for some of the weight for other birth year entry cohorts.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AWGTR	1992	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
BWGTR	1993	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
CWGTR	1994	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
DWGTR	1995	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
EWGTR	1996	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
FWGTR	1998	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
GWGTR	2000	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
HWGTR	2002	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT-LEVEL
JWGTR	2004	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
KWGTR	2006	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
LWGTR	2008	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
MWGTR	2010	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
NWGTR	2012	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL
OWGTR	2014	WEIGHT: RESPONDENT LEVEL

Whether Couple Household

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1CPL	H1CPL:W1 Whether couple HHold	Categ
2	H2CPL	H2CPL:W2 Whether couple HHold	Categ
3	H3CPL	H3CPL:W3 Whether couple HHold	Categ
4	H4CPL	H4CPL:W4 Whether couple HHold	Categ
5	H5CPL	H5CPL:W5 Whether couple HHold	Categ
6	H6CPL	H6CPL:W6 Whether couple HHold	Categ
7	H7CPL	H7CPL:W7 Whether couple HHold	Categ
8	H8CPL	H8CPL:W8 Whether couple HHold	Categ
9	H9CPL	H9CPL:W9 Whether couple HHold	Categ
10	H10CPL	H10CPL:W10 Whether couple HHold	Categ
11	H11CPL	H11CPL:W11 Whether couple HHold	Categ
12	H12CPL	H12CPL:W12 Whether couple HHold	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1CPL	12652	0.81	0.39	0.0	1.0
H2CPL	19642	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
H3CPL	17991	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
H4CPL	21384	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
H5CPL	19579	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
H6CPL	18165	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
H7CPL	20129	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
H8CPL	18469	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
H9CPL	17217	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
H10CPL	22034	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
H11CPL	20554	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
H12CPL	18748	0.62	0.49	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H1CPL	H2CPL	H3CPL	H4CPL	H5CPL	H6CPL	H7CPL
0.not a couple HH	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
1.couple HH	10279	13672	12333	14515	13041	11859	13352

Value	H8CPL	H9CPL	H10CPL	H11CPL	H12CPL
0.not a couple HH	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
1.couple HH	12052	11012	14235	13080	11625

How Constructed

HwCPL indicates whether this household is treated as a couple household or not. Households in HRS can consist of a single Respondent or a couple. HwCPL is set to "1" if the Respondent is married (RwMSTAT or RwmSTATH is married or partnered), partnered (RwMPART=1), or if there are two Respondents in the wave-specific household (HwHHRESP=2). Otherwise a single Respondent is assumed, and HwCPL is set to "0." As with most other RAND HRS variables, HwCPL is missing in waves where the Respondent does not respond.

Financial, Family Respondent

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FAMR	R1FAMR:W1 Whether Family Resp	Categ
2	R2FAMR	R2FAMR:W2 Whether Family Resp	Categ
3	R3FAMR	R3FAMR:W3 Whether Family Resp	Categ
4	R4FAMR	R4FAMR:W4 Whether Family Resp	Categ
5	R5FAMR	R5FAMR:W5 Whether Family Resp	Categ
6	R6FAMR	R6FAMR:W6 Whether Family Resp	Categ
7	R7FAMR	R7FAMR:W7 Whether Family Resp	Categ
8	R8FAMR	R8FAMR:W8 Whether Family Resp	Categ
9	R9FAMR	R9FAMR:W9 Whether Family Resp	Categ
10	R10FAMR	R10FAMR:W10 Whether Family Resp	Categ
11	R11FAMR	R11FAMR:W11 Whether Family Resp	Categ
12	R12FAMR	R12FAMR:W12 Whether Family Resp	Categ
1	S1FAMR	S1FAMR:W1 Whether Family Resp	Categ
2	S2FAMR	S2FAMR:W2 Whether Family Resp	Categ
3	S3FAMR	S3FAMR:W3 Whether Family Resp	Categ
4	S4FAMR	S4FAMR:W4 Whether Family Resp	Categ
5	S5FAMR	S5FAMR:W5 Whether Family Resp	Categ
6	S6FAMR	S6FAMR:W6 Whether Family Resp	Categ
7	S7FAMR	S7FAMR:W7 Whether Family Resp	Categ
8	S8FAMR	S8FAMR:W8 Whether Family Resp	Categ
9	S9FAMR	S9FAMR:W9 Whether Family Resp	Categ
10	S10FAMR	S10FAMR:W10 Whether Family Resp	Categ
11	S11FAMR	S11FAMR:W11 Whether Family Resp	Categ
12	S12FAMR	S12FAMR:W12 Whether Family Resp	Categ
1	R1FINR	R1FINR:W1 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
2	R2FINR	R2FINR:W2 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
3	R3FINR	R3FINR:W3 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
4	R4FINR	R4FINR:W4 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
5	R5FINR	R5FINR:W5 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
6	R6FINR	R6FINR:W6 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
7	R7FINR	R7FINR:W7 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
8	R8FINR	R8FINR:W8 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
9	R9FINR	R9FINR:W9 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
10	R10FINR	R10FINR:W10 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
11	R11FINR	R11FINR:W11 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
12	R12FINR	R12FINR:W12 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
1	S1FINR	S1FINR:W1 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
2	S2FINR	S2FINR:W2 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
3	S3FINR	S3FINR:W3 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
4	S4FINR	S4FINR:W4 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
5	S5FINR	S5FINR:W5 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
6	S6FINR	S6FINR:W6 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
7	S7FINR	S7FINR:W7 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
8	S8FINR	S8FINR:W8 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
9	S9FINR	S9FINR:W9 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
10	S10FINR	S10FINR:W10 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
11	S11FINR	S11FINR:W11 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
12	S12FINR	S12FINR:W12 Whether Financial Resp	Categ
1	H1ANYFAM	H1ANYFAM:W1 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
2	H2ANYFAM	H2ANYFAM:W2 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
3	H3ANYFAM	H3ANYFAM:W3 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
4	H4ANYFAM	H4ANYFAM:W4 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
5	H5ANYFAM	H5ANYFAM:W5 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
6	H6ANYFAM	H6ANYFAM:W6 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
7	H7ANYFAM	H7ANYFAM:W7 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
8	H8ANYFAM	H8ANYFAM:W8 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
9	H9ANYFAM	H9ANYFAM:W9 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
10	H10ANYFAM	H10ANYFAM:W10 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
11	H11ANYFAM	H11ANYFAM:W11 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
12	H12ANYFAM	H12ANYFAM:W12 Whether any FamR in HH	Categ
1	H1ANYFIN	H1ANYFIN:W1 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ

2	H2ANYFIN	H2ANYFIN:W2 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
3	H3ANYFIN	H3ANYFIN:W3 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
4	H4ANYFIN	H4ANYFIN:W4 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
5	H5ANYFIN	H5ANYFIN:W5 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
6	H6ANYFIN	H6ANYFIN:W6 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
7	H7ANYFIN	H7ANYFIN:W7 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
8	H8ANYFIN	H8ANYFIN:W8 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
9	H9ANYFIN	H9ANYFIN:W9 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
10	H10ANYFIN	H10ANYFIN:W10 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
11	H11ANYFIN	H11ANYFIN:W11 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ
12	H12ANYFIN	H12ANYFIN:W12 Whether any FinR in HH	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FAMR	12652	0.60	0.49	0.0	1.0
R2FAMR	19642	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R3FAMR	17991	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R4FAMR	21384	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R5FAMR	19579	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R6FAMR	18165	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R7FAMR	20129	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R8FAMR	18469	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R9FAMR	17217	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
R10FAMR	22034	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R11FAMR	20554	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
R12FAMR	18748	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S1FAMR	9900	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S2FAMR	13088	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3FAMR	11915	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S4FAMR	13978	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S5FAMR	12730	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S6FAMR	11639	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S7FAMR	12972	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S8FAMR	11735	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S9FAMR	10646	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S10FAMR	13513	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S11FAMR	12488	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S12FAMR	11031	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
R1FINR	12652	0.60	0.49	0.0	1.0
R2FINR	19642	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R3FINR	17991	0.66	0.47	0.0	1.0
R4FINR	21384	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R5FINR	19579	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R6FINR	18165	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R7FINR	20129	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
R8FINR	18469	0.68	0.47	0.0	1.0
R9FINR	17217	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
R10FINR	22034	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
R11FINR	20554	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
R12FINR	18748	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S1FINR	9900	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S2FINR	13088	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S3FINR	11915	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0

S4FINR	13978	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S5FINR	12730	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S6FINR	11639	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S7FINR	12972	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S8FINR	11735	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S9FINR	10646	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S10FINR	13513	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S11FINR	12488	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
S12FINR	11031	0.50	0.50	0.0	1.0
H1ANYFAM	12652	0.99	0.11	0.0	1.0
H2ANYFAM	19642	0.99	0.10	0.0	1.0
H3ANYFAM	17991	1.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
H4ANYFAM	21384	0.99	0.10	0.0	1.0
H5ANYFAM	19579	0.99	0.07	0.0	1.0
H6ANYFAM	18165	1.00	0.01	0.0	1.0
H7ANYFAM	20129	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H8ANYFAM	18469	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H9ANYFAM	17217	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H10ANYFAM	22034	0.99	0.12	0.0	1.0
H11ANYFAM	20554	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
H12ANYFAM	18748	0.99	0.10	0.0	1.0
H1ANYFIN	12652	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
H2ANYFIN	19642	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0
H3ANYFIN	17991	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H4ANYFIN	21384	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H5ANYFIN	19579	1.00	0.07	0.0	1.0
H6ANYFIN	18165	1.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
H7ANYFIN	20129	1.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
H8ANYFIN	18469	1.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
H9ANYFIN	17217	1.00	0.06	0.0	1.0
H10ANYFIN	22034	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H11ANYFIN	20554	0.99	0.08	0.0	1.0
H12ANYFIN	18748	0.99	0.09	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FAMR	R2FAMR	R3FAMR	R4FAMR	R5FAMR	R6FAMR	R7FAMR
0.No	5105	6719	6026	7181	6472	5819	6615
1.Yes	7547	12923	11965	14203	13107	12346	13514

Value	R8FAMR	R9FAMR	R10FAMR	R11FAMR	R12FAMR
0.No	5956	5404	7057	6407	5676
1.Yes	12513	11813	14977	14147	13072

Value	S1FAMR	S2FAMR	S3FAMR	S4FAMR	S5FAMR	S6FAMR	S7FAMR
.U=Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	379	584	418	537	311	220	380
0.No	4950	6556	5955	7007	6365	5816	6484
1.Yes	4950	6532	5960	6971	6365	5823	6488

Value	S8FAMR	S9FAMR	S10FAMR	S11FAMR	S12FAMR
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0.No	5866	5320	6754	6240	5508
1.Yes	5869	5326	6759	6248	5523

Value	R1FINR	R2FINR	R3FINR	R4FINR	R5FINR	R6FINR	R7FINR
0.No	5045	6694	6036	7127	6462	5846	6544
1.Yes	7607	12948	11955	14257	13117	12319	13585

Value	R8FINR	R9FINR	R10FINR	R11FINR	R12FINR
0.No	5911	5375	6904	6363	5651
1.Yes	12558	11842	15130	14191	13097

Value	S1FINR	S2FINR	S3FINR	S4FINR	S5FINR	S6FINR	S7FINR
.U=Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	379	584	418	537	311	220	380
0.No	4950	6555	5957	6992	6365	5816	6484
1.Yes	4950	6533	5958	6986	6365	5823	6488

Value	S8FINR	S9FINR	S10FINR	S11FINR	S12FINR
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0.No	5866	5320	6754	6239	5508
1.Yes	5869	5326	6759	6249	5523

Value	H1ANYFAM	H2ANYFAM	H3ANYFAM	H4ANYFAM	H5ANYFAM	H6ANYFAM	H7ANYFAM
0.No	155	208	72	210	107	3	131
1.Yes	12497	19434	17919	21174	19472	18162	19998

Value	H8ANYFAM	H9ANYFAM	H10ANYFAM	H11ANYFAM	H12ANYFAM
0.No	92	84	303	171	172
1.Yes	18377	17133	21731	20383	18576

Value	H1ANYFIN	H2ANYFIN	H3ANYFIN	H4ANYFIN	H5ANYFIN	H6ANYFIN	H7ANYFIN
0.No	95	161	83	141	97	30	60
1.Yes	12557	19481	17908	21243	19482	18135	20069

Value	H8ANYFIN	H9ANYFIN	H10ANYFIN	H11ANYFIN	H12ANYFIN
0.No	47	55	150	126	147
1.Yes	18422	17162	21884	20428	18601

How Constructed

In couple households, household level questions about finances are answered by one individual designated the "Financial Respondent," and questions about family are answered by the individual designated the "Family Respondent." The Financial Respondent may be the same as the Family Respondent, or not, depending on the household. In single households, the only Respondent is both the Financial and Family Respondent.

RwFINR and RwFAMR indicate whether the Respondent is the designated Financial and Family Respondent, respectively. These flags are set to "1" if the designated Respondent, or "0" if not.

HwANYFIN indicates if any individual in the household is the Financial Respondent, and HwANYFAM indicates the same for the Family Respondent. A value of "0" in HwANYFIN or HwANYFAM indicates that there is no Financial or Family Respondent, respectively, and thus no household level information on the relevant topics. HwANYFIN and HwANYFAM are set to .S for the deceased Respondents in Wave 2 in previous versions of RANDHRS. We exclude the W2 deceased Respondents in this version.

SwFINR and SwFAMR are taken from the Wave "w" spouse's value for RwFINR and RwFAMR, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

Tracker:

AFAMR	1992	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
AFINR	1992	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
ASUBHH	1992	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
BFAMR	1993	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
BFINR	1993	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
BSUBHH	1993	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
CFAMR	1994	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
CFINR	1994	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
CSUBHH	1994	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
DFAMR	1995	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
DFINR	1995	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
DSUBHH	1995	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
EFAMR	1996	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT

EFINR	1996	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
ESUBHH	1996	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
FFAMR	1998	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
FFINR	1998	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
FSUBHH	1998	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
GFAMR	2000	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
GFINR	2000	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
GSUBHH	2000	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HFAMR	2002	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
HFINR	2002	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
HHID		HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
HSUBHH	2002	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
JFAMR	2004	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
JFINR	2004	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
JSUBHH	2004	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
KFAMR	2006	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
KFINR	2006	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
KSUBHH	2006	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
LFAMR	2008	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
LFINR	2008	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
LSUBHH	2008	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
MFAMR	2010	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
MFINR	2010	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
MSUBHH	2010	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
NFAMR	2012	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
NFINR	2012	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
NSUBHH	2012	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
OFAMR	2014	WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
OFINR	2014	WHETHER FINANCIAL RESPONDENT
OSUBHH	2014	SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER

Whether Respondent has Kid Records with Linkage Problems

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RLINK	RLINK: R linkage indicator	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RLINK	37495	0.97	0.18	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RLINK
0.Linkage problem	1216
1.Linkage OK	36279

How Constructed

RLINK is the indicator that distinguishes longitudinal linkages without any apparent problems (LINK = 1.Linkage OK) from those where the link is questionable (LINK = 0.Linkage problem). This variable is derived from the LINK variable in the Respondent-kid level file. Linkage problems are identified by checking for changes over time in key information, e.g., gender, age, relationship and name. These changes are due to the following reasons:

- persons who assumed the OPN number of their deceased spouse or partner during the 1993 to 2000 waves;
- spouses or partners who were assigned a new OPN in 2002; or
- persons with more than one OPN, or OPNs used by more than one person.

Number of Living or In-Contact Children

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1CHILD	H1CHILD:W1 Number of living children R/P	Cont
2	H2CHILD	H2CHILD:W2 Number of living children R/P	Cont
3	H3CHILD	H3CHILD:W3 Number of living children R/P	Cont
4	H4CHILD	H4CHILD:W4 Number of living children R/P	Cont
5	H5CHILD	H5CHILD:W5 Number of living children R/P	Cont
6	H6CHILD	H6CHILD:W6 Number of living children R/P	Cont
7	H7CHILD	H7CHILD:W7 Number of living children R/P	Cont
8	H8CHILD	H8CHILD:W8 Number of living children R/P	Cont
9	H9CHILD	H9CHILD:W9 Number of living children R/P	Cont
10	H10CHILD	H10CHILD:W10 Number of living children R/P	Cont
11	H11CHILD	H11CHILD:W11 Number of living children R/P	Cont
12	H12CHILD	H12CHILD:W12 Number of living children R/P	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1CHILD	12652	3.33	2.16	0.0	19.0
H2CHILD	19637	3.09	2.23	0.0	22.0
H3CHILD	17907	3.19	2.20	0.0	20.0
H4CHILD	21209	3.20	2.21	0.0	20.0
H5CHILD	19399	3.25	2.23	0.0	20.0
H6CHILD	17935	3.29	2.25	0.0	21.0
H7CHILD	19774	3.19	2.17	0.0	22.0
H8CHILD	18131	3.21	2.14	0.0	19.0
H9CHILD	16846	3.25	2.16	0.0	19.0
H10CHILD	21607	3.12	2.10	0.0	20.0
H11CHILD	20271	3.15	2.11	0.0	22.0
H12CHILD	18447	3.15	2.09	0.0	20.0

How Constructed

HwCHILD provides the number of living and in-contact children of the Respondent and spouse or partner.

The number of living and in-contact children is summed, including anyone who is a child or step-child of the Respondent or spouse. Counts of individual children are assigned to the HwCHILD variables. All of the Respondent's and spouse's living children are counted for one total.

In waves 1 and 2H, living children are counted from among children in the KIDS file. In Wave 2A, living children are counted from among the children in the Other-Persons file based on relationships to the male and female members of the AHEAD couple. If a household is missing any children using this method, a direct question to the Family Respondent is used.

From Wave 3 forward, living children are counted from child status variables in the household roster. The status is checked to ensure the child is alive and in contact. The relationships to both Respondents are checked for child or step-child. Living children (in contact) of either Respondent are counted. If the status of any child is unknown, HwCHILD is set to .M. If there are no children listed in PR_MC for the household and the maximum number of children derived in prior waves is zero, then HwCHILD is set to zero.

From Wave 3 forward, there are also household level variables that indicate the number of living, resident, and non-resident children. These may or may not agree with the count of children in the PR_MC module. These are checked for reasonability with each other and with the number of children ever born and living at the time of interview. They are also checked for reasonability with HwCHILD derived for other waves, accounting for changes in household composition. If reasonable, these are used to fill HwCHILD when it is still missing after the PR_MC counts.

These variables are also on the RAND HRS file.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Waves 1 and 2H, the raw HRS data provide child-level data in a separate module with separate observations for each child, including in-laws. Preprocessing of Wave 1 and 2H data collapses the child-level observations to each Respondent.

In Wave 2A, the AHEAD data provide information about household residents and children in a separate Other-Persons file. Additionally, in Wave 2A, a direct question about the number of children is asked of the Family Respondent. The question is:

How many (other) living children or step-children do you [or your husband/wife/partner)] have?

From Wave 3 forward, the child data needed to derive these variables can be found in the PR_MC module, for the appropriate wave. The PR_MC module includes an observation for each child, regardless of whether the child is a resident or a non-resident, as well as all other household residents. A status variable indicates whether an individual is a resident or not and whether a child is alive and in contact. There are relationship codes for both the Family and non-Family Respondent from which children can be identified. Beginning in Wave 6, spouses of children appear as separate observations in the PR_MC module and the relationship codes change and becomes more detailed. In all of these waves, there are also household-level variables that indicate number of living children. These may or may not agree with the count of children in the PR_MC module.

There have been a number of data alerts for the child data for HRS 1992 and 1994. Those posted on the HRS web site as of this writing have been applied to these data.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V1201	E18A:OTHER CHILDREN :IMP
V1202	E19:CHILDREN NOT AT :IMP
V1203	E20-E32:#CHLDRN NOT :IMP
V902	E2:KIDS LIVE W/ YOU?
V903	E2A:KIDS AWAY AT SCHOOL
V905	E3-E7:SUMMRY:#CHILD HOME
VNKIDS	HRS W1: # kids
AHEAD 1993:	
B435	D20. # NON-RESIDENT CHILDREN
BSUBHH	1993 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
RELATE_F	RELATIONSHIP TO FEMALE R
RELATE_M	RELATIONSHIP TO MALE R
HRS 1994:	
CSUBHH	1994 SUB-HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER
W8003	RELATIONSHIP TO R
W8004	CHILD PROBLEM CODE

WNKIDS	HRS W2: # W2 kids
AHEAD 1995:	
D10	HHMEM REL TO IDFM
D11	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM
D506	CS # RES CHILD 505U(1/20)=
D508	CS # NR KIDS 507U(1/20)=
D513	CS # CHILDREN 512U(1/20)=
D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
D668	A9.# CHILDREN EVER
D669	A9A.FERTILITY LIVING
DHHID	DHHID: AHD 95 Household ID (char7)
HRS 1996:	
E10	HHMEM REL TO FAMILY R
E11	HHMEN REL TO NONFAM R
E506	CS # RESIDENT CHILDREN
E508	CS # NON-RESIDENT CHILDREN
E513	CS # CHILDREN TOTAL
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
E668	A9.# CHILDREN EVER
E669	A9A.NUMBER OF LIVING CHILDREN
EHHID	EHHID: HRS 96 Household ID (char7)
HRS 1998:	
F1006	A9.# CHILDREN EVER
F1007	A9A.FERTILITY LIVING
F11	HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED
F12	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
F7	HHMEM STATUS
F809	CS # RES CHILD
F811	CS # NR KIDS
FHHID	FHHID: HRS 98 Household ID (char7)
HRS 2000:	
G1093	A9.# CHILDREN EVER
G1094	A9A.FERTILITY LIVING
G11	HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED
G12	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
G886	CS49Y10.CS # RES CHILD
G888	CS49Y12.CS # NR KIDS
G893	CS49Y16.CS # CHILDREN
GHHID	GHHID: HRS 00 Household ID (char7)
HRS 2002:	
HA099	NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
HA100	COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
HA101	COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
HB033	NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
HB034	NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
HHHID	HHHID: HRS 02 Household ID (char7)
HHID	Household Identifier (char 6)
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
HX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO SPOUSE/PARTNER OF R
HRS 2004:	
JA099	NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
JA100	COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
JA101	COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
JB033	NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
JB034	NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
JHHID	JHHID: HRS 04 Household ID (char7)
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

JX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
JX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2006:
KA099 NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
KA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
KA101 COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
KB033 NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
KB034 NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
KHHID KHHID: HRS 06 Household ID (char8)
KX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
KX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
KX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2008:
LA099 NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
LA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
LA101 COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
LB033 NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
LB034 NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
LHHID LHHID: HRS 08 Household ID (char8)
LX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
LX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
LX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2010:
MA099 NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
MA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
MA101 COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
MB033 NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
MB034 NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
MHHID MHHID: HRS 10 Household ID (char8)
MX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
MX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
MX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2012:
NA099 NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
NA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
NA101 COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
NB033 NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
NB034 NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
NHHID NHHID: HRS 12 Household ID (char8)
NX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
NX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
NX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2014:
OA099 NUMBER OF RESIDENT CHILDREN
OA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
OA101 COUNT OF KIDS - NOT THEIR SPOUSES
OB033 NUMBER CHILDREN EVER
OB034 NUMBER LIVING CHILDREN
OHHID OHHID: HRS 14 Household ID (char8)
OX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
OX061_MC RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
OX063_MC RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED

Number of Kids from Respondent-kid file

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1NKID	H1NKID:W1 Number of children reported	Cont
2	H2NKID	H2NKID:W2 Number of children reported	Cont
3	H3NKID	H3NKID:W3 Number of children reported	Cont
4	H4NKID	H4NKID:W4 Number of children reported	Cont
5	H5NKID	H5NKID:W5 Number of children reported	Cont
6	H6NKID	H6NKID:W6 Number of children reported	Cont
7	H7NKID	H7NKID:W7 Number of children reported	Cont
8	H8NKID	H8NKID:W8 Number of children reported	Cont
9	H9NKID	H9NKID:W9 Number of children reported	Cont
10	H10NKID	H10NKID:W10 Number of children reported	Cont
11	H11NKID	H11NKID:W11 Number of children reported	Cont
12	H12NKID	H12NKID:W12 Number of children reported	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1NKID	12652	3.27	2.15	0.0	18.0
H2NKID	19642	3.05	2.20	0.0	21.0
H3NKID	17991	3.15	2.19	0.0	20.0
H4NKID	21384	3.17	2.21	0.0	20.0
H5NKID	19579	3.25	2.22	0.0	20.0
H6NKID	18165	3.33	2.25	0.0	20.0
H7NKID	20129	3.25	2.24	0.0	23.0
H8NKID	18469	3.27	2.19	0.0	20.0
H9NKID	17217	3.33	2.21	0.0	20.0
H10NKID	22034	3.20	2.17	0.0	20.0
H11NKID	20554	3.24	2.19	0.0	23.0
H12NKID	18748	3.25	2.17	0.0	21.0

How Constructed

HwNKID indicates the number of kids reported from the Respondent-kid level. It includes the Respondent's own kids, step-kids, kids-in-law and unknown children type. It includes alive, deceased and no contact kids.

The variable sums up all of the kids reported by the Respondent where there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1). Because kids-in-law do not have their own records in the RAND HRS Family Respondent-kid level file, values of this variable will not always equal the total number of kid records per Respondent in that file.

HwNKID is based on the best guess relationship, not the relationship reported each wave. This variable is different from HwCHILD because HwCHILD only sums up the alive and in-contact kids and step-kids reported in that wave.

Number of Sons and Daughters

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1NSON	H1NSON:W1 Number of sons	Cont
2	H2NSON	H2NSON:W2 Number of sons	Cont
3	H3NSON	H3NSON:W3 Number of sons	Cont
4	H4NSON	H4NSON:W4 Number of sons	Cont
5	H5NSON	H5NSON:W5 Number of sons	Cont
6	H6NSON	H6NSON:W6 Number of sons	Cont
7	H7NSON	H7NSON:W7 Number of sons	Cont
8	H8NSON	H8NSON:W8 Number of sons	Cont
9	H9NSON	H9NSON:W9 Number of sons	Cont
10	H10NSON	H10NSON:W10 Number of sons	Cont
11	H11NSON	H11NSON:W11 Number of sons	Cont
12	H12NSON	H12NSON:W12 Number of sons	Cont
1	H1NDAU	H1NDAU:W1 Number of daughters	Cont
2	H2NDAU	H2NDAU:W2 Number of daughters	Cont
3	H3NDAU	H3NDAU:W3 Number of daughters	Cont
4	H4NDAU	H4NDAU:W4 Number of daughters	Cont
5	H5NDAU	H5NDAU:W5 Number of daughters	Cont
6	H6NDAU	H6NDAU:W6 Number of daughters	Cont
7	H7NDAU	H7NDAU:W7 Number of daughters	Cont
8	H8NDAU	H8NDAU:W8 Number of daughters	Cont
9	H9NDAU	H9NDAU:W9 Number of daughters	Cont
10	H10NDAU	H10NDAU:W10 Number of daughters	Cont
11	H11NDAU	H11NDAU:W11 Number of daughters	Cont
12	H12NDAU	H12NDAU:W12 Number of daughters	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1NSON	11697	1.80	1.38	0.0	16.0
H2NSON	17589	1.72	1.38	0.0	16.0
H3NSON	16470	1.74	1.39	0.0	12.0
H4NSON	19689	1.73	1.39	0.0	12.0
H5NSON	18163	1.76	1.40	0.0	12.0
H6NSON	16968	1.79	1.41	0.0	12.0
H7NSON	18690	1.76	1.40	0.0	12.0
H8NSON	17230	1.77	1.40	0.0	12.0
H9NSON	16122	1.80	1.41	0.0	12.0
H10NSON	20394	1.75	1.39	0.0	12.0
H11NSON	19110	1.77	1.39	0.0	12.0
H12NSON	17443	1.76	1.39	0.0	12.0
H1NDAU	11697	1.73	1.38	0.0	11.0
H2NDAU	17589	1.69	1.38	0.0	13.0
H3NDAU	16470	1.70	1.39	0.0	11.0
H4NDAU	19689	1.71	1.41	0.0	17.0
H5NDAU	18163	1.74	1.42	0.0	17.0
H6NDAU	16968	1.77	1.45	0.0	17.0
H7NDAU	18690	1.73	1.42	0.0	19.0
H8NDAU	17230	1.73	1.40	0.0	12.0
H9NDAU	16122	1.76	1.40	0.0	12.0
H10NDAU	20394	1.70	1.38	0.0	12.0
H11NDAU	19110	1.72	1.40	0.0	19.0
H12NDAU	17443	1.73	1.39	0.0	12.0

How Constructed

HwNSON is a count of the Respondent's and spouse's sons. HwNDAU is a count of the Respondent's and spouse's daughters.

These variables are derived from KAGENDERBG, kid gender, in the Respondent-kid file. They sum up records where there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwNSON is the sum of kids where KAGENDERBG is 1=Male. HwNDAU is the sum of kids where KAGENDERBG is 2=Female.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
V8004	KIDS:SEX	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:		
B417	D5c. HHM SEX	
B442	D20c. NRCHILD SEX	
HRS 1994:		
W8001	CHILD GENDER	
AHEAD 1995:		
D9	HHMEM SEX	
HRS 1996:		
E9	UPDATED HHMEM SEX	
HRS 1998:		
F10	HHMEM MEM SEX	
HRS 2000:		
G10	HHMEM MEM SEX - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:		
HX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED	
HRS 2004:		
JX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2006:		
KX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2008:		
LX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2010:		
MX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2012:		
NX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2014:		
OX060_MC	SEX OF INDIVIDUAL-UPDATED - MC	

Number of Own Kids, Step-kids, and Other Kids
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1OWNKIDKN	R1OWNKIDKN:W1 Number of own children	Cont
2	R2OWNKIDKN	R2OWNKIDKN:W2 Number of own children	Cont
3	R3OWNKIDKN	R3OWNKIDKN:W3 Number of own children	Cont
4	R4OWNKIDKN	R4OWNKIDKN:W4 Number of own children	Cont
5	R5OWNKIDKN	R5OWNKIDKN:W5 Number of own children	Cont
6	R6OWNKIDKN	R6OWNKIDKN:W6 Number of own children	Cont
7	R7OWNKIDKN	R7OWNKIDKN:W7 Number of own children	Cont
8	R8OWNKIDKN	R8OWNKIDKN:W8 Number of own children	Cont
9	R9OWNKIDKN	R9OWNKIDKN:W9 Number of own children	Cont
10	R10OWNKIDKN	R10OWNKIDKN:W10 Number of own children	Cont
11	R11OWNKIDKN	R11OWNKIDKN:W11 Number of own children	Cont
12	R12OWNKIDKN	R12OWNKIDKN:W12 Number of own children	Cont
1	S1OWNKIDKN	S1OWNKIDKN:W1 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
2	S2OWNKIDKN	S2OWNKIDKN:W2 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
3	S3OWNKIDKN	S3OWNKIDKN:W3 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
4	S4OWNKIDKN	S4OWNKIDKN:W4 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
5	S5OWNKIDKN	S5OWNKIDKN:W5 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
6	S6OWNKIDKN	S6OWNKIDKN:W6 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
7	S7OWNKIDKN	S7OWNKIDKN:W7 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
8	S8OWNKIDKN	S8OWNKIDKN:W8 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
9	S9OWNKIDKN	S9OWNKIDKN:W9 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
10	S10OWNKIDKN	S10OWNKIDKN:W10 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
11	S11OWNKIDKN	S11OWNKIDKN:W11 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
12	S12OWNKIDKN	S12OWNKIDKN:W12 Number of own children/Sp	Cont
1	R1STEPKIDKN	R1STEPKIDKN:W1 Number of step-children	Cont
2	R2STEPKIDKN	R2STEPKIDKN:W2 Number of step-children	Cont
3	R3STEPKIDKN	R3STEPKIDKN:W3 Number of step-children	Cont
4	R4STEPKIDKN	R4STEPKIDKN:W4 Number of step-children	Cont
5	R5STEPKIDKN	R5STEPKIDKN:W5 Number of step-children	Cont
6	R6STEPKIDKN	R6STEPKIDKN:W6 Number of step-children	Cont
7	R7STEPKIDKN	R7STEPKIDKN:W7 Number of step-children	Cont
8	R8STEPKIDKN	R8STEPKIDKN:W8 Number of step-children	Cont
9	R9STEPKIDKN	R9STEPKIDKN:W9 Number of step-children	Cont
10	R10STEPKIDKN	R10STEPKIDKN:W10 Number of step-children	Cont
11	R11STEPKIDKN	R11STEPKIDKN:W11 Number of step-children	Cont
12	R12STEPKIDKN	R12STEPKIDKN:W12 Number of step-children	Cont
1	S1STEPKIDKN	S1STEPKIDKN:W1 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
2	S2STEPKIDKN	S2STEPKIDKN:W2 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
3	S3STEPKIDKN	S3STEPKIDKN:W3 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
4	S4STEPKIDKN	S4STEPKIDKN:W4 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
5	S5STEPKIDKN	S5STEPKIDKN:W5 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
6	S6STEPKIDKN	S6STEPKIDKN:W6 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
7	S7STEPKIDKN	S7STEPKIDKN:W7 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
8	S8STEPKIDKN	S8STEPKIDKN:W8 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
9	S9STEPKIDKN	S9STEPKIDKN:W9 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
10	S10STEPKIDKN	S10STEPKIDKN:W10 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
11	S11STEPKIDKN	S11STEPKIDKN:W11 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
12	S12STEPKIDKN	S12STEPKIDKN:W12 Number of step-children/Sp	Cont
1	R1OTHKIDKN	R1OTHKIDKN:W1 Number of other children	Cont
2	R2OTHKIDKN	R2OTHKIDKN:W2 Number of other children	Cont
3	R3OTHKIDKN	R3OTHKIDKN:W3 Number of other children	Cont
4	R4OTHKIDKN	R4OTHKIDKN:W4 Number of other children	Cont
5	R5OTHKIDKN	R5OTHKIDKN:W5 Number of other children	Cont
6	R6OTHKIDKN	R6OTHKIDKN:W6 Number of other children	Cont
7	R7OTHKIDKN	R7OTHKIDKN:W7 Number of other children	Cont
8	R8OTHKIDKN	R8OTHKIDKN:W8 Number of other children	Cont
9	R9OTHKIDKN	R9OTHKIDKN:W9 Number of other children	Cont
10	R10OTHKIDKN	R10OTHKIDKN:W10 Number of other children	Cont
11	R11OTHKIDKN	R11OTHKIDKN:W11 Number of other children	Cont
12	R12OTHKIDKN	R12OTHKIDKN:W12 Number of other children	Cont
1	S1OTHKIDKN	S1OTHKIDKN:W1 Number of other children/Sp	Cont

2	S20THKIDKN	S20THKIDKN:W2	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
3	S30THKIDKN	S30THKIDKN:W3	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
4	S40THKIDKN	S40THKIDKN:W4	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
5	S50THKIDKN	S50THKIDKN:W5	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
6	S60THKIDKN	S60THKIDKN:W6	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
7	S70THKIDKN	S70THKIDKN:W7	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
8	S80THKIDKN	S80THKIDKN:W8	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
9	S90THKIDKN	S90THKIDKN:W9	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
10	S100THKIDKN	S100THKIDKN:W10	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
11	S110THKIDKN	S110THKIDKN:W11	Number of other children/Sp	Cont
12	S120THKIDKN	S120THKIDKN:W12	Number of other children/Sp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1OWNKIDKN	11697	3.15	1.86	0.0	18.0
R2OWNKIDKN	17589	3.04	1.90	0.0	19.0
R3OWNKIDKN	16470	3.04	1.89	0.0	18.0
R4OWNKIDKN	19689	3.02	1.89	0.0	18.0
R5OWNKIDKN	18163	3.03	1.89	0.0	18.0
R6OWNKIDKN	16968	3.03	1.88	0.0	19.0
R7OWNKIDKN	18690	2.93	1.81	0.0	19.0
R8OWNKIDKN	17230	2.93	1.80	0.0	18.0
R9OWNKIDKN	16122	2.95	1.80	0.0	18.0
R10OWNKIDKN	20394	2.88	1.75	0.0	19.0
R11OWNKIDKN	19110	2.89	1.75	0.0	19.0
R12OWNKIDKN	17443	2.78	1.69	0.0	16.0
S1OWNKIDKN	9533	3.13	1.83	0.0	18.0
S2OWNKIDKN	12337	3.05	1.85	0.0	19.0
S3OWNKIDKN	11331	3.05	1.84	0.0	18.0
S4OWNKIDKN	13355	3.00	1.83	0.0	18.0
S5OWNKIDKN	12254	3.02	1.83	0.0	18.0
S6OWNKIDKN	11231	3.02	1.82	0.0	18.0
S7OWNKIDKN	12468	2.90	1.75	0.0	18.0
S8OWNKIDKN	11298	2.88	1.72	0.0	18.0
S9OWNKIDKN	10271	2.88	1.70	0.0	17.0
S10OWNKIDKN	12981	2.86	1.68	0.0	19.0
S11OWNKIDKN	12002	2.87	1.69	0.0	19.0
S12OWNKIDKN	10596	2.72	1.59	0.0	16.0
R1STEPKIDKN	11697	0.39	1.08	0.0	11.0
R2STEPKIDKN	17589	0.37	1.06	0.0	11.0
R3STEPKIDKN	16470	0.39	1.09	0.0	11.0
R4STEPKIDKN	19689	0.42	1.14	0.0	15.0
R5STEPKIDKN	18163	0.46	1.18	0.0	15.0
R6STEPKIDKN	16968	0.51	1.27	0.0	17.0
R7STEPKIDKN	18690	0.52	1.25	0.0	17.0
R8STEPKIDKN	17230	0.55	1.27	0.0	16.0
R9STEPKIDKN	16122	0.59	1.31	0.0	15.0
R10STEPKIDKN	20394	0.54	1.26	0.0	15.0
R11STEPKIDKN	19110	0.56	1.29	0.0	15.0
R12STEPKIDKN	17443	0.67	1.36	0.0	15.0
S1STEPKIDKN	9533	0.46	1.17	0.0	11.0
S2STEPKIDKN	12337	0.45	1.16	0.0	11.0
S3STEPKIDKN	11331	0.46	1.18	0.0	11.0

S4STEPKIDKN	13355	0.50	1.24	0.0	15.0
S5STEPKIDKN	12254	0.54	1.28	0.0	15.0
S6STEPKIDKN	11231	0.59	1.37	0.0	17.0
S7STEPKIDKN	12468	0.61	1.34	0.0	17.0
S8STEPKIDKN	11298	0.64	1.34	0.0	16.0
S9STEPKIDKN	10271	0.68	1.38	0.0	14.0
S10STEPKIDKN	12981	0.61	1.31	0.0	14.0
S11STEPKIDKN	12002	0.61	1.30	0.0	14.0
S12STEPKIDKN	10596	0.76	1.41	0.0	14.0
R10THKIDKN	11697	0.01	0.18	0.0	8.0
R20THKIDKN	17589	0.00	0.12	0.0	6.0
R30THKIDKN	16470	0.01	0.12	0.0	3.0
R40THKIDKN	19689	0.01	0.13	0.0	6.0
R50THKIDKN	18163	0.01	0.13	0.0	6.0
R60THKIDKN	16968	0.02	0.20	0.0	8.0
R70THKIDKN	18690	0.06	0.34	0.0	10.0
R80THKIDKN	17230	0.02	0.23	0.0	10.0
R90THKIDKN	16122	0.02	0.23	0.0	11.0
R100THKIDKN	20394	0.03	0.29	0.0	11.0
R110THKIDKN	19110	0.04	0.34	0.0	14.0
R120THKIDKN	17443	0.04	0.31	0.0	11.0
S10THKIDKN	9533	0.01	0.14	0.0	6.0
S20THKIDKN	12337	0.00	0.12	0.0	6.0
S30THKIDKN	11331	0.01	0.10	0.0	3.0
S40THKIDKN	13355	0.01	0.14	0.0	6.0
S50THKIDKN	12254	0.01	0.14	0.0	6.0
S60THKIDKN	11231	0.03	0.23	0.0	8.0
S70THKIDKN	12468	0.07	0.38	0.0	10.0
S80THKIDKN	11298	0.03	0.28	0.0	10.0
S90THKIDKN	10271	0.03	0.27	0.0	11.0
S100THKIDKN	12981	0.04	0.33	0.0	11.0
S110THKIDKN	12002	0.05	0.38	0.0	14.0
S120THKIDKN	10596	0.04	0.33	0.0	11.0

How Constructed

RwOWNKIDKN is the count of the Respondent's own kids. RwSTEPKIDKN is the count of the Respondent's step-kids. RwOTHKIDKN is the count of the Respondent's other type of kids, including kids-in-law and unknown children type.

These variables are derived from the KwREL - kids's relationship to the Respondent in the Respondent-kid file. They sum up records where there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

The spouse variables SwOWNKIDKN, SwSTEPKIDKN and SwOTHKIDKN are taken from the spouse Wave "w" RwOWNKIDKN, RwSTEPKIDKN and RwOTHKIDKN variables, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8006 KIDS:REL TO R :IMP
V8007 KIDS:REL TO H/P :IMP
AHEAD 1993:

B418	D5d. HHM REL TO FAMILY R
B421	D6. HHM REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:	
W8003	RELATIONSHIP TO R
AHEAD 1995:	
D10	HHMEM REL TO IDFM
D11	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM
HRS 1996:	
E10	HHMEM REL TO FAMILY R
E11	HHMEN REL TO NONFAM R
HRS 1998:	
F11A	HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED - CORRECTED
F12	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
HRS 2000:	
G11	HHMEM REL TO IDFM - UPDATED
G12	HHMEM REL TO IDNFM - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
HX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO SPOUSE/PARTNER OF R
HRS 2004:	
JX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
JX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
KX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
LX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
MX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
NX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX061_MC	RELATIONSHIP TO R-UPDATED
OX063_MC	RELATIONSHIP HHM TO SP - UPDATED

Age of Youngest Kid, Age of Oldest Kid

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1AGEYKID	H1AGEYKID:W1 Age of youngest child	Cont
2	H2AGEYKID	H2AGEYKID:W2 Age of youngest child	Cont
3	H3AGEYKID	H3AGEYKID:W3 Age of youngest child	Cont
4	H4AGEYKID	H4AGEYKID:W4 Age of youngest child	Cont
5	H5AGEYKID	H5AGEYKID:W5 Age of youngest child	Cont
6	H6AGEYKID	H6AGEYKID:W6 Age of youngest child	Cont
7	H7AGEYKID	H7AGEYKID:W7 Age of youngest child	Cont
8	H8AGEYKID	H8AGEYKID:W8 Age of youngest child	Cont
9	H9AGEYKID	H9AGEYKID:W9 Age of youngest child	Cont
10	H10AGEYKID	H10AGEYKID:W10 Age of youngest child	Cont
11	H11AGEYKID	H11AGEYKID:W11 Age of youngest child	Cont
12	H12AGEYKID	H12AGEYKID:W12 Age of youngest child	Cont
1	H1AGEOKID	H1AGEOKID:W1 Age of oldest child	Cont
2	H2AGEOKID	H2AGEOKID:W2 Age of oldest child	Cont
3	H3AGEOKID	H3AGEOKID:W3 Age of oldest child	Cont
4	H4AGEOKID	H4AGEOKID:W4 Age of oldest child	Cont
5	H5AGEOKID	H5AGEOKID:W5 Age of oldest child	Cont
6	H6AGEOKID	H6AGEOKID:W6 Age of oldest child	Cont
7	H7AGEOKID	H7AGEOKID:W7 Age of oldest child	Cont
8	H8AGEOKID	H8AGEOKID:W8 Age of oldest child	Cont
9	H9AGEOKID	H9AGEOKID:W9 Age of oldest child	Cont
10	H10AGEOKID	H10AGEOKID:W10 Age of oldest child	Cont
11	H11AGEOKID	H11AGEOKID:W11 Age of oldest child	Cont
12	H12AGEOKID	H12AGEOKID:W12 Age of oldest child	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1AGEYKID	11684	24.16	7.17	0.0	52.0
H2AGEYKID	17509	32.96	11.89	1.0	77.0
H3AGEYKID	16378	34.18	11.62	0.0	79.0
H4AGEYKID	19623	34.14	11.65	0.0	81.0
H5AGEYKID	18126	35.33	11.39	0.0	81.0
H6AGEYKID	16923	36.48	11.14	0.0	83.0
H7AGEYKID	18624	35.11	12.18	0.0	81.0
H8AGEYKID	17192	36.57	11.88	1.0	83.0
H9AGEYKID	16097	37.79	11.71	1.0	81.0
H10AGEYKID	20180	34.43	13.15	0.0	83.0
H11AGEYKID	18945	35.56	12.99	0.0	84.0
H12AGEYKID	17354	36.65	12.86	0.0	80.0
H1AGEOKID	11684	32.26	6.61	0.0	60.0
H2AGEOKID	17509	41.07	11.03	2.0	81.0
H3AGEOKID	16378	42.35	10.80	1.0	82.0
H4AGEOKID	19623	42.32	11.02	1.0	82.0
H5AGEOKID	18126	43.68	10.67	0.0	82.0
H6AGEOKID	16923	45.03	10.39	0.0	83.0
H7AGEOKID	18624	43.48	11.92	1.0	83.0
H8AGEOKID	17192	45.01	11.55	3.0	84.0
H9AGEOKID	16097	46.43	11.23	3.0	82.0
H10AGEOKID	20180	43.02	12.90	1.0	84.0
H11AGEOKID	18945	44.27	12.60	3.0	85.0
H12AGEOKID	17354	45.50	12.32	0.0	86.0

How Constructed

HwAGEYKID is the age of the respondent's youngest kid. HwAGEOKID is the age of the Respondent's oldest kid.

These variables are derived from the best guess kid's age (KwAGEBG) in the Respondent-kid file.

We noticed that some of the ages are over 80 years old. These ages are based on their reported birth year.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8005	KIDS:AGE	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	B422YR	HHMEM YEAR BORN	
	B447YR	D22-D23. NRCHILD YEAR BORN	
HRS 1994:	W8002	CHILD AGE	
AHEAD 1995:	D17	HHMEM W1 YR BORN	
	D18	HHMEM W1 SPIN YR BORN	
HRS 1996:	E17	HHMEM PREV WAVE R YEAR BORN	
	E18	HHMEM PREV WAVE S/P YEAR BORN	
HRS 1998:	F16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
	F17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2000:	G16	HHMEM MEM YR BORN - UPDATED	
	G17	HHMEM SP YR BORN - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:	HX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED	
HRS 2004:	JX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2006:	KX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2008:	LX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2010:	MX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2012:	NX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	
HRS 2014:	OX067_MC	YEAR BORN-UPDATED - MC	

Number of Married and Un-married Kids

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1MARKN	H1MARKN:W1 Number of married children	Cont
2	H2MARKN	H2MARKN:W2 Number of married children	Cont
3	H3MARKN	H3MARKN:W3 Number of married children	Cont
4	H4MARKN	H4MARKN:W4 Number of married children	Cont
5	H5MARKN	H5MARKN:W5 Number of married children	Cont
6	H6MARKN	H6MARKN:W6 Number of married children	Cont
7	H7MARKN	H7MARKN:W7 Number of married children	Cont
8	H8MARKN	H8MARKN:W8 Number of married children	Cont
9	H9MARKN	H9MARKN:W9 Number of married children	Cont
10	H10MARKN	H10MARKN:W10 Number of married children	Cont
11	H11MARKN	H11MARKN:W11 Number of married children	Cont
12	H12MARKN	H12MARKN:W12 Number of married children	Cont
1	H1UNMARKN	H1UNMARKN:W1 Number of un-married children	Cont
2	H2UNMARKN	H2UNMARKN:W2 Number of un-married children	Cont
3	H3UNMARKN	H3UNMARKN:W3 Number of un-married children	Cont
4	H4UNMARKN	H4UNMARKN:W4 Number of un-married children	Cont
5	H5UNMARKN	H5UNMARKN:W5 Number of un-married children	Cont
6	H6UNMARKN	H6UNMARKN:W6 Number of un-married children	Cont
7	H7UNMARKN	H7UNMARKN:W7 Number of un-married children	Cont
8	H8UNMARKN	H8UNMARKN:W8 Number of un-married children	Cont
9	H9UNMARKN	H9UNMARKN:W9 Number of un-married children	Cont
10	H10UNMARKN	H10UNMARKN:W10 Number of un-married children	Cont
11	H11UNMARKN	H11UNMARKN:W11 Number of un-married children	Cont
12	H12UNMARKN	H12UNMARKN:W12 Number of un-married children	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1MARKN	11697	1.73	1.55	0.0	12.0
H2MARKN	17589	1.98	1.61	0.0	14.0
H3MARKN	16470	2.06	1.63	0.0	13.0
H4MARKN	19689	2.04	1.67	0.0	18.0
H5MARKN	18163	2.12	1.68	0.0	17.0
H6MARKN	16968	2.22	1.72	0.0	18.0
H7MARKN	18690	2.17	1.73	0.0	17.0
H8MARKN	17230	2.24	1.71	0.0	17.0
H9MARKN	16122	2.29	1.69	0.0	17.0
H10MARKN	20394	2.01	1.69	0.0	17.0
H11MARKN	19110	2.08	1.68	0.0	17.0
H12MARKN	17443	2.13	1.67	0.0	15.0
H1UNMARKN	11697	1.50	1.36	0.0	11.0
H2UNMARKN	17589	1.27	1.33	0.0	12.0
H3UNMARKN	16470	0.83	1.17	0.0	12.0
H4UNMARKN	19689	1.40	1.43	0.0	15.0
H5UNMARKN	18163	1.39	1.42	0.0	13.0
H6UNMARKN	16968	1.34	1.38	0.0	12.0
H7UNMARKN	18690	1.32	1.33	0.0	15.0
H8UNMARKN	17230	1.26	1.31	0.0	10.0
H9UNMARKN	16122	1.27	1.33	0.0	12.0
H10UNMARKN	20394	1.44	1.40	0.0	13.0
H11UNMARKN	19110	1.41	1.38	0.0	14.0
H12UNMARKN	17443	1.36	1.37	0.0	15.0

How Constructed

HwMARKN is a count of the Respondent's and spouse's married kids. HwUNMARKN is a count of the Respondent's and spouse's unmarried kids.

These variables were derived from the marital status variable (KwMSTAT) in the Respondent-kid file. They sum up records where there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwMARKN is the sum of the kids reported where KwMSTAT is 1=Married or 2=Partnered. HwUNMARKN is the sum of the kids reported where KwMSTAT is 0=Not Married or 3=Other.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
V8011	KIDS:MARRIED?	:IMP
AHEAD 1993:		
B417	D5c. HHM SEX	
HRS 1994:		
W8012	E7. MARITAL STATUS	
AHEAD 1995:		
D12	HHMEM MAR STAT (CHILD)	
HRS 1996:		
E12	HHMEM MAR STAT	
HRS 1998:		
F13	HHMEM MARITAL (CHILD)	
HRS 2000:		
G13	HHMEM MARITAL (CHILD) - UPDATED	
HRS 2002:		
HX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2004:		
JX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2006:		
KX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2008:		
LX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2010:		
MX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2012:		
NX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	
HRS 2014:		
OX065_MC	COUPLENESS STATUS HHM - UPDATED	

Number of Resident Kids

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1RESDKN	H1RESDKN:W1 Number of co-resident children	Cont
2	H2RESDKN	H2RESDKN:W2 Number of co-resident children	Cont
3	H3RESDKN	H3RESDKN:W3 Number of co-resident children	Cont
4	H4RESDKN	H4RESDKN:W4 Number of co-resident children	Cont
5	H5RESDKN	H5RESDKN:W5 Number of co-resident children	Cont
6	H6RESDKN	H6RESDKN:W6 Number of co-resident children	Cont
7	H7RESDKN	H7RESDKN:W7 Number of co-resident children	Cont
8	H8RESDKN	H8RESDKN:W8 Number of co-resident children	Cont
9	H9RESDKN	H9RESDKN:W9 Number of co-resident children	Cont
10	H10RESDKN	H10RESDKN:W10 Number of co-resident children	Cont
11	H11RESDKN	H11RESDKN:W11 Number of co-resident children	Cont
12	H12RESDKN	H12RESDKN:W12 Number of co-resident children	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1RESDKN	11697	0.73	0.99	0.0	8.0
H2RESDKN	17589	0.34	0.65	0.0	7.0
H3RESDKN	16470	0.40	0.75	0.0	8.0
H4RESDKN	19689	0.40	0.76	0.0	7.0
H5RESDKN	18163	0.34	0.70	0.0	7.0
H6RESDKN	16968	0.30	0.63	0.0	6.0
H7RESDKN	18690	0.39	0.76	0.0	9.0
H8RESDKN	17230	0.35	0.69	0.0	8.0
H9RESDKN	16122	0.32	0.65	0.0	7.0
H10RESDKN	20394	0.49	0.83	0.0	7.0
H11RESDKN	19110	0.45	0.79	0.0	8.0
H12RESDKN	17443	0.42	0.75	0.0	6.0

How Constructed

HwRESDKN is the number of kids who reside with the Respondent and spouse.

This variable is derived from the kid's resident status variable (KwRESKD) in the Respondent-kid file. It is a count of all records where KwRESKD is 1=Resident or 2=Resident, away, and there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8001	KIDS:AT HOME OR AWAY?
AHEAD 1993:	
B443	D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
B445	D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE
HRS 1994:	
W8016	E11. WHERE LIVING
AHEAD 1995:	
D13	HHMEM SP STATUS

D6	HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:	
E13	HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6	UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F14	HHMEM SP STATUS
F7	HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G14	HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7	HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:	
JX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:	
NX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:	
OX056_MC	RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

Number of Deceased Kids

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	H2DIEDKN	H2DIEDKN:W2 Number of deceased children	Cont
3	H3DIEDKN	H3DIEDKN:W3 Number of deceased children	Cont
4	H4DIEDKN	H4DIEDKN:W4 Number of deceased children	Cont
5	H5DIEDKN	H5DIEDKN:W5 Number of deceased children	Cont
6	H6DIEDKN	H6DIEDKN:W6 Number of deceased children	Cont
7	H7DIEDKN	H7DIEDKN:W7 Number of deceased children	Cont
8	H8DIEDKN	H8DIEDKN:W8 Number of deceased children	Cont
9	H9DIEDKN	H9DIEDKN:W9 Number of deceased children	Cont
10	H10DIEDKN	H10DIEDKN:W10 Number of deceased children	Cont
11	H11DIEDKN	H11DIEDKN:W11 Number of deceased children	Cont
12	H12DIEDKN	H12DIEDKN:W12 Number of deceased children	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H2DIEDKN	17589	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
H3DIEDKN	16470	0.01	0.12	0.0	2.0
H4DIEDKN	19689	0.01	0.12	0.0	2.0
H5DIEDKN	18163	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
H6DIEDKN	16968	0.05	0.23	0.0	4.0
H7DIEDKN	18690	0.06	0.25	0.0	4.0
H8DIEDKN	17230	0.07	0.27	0.0	4.0
H9DIEDKN	16122	0.08	0.31	0.0	5.0
H10DIEDKN	20394	0.07	0.30	0.0	5.0
H11DIEDKN	19110	0.09	0.34	0.0	8.0
H12DIEDKN	17443	0.10	0.36	0.0	7.0

How Constructed

HwDIEDKN is a count of the Respondent's and spouse's deceased kids.

This variable is derived from the kid's status variable (KwSTAT) in the Respondent-kid file. It is the sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwSTAT is 4=Died, and there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Wave 1.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:

B443 D20d. NRCHILD REL TO FAMILY R
 B445 D21. NRCHILD REL TO SPOUSE

HRS 1994:

W8004 CHILD PROBLEM CODE

AHEAD 1995:
D13 HHMEM SP STATUS
D6 HHMEM STATUS W2
HRS 1996:
E13 HHMEM S/P STATUS
E6 UPDATED HHMEM STATUS
HRS 1998:
F14 HHMEM SP STATUS
F7 HHMEM STATUS
HRS 2000:
G14 HHMEM SP STATUS - UPDATED
G7 HHMEM STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:
HX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS
HRS 2004:
JX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2006:
KX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2008:
LX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2010:
MX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2012:
NX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED
HRS 2014:
OX056_MC RESIDENCY STATUS-UPDATED

Average Years of Kid Education; Number of Kids in School

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1EDUCKMN	H1EDUCKMN:W1 Average years, children education	Cont
2	H2EDUCKMN	H2EDUCKMN:W2 Average years, children education	Cont
3	H3EDUCKMN	H3EDUCKMN:W3 Average years, children education	Cont
4	H4EDUCKMN	H4EDUCKMN:W4 Average years, children education	Cont
5	H5EDUCKMN	H5EDUCKMN:W5 Average years, children education	Cont
6	H6EDUCKMN	H6EDUCKMN:W6 Average years, children education	Cont
7	H7EDUCKMN	H7EDUCKMN:W7 Average years, children education	Cont
8	H8EDUCKMN	H8EDUCKMN:W8 Average years, children education	Cont
9	H9EDUCKMN	H9EDUCKMN:W9 Average years, children education	Cont
10	H10EDUCKMN	H10EDUCKMN:W10 Average years, children education	Cont
11	H11EDUCKMN	H11EDUCKMN:W11 Average years, children education	Cont
12	H12EDUCKMN	H12EDUCKMN:W12 Average years, children education	Cont
1	H1SCHLKN	H1SCHLKN:W1 Number of children in school	Cont
2	H2SCHLKN	H2SCHLKN:W2 Number of children in school	Cont
4	H4SCHLKN	H4SCHLKN:W4 Number of children in school	Cont
5	H5SCHLKN	H5SCHLKN:W5 Number of children in school	Cont
6	H6SCHLKN	H6SCHLKN:W6 Number of children in school	Cont
7	H7SCHLKN	H7SCHLKN:W7 Number of children in school	Cont
8	H8SCHLKN	H8SCHLKN:W8 Number of children in school	Cont
9	H9SCHLKN	H9SCHLKN:W9 Number of children in school	Cont
10	H10SCHLKN	H10SCHLKN:W10 Number of children in school	Cont
11	H11SCHLKN	H11SCHLKN:W11 Number of children in school	Cont
12	H12SCHLKN	H12SCHLKN:W12 Number of children in school	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1EDUCKMN	11422	13.16	1.82	2.3	17.0
H2EDUCKMN	17235	13.42	2.04	0.0	17.0
H3EDUCKMN	1185	12.80	2.21	0.0	17.0
H4EDUCKMN	8988	13.50	2.01	0.0	17.0
H5EDUCKMN	17606	13.67	1.95	0.0	17.0
H6EDUCKMN	5284	13.82	2.16	0.0	17.0
H7EDUCKMN	7045	13.60	2.08	0.0	17.0
H8EDUCKMN	5631	13.81	2.04	0.0	17.0
H9EDUCKMN	4696	13.89	2.08	0.0	17.0
H10EDUCKMN	7175	13.54	1.99	0.0	17.0
H11EDUCKMN	3826	14.15	1.95	0.0	17.0
H12EDUCKMN	2966	14.25	1.91	0.0	17.0
H1SCHLKN	11344	0.41	0.69	0.0	5.0
H2SCHLKN	10189	0.34	0.62	0.0	5.0
H4SCHLKN	9091	0.31	0.59	0.0	4.0
H5SCHLKN	17734	0.19	0.49	0.0	6.0
H6SCHLKN	16554	0.17	0.45	0.0	4.0
H7SCHLKN	18071	0.24	0.55	0.0	5.0
H8SCHLKN	16786	0.21	0.50	0.0	7.0
H9SCHLKN	15736	0.20	0.49	0.0	4.0
H10SCHLKN	19962	0.28	0.61	0.0	8.0
H11SCHLKN	18793	0.25	0.58	0.0	6.0
H12SCHLKN	17148	0.22	0.55	0.0	9.0

How Constructed

HwEDUCKMN indicates the kid's average years of completed education. It is the average of KwEDUC (years of completed education) when there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwSCHLKN indicates the number of kids in school. It is the sum of KwSCHL (Is child in school?) when there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Wave 3 and in Wave 10 forward, the question about whether or not the Respondent's kids were in school was not asked.

In Waves 4, 6 and 8, the years of education question and the question about whether or not a kid was in school were skipped for the re-interviewed households.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8008	KIDS:IN SCHOOL? :IMP
V8009	KIDS:HIGHEST GRADE C:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
EDUCP	EDUC CHILD/OTHR HHM
HRS 1994:	
W8009	E3. IN SCHOOL
W8010	E5. HIGHEST GRADE
AHEAD 1995:	
D1402	D2.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPER
D1414	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 1996:	
E1372	D1A.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPER
E1384	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 1998:	
F1791	D1AA.IF IN SCHOOL
F1792	D1A.EDUC IF LESS THAN 30 OR NEW
F1805	D7B.EDUC ANY NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2000:	
G2007	D1AA.IF IN SCHOOL
G2008	D1A.EDUC IF LESS THAN 30 OR NEW
HRS 2002:	
HE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
HE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2004:	
JE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
JE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2006:	
KE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
KE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2008:	
LE028	CHILD/HHM IN SCHOOL
LE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2010:	
ME029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2012:	

NE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON
HRS 2014:	
OE029	EDUC IF <30 YEARS OLD OR NEW GRIDPERSON

Number of Kids in Contact

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	H3CONTKN	H3CONTKN:W3 Number of children in contact	Cont
4	H4CONTKN	H4CONTKN:W4 Number of children in contact	Cont
5	H5CONTKN	H5CONTKN:W5 Number of children in contact	Cont
6	H6CONTKN	H6CONTKN:W6 Number of children in contact	Cont
7	H7CONTKN	H7CONTKN:W7 Number of children in contact	Cont
8	H8CONTKN	H8CONTKN:W8 Number of children in contact	Cont
9	H9CONTKN	H9CONTKN:W9 Number of children in contact	Cont
10	H10CONTKN	H10CONTKN:W10 Number of children in contact	Cont
11	H11CONTKN	H11CONTKN:W11 Number of children in contact	Cont
12	H12CONTKN	H12CONTKN:W12 Number of children in contact	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H3CONTKN	16387	2.04	2.20	0.0	20.0
H4CONTKN	5234	2.62	1.85	0.0	18.0
H5CONTKN	18049	3.18	1.95	0.0	20.0
H6CONTKN	16957	3.19	1.97	0.0	20.0
H7CONTKN	18592	3.08	1.94	0.0	21.0
H8CONTKN	1025	1.36	1.11	0.0	7.0
H9CONTKN	16041	3.15	1.88	0.0	19.0
H10CONTKN	5980	2.32	1.65	0.0	13.0
H11CONTKN	18941	2.93	1.83	0.0	18.0
H12CONTKN	1127	1.21	1.03	0.0	6.0

How Constructed

HwCONTKN is the number of kids who have been in contact with the Respondent or spouse in the past 12 months. The form of contact may be in person, by phone or by mail.

This variable is derived from the kid's frequency of contact (KwCONTYR) variable in the Respondent-kid file. HwCONTKN is the sum of kids reported by the Respondent where KwCONTYR is greater than 0 and there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

The questions were skipped for resident children.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were skipped for re-interviewed households in Wave 4 and in "alternate" waves (i.e. even-numbered waves) beginning with Wave 8 and going forward. The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave."

In Wave 8, there are many missing values due to a skip pattern error.

The questions are not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E1375	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
E1376	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 1998:	
F1795	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
F1796	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 2000:	
G2011	D4.FREQUENCY OF CONTACT
G2012	D4A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER
HRS 2002:	
HE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
HE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2004:	
JE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
JE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2006:	
KE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
KE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2008:	
LE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
LE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2010:	
ME032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
ME033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2012:	
NE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
NE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER
HRS 2014:	
OE032	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-# TIMES
OE033	FREQ OF CONTACT WITH CHILD-PER

Number of Kids Working Full-time or Part-time
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1WORKFTKN	H1WORKFTKN:W1 Number of children working full-time	Cont
2	H2WORKFTKN	H2WORKFTKN:W2 Number of children working full-time	Cont
3	H3WORKFTKN	H3WORKFTKN:W3 Number of children working full-time	Cont
4	H4WORKFTKN	H4WORKFTKN:W4 Number of children working full-time	Cont
5	H5WORKFTKN	H5WORKFTKN:W5 Number of children working full-time	Cont
6	H6WORKFTKN	H6WORKFTKN:W6 Number of children working full-time	Cont
7	H7WORKFTKN	H7WORKFTKN:W7 Number of children working full-time	Cont
8	H8WORKFTKN	H8WORKFTKN:W8 Number of children working full-time	Cont
9	H9WORKFTKN	H9WORKFTKN:W9 Number of children working full-time	Cont
10	H10WORKFTKN	H10WORKFTKN:W10 Number of children working full-time	Cont
11	H11WORKFTKN	H11WORKFTKN:W11 Number of children working full-time	Cont
12	H12WORKFTKN	H12WORKFTKN:W12 Number of children working full-time	Cont
1	H1WORKPTKN	H1WORKPTKN:W1 Number of children working part-time	Cont
2	H2WORKPTKN	H2WORKPTKN:W2 Number of children working part-time	Cont
3	H3WORKPTKN	H3WORKPTKN:W3 Number of children working part-time	Cont
4	H4WORKPTKN	H4WORKPTKN:W4 Number of children working part-time	Cont
5	H5WORKPTKN	H5WORKPTKN:W5 Number of children working part-time	Cont
6	H6WORKPTKN	H6WORKPTKN:W6 Number of children working part-time	Cont
7	H7WORKPTKN	H7WORKPTKN:W7 Number of children working part-time	Cont
8	H8WORKPTKN	H8WORKPTKN:W8 Number of children working part-time	Cont
9	H9WORKPTKN	H9WORKPTKN:W9 Number of children working part-time	Cont
10	H10WORKPTKN	H10WORKPTKN:W10 Number of children working part-time	Cont
11	H11WORKPTKN	H11WORKPTKN:W11 Number of children working part-time	Cont
12	H12WORKPTKN	H12WORKPTKN:W12 Number of children working part-time	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1WORKFTKN	11697	2.30	1.66	0.0	14.0
H2WORKFTKN	17548	2.25	1.63	0.0	16.0
H3WORKFTKN	16387	2.27	1.63	0.0	15.0
H4WORKFTKN	19475	2.34	1.69	0.0	18.0
H5WORKFTKN	18049	2.40	1.71	0.0	18.0
H6WORKFTKN	16957	2.37	1.72	0.0	16.0
H7WORKFTKN	18592	2.24	1.69	0.0	15.0
H8WORKFTKN	17135	2.31	1.68	0.0	16.0
H9WORKFTKN	16041	2.27	1.64	0.0	16.0
H10WORKFTKN	20105	1.93	1.56	0.0	15.0
H11WORKFTKN	18941	1.95	1.52	0.0	15.0
H12WORKFTKN	17275	2.04	1.54	0.0	13.0
H1WORKPTKN	11697	0.32	0.60	0.0	8.0
H2WORKPTKN	17548	0.30	0.59	0.0	8.0
H3WORKPTKN	16387	0.30	0.60	0.0	5.0
H4WORKPTKN	19475	0.28	0.57	0.0	7.0
H5WORKPTKN	18049	0.26	0.55	0.0	5.0
H6WORKPTKN	16957	0.25	0.53	0.0	8.0
H7WORKPTKN	18592	0.27	0.56	0.0	9.0
H8WORKPTKN	17135	0.28	0.57	0.0	8.0
H9WORKPTKN	16041	0.28	0.57	0.0	8.0
H10WORKPTKN	20104	0.31	0.59	0.0	5.0
H11WORKPTKN	18941	0.31	0.60	0.0	6.0
H12WORKPTKN	17275	0.29	0.59	0.0	8.0

How Constructed

HwWORKFTKN is the number of kids who work full-time, and HwWORKPTKN is the number of kids who work part-time.

These variables are derived from kid's working status (KwWORK) variable in the Respondent-kid file. HwWORKFTKN is the sum of kids reported by the Respondent where KwWORK is 2=Working full time. HwWORKPTKN is the sum of kids where KwWORK is 1=Working part time. The variables are summed if there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8010	KIDS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
WORKP	WORK STATUS CHILD/OTHR HHM
HRS 1994:	
W8011	E6. WORK STATUS
AHEAD 1995:	
D1404	D4.WORK CHILD ONLY
D1416	D8.HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 1996:	
E1374	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
E1386	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 1998:	
F1794	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
F1806	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 2000:	
G2010	D3.WORK CHILD ONLY
G2022	D8. HHMEM SP WORK.
HRS 2002:	
HE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2004:	
JE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2006:	
KE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2008:	
LE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2010:	
ME031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2012:	
NE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS
HRS 2014:	
OE031	CHILD WORKING- # HOURS

Number of Kids Living Within 10 miles
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1LV10MIKN	H1LV10MIKN:W1 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
2	H2LV10MIKN	H2LV10MIKN:W2 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
3	H3LV10MIKN	H3LV10MIKN:W3 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
4	H4LV10MIKN	H4LV10MIKN:W4 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
5	H5LV10MIKN	H5LV10MIKN:W5 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
6	H6LV10MIKN	H6LV10MIKN:W6 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
7	H7LV10MIKN	H7LV10MIKN:W7 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
8	H8LV10MIKN	H8LV10MIKN:W8 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
9	H9LV10MIKN	H9LV10MIKN:W9 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
10	H10LV10MIKN	H10LV10MIKN:W10 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
11	H11LV10MIKN	H11LV10MIKN:W11 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
12	H12LV10MIKN	H12LV10MIKN:W12 Number of children living within 10 miles	Cont
3	H3LVNEAR	H3LVNEAR:W3 How near is closest child	Categ
4	H4LVNEAR	H4LVNEAR:W4 How near is closest child	Categ
5	H5LVNEAR	H5LVNEAR:W5 How near is closest child	Categ
6	H6LVNEAR	H6LVNEAR:W6 How near is closest child	Categ
7	H7LVNEAR	H7LVNEAR:W7 How near is closest child	Categ
8	H8LVNEAR	H8LVNEAR:W8 How near is closest child	Categ
9	H9LVNEAR	H9LVNEAR:W9 How near is closest child	Categ
10	H10LVNEAR	H10LVNEAR:W10 How near is closest child	Categ
11	H11LVNEAR	H11LVNEAR:W11 How near is closest child	Categ
12	H12LVNEAR	H12LVNEAR:W12 How near is closest child	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1LV10MIKN	10592	1.23	1.39	0.0	16.0
H2LV10MIKN	16604	1.52	1.53	0.0	14.0
H3LV10MIKN	15726	1.15	1.31	0.0	14.0
H4LV10MIKN	18564	1.05	1.23	0.0	14.0
H5LV10MIKN	15006	1.04	1.25	0.0	13.0
H6LV10MIKN	16230	1.03	1.24	0.0	11.0
H7LV10MIKN	17322	1.01	1.23	0.0	14.0
H8LV10MIKN	16283	0.95	1.16	0.0	9.0
H9LV10MIKN	15331	0.95	1.18	0.0	12.0
H10LV10MIKN	18315	0.92	1.13	0.0	12.0
H11LV10MIKN	17555	0.91	1.14	0.0	15.0
H12LV10MIKN	16186	0.91	1.13	0.0	11.0
H3LVNEAR	16296	4.57	2.67	1.0	8.0
H4LVNEAR	19469	4.62	2.69	1.0	8.0
H5LVNEAR	16207	4.61	2.71	1.0	8.0
H6LVNEAR	16774	4.87	2.63	1.0	8.0
H7LVNEAR	18480	4.64	2.71	1.0	8.0
H8LVNEAR	16941	4.76	2.70	1.0	8.0
H9LVNEAR	15919	4.86	2.68	1.0	8.0
H10LVNEAR	20000	4.40	2.82	1.0	8.0
H11LVNEAR	18794	4.51	2.82	1.0	8.0
H12LVNEAR	17138	4.55	2.82	1.0	8.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H3LVNEAR	H4LVNEAR	H5LVNEAR	H6LVNEAR	H7LVNEAR
.C=No contact		16	56	28	53
.D=DK if within 10 mi	26	23	13	13	22
.E=Known skip error			8		
.F=No FamR	40	113	67	3	52
.H=Not kid/HHmem		3	2	13	
.K=No kids	1524	1697	1419	1200	1440
.M=Missing	85	42	1782	85	31
.R=Refuse if within 10 mi	4	4	9	9	4
.S=Deceased Kid	16	17	16	40	47
1.Co-Resident	5001	5935	5022	4393	5655
5.Within 10mi	6936	8077	6619	7265	7494
8.More than 10 mi, not clos	4359	5457	4566	5116	5331

Value	H8LVNEAR	H9LVNEAR	H10LVNEAR	H11LVNEAR	H12LVNEAR
.C=No contact	53	51	50	45	52
.D=DK if within 10 mi	17	22	33	31	17
.F=No FamR	58	46	140	100	97
.K=No kids	1239	1095	1640	1445	1306
.M=Missing	120	30	106	85	94
.R=Refuse if within 10 mi	2	2	11	6	5
.S=Deceased Kid	39	52	54	48	39
1.Co-Resident	4884	4329	7251	6505	5806
5.Within 10mi	6921	6544	7106	6691	6173
8.More than 10 mi, not clos	5136	5046	5643	5598	5159

How Constructed

HwLIV10KN is the number of kids who live within 10 miles of the Respondent or spouse. From Wave 3 forward, HwLVNEAR categorizes the resident status between the nearest kid and the Respondent or spouse.

These variables are derived from the variables in the Respondent-kid file KwLIV10 (living within 10 miles) and KwLVNEAR (living closest). The non-missing records are summed if there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Waves 1 and 2, whether a kid lives within 10 miles was asked about each kid in the data. Even if a family has a kid with a missing value for KwLIV10, HwLIV10KN is a count of non-missing kids within 10 miles and may have a value of zero or greater. Whether a kid lives closest was not asked in these waves, so HwLVNEAR is not constructed.

From Wave 3 forward, the Respondent is asked which kids live within 10 miles. Therefore a missing response (DK,RF) applies to all children and the count HwLIV10KN is assigned the applicable missing code. Because Respondent is asked which kid lives closest in these waves, HwLVNEAR is available.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1998:

F1728	CS # OF NON-RESIDENT KIDS
F1764	D01.CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
F1765M1	D01A.WHICH CHILD
F1765M2	D01A.WHICH CHILD
F1765M3	D01A.WHICH CHILD

F1766 D01B.NON-RES CHILD LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2000:
G1934 D049Y13.CS # NR KIDS
G1980 D01.CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
G1981M1 D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1981M2 D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1981M3 D01A.WHICH CHILDREN
G1982 D01B.LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2002:
HA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
HE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
HE014 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2004:
JA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
JE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
JE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
JE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
JE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
JE014 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST
HRS 2006:
KA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
KE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
KE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
KE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
KE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
KE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-1
HRS 2008:
LA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
LE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
LE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
LE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
LE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
LE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST-1
HRS 2010:
MA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
ME012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
ME013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
ME013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
ME013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
ME014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -1
HRS 2012:
NA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
NE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
NE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
NE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
NE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
NE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -1
HRS 2014:
OA100 COUNT OF NONRESIDENT KIDS
OE012 CHILDREN LIVE WITHIN 10 MILES
OE013M1 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 1
OE013M2 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 2
OE013M3 WHICH KID LIVE W/IN 10 MILES- 3
OE014M1 WHICH CHILD LIVES NEAREST -1

Number of Kids Own Home

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1OWNHMKN	H1OWNHMKN:W1 Number of children own home	Cont
2	H2OWNHMKN	H2OWNHMKN:W2 Number of children own home	Cont
3	H3OWNHMKN	H3OWNHMKN:W3 Number of children own home	Cont
4	H4OWNHMKN	H4OWNHMKN:W4 Number of children own home	Cont
5	H5OWNHMKN	H5OWNHMKN:W5 Number of children own home	Cont
6	H6OWNHMKN	H6OWNHMKN:W6 Number of children own home	Cont
7	H7OWNHMKN	H7OWNHMKN:W7 Number of children own home	Cont
8	H8OWNHMKN	H8OWNHMKN:W8 Number of children own home	Cont
9	H9OWNHMKN	H9OWNHMKN:W9 Number of children own home	Cont
10	H10OWNHMKN	H10OWNHMKN:W10 Number of children own home	Cont
11	H11OWNHMKN	H11OWNHMKN:W11 Number of children own home	Cont
12	H12OWNHMKN	H12OWNHMKN:W12 Number of children own home	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1OWNHMKN	10556	1.38	1.36	0.0	9.0
H2OWNHMKN	16478	1.78	1.50	0.0	10.0
H3OWNHMKN	9614	1.68	1.47	0.0	12.0
H4OWNHMKN	19394	1.73	1.71	0.0	14.0
H5OWNHMKN	17936	1.84	1.72	0.0	13.0
H6OWNHMKN	16845	2.01	1.72	0.0	19.0
H7OWNHMKN	18466	1.86	1.72	0.0	17.0
H8OWNHMKN	1212	1.40	1.81	0.0	12.0
H9OWNHMKN	15938	1.96	1.69	0.0	18.0
H10OWNHMKN	5771	0.61	1.12	0.0	11.0
H11OWNHMKN	18794	1.52	1.59	0.0	18.0
H12OWNHMKN	643	1.08	1.64	0.0	11.0

How Constructed

HwOWNHMKN indicates the number of kids who own a home.

This variable is derived from KwOWNHM in the Respondent-kid file. HwOWNHMKN is the sum of kids reported by the Respondent where KwOWNHM is 1=Yes and there is a good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Wave 3A.

In Waves 1, 2 and 3H, the question was asked in PR_MC module and the KwOWNHM variable is coded based on "0=Not own home" and "1=Own home" answers.

From wave 4 and forward, the question was asked in household level file: D_H or E_H. These variables are derived based on OPN reported from household level file. If the response is "All Children," all the kids in the household are coded

as yes.

Beginning in Wave 8, the question was not asked of re-interviewed households in alternate waves (i.e. even-numbered waves). The missing values are indicated as ".Y=Alternate wave."

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8018	KIDS:OWN HOME? :IMP
AHEAD 1993:	
B454	D28. NRCHILD OWN HOME?
HRS 1994:	
W8015	E10. OWN A HOME?
HRS 1996:	
E1393	D11. OWN HOME
HRS 1998:	
F1767	D02.CHILDREN OWN HOME
F1768M1	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
F1768M2	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
F1768M3	D02A.WHICH CHILD OWN HOME
HRS 2000:	
G1983	D02.CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M1	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M2	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
G1984M3	D02A.WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME
HRS 2002:	
HE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
HE016M01	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
HE016M02	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
HE016M03	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
HE016M04	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
HE016M05	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2004:	
JE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
JE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
JE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
JE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
JE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
JE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2006:	
KE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
KE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
KE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
KE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
KE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
KE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2008:	
LE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
LE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 1
LE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 2
LE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 3
LE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 4
LE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME- 5
HRS 2010:	
ME015	CHILDREN OWN HOME
ME016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -1
ME016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME -2

ME016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-3
ME016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-4
ME016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-5
HRS 2012:		
NE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME	
NE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-1
NE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-2
NE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-3
NE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-4
NE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-5
HRS 2014:		
OE015	CHILDREN OWN HOME	
OE016M1	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-1
OE016M2	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-2
OE016M3	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-3
OE016M4	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-4
OE016M5	WHICH CHILDREN OWN HOME	-5

Section 6B: Kid Transfer to Respondent

Number of Kids Who Help with ADLs
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPADLKN	R3HLPADLKN:W3 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
4	R4HLPADLKN	R4HLPADLKN:W4 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
5	R5HLPADLKN	R5HLPADLKN:W5 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
6	R6HLPADLKN	R6HLPADLKN:W6 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
7	R7HLPADLKN	R7HLPADLKN:W7 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
8	R8HLPADLKN	R8HLPADLKN:W8 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
9	R9HLPADLKN	R9HLPADLKN:W9 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
10	R10HLPADLKN	R10HLPADLKN:W10 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
11	R11HLPADLKN	R11HLPADLKN:W11 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
12	R12HLPADLKN	R12HLPADLKN:W12 Number of children help w/ADLs	Cont
3	S3HLPADLKN	S3HLPADLKN:W3 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPADLKN	S4HLPADLKN:W4 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPADLKN	S5HLPADLKN:W5 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPADLKN	S6HLPADLKN:W6 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPADLKN	S7HLPADLKN:W7 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPADLKN	S8HLPADLKN:W8 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPADLKN	S9HLPADLKN:W9 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPADLKN	S10HLPADLKN:W10 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPADLKN	S11HLPADLKN:W11 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPADLKN	S12HLPADLKN:W12 Number of children help w/ADLs/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLPADLKF	R3HLPADLKF:W3 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
4	R4HLPADLKF	R4HLPADLKF:W4 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
5	R5HLPADLKF	R5HLPADLKF:W5 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
6	R6HLPADLKF	R6HLPADLKF:W6 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
7	R7HLPADLKF	R7HLPADLKF:W7 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
8	R8HLPADLKF	R8HLPADLKF:W8 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
9	R9HLPADLKF	R9HLPADLKF:W9 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
10	R10HLPADLKF	R10HLPADLKF:W10 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
11	R11HLPADLKF	R11HLPADLKF:W11 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
12	R12HLPADLKF	R12HLPADLKF:W12 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag	Categ
3	S3HLPADLKF	S3HLPADLKF:W3 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLPADLKF	S4HLPADLKF:W4 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLPADLKF	S5HLPADLKF:W5 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLPADLKF	S6HLPADLKF:W6 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLPADLKF	S7HLPADLKF:W7 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLPADLKF	S8HLPADLKF:W8 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLPADLKF	S9HLPADLKF:W9 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLPADLKF	S10HLPADLKF:W10 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLPADLKF	S11HLPADLKF:W11 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLPADLKF	S12HLPADLKF:W12 Number of children help w/ADLs-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPADLKN	16504	0.05	0.25	0.0	5.0
R4HLPADLKN	19675	0.04	0.27	0.0	7.0
R5HLPADLKN	18148	0.04	0.24	0.0	7.0
R6HLPADLKN	16962	0.04	0.27	0.0	6.0
R7HLPADLKN	18683	0.04	0.27	0.0	6.0
R8HLPADLKN	17224	0.04	0.27	0.0	6.0
R9HLPADLKN	16121	0.04	0.28	0.0	6.0
R10HLPADLKN	20389	0.06	0.31	0.0	5.0
R11HLPADLKN	19104	0.06	0.31	0.0	5.0
R12HLPADLKN	17440	0.07	0.34	0.0	6.0

S3HLPADLKN	11331	0.02	0.19	0.0	5.0
S4HLPADLKN	13350	0.02	0.21	0.0	6.0
S5HLPADLKN	12248	0.02	0.16	0.0	5.0
S6HLPADLKN	11229	0.02	0.18	0.0	5.0
S7HLPADLKN	12467	0.02	0.19	0.0	5.0
S8HLPADLKN	11296	0.02	0.20	0.0	5.0
S9HLPADLKN	10271	0.02	0.18	0.0	5.0
S10HLPADLKN	12981	0.03	0.22	0.0	4.0
S11HLPADLKN	12000	0.03	0.24	0.0	5.0
S12HLPADLKN	10593	0.03	0.25	0.0	6.0
R3HLPADLKF	16504	0.56	2.17	0.0	13.0
R4HLPADLKF	19675	0.57	2.18	0.0	10.0
R5HLPADLKF	18148	0.60	2.24	0.0	10.0
R6HLPADLKF	16962	0.64	2.31	0.0	10.0
R7HLPADLKF	18683	0.62	2.28	0.0	10.0
R8HLPADLKF	17224	0.58	2.19	0.0	10.0
R9HLPADLKF	16121	0.68	2.39	0.0	10.0
R10HLPADLKF	20389	0.70	2.37	0.0	10.0
R11HLPADLKF	19104	0.71	2.40	0.0	10.0
R12HLPADLKF	17440	0.75	2.45	0.0	10.0
S3HLPADLKF	11331	0.37	1.80	0.0	13.0
S4HLPADLKF	13350	0.49	2.10	0.0	10.0
S5HLPADLKF	12248	0.51	2.14	0.0	10.0
S6HLPADLKF	11229	0.54	2.20	0.0	10.0
S7HLPADLKF	12467	0.51	2.13	0.0	10.0
S8HLPADLKF	11296	0.52	2.15	0.0	10.0
S9HLPADLKF	10271	0.57	2.26	0.0	10.0
S10HLPADLKF	12981	0.63	2.35	0.0	10.0
S11HLPADLKF	12000	0.60	2.28	0.0	10.0
S12HLPADLKF	10593	0.65	2.37	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLPADLKF	R4HLPADLKF	R5HLPADLKF	R6HLPADLKF	R7HLPADLKF
.D=DK who helps	1		4		2
.K=No kids	1485	1709	1426	1203	1443
.R=RF who helps	1		1		1
0=No kids helping	15297	18164	16701	15472	17099
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	381	564	522	566	596
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	240	3	3	3	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	565	944	922	921	988
13=1+ OPN given plus	21				

Value	R8HLPADLKF	R9HLPADLKF	R10HLPADLKF	R11HLPADLKF	R12HLPADLKF
.D=DK who helps	1	2	2		2
.K=No kids	1242	1094	1642	1448	1306
.R=RF who helps	2		1	2	
0=No kids helping	15816	14659	18389	17195	15580
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	574	513	821	779	782
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1	8	20	36	34
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	833	941	1159	1094	1044

Value	S3HLPADLKF	S4HLPADLKF	S5HLPADLKF	S6HLPADLKF	S7HLPADLKF
.D=DK who helps			1		
.K=No kids	583	628	480	410	504
.R=RF who helps	1		1		1
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	10810	12564	11524	10510	11708
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	141	184	143	159	175
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	70		1		
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	306	602	580	560	584
13=1+ OPN given plus		4			

Value	S8HLPADLKF	S9HLPADLKF	S10HLPADLKF	S11HLPADLKF	S12HLPADLKF
.D=DK who helps		1			2
.K=No kids	439	374	532	488	436
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	10585	9601	11993	11108	9740
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	173	121	241	242	233
9=Kid indicated, missing OP		3	6	13	8
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	538	546	741	637	612

How Constructed

RwHLPADLKN is the number of children who help with the Respondent's ADLs (dressing, walking, bathing, eating, getting in/out of bed, and toileting).

This variable is derived from the KwHLPADL variable in the respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPADL=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLPADLKF is the flag that summarizes the kid's availability to the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLPADLKN and SwHLPADLKF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLPADLKN and RwHLPADLKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D1961	E83.WHO HELP-11
D1967	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
D1975	E84.WHO HELP-2
D1976	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
D1984	E85.WHO HELP-3
D1985	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
D1988	E86.WHO HELP-4
D1989	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
D1992	E87.WHO HELP-5
D1993	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
D1996	E88.WHO HELP-6
D1997	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
D2000	E89.WHO HELP-7
D2001	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 1996:

E1976	E83.WHO HELP-11
E1982	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
E1990	E84.WHO HELP-2
E1991	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
E1999	E85.WHO HELP-3
E2000	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
E2003	E86.WHO HELP-4
E2004	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
E2007	E87.WHO HELP-5
E2008	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
E2011	E88.WHO HELP-6
E2012	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
E2015	E89.WHO HELP-7
E2016	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 1998:

F2502	E83.WHO HELP-11
F2508	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
F2516	E84.WHO HELP-2
F2517	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
F2525	E85.WHO HELP-3
F2526	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3
F2529	E86.WHO HELP-4
F2530	E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
F2533	E87.WHO HELP-5
F2534	E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
F2537	E88.WHO HELP-6
F2538	E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
F2541	E89.WHO HELP-7
F2542	E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 2000:

G2800	E83.WHO HELP-11
G2806	E83A.TYPE HELPER-1
G2814	E84.WHO HELP-2
G2815	E84A.TYPE HELPER-2
G2823	E85.WHO HELP-3
G2824	E85A.TYPE HELPER-3

G2827 E86.WHO HELP-4
G2828 E86A.TYPE HELPER-4
G2831 E87.WHO HELP-5
G2832 E87A.TYPE HELPER-5
G2835 E88.WHO HELP-6
G2836 E88A.TYPE HELPER-6
G2839 E89.WHO HELP-7
G2840 E89A.TYPE HELPER-7

HRS 2002:
HG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
HG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
HG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
HG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
HG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
HG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
HG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2004:
JG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
JG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
JG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
JG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
JG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
JG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
JG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
JG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2006:
KG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
KG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
KG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
KG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
KG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
KG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
KG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
KG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2008:
LG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
LG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
LG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
LG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
LG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
LG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
LG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
LG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2010:
MG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
MG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
MG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
MG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
MG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
MG033_2 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
MG033_3 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 3
MG033_4 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 4

HRS 2012:
NG032_1 WHO HELPS MOST- ADL- 1
NG032_2 WHO HELPS- ADL- 2
NG032_3 WHO HELPS- ADL- 3
NG032_4 WHO HELPS- ADL- 4
NG033_1 ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1

NG033_2	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	2
NG033_3	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	3
NG033_4	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	4
HRS 2014:		
OG032_1	WHO HELPS MOST- ADL-	1
OG032_2	WHO HELPS- ADL-	2
OG032_3	WHO HELPS- ADL-	3
OG032_4	WHO HELPS- ADL-	4
OG033_1	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	1
OG033_2	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	2
OG033_3	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	3
OG033_4	ADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-	4

Number of Kids Who Help with IADLs

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLP IADLKN	R3HLP IADLKN:W3 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
4	R4HLP IADLKN	R4HLP IADLKN:W4 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
5	R5HLP IADLKN	R5HLP IADLKN:W5 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
6	R6HLP IADLKN	R6HLP IADLKN:W6 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
7	R7HLP IADLKN	R7HLP IADLKN:W7 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
8	R8HLP IADLKN	R8HLP IADLKN:W8 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
9	R9HLP IADLKN	R9HLP IADLKN:W9 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
10	R10HLP IADLKN	R10HLP IADLKN:W10 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
11	R11HLP IADLKN	R11HLP IADLKN:W11 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
12	R12HLP IADLKN	R12HLP IADLKN:W12 Number of children help w/IADLs	Cont
3	S3HLP IADLKN	S3HLP IADLKN:W3 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLP IADLKN	S4HLP IADLKN:W4 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLP IADLKN	S5HLP IADLKN:W5 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLP IADLKN	S6HLP IADLKN:W6 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLP IADLKN	S7HLP IADLKN:W7 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLP IADLKN	S8HLP IADLKN:W8 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLP IADLKN	S9HLP IADLKN:W9 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLP IADLKN	S10HLP IADLKN:W10 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLP IADLKN	S11HLP IADLKN:W11 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLP IADLKN	S12HLP IADLKN:W12 Number of children help w/IADLs/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLP IADLKF	R3HLP IADLKF:W3 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
4	R4HLP IADLKF	R4HLP IADLKF:W4 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
5	R5HLP IADLKF	R5HLP IADLKF:W5 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
6	R6HLP IADLKF	R6HLP IADLKF:W6 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
7	R7HLP IADLKF	R7HLP IADLKF:W7 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
8	R8HLP IADLKF	R8HLP IADLKF:W8 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
9	R9HLP IADLKF	R9HLP IADLKF:W9 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
10	R10HLP IADLKF	R10HLP IADLKF:W10 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
11	R11HLP IADLKF	R11HLP IADLKF:W11 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
12	R12HLP IADLKF	R12HLP IADLKF:W12 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag	Categ
3	S3HLP IADLKF	S3HLP IADLKF:W3 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLP IADLKF	S4HLP IADLKF:W4 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLP IADLKF	S5HLP IADLKF:W5 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLP IADLKF	S6HLP IADLKF:W6 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLP IADLKF	S7HLP IADLKF:W7 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLP IADLKF	S8HLP IADLKF:W8 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLP IADLKF	S9HLP IADLKF:W9 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLP IADLKF	S10HLP IADLKF:W10 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLP IADLKF	S11HLP IADLKF:W11 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLP IADLKF	S12HLP IADLKF:W12 Number of children help w/IADLs-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLP IADLKN	16505	0.06	0.30	0.0	5.0
R4HLP IADLKN	19671	0.06	0.31	0.0	5.0
R5HLP IADLKN	18140	0.06	0.31	0.0	6.0
R6HLP IADLKN	16958	0.07	0.33	0.0	6.0
R7HLP IADLKN	18682	0.06	0.31	0.0	4.0
R8HLP IADLKN	17220	0.07	0.32	0.0	6.0
R9HLP IADLKN	16118	0.07	0.34	0.0	6.0
R10HLP IADLKN	20384	0.08	0.36	0.0	5.0
R11HLP IADLKN	19101	0.08	0.36	0.0	5.0
R12HLP IADLKN	17436	0.09	0.37	0.0	5.0

S3HLP IADLKN	11326	0.03	0.22	0.0	5.0
S4HLP IADLKN	13348	0.03	0.22	0.0	5.0
S5HLP IADLKN	12245	0.03	0.20	0.0	5.0
S6HLP IADLKN	11227	0.03	0.20	0.0	4.0
S7HLP IADLKN	12466	0.03	0.21	0.0	4.0
S8HLP IADLKN	11294	0.03	0.21	0.0	5.0
S9HLP IADLKN	10269	0.03	0.19	0.0	5.0
S10HLP IADLKN	12978	0.04	0.25	0.0	5.0
S11HLP IADLKN	11998	0.04	0.25	0.0	5.0
S12HLP IADLKN	10595	0.04	0.27	0.0	4.0
R3HLP IADLKF	16505	0.68	2.34	0.0	13.0
R4HLP IADLKF	19671	0.64	2.22	0.0	10.0
R5HLP IADLKF	18140	0.63	2.22	0.0	10.0
R6HLP IADLKF	16958	0.69	2.32	0.0	10.0
R7HLP IADLKF	18682	0.69	2.32	0.0	10.0
R8HLP IADLKF	17220	0.65	2.22	0.0	10.0
R9HLP IADLKF	16118	0.70	2.32	0.0	10.0
R10HLP IADLKF	20384	0.71	2.31	0.0	10.0
R11HLP IADLKF	19101	0.73	2.36	0.0	10.0
R12HLP IADLKF	17436	0.76	2.37	0.0	10.0
S3HLP IADLKF	11326	0.42	1.89	0.0	13.0
S4HLP IADLKF	13348	0.58	2.23	0.0	10.0
S5HLP IADLKF	12245	0.58	2.25	0.0	10.0
S6HLP IADLKF	11227	0.63	2.35	0.0	10.0
S7HLP IADLKF	12466	0.64	2.35	0.0	10.0
S8HLP IADLKF	11294	0.61	2.30	0.0	10.0
S9HLP IADLKF	10269	0.66	2.39	0.0	10.0
S10HLP IADLKF	12978	0.67	2.38	0.0	10.0
S11HLP IADLKF	11998	0.70	2.43	0.0	10.0
S12HLP IADLKF	10595	0.72	2.46	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLPIADLKF	R4HLPIADLKF	R5HLPIADLKF	R6HLPIADLKF	R7HLPIADLKF
.D=DK who helps	3	3	6	3	2
.K=No kids	1480	1708	1427	1204	1442
.R=RF who helps	3	2	6		3
0=No kids helping	14914	17724	16417	15174	16734
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	643	985	830	868	940
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	202	2	4	8	6
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	725	960	889	908	1002
13=1+ OPN given plus		21			

Value	R8HLPIADLKF	R9HLPIADLKF	R10HLPIADLK F	R11HLPIADLK F	R12HLPIADLK F
.D=DK who helps	3	3	2	3	2
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1644	1449	1310
.R=RF who helps	3	1	4	1	
0=No kids helping	15460	14397	18107	16929	15333
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	924	849	1195	1098	1119
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	2	3	13	13	21
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	834	869	1069	1061	963

Value	S3HLPIADLKF	S4HLPIADLKF	S5HLPIADLKF	S6HLPIADLKF	S7HLPIADLKF
.D=DK who helps	1	2	2	2	
.K=No kids	586	628	480	410	504
.R=RF who helps	2		3		2
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	10708	12355	11365	10362	11490
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	208	312	242	217	262
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	35			4	3
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	370	681	638	644	711
13=1+ OPN given plus		5			

Value	S8HLPIADLKF	S9HLPIADLKF	S10HLPIADLK F	S11HLPIADLK F	S12HLPIADLK F
.D=DK who helps		1	1	1	
.K=No kids	439	375	532	489	436
.R=RF who helps	2	1	2		
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	10423	9446	11851	10929	9606
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	253	214	363	330	324
9=Kid indicated, missing OP			4	3	4
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	618	609	760	736	661

How Constructed

RwHLPIADLKN is the number of kids who help with the Respondent's IADLs (meal preparation, grocery shopping, making phone calls, and taking medication).

This variable is derived from the KwHLPIADL variable in the respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPIADL=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLPIADLKF is the flag that summarizes the kid's availability to the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLPIADLKN and SwHLPIADLKF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLPIADLKN and RwHLPIADLKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2041	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
D2042	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
D2050	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
D2051	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
D2055	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
D2056	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
D2061	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
D2062	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
D2067	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
D2068	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
D2073	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
D2074	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 1996:

E2056	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
E2057	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
E2065	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
E2066	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
E2070	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
E2071	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
E2076	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
E2077	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
E2082	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
E2083	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
E2088	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
E2089	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 1998:

F2582	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP, 1
F2583	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
F2591	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP, 2
F2592	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
F2596	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP, 3
F2597	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
F2602	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP, 4
F2603	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
F2608	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP, 5
F2609	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
F2614	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP, 6
F2615	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 2000:

G2880	E99.IADLS-WHO HELP-1
G2881	E99A.TYPE IADL HELPER-1
G2889	E100.IADLS-WHO HELP-2
G2890	E100A.TYPE IADL HELPER-2
G2894	E101.IADLS-WHO HELP-3
G2895	E101A.TYPE IADL HELPER-3
G2900	E102.IADLS-WHO HELP-4
G2901	E102A.TYPE IADL HELPER-4
G2906	E103.IADLS-WHO HELP-5
G2907	E103A.TYPE IADL HELPER-5
G2912	E104.IADLS-WHO HELP-6
G2913	E104A.TYPE IADL HELPER-6

HRS 2002:
HG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
HG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
HG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
HG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
HG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
HG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
HG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
HG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2004:
JG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
JG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
JG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
JG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
JG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
JG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
JG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
JG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2006:
KG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
KG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
KG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
KG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
KG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
KG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
KG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
KG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2008:
LG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS MOST-1
LG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
LG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
LG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
LG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
LG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
LG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
LG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2010:
MG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
MG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
MG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
MG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
MG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
MG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
MG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
MG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2012:
NG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
NG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
NG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
NG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4
NG055_1 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
NG055_2 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
NG055_3 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
NG055_4 IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

HRS 2014:
OG054_1 IADLS- WHO HELPS -1
OG054_2 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 2
OG054_3 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 3
OG054_4 IADLS- WHO HELPS- 4

OG055_1	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-1
OG055_2	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-2
OG055_3	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-3
OG055_4	IADL HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R-4

Number of Kids Help with Finances
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPFINKN	R3HLPFINKN:W3 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
4	R4HLPFINKN	R4HLPFINKN:W4 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
5	R5HLPFINKN	R5HLPFINKN:W5 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
6	R6HLPFINKN	R6HLPFINKN:W6 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
7	R7HLPFINKN	R7HLPFINKN:W7 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
8	R8HLPFINKN	R8HLPFINKN:W8 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
9	R9HLPFINKN	R9HLPFINKN:W9 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
10	R10HLPFINKN	R10HLPFINKN:W10 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
11	R11HLPFINKN	R11HLPFINKN:W11 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
12	R12HLPFINKN	R12HLPFINKN:W12 Number of children help w/finances	Cont
3	S3HLPFINKN	S3HLPFINKN:W3 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPFINKN	S4HLPFINKN:W4 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPFINKN	S5HLPFINKN:W5 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPFINKN	S6HLPFINKN:W6 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPFINKN	S7HLPFINKN:W7 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPFINKN	S8HLPFINKN:W8 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPFINKN	S9HLPFINKN:W9 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPFINKN	S10HLPFINKN:W10 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPFINKN	S11HLPFINKN:W11 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPFINKN	S12HLPFINKN:W12 Number of children help w/finances/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLPFINKF	R3HLPFINKF:W3 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
4	R4HLPFINKF	R4HLPFINKF:W4 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
5	R5HLPFINKF	R5HLPFINKF:W5 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
6	R6HLPFINKF	R6HLPFINKF:W6 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
7	R7HLPFINKF	R7HLPFINKF:W7 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
8	R8HLPFINKF	R8HLPFINKF:W8 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
9	R9HLPFINKF	R9HLPFINKF:W9 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
10	R10HLPFINKF	R10HLPFINKF:W10 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
11	R11HLPFINKF	R11HLPFINKF:W11 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
12	R12HLPFINKF	R12HLPFINKF:W12 Number of children help w/finances-flag	Categ
3	S3HLPFINKF	S3HLPFINKF:W3 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLPFINKF	S4HLPFINKF:W4 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLPFINKF	S5HLPFINKF:W5 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLPFINKF	S6HLPFINKF:W6 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLPFINKF	S7HLPFINKF:W7 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLPFINKF	S8HLPFINKF:W8 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLPFINKF	S9HLPFINKF:W9 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLPFINKF	S10HLPFINKF:W10 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLPFINKF	S11HLPFINKF:W11 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLPFINKF	S12HLPFINKF:W12 Number of children help w/finances-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPFINKN	16491	0.03	0.19	0.0	2.0
R4HLPFINKN	19671	0.04	0.20	0.0	2.0
R5HLPFINKN	18146	0.04	0.20	0.0	2.0
R6HLPFINKN	16955	0.04	0.21	0.0	2.0
R7HLPFINKN	18679	0.03	0.19	0.0	2.0
R8HLPFINKN	17222	0.04	0.22	0.0	2.0
R9HLPFINKN	16120	0.04	0.22	0.0	2.0
R10HLPFINKN	20379	0.04	0.22	0.0	2.0
R11HLPFINKN	19092	0.04	0.22	0.0	2.0
R12HLPFINKN	17431	0.05	0.25	0.0	2.0

S3HLPFINKN	11328	0.01	0.10	0.0	2.0
S4HLPFINKN	13350	0.01	0.11	0.0	2.0
S5HLPFINKN	12247	0.01	0.10	0.0	2.0
S6HLPFINKN	11225	0.01	0.11	0.0	2.0
S7HLPFINKN	12464	0.01	0.10	0.0	2.0
S8HLPFINKN	11293	0.01	0.11	0.0	2.0
S9HLPFINKN	10269	0.01	0.10	0.0	2.0
S10HLPFINKN	12977	0.01	0.11	0.0	2.0
S11HLPFINKN	11996	0.01	0.11	0.0	2.0
S12HLPFINKN	10593	0.02	0.14	0.0	2.0
R3HLPFINKF	16491	0.30	1.53	0.0	10.0
R4HLPFINKF	19671	0.31	1.52	0.0	10.0
R5HLPFINKF	18146	0.34	1.60	0.0	10.0
R6HLPFINKF	16955	0.36	1.64	0.0	10.0
R7HLPFINKF	18679	0.34	1.63	0.0	10.0
R8HLPFINKF	17222	0.32	1.51	0.0	10.0
R9HLPFINKF	16120	0.37	1.65	0.0	10.0
R10HLPFINKF	20379	0.39	1.74	0.0	10.0
R11HLPFINKF	19092	0.39	1.71	0.0	10.0
R12HLPFINKF	17431	0.39	1.68	0.0	10.0
S3HLPFINKF	11328	0.15	1.15	0.0	10.0
S4HLPFINKF	13350	0.27	1.56	0.0	10.0
S5HLPFINKF	12247	0.28	1.60	0.0	10.0
S6HLPFINKF	11225	0.30	1.66	0.0	10.0
S7HLPFINKF	12464	0.30	1.66	0.0	10.0
S8HLPFINKF	11293	0.28	1.58	0.0	10.0
S9HLPFINKF	10269	0.31	1.68	0.0	10.0
S10HLPFINKF	12977	0.37	1.82	0.0	10.0
S11HLPFINKF	11996	0.35	1.79	0.0	10.0
S12HLPFINKF	10593	0.36	1.78	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLPFINKF	R4HLPFINKF	R5HLPFINKF	R6HLPFINKF	R7HLPFINKF
.D=DK who helps	1		3	2	1
.K=No kids	1498	1711	1428	1205	1443
.R=RF who helps	1	2	2	3	6
0=No kids helping	15704	18624	17096	15883	17626
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	408	633	618	654	590
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	78	1		2	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	301	413	432	416	463

Value	R8HLPFINKF	R9HLPFINKF	R10HLPFINKF	R11HLPFINKF	R12HLPFINKF
.D=DK who helps	1	1	4	7	6
.K=No kids	1243	1094	1645	1452	1309
.R=RF who helps	3	2	6	3	2
0=No kids helping	16205	15087	19065	17855	16220
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	664	631	734	715	757
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1	4	4	2	7
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	352	398	576	520	447

Value	S3HLPFINKF	S4HLPFINKF	S5HLPFINKF	S6HLPFINKF	S7HLPFINKF
.D=DK who helps	1		2	1	
.K=No kids	585	628	480	410	504
.R=RF who helps	1		1	3	4
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	11090	12907	11829	10815	12028
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	90	118	102	101	90
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	13				
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	135	325	316	309	346

Value	S8HLPFINKF	S9HLPFINKF	S10HLPFINKF	S11HLPFINKF	S12HLPFINKF
.D=DK who helps	1		2	2	2
.K=No kids	439	375	532	490	436
.R=RF who helps	2	2	2		
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	10914	9897	12410	11485	10105
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	97	79	131	123	151
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1				1
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	281	293	436	388	336

How Constructed

RwHLPFINKN is the number of kids who help the Respondent manage money.

This variable is derived from the KwHLPFIN variable in the respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPFIN=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLPADLKF is the flag that summarizes the kids's availability to the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLPFINKN and SwHLPFINKF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLPFINKN and RwHLPFINKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:	
D2102	E106C.IADL MONEY WHO HELP,1
D2107	E107. MONEY HELP-1
D2121	E108. MONEY HELPER-2
HRS 1996:	
E2096	E106C.IADL MONEY WHO HELP,1
E2101	E107. MONEY HELP-1
E2109	E108. MONEY HELPER-2
HRS 1998:	
F2621	E107. MONEY HELP-1
F2625	E108. MONEY HELPER-2
HRS 2000:	
G2919	E107. MONEY HELP-1
G2920	E107A.TYPE MONEY HELPER-1
G2923	E108. MONEY HELPER-2
G2924	E108A.TYPE MONEY HELPER-2
HRS 2002:	
HG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
HG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
HG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
HG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
HG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HRS 2004:	
JG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
JG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
JG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
JG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
JG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HRS 2006:	
KG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
KG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
KG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
KG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
KG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HRS 2008:	
LG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
LG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
LG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
LG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
LG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HRS 2010:	
MG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
MG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
MG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
MG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
MG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2
HRS 2012:	
NG059	IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
NG062_1	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
NG062_2	WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
NG063_1	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
NG063_2	MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

HRS 2014:
OG059 IADL MANAGING MONEY DIFFICULTY
OG062_1 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-1
OG062_2 WHO HELPS MANAGE MONEY-2
OG063_1 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 1
OG063_2 MONEY HELPER RELATIONSHIP TO R- 2

Number of Kids Who Will Help in the Future

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPFUTKN	R3HLPFUTKN:W3 Number of children help in the future	Cont
4	R4HLPFUTKN	R4HLPFUTKN:W4 Number of children help in the future	Cont
5	R5HLPFUTKN	R5HLPFUTKN:W5 Number of children help in the future	Cont
6	R6HLPFUTKN	R6HLPFUTKN:W6 Number of children help in the future	Cont
7	R7HLPFUTKN	R7HLPFUTKN:W7 Number of children help in the future	Cont
8	R8HLPFUTKN	R8HLPFUTKN:W8 Number of children help in the future	Cont
9	R9HLPFUTKN	R9HLPFUTKN:W9 Number of children help in the future	Cont
10	R10HLPFUTKN	R10HLPFUTKN:W10 Number of children help in the future	Cont
11	R11HLPFUTKN	R11HLPFUTKN:W11 Number of children help in the future	Cont
12	R12HLPFUTKN	R12HLPFUTKN:W12 Number of children help in the future	Cont
3	S3HLPFUTKN	S3HLPFUTKN:W3 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPFUTKN	S4HLPFUTKN:W4 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPFUTKN	S5HLPFUTKN:W5 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPFUTKN	S6HLPFUTKN:W6 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPFUTKN	S7HLPFUTKN:W7 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPFUTKN	S8HLPFUTKN:W8 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPFUTKN	S9HLPFUTKN:W9 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPFUTKN	S10HLPFUTKN:W10 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPFUTKN	S11HLPFUTKN:W11 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPFUTKN	S12HLPFUTKN:W12 Number of children help in the future/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLPFUTKF	R3HLPFUTKF:W3 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
4	R4HLPFUTKF	R4HLPFUTKF:W4 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
5	R5HLPFUTKF	R5HLPFUTKF:W5 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
6	R6HLPFUTKF	R6HLPFUTKF:W6 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
7	R7HLPFUTKF	R7HLPFUTKF:W7 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
8	R8HLPFUTKF	R8HLPFUTKF:W8 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
9	R9HLPFUTKF	R9HLPFUTKF:W9 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
10	R10HLPFUTKF	R10HLPFUTKF:W10 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
11	R11HLPFUTKF	R11HLPFUTKF:W11 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
12	R12HLPFUTKF	R12HLPFUTKF:W12 Number of children help in the future-flag	Categ
3	S3HLPFUTKF	S3HLPFUTKF:W3 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLPFUTKF	S4HLPFUTKF:W4 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLPFUTKF	S5HLPFUTKF:W5 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLPFUTKF	S6HLPFUTKF:W6 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLPFUTKF	S7HLPFUTKF:W7 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLPFUTKF	S8HLPFUTKF:W8 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLPFUTKF	S9HLPFUTKF:W9 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLPFUTKF	S10HLPFUTKF:W10 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLPFUTKF	S11HLPFUTKF:W11 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLPFUTKF	S12HLPFUTKF:W12 Number of children help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
3	R3HLPFUTGN	R3HLPFUTGN:W3 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
4	R4HLPFUTGN	R4HLPFUTGN:W4 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
5	R5HLPFUTGN	R5HLPFUTGN:W5 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
6	R6HLPFUTGN	R6HLPFUTGN:W6 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
7	R7HLPFUTGN	R7HLPFUTGN:W7 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
8	R8HLPFUTGN	R8HLPFUTGN:W8 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
9	R9HLPFUTGN	R9HLPFUTGN:W9 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
10	R10HLPFUTGN	R10HLPFUTGN:W10 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
11	R11HLPFUTGN	R11HLPFUTGN:W11 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
12	R12HLPFUTGN	R12HLPFUTGN:W12 Number of grandkid help in the future	Cont
3	S3HLPFUTGN	S3HLPFUTGN:W3 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPFUTGN	S4HLPFUTGN:W4 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPFUTGN	S5HLPFUTGN:W5 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPFUTGN	S6HLPFUTGN:W6 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont
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11	S11HLPFUTGN	S11HLPFUTGN:W11 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPFUTGN	S12HLPFUTGN:W12 Number of grandkid help in the future/Sp	Cont

3	R3HLPFUTGF	R3HLPFUTGF:W3	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
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6	R6HLPFUTGF	R6HLPFUTGF:W6	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
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8	R8HLPFUTGF	R8HLPFUTGF:W8	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
9	R9HLPFUTGF	R9HLPFUTGF:W9	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
10	R10HLPFUTGF	R10HLPFUTGF:W10	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
11	R11HLPFUTGF	R11HLPFUTGF:W11	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
12	R12HLPFUTGF	R12HLPFUTGF:W12	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag	Categ
3	S3HLPFUTGF	S3HLPFUTGF:W3	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLPFUTGF	S4HLPFUTGF:W4	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLPFUTGF	S5HLPFUTGF:W5	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLPFUTGF	S6HLPFUTGF:W6	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLPFUTGF	S7HLPFUTGF:W7	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLPFUTGF	S8HLPFUTGF:W8	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLPFUTGF	S9HLPFUTGF:W9	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLPFUTGF	S10HLPFUTGF:W10	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLPFUTGF	S11HLPFUTGF:W11	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLPFUTGF	S12HLPFUTGF:W12	Number of grandkid help in the future-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPFUTKN	16622	0.94	1.44	0.0	15.0
R4HLPFUTKN	19738	1.18	1.65	0.0	20.0
R5HLPFUTKN	18116	1.16	1.62	0.0	20.0
R6HLPFUTKN	16340	0.91	1.56	0.0	19.0
R7HLPFUTKN	18033	0.95	1.55	0.0	14.0
R8HLPFUTKN	16599	0.93	1.52	0.0	19.0
R9HLPFUTKN	15583	0.90	1.46	0.0	19.0
R10HLPFUTKN	19904	0.81	1.36	0.0	13.0
R11HLPFUTKN	18646	0.85	1.37	0.0	13.0
R12HLPFUTKN	17034	0.90	1.37	0.0	13.0
S3HLPFUTKN	11264	1.03	1.52	0.0	15.0
S4HLPFUTKN	13188	1.25	1.71	0.0	20.0
S5HLPFUTKN	12037	1.22	1.66	0.0	20.0
S6HLPFUTKN	10790	0.95	1.61	0.0	19.0
S7HLPFUTKN	12027	0.97	1.56	0.0	12.0
S8HLPFUTKN	10864	0.95	1.55	0.0	19.0
S9HLPFUTKN	9937	0.92	1.48	0.0	19.0
S10HLPFUTKN	12687	0.82	1.38	0.0	13.0
S11HLPFUTKN	11712	0.87	1.38	0.0	13.0
S12HLPFUTKN	10363	0.93	1.40	0.0	13.0
R3HLPFUTKF	15168	3.08	3.36	0.0	10.0
R4HLPFUTKF	18090	3.41	3.31	0.0	10.0
R5HLPFUTKF	16612	3.36	3.28	0.0	10.0
R6HLPFUTKF	13850	2.10	2.33	0.0	10.0
R7HLPFUTKF	15391	1.98	2.26	0.0	10.0
R8HLPFUTKF	14287	1.96	2.26	0.0	10.0
R9HLPFUTKF	13166	1.99	2.25	0.0	10.0
R10HLPFUTKF	16477	1.78	2.15	0.0	10.0
R11HLPFUTKF	15458	1.82	2.12	0.0	10.0
R12HLPFUTKF	13935	1.93	2.12	0.0	10.0
S3HLPFUTKF	10816	3.00	3.30	0.0	10.0

S4HLPFUTKF	12671	3.28	3.27	0.0	10.0
S5HLPFUTKF	11607	3.26	3.26	0.0	10.0
S6HLPFUTKF	9522	2.09	2.35	0.0	10.0
S7HLPFUTKF	10663	1.95	2.27	0.0	10.0
S8HLPFUTKF	9676	1.93	2.28	0.0	10.0
S9HLPFUTKF	8762	1.94	2.27	0.0	10.0
S10HLPFUTKF	10931	1.72	2.16	0.0	10.0
S11HLPFUTKF	10152	1.75	2.13	0.0	10.0
S12HLPFUTKF	8872	1.87	2.14	0.0	10.0
R3HLPFUTGN	16665	0.02	0.25	0.0	8.0
R4HLPFUTGN	19779	0.04	0.37	0.0	19.0
R5HLPFUTGN	18142	0.03	0.31	0.0	14.0
R6HLPFUTGN	16338	0.06	0.45	0.0	18.0
R7HLPFUTGN	18032	0.04	0.37	0.0	12.0
R8HLPFUTGN	16599	0.05	0.38	0.0	12.0
R9HLPFUTGN	15581	0.04	0.32	0.0	9.0
R10HLPFUTGN	19903	0.05	0.37	0.0	13.0
R11HLPFUTGN	18645	0.05	0.34	0.0	11.0
R12HLPFUTGN	17033	0.07	0.42	0.0	12.0
S3HLPFUTGN	11296	0.02	0.22	0.0	7.0
S4HLPFUTGN	13223	0.04	0.38	0.0	19.0
S5HLPFUTGN	12052	0.03	0.29	0.0	14.0
S6HLPFUTGN	10789	0.04	0.39	0.0	18.0
S7HLPFUTGN	12026	0.03	0.36	0.0	12.0
S8HLPFUTGN	10864	0.04	0.31	0.0	10.0
S9HLPFUTGN	9936	0.03	0.28	0.0	8.0
S10HLPFUTGN	12688	0.03	0.33	0.0	13.0
S11HLPFUTGN	11711	0.04	0.30	0.0	7.0
S12HLPFUTGN	10362	0.06	0.38	0.0	11.0
R3HLPFUTGF	15211	0.04	0.41	0.0	10.0
R4HLPFUTGF	18131	0.09	0.64	0.0	10.0
R5HLPFUTGF	16638	0.08	0.59	0.0	10.0
R6HLPFUTGF	13848	0.14	0.81	0.0	10.0
R7HLPFUTGF	15390	0.10	0.65	0.0	10.0
R8HLPFUTGF	14287	0.12	0.70	0.0	10.0
R9HLPFUTGF	13164	0.11	0.68	0.0	10.0
R10HLPFUTGF	16476	0.12	0.69	0.0	10.0
R11HLPFUTGF	15457	0.13	0.71	0.0	10.0
R12HLPFUTGF	13934	0.19	0.86	0.0	10.0
S3HLPFUTGF	10848	0.04	0.40	0.0	10.0
S4HLPFUTGF	12706	0.07	0.57	0.0	10.0
S5HLPFUTGF	11622	0.06	0.54	0.0	10.0
S6HLPFUTGF	9521	0.10	0.68	0.0	10.0
S7HLPFUTGF	10662	0.08	0.57	0.0	10.0
S8HLPFUTGF	9676	0.09	0.58	0.0	10.0
S9HLPFUTGF	8761	0.08	0.59	0.0	10.0
S10HLPFUTGF	10932	0.08	0.58	0.0	10.0
S11HLPFUTGF	10151	0.11	0.62	0.0	10.0
S12HLPFUTGF	8871	0.15	0.78	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLPFUTKF	R4HLPFUTKF	R5HLPFUTKF	R6HLPFUTKF	R7HLPFUTKF
.D=DK who helps	358	535	555	609	642
.K=No kids	1003	1099	895	1202	1442
.R=RF who helps	8	12	13	14	12
.S=Skipped	1454	1648	1504	2490	2642
0=No kids helping	6714	6933	6371	6794	7805
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	3919	4748	4589	4496	5086
6=All kids, equal measure no	1968	3408	2964	2497	2446
8=Only deceased kid indicat		8	6	7	4
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	2538	2966	2662	25	32
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	29	27	20	31	18

Value	R8HLPFUTKF	R9HLPFUTKF	R10HLPFUTKF	R11HLPFUTKF	R12HLPFUTKF
.D=DK who helps	623	532	470	435	380
.K=No kids	1243	1093	1643	1451	1309
.R=RF who helps	4	9	17	22	25
.S=Skipped	2312	2417	3427	3188	3099
0=No kids helping	7329	6639	8882	8071	6806
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	4634	4389	5486	5467	5381
6=All kids, equal measure no	2282	2098	2053	1874	1686
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	22	20	37	36	45
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	20	20	19	10	17

Value	S3HLPFUTKF	S4HLPFUTKF	S5HLPFUTKF	S6HLPFUTKF	S7HLPFUTKF
.D=DK who helps	235	360	390	430	434
.K=No kids	412	422	298	409	503
.R=RF who helps	4	8	5	10	8
.S=Skipped	448	517	430	1268	1364
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	4879	5088	4638	4762	5536
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	2701	3176	3078	2949	3379
6=All kids, equal measure no	1599	2535	2155	1768	1706
8=Only deceased kid indicat		5	6	2	4
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1619	1847	1716	19	26
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	18	20	14	22	12

Value	S8HLPFUTKF	S9HLPFUTKF	S10HLPFUTKF	S11HLPFUTKF	S12HLPFUTKF
.D=DK who helps	430	329	283	278	223
.K=No kids	439	374	532	489	435
.R=RF who helps	2	6	11	9	10
.S=Skipped	1188	1175	1756	1560	1491
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	5097	4574	6118	5518	4513
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	2970	2749	3409	3362	3236
6=All kids, equal measure no	1581	1412	1366	1244	1084
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	17	11	27	20	30
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	11	16	11	8	9

Value	R3HLPFUTGF	R4HLPFUTGF	R5HLPFUTGF	R6HLPFUTGF	R7HLPFUTGF
.D=DK who helps	358	535	555	609	642
.K=No kids	960	1058	869	1204	1443
.R=RF who helps	8	12	13	14	12
.S=Skipped	1454	1648	1504	2490	2642
0=No kids helping	15037	17681	16291	13343	14956
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	143	347	271	365	349
6=All kids, equal measure no	27	90	63	123	77
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1	6	2	4	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	3	7	11	13	8

Value	R8HLPFUTGF	R9HLPFUTGF	R10HLPFUTGF	R11HLPFUTGF	R12HLPFUTGF
.D=DK who helps	623	532	470	435	380
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1644	1452	1310
.R=RF who helps	4	9	17	22	25
.S=Skipped	2312	2417	3427	3188	3099
0=No kids helping	13828	12778	15921	14844	13169
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	364	305	469	543	662
6=All kids, equal measure no	88	71	74	59	83
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1	5	6	7	13
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	6	5	6	4	7

Value	S3HLPFUTGF	S4HLPFUTGF	S5HLPFUTGF	S6HLPFUTGF	S7HLPFUTGF
.D=DK who helps	235	360	390	430	434
.K=No kids	380	387	283	410	504
.R=RF who helps	4	8	5	10	8
.S=Skipped	448	517	430	1268	1364
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	10736	12466	11429	9269	10443
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	92	180	148	184	170
6=All kids, equal measure no	17	53	37	62	45
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1	4	2	1	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	2	3	6	5	4

Value	S8HLPFUTGF	S9HLPFUTGF	S10HLPFUTGF	S11HLPFUTGF	S12HLPFUTGF
.D=DK who helps	430	329	283	278	223
.K=No kids	439	375	531	490	436
.R=RF who helps	2	6	11	9	10
.S=Skipped	1188	1175	1756	1560	1491
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	9444	8568	10673	9830	8487
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	190	146	217	289	323
6=All kids, equal measure no	40	44	37	28	51
9=Kid indicated, missing OP		2	2	2	6
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	2	1	3	2	4

How Constructed

RwHLPFUTKN is the number of children who will help the Respondent in the future. RwHLPFUTGN is the number of grandchildren who will help the Respondent in the future.

These variables are derived from the KwHLPFUT and KwHLPFUTG variables in the respondent-kid file. They sum the number of kids and grandkids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPFUT=1 or KwHLPFUTG=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLPFUTKF and RwHLPFUTGF are the flags that summarize the child data, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLPFUTKN, SwHLPFUTKF, SwHLPFUTGN and SwHLPFUTGF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwhLPFUTKN, RwhLPFUTKF, RwhLPFUTGN and RwhLPFUTGF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2172	E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
D2174M1	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
D2174M2	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
D2174M3	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 1996:

E2175	E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
E2177M1	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
E2177M2	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
E2177M3	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 1998:

F2684	E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
F2685M1	E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
F2685M2	E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
F2686M1	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2686M2	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2686M3	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
F2687M1	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
F2687M2	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
F2687M3	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD

HRS 2000:

G3002	E174.REL HEALTH CARE FUT
G3003M1	E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3003M2	E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3003M3	E174A.REL HEALTH CARE
G3004M1	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3004M2	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3004M3	E174B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3005M1	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
G3005M2	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD
G3005M3	E174C.WHICH GRANDCHILD

HRS 2002:

HG097	RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
HG098M1	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
HG098M2	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
HG098M3	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
HG099M1	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
HG099M2	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
HG099M3	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
HG100M1	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
HG100M2	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
HG100M3	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2004:

JG097	RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
JG098M1	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
JG098M2	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
JG098M3	HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3

JG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
JG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
JG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
JG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
JG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
JG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2006:
KG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
KG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
KG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
KG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
KG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
KG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
KG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
KG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
KG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
KG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2008:
LG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
LG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
LG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
LG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
LG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 1
LG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 2
LG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD- 3
LG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
LG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
LG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2010:
MG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
MG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
MG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
MG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
MG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
MG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
MG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
MG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
MG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
MG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2012:
NG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
NG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
NG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
NG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
NG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
NG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
NG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
NG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1
NG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
NG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

HRS 2014:
OG097 RELATIVES/FRIENDS HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS
OG098M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 1
OG098M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 2
OG098M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- RELATIONSHIP- 3
OG099M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -1
OG099M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -2
OG099M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH CHILD -3
OG100M1 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-1

OG100M2 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-2
OG100M3 HELP W/ FUTURE NEEDS- WHICH GRANDCHILD-3

Number of Kids Help with Chores & Errands
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPCHRKN	R3HLPCHRKN:W3 Number of children help w/chores & errands	Cont
4	R4HLPCHRKN	R4HLPCHRKN:W4 Number of children help w/chores & errands	Cont
5	R5HLPCHRKN	R5HLPCHRKN:W5 Number of children help w/chores & errands	Cont
6	R6HLPCHRKN	R6HLPCHRKN:W6 Number of children help w/chores & errands	Cont
3	S3HLPCHRKN	S3HLPCHRKN:W3 Number of children help w/chores & errands/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPCHRKN	S4HLPCHRKN:W4 Number of children help w/chores & errands/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPCHRKN	S5HLPCHRKN:W5 Number of children help w/chores & errands/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPCHRKN	S6HLPCHRKN:W6 Number of children help w/chores & errands/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLPCHRKF	R3HLPCHRKF:W3 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag	Categ
4	R4HLPCHRKF	R4HLPCHRKF:W4 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag	Categ
5	R5HLPCHRKF	R5HLPCHRKF:W5 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag	Categ
6	R6HLPCHRKF	R6HLPCHRKF:W6 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag	Categ
3	S3HLPCHRKF	S3HLPCHRKF:W3 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLPCHRKF	S4HLPCHRKF:W4 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLPCHRKF	S5HLPCHRKF:W5 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLPCHRKF	S6HLPCHRKF:W6 Number of children help w/chores & errands-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPCHRKN	16447	0.50	1.04	0.0	14.0
R4HLPCHRKN	19672	0.65	1.20	0.0	20.0
R5HLPCHRKN	18148	0.56	1.12	0.0	16.0
R6HLPCHRKN	16952	0.60	1.13	0.0	18.0
S3HLPCHRKN	11323	0.41	0.97	0.0	12.0
S4HLPCHRKN	13349	0.53	1.14	0.0	20.0
S5HLPCHRKN	12249	0.43	0.99	0.0	14.0
S6HLPCHRKN	11221	0.49	1.08	0.0	18.0
R3HLPCHRKF	16406	1.08	1.80	0.0	10.0
R4HLPCHRKF	19564	1.29	1.92	0.0	11.0
R5HLPCHRKF	18081	1.13	1.82	0.0	11.0
R6HLPCHRKF	16849	1.22	1.87	0.0	10.0
S3HLPCHRKF	11308	0.87	1.68	0.0	10.0
S4HLPCHRKF	13263	1.04	1.82	0.0	10.0
S5HLPCHRKF	12204	0.86	1.68	0.0	10.0
S6HLPCHRKF	11163	0.98	1.77	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLPCHRKF	R4HLPCHRKF	R5HLPCHRKF	R6HLPCHRKF
.D=DK who helps	4	5	6	6
.K=No kids	1538	1703	1420	1198
.R=RF who helps	2	4	5	9
.S=Skipped	41	108	67	103
0=No kids helping	11464	12739	12389	11125
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	4021	5292	4602	4654
6=All kids, equal measure no	859	1493	1041	993
8=Only deceased kid indicat	23	9	9	19
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	17	9	15	27
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	22	18	22	31
11=All kids equally, but no		4	3	

Value	S3HLPCHRKF	S4HLPCHRKF	S5HLPCHRKF	S6HLPCHRKF
.D=DK who helps	1	2	1	2
.K=No kids	589	627	479	410
.R=RF who helps	2		1	6
.S=Skipped	15	86	45	58
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220
0=No kids helping	8614	9593	9343	8191
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	2147	2768	2248	2351
6=All kids, equal measure no	516	884	589	578
8=Only deceased kid indicat	9	2	2	6
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	13	6	8	15
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	9	10	14	22

How Constructed

RwHLPCHRKN is the number of kids who help the Respondent with chores and errands.

This variable is derived from the KwHLPCHR variable in the respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPCHR=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1)

RwHLPCHRKF is the flag that summarizes the kid's availability to the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLPCHRKN and SwHLPCHRKF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLPCHRKN and RwHLPCHRKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were only asked in Waves 3, 4, 5, and 6.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2164	E171.REL HELP CHORE
D2165M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
D2165M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
D2165M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1

HRS 1996:

E2166	E171.REL HELP CHORE
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E2167M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
E2167M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
E2167M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 1998:	
F2675	E171.REL HELP CHORE
F2676M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M4	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M5	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M6	E171A.REL WHICH-1
F2676M7	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 2000:	
G2993	E171.REL HELP CHORE
G2994M1	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M2	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M3	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M4	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M5	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M6	E171A.REL WHICH-1
G2994M7	E171A.REL WHICH-1
HRS 2002:	
HG084	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES
HG085M1	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -1
HG085M2	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -2
HG085M3	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -3
HG085M4	CHILDREN HELP WITH HH CHORES- WHO -4

Number of Kids Help with Health Care Cost
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLTCSTKN	R3HLTCSTKN:W3 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
4	R4HLTCSTKN	R4HLTCSTKN:W4 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
5	R5HLTCSTKN	R5HLTCSTKN:W5 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
6	R6HLTCSTKN	R6HLTCSTKN:W6 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
7	R7HLTCSTKN	R7HLTCSTKN:W7 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
8	R8HLTCSTKN	R8HLTCSTKN:W8 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
9	R9HLTCSTKN	R9HLTCSTKN:W9 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
10	R10HLTCSTKN	R10HLTCSTKN:W10 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
11	R11HLTCSTKN	R11HLTCSTKN:W11 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
12	R12HLTCSTKN	R12HLTCSTKN:W12 Number of children help w/ health care cost	Cont
3	S3HLTCSTKN	S3HLTCSTKN:W3 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLTCSTKN	S4HLTCSTKN:W4 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLTCSTKN	S5HLTCSTKN:W5 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLTCSTKN	S6HLTCSTKN:W6 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLTCSTKN	S7HLTCSTKN:W7 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLTCSTKN	S8HLTCSTKN:W8 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLTCSTKN	S9HLTCSTKN:W9 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLTCSTKN	S10HLTCSTKN:W10 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLTCSTKN	S11HLTCSTKN:W11 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLTCSTKN	S12HLTCSTKN:W12 Number of children help w/ health care cost/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLTCSTKF	R3HLTCSTKF:W3 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
4	R4HLTCSTKF	R4HLTCSTKF:W4 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
5	R5HLTCSTKF	R5HLTCSTKF:W5 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
6	R6HLTCSTKF	R6HLTCSTKF:W6 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
7	R7HLTCSTKF	R7HLTCSTKF:W7 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
8	R8HLTCSTKF	R8HLTCSTKF:W8 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
9	R9HLTCSTKF	R9HLTCSTKF:W9 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
10	R10HLTCSTKF	R10HLTCSTKF:W10 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
11	R11HLTCSTKF	R11HLTCSTKF:W11 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
12	R12HLTCSTKF	R12HLTCSTKF:W12 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag	Categ
3	S3HLTCSTKF	S3HLTCSTKF:W3 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HLTCSTKF	S4HLTCSTKF:W4 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HLTCSTKF	S5HLTCSTKF:W5 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HLTCSTKF	S6HLTCSTKF:W6 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HLTCSTKF	S7HLTCSTKF:W7 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HLTCSTKF	S8HLTCSTKF:W8 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HLTCSTKF	S9HLTCSTKF:W9 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HLTCSTKF	S10HLTCSTKF:W10 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HLTCSTKF	S11HLTCSTKF:W11 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HLTCSTKF	S12HLTCSTKF:W12 Number of children help w/ health care cost-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLTCSTKN	16446	0.02	0.26	0.0	10.0
R4HLTCSTKN	19671	0.02	0.26	0.0	11.0
R5HLTCSTKN	18140	0.02	0.33	0.0	20.0
R6HLTCSTKN	16936	0.02	0.31	0.0	14.0
R7HLTCSTKN	18658	0.02	0.31	0.0	11.0
R8HLTCSTKN	17207	0.03	0.32	0.0	11.0
R9HLTCSTKN	16095	0.02	0.20	0.0	8.0
R10HLTCSTKN	20342	0.02	0.24	0.0	11.0
R11HLTCSTKN	614	0.04	0.39	0.0	8.0
R12HLTCSTKN	537	0.04	0.25	0.0	4.0

S3HLCSTKN	11323	0.01	0.23	0.0	10.0
S4HLCSTKN	13350	0.01	0.24	0.0	11.0
S5HLCSTKN	12247	0.02	0.28	0.0	20.0
S6HLCSTKN	11220	0.02	0.27	0.0	14.0
S7HLCSTKN	12457	0.02	0.30	0.0	11.0
S8HLCSTKN	11293	0.01	0.25	0.0	9.0
S9HLCSTKN	10264	0.01	0.14	0.0	6.0
S10HLCSTKN	12962	0.01	0.22	0.0	11.0
S11HLCSTKN	339	0.01	0.16	0.0	3.0
S12HLCSTKN	284	0.02	0.25	0.0	4.0
R3HLCSTKF	15923	0.05	0.46	0.0	10.0
R4HLCSTKF	16866	0.05	0.44	0.0	10.0
R5HLCSTKF	18120	0.05	0.43	0.0	11.0
R6HLCSTKF	16924	0.04	0.38	0.0	9.0
R7HLCSTKF	18641	0.04	0.36	0.0	4.0
R8HLCSTKF	17190	0.04	0.36	0.0	10.0
R9HLCSTKF	16077	0.04	0.36	0.0	10.0
R10HLCSTKF	20096	0.04	0.35	0.0	10.0
R11HLCSTKF	614	0.08	0.49	0.0	4.0
R12HLCSTKF	536	0.09	0.51	0.0	4.0
S3HLCSTKF	10974	0.02	0.32	0.0	9.0
S4HLCSTKF	11728	0.02	0.32	0.0	10.0
S5HLCSTKF	12242	0.03	0.34	0.0	11.0
S6HLCSTKF	11217	0.02	0.28	0.0	9.0
S7HLCSTKF	12452	0.02	0.26	0.0	4.0
S8HLCSTKF	11290	0.02	0.24	0.0	4.0
S9HLCSTKF	10259	0.01	0.21	0.0	4.0
S10HLCSTKF	12817	0.02	0.27	0.0	8.0
S11HLCSTKF	339	0.01	0.22	0.0	4.0
S12HLCSTKF	284	0.04	0.34	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLCSTKF	R4HLCSTKF	R5HLCSTKF	R6HLCSTKF	R7HLCSTKF
.D=DK who helps	5	1	11	14	17
.K=No kids	1537	1711	1426	1205	1443
.R=RF who helps	3	1	2	10	11
.S=Skipped	523	2805	20	12	17
0=No kids helping	15712	16632	17885	16705	18400
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	167	197	197	185	201
4=All kids equally				29	40
6=All kids, equal measure no	34	33	34		
8=Only deceased kid indicat	6	1	1		
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	2		2	5	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	2	3			
11=All kids equally, but no			1		

Value	R8HLCSTKF	R9HLCSTKF	R10HLCSTKF	R11HLCSTKF	R12HLCSTKF
.D=DK who helps	15	19	32	6	2
.J=MedExp<\$10k				18482	16899
.K=No kids	1243	1094	1645	1452	1310
.R=RF who helps	4	9	15		
.S=Skipped	17	18	246		1
0=No kids helping	16973	15904	19858	599	521
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	185	148	213	13	14
4=All kids equally	31	20	22	2	1
8=Only deceased kid indicat			1		
9=Kid indicated, missing OP		4			
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	1	1	2		

Value	S3HLCSTKF	S4HLCSTKF	S5HLCSTKF	S6HLCSTKF	S7HLCSTKF
.D=DK who helps	1		3	3	4
.K=No kids	590	628	479	410	504
.R=RF who helps	1		1	6	7
.S=Skipped	349	1622	5	3	5
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	10913	11656	12159	11138	12370
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	43	53	62	66	67
4=All kids equally				12	15
6=All kids, equal measure no	16	18	19		
8=Only deceased kid indicat	1				
9=Kid indicated, missing OP	1		1	1	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch		1			
11=All kids equally, but no			1		

Value	S8HLCSTKF	S9HLCSTKF	S10HLCSTKF	S11HLCSTKF	S12HLCSTKF
.D=DK who helps	2	4	10	1	1
.J=MedExp<\$10k				11658	10310
.K=No kids	439	375	532	490	436
.R=RF who helps	1	3	9		
.S=Skipped	3	5	145		
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	11225	10216	12729	338	281
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	55	35	76		2
4=All kids equally	10	8	11	1	1
8=Only deceased kid indicat			1		

How Constructed

RwHLTCSTKN is the number of kids who help the Respondent with health care costs. These costs may include costs not covered by insurance, the cost of health insurance, or the cost of long-term care insurance.

This variable is derived from the KwHLTCST variable in the respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLTCST=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLPADLKF is the flag that summarizes the kid data, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHLTCSTKN and SwHLTCSTKF are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLTCSTKN and RwHLTCSTKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2. From Wave 11 forward, the question is asked only if total medical expenditures are greater than \$10,000.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D1805	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
D1807M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
D1807M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
D1807M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 1996:

E1847	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
E1849M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M4	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
E1849M5	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 1998:

F2377	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
F2379M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
F2379M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1
F2379M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP \$-1

HRS 2000:

G2654	E27. OTHERS HELP \$
G2656M1	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1
G2656M2	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1
G2656M3	E29. WHICH CHILD HELP PAY HC-1

HRS 2002:

HN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
HN214M3	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS

HRS 2004:

JN212	HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
JN213	WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
JN214M1	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
JN214M2	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2
JN214M3	WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3

HRS 2006:

KN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
KN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
KN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
KN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2
KN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3

HRS 2008:
LN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
LN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
LN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-1
LN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-2
LN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS-3

HRS 2010:
MN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
MN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
MN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
MN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
MN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3

HRS 2012:
NN212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
NN213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
NN214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
NN214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
NN214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3

HRS 2014:
ON212 HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
ON213 WHO HELP PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS
ON214M1 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -1
ON214M2 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -2
ON214M3 WHICH CHILD PAY HEALTH CARE COSTS -3

Financial Transfer from Kids

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	H2FCANY	H2FCANY:W2 Any transfer from children	Categ
3	H3FCANY	H3FCANY:W3 Any transfer from children	Categ
4	H4FCANY	H4FCANY:W4 Any transfer from children	Categ
5	H5FCANY	H5FCANY:W5 Any transfer from children	Categ
6	H6FCANY	H6FCANY:W6 Any transfer from children	Categ
7	H7FCANY	H7FCANY:W7 Any transfer from children	Categ
8	H8FCANY	H8FCANY:W8 Any transfer from children	Categ
9	H9FCANY	H9FCANY:W9 Any transfer from children	Categ
10	H10FCANY	H10FCANY:W10 Any transfer from children	Categ
11	H11FCANY	H11FCANY:W11 Any transfer from children	Categ
12	H12FCANY	H12FCANY:W12 Any transfer from children	Categ
2	H2FCANYKN	H2FCANYKN:W2 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
3	H3FCANYKN	H3FCANYKN:W3 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
4	H4FCANYKN	H4FCANYKN:W4 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
5	H5FCANYKN	H5FCANYKN:W5 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
6	H6FCANYKN	H6FCANYKN:W6 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
7	H7FCANYKN	H7FCANYKN:W7 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
8	H8FCANYKN	H8FCANYKN:W8 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
9	H9FCANYKN	H9FCANYKN:W9 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
10	H10FCANYKN	H10FCANYKN:W10 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
11	H11FCANYKN	H11FCANYKN:W11 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
12	H12FCANYKN	H12FCANYKN:W12 Number of children gave transfer	Cont
2	H2FCNTRAN	H2FCNTRAN:W2 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
3	H3FCNTRAN	H3FCNTRAN:W3 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
4	H4FCNTRAN	H4FCNTRAN:W4 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
5	H5FCNTRAN	H5FCNTRAN:W5 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
6	H6FCNTRAN	H6FCNTRAN:W6 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
7	H7FCNTRAN	H7FCNTRAN:W7 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
8	H8FCNTRAN	H8FCNTRAN:W8 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
9	H9FCNTRAN	H9FCNTRAN:W9 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
10	H10FCNTRAN	H10FCNTRAN:W10 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
11	H11FCNTRAN	H11FCNTRAN:W11 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
12	H12FCNTRAN	H12FCNTRAN:W12 Number of transfer children gave	Categ
2	H2FCAMT	H2FCAMT:W2 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
3	H3FCAMT	H3FCAMT:W3 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
4	H4FCAMT	H4FCAMT:W4 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
5	H5FCAMT	H5FCAMT:W5 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
6	H6FCAMT	H6FCAMT:W6 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
7	H7FCAMT	H7FCAMT:W7 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
8	H8FCAMT	H8FCAMT:W8 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
9	H9FCAMT	H9FCAMT:W9 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
10	H10FCAMT	H10FCAMT:W10 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
11	H11FCAMT	H11FCAMT:W11 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
12	H12FCAMT	H12FCAMT:W12 Amounts of transfer children gave(imputed)	Cont
2	H2FCFLG	H2FCFLG:W2 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
3	H3FCFLG	H3FCFLG:W3 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
4	H4FCFLG	H4FCFLG:W4 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
5	H5FCFLG	H5FCFLG:W5 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
6	H6FCFLG	H6FCFLG:W6 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
7	H7FCFLG	H7FCFLG:W7 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
8	H8FCFLG	H8FCFLG:W8 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
9	H9FCFLG	H9FCFLG:W9 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
10	H10FCFLG	H10FCFLG:W10 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
11	H11FCFLG	H11FCFLG:W11 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
12	H12FCFLG	H12FCFLG:W12 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H2FCANY	17350	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
H3FCANY	15712	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
H4FCANY	18851	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0
H5FCANY	17569	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
H6FCANY	16703	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H7FCANY	18484	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H8FCANY	15127	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
H9FCANY	15978	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H10FCANY	19896	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H11FCANY	18791	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H12FCANY	17156	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
H2FCANYKN	18393	0.07	0.42	0.0	9.0
H3FCANYKN	16286	0.13	0.61	0.0	11.0
H4FCANYKN	19395	0.07	0.39	0.0	11.0
H5FCANYKN	17938	0.07	0.43	0.0	11.0
H6FCANYKN	16820	0.08	0.44	0.0	13.0
H7FCANYKN	18487	0.09	0.47	0.0	12.0
H8FCANYKN	15127	0.07	0.39	0.0	11.0
H9FCANYKN	15980	0.08	0.38	0.0	8.0
H10FCANYKN	19898	0.07	0.34	0.0	8.0
H11FCANYKN	18798	0.07	0.35	0.0	8.0
H12FCANYKN	17157	0.09	0.37	0.0	6.0
H2FCNTRAN	17350	0.08	0.45	0.0	9.0
H3FCNTRAN	15712	0.14	0.64	0.0	12.0
H4FCNTRAN	18851	0.07	0.40	0.0	11.0
H5FCNTRAN	17569	0.08	0.44	0.0	11.0
H6FCNTRAN	16703	0.08	0.45	0.0	13.0
H7FCNTRAN	18484	0.09	0.47	0.0	12.0
H8FCNTRAN	15127	0.07	0.40	0.0	11.0
H9FCNTRAN	15978	0.08	0.39	0.0	8.0
H10FCNTRAN	19896	0.07	0.34	0.0	8.0
H11FCNTRAN	18791	0.07	0.35	0.0	8.0
H12FCNTRAN	17156	0.09	0.38	0.0	7.0
H2FCAMT	18393	91.03	878.28	0.0	40206.0
H3FCAMT	16286	198.05	2080.87	0.0	160000.0
H4FCAMT	19395	184.66	2344.06	0.0	205960.0
H5FCAMT	17938	201.77	1947.29	0.0	80000.0
H6FCAMT	16820	282.45	2320.95	0.0	80000.0
H7FCAMT	18487	251.12	2400.16	0.0	200000.0
H8FCAMT	15127	191.51	1544.66	0.0	50000.0
H9FCAMT	15980	268.07	2253.40	0.0	82000.0
H10FCAMT	19898	249.15	2310.68	0.0	168000.0
H11FCAMT	18798	249.78	2117.56	0.0	62043.0
H12FCAMT	17157	303.92	3608.49	0.0	255000.0
H2FCFLG	18338	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
H3FCFLG	16284	0.02	0.13	0.0	1.0
H4FCFLG	19395	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
H5FCFLG	17936	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
H6FCFLG	16820	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0
H7FCFLG	18487	0.01	0.12	0.0	1.0
H8FCFLG	15127	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
H9FCFLG	15980	0.01	0.11	0.0	1.0

H10FCFLG	19898	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
H11FCFLG	18798	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0
H12FCFLG	17156	0.01	0.10	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H2FCANY	H3FCANY	H4FCANY	H5FCANY	H6FCANY	H7FCANY
.F=No FamR	27	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	2069	1539	1712	1428	1205	1443
.M=Missing	196	675	624	480	254	108
0.No	16455	14494	17967	16682	15737	17448
1.Yes	895	1218	884	887	966	1036

Value	H8FCANY	H9FCANY	H10FCANY	H11FCANY	H12FCANY
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.M=Missing	2008	63	208	150	119
0.No	14348	15056	18776	17742	16003
1.Yes	779	922	1120	1049	1153

Value	H2FCNTRAN	H3FCNTRAN	H4FCNTRAN	H5FCNTRAN	H6FCNTRAN	H7FCNTRAN
.F=No FamR	27	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	2069	1539	1712	1428	1205	1443
.M=Missing	196	675	624	480	254	108
0.No transfer	16513	14497	17974	16688	15748	17456
1-35 transfers	837	1215	877	881	955	1028

Value	H8FCNTRAN	H9FCNTRAN	H10FCNTRAN	H11FCNTRAN	H12FCNTRAN
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.M=Missing	2008	63	208	150	119
0.No transfer	14356	15064	18781	17752	16012
1-35 transfers	771	914	1115	1039	1144

Value	H2FCFLG	H3FCFLG	H4FCFLG	H5FCFLG	H6FCFLG	H7FCFLG
.F=No FamR	3	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	1053	1539	1712	1428	1205	1440
.M=Missing	248	103	80	113	137	108
0.Not imputed	18129	15985	19202	17719	16600	18239
1.Imputed	209	299	193	217	220	248

Value	H8FCFLG	H9FCFLG	H10FCFLG	H11FCFLG	H12FCFLG
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1243	1093	1643	1445	1309
.M=Missing	2008	63	208	150	120
0.Not imputed	14969	15774	19711	18608	16989
1.Imputed	158	206	187	190	167

How Constructed

HwFCANY indicates whether the household (Respondent or Spouse) received financial help from the kid (or grandkid). This variable is derived from the KwFCANY variable in the Respondent-kid file.

HwFCANYKN is the number of kids (or grandkids) giving financial help. This variable is the sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwFCANY=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwFCNTRAN is the total number of financial transfers the household received. This variable is derived from the KwFCNTRAN variable in the Respondent-kid file. It is the sum of KwFCNTRAN from kids reported by the Respondent where there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwFCAMT is the imputed total transfer amount. This variable is the sum of KwFCAMT for all kids reported by the Respondent where there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1). Responses of DK and RF have been imputed for KwFCAMT.

HwFCFLG indicates whether any KwFCAMT summed to create HwFCAMT was imputed.

From Wave 2 forward, HwFCAMT was imputed using same imputation method used for the RAND HRS income and wealth imputations. Please see the Imputation Method section for more details.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question asks whether the Respondent or spouse received financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$500 or more from their children. The amount differs in 1994 and 1995. In those years, the Respondent and spouse were asked whether they received financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$100 or more.

The bracket responses in 1993, 1994 and 1995 differ from the other years.

The questions were not asked in Wave 1.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:
B1600 J44. ANY \$500/+ ASSISTANCE FROM REL 92/3
B1606X IMP: J46-1. CASH ASST: TOTAL \$-1

HRS 1994:
W8027 E32B. AMOUNT CHILD GAVE
W903 E32. Receive Assistance from

AHEAD 1995:
D1518 D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
D1527 D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT

HRS 1996:
E1488 D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
E1497 D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT

HRS 1998:
F1891 D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
F1896 D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT

HRS 2000:
G2107 D61.TRANSFER FROM KIDS 2YR
G2112 D63.TRANSFER FROM CHILD \$AMOUNT

HRS 2002:
HE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
HE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2004:
JE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
JE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2006:
KE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
KE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2008:
LE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
LE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2010:
ME087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
ME093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2012:
NE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
NE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

HRS 2014:
OE087 TRANSFER FROM KIDS- PAST 2YRS
OE093 DOLLARS TRANSFER FROM CHILD

Number of Kids in Helper File

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3INHPKN	R3INHPKN:W3 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
4	R4INHPKN	R4INHPKN:W4 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
5	R5INHPKN	R5INHPKN:W5 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
6	R6INHPKN	R6INHPKN:W6 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
7	R7INHPKN	R7INHPKN:W7 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
8	R8INHPKN	R8INHPKN:W8 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
9	R9INHPKN	R9INHPKN:W9 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
10	R10INHPKN	R10INHPKN:W10 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
11	R11INHPKN	R11INHPKN:W11 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
12	R12INHPKN	R12INHPKN:W12 Number of children in Helper file	Cont
3	S3INHPKN	S3INHPKN:W3 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
4	S4INHPKN	S4INHPKN:W4 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
5	S5INHPKN	S5INHPKN:W5 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
6	S6INHPKN	S6INHPKN:W6 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
7	S7INHPKN	S7INHPKN:W7 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
8	S8INHPKN	S8INHPKN:W8 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
9	S9INHPKN	S9INHPKN:W9 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
10	S10INHPKN	S10INHPKN:W10 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
11	S11INHPKN	S11INHPKN:W11 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont
12	S12INHPKN	S12INHPKN:W12 Number of children in Helper file/Sp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3INHPKN	16465	0.10	0.41	0.0	6.0
R4INHPKN	19689	0.10	0.41	0.0	7.0
R5INHPKN	18163	0.10	0.39	0.0	8.0
R6INHPKN	16962	0.11	0.41	0.0	7.0
R7INHPKN	18692	0.11	0.41	0.0	6.0
R8INHPKN	17233	0.11	0.42	0.0	6.0
R9INHPKN	16122	0.11	0.43	0.0	7.0
R10INHPKN	20391	0.13	0.46	0.0	6.0
R11INHPKN	19103	0.12	0.45	0.0	5.0
R12INHPKN	17439	0.14	0.49	0.0	6.0
S3INHPKN	11326	0.05	0.29	0.0	6.0
S4INHPKN	13354	0.05	0.30	0.0	6.0
S5INHPKN	12251	0.04	0.25	0.0	5.0
S6INHPKN	11229	0.04	0.26	0.0	5.0
S7INHPKN	12469	0.04	0.28	0.0	5.0
S8INHPKN	11297	0.05	0.29	0.0	5.0
S9INHPKN	10271	0.04	0.26	0.0	5.0
S10INHPKN	12981	0.06	0.32	0.0	5.0
S11INHPKN	11999	0.06	0.33	0.0	5.0
S12INHPKN	10595	0.07	0.36	0.0	6.0

How Constructed

RwINHPKN is the number of kids in the Helper file.

This variable is derived from the KwINHP variable in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwINHP=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

The variable SwINHPKN is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwINHPKN variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There were no helper files in Waves 1 and 2.

Number of Helpers from Helper File

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HELPRKN	R3HELPRKN:W3 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
4	R4HELPRKN	R4HELPRKN:W4 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
5	R5HELPRKN	R5HELPRKN:W5 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
6	R6HELPRKN	R6HELPRKN:W6 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
7	R7HELPRKN	R7HELPRKN:W7 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
8	R8HELPRKN	R8HELPRKN:W8 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
9	R9HELPRKN	R9HELPRKN:W9 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
10	R10HELPRKN	R10HELPRKN:W10 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
11	R11HELPRKN	R11HELPRKN:W11 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
12	R12HELPRKN	R12HELPRKN:W12 Number of helpers from helper file	Cont
3	S3HELPRKN	S3HELPRKN:W3 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
4	S4HELPRKN	S4HELPRKN:W4 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
5	S5HELPRKN	S5HELPRKN:W5 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
6	S6HELPRKN	S6HELPRKN:W6 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
7	S7HELPRKN	S7HELPRKN:W7 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
8	S8HELPRKN	S8HELPRKN:W8 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
9	S9HELPRKN	S9HELPRKN:W9 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
10	S10HELPRKN	S10HELPRKN:W10 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
11	S11HELPRKN	S11HELPRKN:W11 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
12	S12HELPRKN	S12HELPRKN:W12 Number of helpers from helper file/Sp	Cont
3	R3HELPRKF	R3HELPRKF:W3 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
4	R4HELPRKF	R4HELPRKF:W4 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
5	R5HELPRKF	R5HELPRKF:W5 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
6	R6HELPRKF	R6HELPRKF:W6 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
7	R7HELPRKF	R7HELPRKF:W7 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
8	R8HELPRKF	R8HELPRKF:W8 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
9	R9HELPRKF	R9HELPRKF:W9 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
10	R10HELPRKF	R10HELPRKF:W10 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
11	R11HELPRKF	R11HELPRKF:W11 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
12	R12HELPRKF	R12HELPRKF:W12 Number of helpers from helper file-flag	Categ
3	S3HELPRKF	S3HELPRKF:W3 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
4	S4HELPRKF	S4HELPRKF:W4 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
5	S5HELPRKF	S5HELPRKF:W5 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
6	S6HELPRKF	S6HELPRKF:W6 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
7	S7HELPRKF	S7HELPRKF:W7 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
8	S8HELPRKF	S8HELPRKF:W8 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
9	S9HELPRKF	S9HELPRKF:W9 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
10	S10HELPRKF	S10HELPRKF:W10 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
11	S11HELPRKF	S11HELPRKF:W11 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ
12	S12HELPRKF	S12HELPRKF:W12 Number of helpers from helper file-flag/Sp	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HELPRKN	16464	0.09	0.38	0.0	6.0
R4HELPRKN	19688	0.10	0.39	0.0	6.0
R5HELPRKN	18160	0.09	0.37	0.0	8.0
R6HELPRKN	16962	0.10	0.39	0.0	7.0
R7HELPRKN	18691	0.10	0.38	0.0	6.0
R8HELPRKN	17232	0.10	0.40	0.0	5.0
R9HELPRKN	16122	0.11	0.41	0.0	7.0
R10HELPRKN	20391	0.12	0.43	0.0	6.0
R11HELPRKN	19103	0.11	0.43	0.0	5.0
R12HELPRKN	17439	0.13	0.45	0.0	6.0

S3HELPRKN	11326	0.04	0.27	0.0	6.0
S4HELPRKN	13354	0.05	0.28	0.0	6.0
S5HELPRKN	12251	0.04	0.23	0.0	5.0
S6HELPRKN	11229	0.04	0.25	0.0	5.0
S7HELPRKN	12469	0.04	0.26	0.0	5.0
S8HELPRKN	11297	0.04	0.27	0.0	5.0
S9HELPRKN	10271	0.04	0.24	0.0	5.0
S10HELPRKN	12981	0.05	0.30	0.0	5.0
S11HELPRKN	11999	0.06	0.31	0.0	5.0
S12HELPRKN	10595	0.06	0.34	0.0	5.0
R3HELPRKF	1296	2.93	1.36	0.0	10.0
R4HELPRKF	1498	3.05	1.25	0.0	10.0
R5HELPRKF	1356	3.10	1.27	0.0	10.0
R6HELPRKF	1393	3.04	1.18	0.0	10.0
R7HELPRKF	1903	4.57	3.07	0.0	10.0
R8HELPRKF	1846	4.55	3.01	0.0	10.0
R9HELPRKF	1365	3.08	1.32	0.0	10.0
R10HELPRKF	1866	3.11	1.36	0.0	10.0
R11HELPRKF	1720	3.10	1.33	0.0	10.0
R12HELPRKF	1722	3.09	1.35	0.0	10.0
S3HELPRKF	392	2.87	1.20	0.0	10.0
S4HELPRKF	461	3.01	1.15	0.0	10.0
S5HELPRKF	374	3.07	1.36	0.0	10.0
S6HELPRKF	354	3.00	1.09	0.0	10.0
S7HELPRKF	548	4.70	3.23	0.0	10.0
S8HELPRKF	524	4.83	3.23	0.0	10.0
S9HELPRKF	325	2.95	1.29	0.0	10.0
S10HELPRKF	549	2.94	1.10	0.0	10.0
S11HELPRKF	500	2.98	1.01	0.0	10.0
S12HELPRKF	514	2.95	1.18	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HELPRKF	R4HELPRKF	R5HELPRKF	R6HELPRKF	R7HELPRKF
.K=No kids	1539	1712	1428	1205	1443
.S=Skipped	15156	18174	16795	15567	16783
0=No kids helping	102	60	43	53	57
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	1164	1401	1276	1310	1396
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	30	37	37	30	450

Value	R8HELPRKF	R9HELPRKF	R10HELPRKF	R11HELPRKF	R12HELPRKF
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.S=Skipped	15380	14757	18523	17382	15716
0=No kids helping	36	54	69	63	68
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	1386	1272	1739	1606	1602
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	424	39	58	51	52

Value	S3HELPRKF	S4HELPRKF	S5HELPRKF	S6HELPRKF	S7HELPRKF
.K=No kids	590	628	480	410	504
.S=Skipped	10933	12889	11876	10875	11920
.U=Unmarried	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	418	537	311	220	380
0=No kids helping	31	19	17	14	26
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	355	433	346	334	378
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	6	9	11	6	144

Value	S8HELPRKF	S9HELPRKF	S10HELPRKF	S11HELPRKF	S12HELPRKF
.K=No kids	439	375	532	490	436
.S=Skipped	10772	9946	12432	11498	10081
.U=Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
.V=Sp NR	317	365	722	592	594
0=No kids helping	17	22	30	19	30
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	363	296	511	474	475
10=1+ OPN given, but not ch	144	7	8	7	9

How Constructed

RwHELPRKN is the number of kids who are helpers.

This variable is derived from the KwHELPR variable in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHELPR=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHELPRKF is the flag that summarizes the kids's availability to the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

The variables SwHELPRKN and SwHELPRKF are taken from the spouses's Wave 'w' RwHELPRKN and RwHELPRKF variables, respectively.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There were no helper files in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 D2137 E158.SEX HELPER
 D2140 E160.HELPER OFTEN
 D2145 E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:

E2120A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 E2122 MARRIED OR NOT
 E2123 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 E2127 E159-1. HELPER HOURS

HRS 1998:

F2639A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 F2642 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 F2643 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
 F2644 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2646 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 F2649 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 F2650 E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
 F2651 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 F2652 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 F2658 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 F2659 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 F2660 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2662 E159-2. HELPER HOURS

HRS 2000:

G2947A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 G2950 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 G2951 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
 G2952 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2954 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 G2957 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 G2959 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2960 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 G2976 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 G2977 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 G2978 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2980 E159-2. HELPER HOURS
 G2983 E162-2. HELPER PAID
 G2985 E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2986 E165-2. HELPER, PER

HRS 2002:

HG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 HG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
 HG071 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
 HG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 HG073 #HRS OF HELP
 HG076 HELPER PAID TO HELP
 HG078 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 HG079 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
 HG080 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
 HG081 OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER

HRS 2004:

JG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 JG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
 JG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
 JG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 JG073 #HRS OF HELP
 JG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP

JG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
JG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
JG080 AMT \$100
JG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2006:
KG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
KG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
KG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
KG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
KG073 #HRS OF HELP
KG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
KG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
KG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
KG080 AMT \$100
KG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2008:
LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
LG073 #HRS OF HELP
LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
LG080 AMT \$100
LG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2010:
MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1
MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1

HRS 2012:
NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2014:
OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Days and Hours Kids Helped

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPDAYS	R3HLPDAYS:W3 Days children helped last month	Cont
4	R4HLPDAYS	R4HLPDAYS:W4 Days children helped last month	Cont
5	R5HLPDAYS	R5HLPDAYS:W5 Days children helped last month	Cont
6	R6HLPDAYS	R6HLPDAYS:W6 Days children helped last month	Cont
7	R7HLPDAYS	R7HLPDAYS:W7 Days children helped last month	Cont
8	R8HLPDAYS	R8HLPDAYS:W8 Days children helped last month	Cont
9	R9HLPDAYS	R9HLPDAYS:W9 Days children helped last month	Cont
10	R10HLPDAYS	R10HLPDAYS:W10 Days children helped last month	Cont
11	R11HLPDAYS	R11HLPDAYS:W11 Days children helped last month	Cont
12	R12HLPDAYS	R12HLPDAYS:W12 Days children helped last month	Cont
3	S3HLPDAYS	S3HLPDAYS:W3 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPDAYS	S4HLPDAYS:W4 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPDAYS	S5HLPDAYS:W5 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPDAYS	S6HLPDAYS:W6 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPDAYS	S7HLPDAYS:W7 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPDAYS	S8HLPDAYS:W8 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPDAYS	S9HLPDAYS:W9 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPDAYS	S10HLPDAYS:W10 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPDAYS	S11HLPDAYS:W11 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPDAYS	S12HLPDAYS:W12 Days children helped last month/Sp	Cont
3	R3HLPHRS	R3HLPHRS:W3 Hours children helped last month	Cont
4	R4HLPHRS	R4HLPHRS:W4 Hours children helped last month	Cont
5	R5HLPHRS	R5HLPHRS:W5 Hours children helped last month	Cont
6	R6HLPHRS	R6HLPHRS:W6 Hours children helped last month	Cont
7	R7HLPHRS	R7HLPHRS:W7 Hours children helped last month	Cont
8	R8HLPHRS	R8HLPHRS:W8 Hours children helped last month	Cont
9	R9HLPHRS	R9HLPHRS:W9 Hours children helped last month	Cont
10	R10HLPHRS	R10HLPHRS:W10 Hours children helped last month	Cont
11	R11HLPHRS	R11HLPHRS:W11 Hours children helped last month	Cont
12	R12HLPHRS	R12HLPHRS:W12 Hours children helped last month	Cont
3	S3HLPHRS	S3HLPHRS:W3 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPHRS	S4HLPHRS:W4 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPHRS	S5HLPHRS:W5 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPHRS	S6HLPHRS:W6 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPHRS	S7HLPHRS:W7 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPHRS	S8HLPHRS:W8 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPHRS	S9HLPHRS:W9 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPHRS	S10HLPHRS:W10 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPHRS	S11HLPHRS:W11 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPHRS	S12HLPHRS:W12 Hours children helped last month/Sp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPDAYS	16464	1.70	8.24	0.0	150.0
R4HLPDAYS	19687	1.82	8.93	0.0	180.0
R5HLPDAYS	18160	1.78	9.38	0.0	480.0
R6HLPDAYS	16962	1.68	8.09	0.0	140.0
R7HLPDAYS	18691	1.61	8.01	0.0	150.0
R8HLPDAYS	17232	1.80	8.54	0.0	136.0
R9HLPDAYS	16122	1.67	8.03	0.0	155.0
R10HLPDAYS	20391	1.80	8.20	0.0	180.0
R11HLPDAYS	19103	1.85	8.54	0.0	150.0
R12HLPDAYS	17439	1.92	8.47	0.0	150.0

S3HLPDAYS	11326	0.71	5.47	0.0	120.0
S4HLPDAYS	13353	0.76	5.63	0.0	120.0
S5HLPDAYS	12251	0.62	4.84	0.0	92.0
S6HLPDAYS	11229	0.54	4.56	0.0	120.0
S7HLPDAYS	12469	0.51	4.22	0.0	120.0
S8HLPDAYS	11297	0.65	5.01	0.0	120.0
S9HLPDAYS	10271	0.49	4.18	0.0	120.0
S10HLPDAYS	12981	0.71	5.07	0.0	120.0
S11HLPDAYS	11999	0.73	5.16	0.0	120.0
S12HLPDAYS	10595	0.81	5.46	0.0	150.0
R3HLPHRS	16463	7.80	63.45	0.0	2880.0
R4HLPHRS	19686	8.03	63.01	0.0	1920.0
R5HLPHRS	18158	7.45	62.27	0.0	2880.0
R6HLPHRS	16962	7.55	58.23	0.0	2162.0
R7HLPHRS	18691	7.22	57.04	0.0	1692.0
R8HLPHRS	17232	7.82	57.95	0.0	1643.0
R9HLPHRS	16122	8.06	62.27	0.0	1704.0
R10HLPHRS	20391	7.94	56.34	0.0	1440.0
R11HLPHRS	19103	8.23	58.24	0.0	1440.0
R12HLPHRS	17439	8.30	58.06	0.0	1560.0
S3HLPHRS	11326	2.63	34.29	0.0	1800.0
S4HLPHRS	13353	3.16	36.93	0.0	1489.0
S5HLPHRS	12251	2.29	27.51	0.0	1440.0
S6HLPHRS	11229	2.07	24.65	0.0	900.0
S7HLPHRS	12469	2.10	29.26	0.0	1440.0
S8HLPHRS	11297	2.31	26.71	0.0	1152.0
S9HLPHRS	10271	2.04	28.92	0.0	1440.0
S10HLPHRS	12981	2.72	30.36	0.0	1320.0
S11HLPHRS	11999	2.72	29.72	0.0	960.0
S12HLPHRS	10595	2.88	29.62	0.0	960.0

How Constructed

RwHLPDAYS is the number of days kids helped the Respondent last month.

RwHLPHRS is the number of hours kids helped the Respondent last month.

These variables were derived from KwHLPDAYS and KwHLPHRS, respectively. They are the sum of these KwHLPDAYS and KwHLPHRS for the kids reported by the Respondent where there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There were no helper files in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
D2137	E158.SEX HELPER
D2140	E160.HELPER OFTEN
D2145	E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:
 E2120A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 E2122 MARRIED OR NOT
 E2123 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 E2127 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 HRS 1998:
 F2639A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 F2642 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 F2643 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
 F2644 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2646 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 F2649 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 F2650 E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
 F2651 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 F2652 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 F2658 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 F2659 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 F2660 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 F2662 E159-2. HELPER HOURS
 HRS 2000:
 G2947A HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
 G2950 E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
 G2951 E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
 G2952 E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2954 E159-1. HELPER HOURS
 G2957 E162-1. HELPER PAID
 G2959 E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2960 E165-1. HELPER, PER
 G2976 E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
 G2977 E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
 G2978 E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
 G2980 E159-2. HELPER HOURS
 G2983 E162-2. HELPER PAID
 G2985 E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
 G2986 E165-2. HELPER, PER
 HRS 2002:
 HG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 HG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
 HG071 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
 HG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 HG073 #HRS OF HELP
 HG076 HELPER PAID TO HELP
 HG078 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 HG079 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
 HG080 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
 HG081 OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER
 HRS 2004:
 JG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
 JG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
 JG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
 JG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
 JG073 #HRS OF HELP
 JG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
 JG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
 JG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
 JG080 AMT \$100
 JG081 OTR FIN HELP
 HRS 2006:
 KG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP

KG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
KG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
KG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
KG073 #HRS OF HELP
KG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
KG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
KG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
KG080 AMT \$100
KG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2008:
LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
LG073 #HRS OF HELP
LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
LG080 AMT \$100
LG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2010:
MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1
MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1

HRS 2012:
NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2014:
OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Number of Helpers Got Paid

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLPPAIDKN	R3HLPPAIDKN:W3 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
4	R4HLPPAIDKN	R4HLPPAIDKN:W4 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
5	R5HLPPAIDKN	R5HLPPAIDKN:W5 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
6	R6HLPPAIDKN	R6HLPPAIDKN:W6 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
7	R7HLPPAIDKN	R7HLPPAIDKN:W7 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
8	R8HLPPAIDKN	R8HLPPAIDKN:W8 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
9	R9HLPPAIDKN	R9HLPPAIDKN:W9 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
10	R10HLPPAIDKN	R10HLPPAIDKN:W10 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
11	R11HLPPAIDKN	R11HLPPAIDKN:W11 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
12	R12HLPPAIDKN	R12HLPPAIDKN:W12 Number of helpers got paid	Cont
3	S3HLPPAIDKN	S3HLPPAIDKN:W3 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
4	S4HLPPAIDKN	S4HLPPAIDKN:W4 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
5	S5HLPPAIDKN	S5HLPPAIDKN:W5 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
6	S6HLPPAIDKN	S6HLPPAIDKN:W6 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
7	S7HLPPAIDKN	S7HLPPAIDKN:W7 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
8	S8HLPPAIDKN	S8HLPPAIDKN:W8 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
9	S9HLPPAIDKN	S9HLPPAIDKN:W9 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
10	S10HLPPAIDKN	S10HLPPAIDKN:W10 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
11	S11HLPPAIDKN	S11HLPPAIDKN:W11 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont
12	S12HLPPAIDKN	S12HLPPAIDKN:W12 Number of helpers got paid/Sp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLPPAIDKN	16452	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
R4HLPPAIDKN	19672	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
R5HLPPAIDKN	18151	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
R6HLPPAIDKN	16960	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
R7HLPPAIDKN	18686	0.00	0.07	0.0	2.0
R8HLPPAIDKN	17227	0.00	0.07	0.0	2.0
R9HLPPAIDKN	16122	0.01	0.07	0.0	2.0
R10HLPPAIDKN	20390	0.01	0.09	0.0	2.0
R11HLPPAIDKN	19102	0.01	0.09	0.0	2.0
R12HLPPAIDKN	17438	0.01	0.10	0.0	4.0
S3HLPPAIDKN	11325	0.00	0.04	0.0	1.0
S4HLPPAIDKN	13350	0.00	0.05	0.0	2.0
S5HLPPAIDKN	12250	0.00	0.05	0.0	2.0
S6HLPPAIDKN	11229	0.00	0.05	0.0	2.0
S7HLPPAIDKN	12468	0.00	0.06	0.0	2.0
S8HLPPAIDKN	11297	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
S9HLPPAIDKN	10271	0.00	0.05	0.0	1.0
S10HLPPAIDKN	12981	0.00	0.05	0.0	2.0
S11HLPPAIDKN	11998	0.00	0.07	0.0	2.0
S12HLPPAIDKN	10595	0.01	0.08	0.0	4.0

How Constructed

RwHLPPAIDKN is the number of kids who got paid as helpers.

This variable is derived from the variable KwHLPPAID in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLPPAID=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

The variable SwHLPPAIDKN is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwHLPPAIDKN variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There were no helper files in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D2135A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
D2137	E158.SEX HELPER
D2140	E160.HELPER OFTEN
D2145	E161.HELPER HOURS

HRS 1996:

E2120A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
E2122	MARRIED OR NOT
E2123	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
E2127	E159-1. HELPER HOURS

HRS 1998:

F2639A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
F2642	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
F2643	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
F2644	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
F2646	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
F2649	E162-1. HELPER PAID
F2650	E163-1. HELPER INS PAY
F2651	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
F2652	E165-1. HELPER, PER
F2658	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
F2659	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
F2660	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
F2662	E159-2. HELPER HOURS

HRS 2000:

G2947A	HELPER RELATIONSHIP COMBINED SOURCE
G2950	E158-1. HELPER OFTEN
G2951	E158A-1. HELPER PER WEEK
G2952	E158B-1. HELPER EVERY DAY
G2954	E159-1. HELPER HOURS
G2957	E162-1. HELPER PAID
G2959	E164-1. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2960	E165-1. HELPER, PER
G2976	E158-2. HELPER OFTEN
G2977	E158A-2.HELPER PER WEEK
G2978	E158B-2.HELPER EVERY DAY
G2980	E159-2. HELPER HOURS
G2983	E162-2. HELPER PAID
G2985	E164-2. HELPER \$ R PAY
G2986	E165-2. HELPER, PER

HRS 2002:

HG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
HG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS IN LAST MONTH
HG071 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN- DAYS PER WEEK
HG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
HG073 #HRS OF HELP
HG076 HELPER PAID TO HELP
HG078 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
HG079 AMOUNT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- PER
HG080 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER- LESS/MORE \$100
HG081 OTHER PERSON HELP PAY HELPER

HRS 2004:
JG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
JG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
JG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
JG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
JG073 #HRS OF HELP
JG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
JG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
JG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
JG080 AMT \$100
JG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2006:
KG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
KG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
KG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
KG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
KG073 #HRS OF HELP
KG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
KG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
KG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
KG080 AMT \$100
KG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2008:
LG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
LG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN-DAYS LAST MONTH
LG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
LG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DAY
LG073 #HRS OF HELP
LG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
LG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
LG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER - PER
LG080 AMT \$100
LG081 OTR FIN HELP

HRS 2010:
MG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP -1
MG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN -1
MG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED -1
MG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY -1
MG073 #HRS OF HELP -1
MG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP -1
MG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID -1
MG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER -1
MG080 AMT \$100
MG081 OTR FIN HELP -1

HRS 2012:
NG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
NG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
NG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
NG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY

NG073 #HRS OF HELP
NG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
NG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
NG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
NG080 AMT \$100
NG081 OTR FIN HELP
HRS 2014:
OG069 HELPER RELATIONSHIP
OG070 FREQ OF HELP GIVEN
OG071 # DAYS HELPER HELPED
OG072 DID HELPER HELP EVERY DY
OG073 #HRS OF HELP
OG076 HELPER GIVEN MONEY TO HELP
OG078 AMT R/SP/P PAID
OG079 AMT R/SP/P PAID HELPER
OG080 AMT \$100
OG081 OTR FIN HELP

Section 6C: Kid Transfer from Respondent

Number of Kids Uses Parents for Childcare
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	H3KDCAREKN	H3KDCAREKN:W3 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
4	H4KDCAREKN	H4KDCAREKN:W4 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
5	H5KDCAREKN	H5KDCAREKN:W5 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
6	H6KDCAREKN	H6KDCAREKN:W6 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
7	H7KDCAREKN	H7KDCAREKN:W7 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
8	H8KDCAREKN	H8KDCAREKN:W8 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
9	H9KDCAREKN	H9KDCAREKN:W9 Number of children using parents for childcare-# kids	Cont
10	H10KDCAREKN	H10KDCAREKN:W10 Number of children using parents for childcare-# ki	Cont
11	H11KDCAREKN	H11KDCAREKN:W11 Number of children using parents for childcare-# ki	Cont
12	H12KDCAREKN	H12KDCAREKN:W12 Number of children using parents for childcare-# ki	Cont
3	H3KDCAREKF	H3KDCAREKF:W3 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
4	H4KDCAREKF	H4KDCAREKF:W4 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
5	H5KDCAREKF	H5KDCAREKF:W5 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
6	H6KDCAREKF	H6KDCAREKF:W6 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
7	H7KDCAREKF	H7KDCAREKF:W7 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
8	H8KDCAREKF	H8KDCAREKF:W8 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
9	H9KDCAREKF	H9KDCAREKF:W9 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
10	H10KDCAREKF	H10KDCAREKF:W10 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
11	H11KDCAREKF	H11KDCAREKF:W11 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
12	H12KDCAREKF	H12KDCAREKF:W12 Number of children using parents for childcare-flag	Categ
3	R3KDCAREHR	R3KDCAREHR:W3 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
4	R4KDCAREHR	R4KDCAREHR:W4 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
5	R5KDCAREHR	R5KDCAREHR:W5 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
6	R6KDCAREHR	R6KDCAREHR:W6 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
7	R7KDCAREHR	R7KDCAREHR:W7 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
8	R8KDCAREHR	R8KDCAREHR:W8 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
9	R9KDCAREHR	R9KDCAREHR:W9 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
10	R10KDCAREHR	R10KDCAREHR:W10 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
11	R11KDCAREHR	R11KDCAREHR:W11 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
12	R12KDCAREHR	R12KDCAREHR:W12 Hours of using parents for childcare	Cont
3	S3KDCAREHR	S3KDCAREHR:W3 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
4	S4KDCAREHR	S4KDCAREHR:W4 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
5	S5KDCAREHR	S5KDCAREHR:W5 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
6	S6KDCAREHR	S6KDCAREHR:W6 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
7	S7KDCAREHR	S7KDCAREHR:W7 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
8	S8KDCAREHR	S8KDCAREHR:W8 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
9	S9KDCAREHR	S9KDCAREHR:W9 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
10	S10KDCAREHR	S10KDCAREHR:W10 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
11	S11KDCAREHR	S11KDCAREHR:W11 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
12	S12KDCAREHR	S12KDCAREHR:W12 Hours of using parents for childcare/Sp	Cont
3	R3KDCARMIN	R3KDCARMIN:W3 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
4	R4KDCARMIN	R4KDCARMIN:W4 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
5	R5KDCARMIN	R5KDCARMIN:W5 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
6	R6KDCARMIN	R6KDCARMIN:W6 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
7	R7KDCARMIN	R7KDCARMIN:W7 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
8	R8KDCARMIN	R8KDCARMIN:W8 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
9	R9KDCARMIN	R9KDCARMIN:W9 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
10	R10KDCARMIN	R10KDCARMIN:W10 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
11	R11KDCARMIN	R11KDCARMIN:W11 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
12	R12KDCARMIN	R12KDCARMIN:W12 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN)	Cont
3	S3KDCARMIN	S3KDCARMIN:W3 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
4	S4KDCARMIN	S4KDCARMIN:W4 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
5	S5KDCARMIN	S5KDCARMIN:W5 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
6	S6KDCARMIN	S6KDCARMIN:W6 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
7	S7KDCARMIN	S7KDCARMIN:W7 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
8	S8KDCARMIN	S8KDCARMIN:W8 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
9	S9KDCARMIN	S9KDCARMIN:W9 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
10	S10KDCARMIN	S10KDCARMIN:W10 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
11	S11KDCARMIN	S11KDCARMIN:W11 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont
12	S12KDCARMIN	S12KDCARMIN:W12 Hours of using parents for childcare (MIN) /Sp	Cont

3	R3KDCARMAX	R3KDCARMAX:W3	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
4	R4KDCARMAX	R4KDCARMAX:W4	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
5	R5KDCARMAX	R5KDCARMAX:W5	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
6	R6KDCARMAX	R6KDCARMAX:W6	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
7	R7KDCARMAX	R7KDCARMAX:W7	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
8	R8KDCARMAX	R8KDCARMAX:W8	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
9	R9KDCARMAX	R9KDCARMAX:W9	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
10	R10KDCARMAX	R10KDCARMAX:W10	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
11	R11KDCARMAX	R11KDCARMAX:W11	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
12	R12KDCARMAX	R12KDCARMAX:W12	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX)	Cont
3	S3KDCARMAX	S3KDCARMAX:W3	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
4	S4KDCARMAX	S4KDCARMAX:W4	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
5	S5KDCARMAX	S5KDCARMAX:W5	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
6	S6KDCARMAX	S6KDCARMAX:W6	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
7	S7KDCARMAX	S7KDCARMAX:W7	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
8	S8KDCARMAX	S8KDCARMAX:W8	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
9	S9KDCARMAX	S9KDCARMAX:W9	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
10	S10KDCARMAX	S10KDCARMAX:W10	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
11	S11KDCARMAX	S11KDCARMAX:W11	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont
12	S12KDCARMAX	S12KDCARMAX:W12	Hours of using parents for childcare (MAX) /Sp	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H3KDCAREKN	14349	0.51	0.91	0.0	11.0
H4KDCAREKN	16505	0.50	0.89	0.0	9.0
H5KDCAREKN	15374	0.48	0.87	0.0	10.0
H6KDCAREKN	14220	0.45	0.83	0.0	10.0
H7KDCAREKN	15145	0.45	0.81	0.0	11.0
H8KDCAREKN	14431	0.43	0.77	0.0	9.0
H9KDCAREKN	13562	0.39	0.75	0.0	9.0
H10KDCAREKN	16035	0.43	0.81	0.0	9.0
H11KDCAREKN	15377	0.42	0.81	0.0	9.0
H12KDCAREKN	14221	0.41	0.81	0.0	9.0
H3KDCAREKF	14349	1.18	1.72	0.0	10.0
H4KDCAREKF	16505	1.17	1.74	0.0	10.0
H5KDCAREKF	15374	1.16	1.79	0.0	10.0
H6KDCAREKF	14220	1.08	1.72	0.0	10.0
H7KDCAREKF	15145	1.10	1.71	0.0	10.0
H8KDCAREKF	14431	1.06	1.69	0.0	10.0
H9KDCAREKF	13562	0.97	1.64	0.0	10.0
H10KDCAREKF	16035	1.02	1.67	0.0	10.0
H11KDCAREKF	15376	0.96	1.62	0.0	10.0
H12KDCAREKF	14221	0.94	1.62	0.0	10.0
R3KDCAREHR	11730	111.57	470.11	0.0	8760.0
R4KDCAREHR	13738	132.46	579.24	0.0	9000.0
R5KDCAREHR	12647	106.34	533.66	0.0	9600.0
R6KDCAREHR	12010	132.45	1539.02	0.0	90000.0
R7KDCAREHR	13507	687.58	2374.35	0.0	10950.0
R8KDCAREHR	12226	307.81	1602.80	0.0	50000.0
R9KDCAREHR	11497	89.65	743.98	0.0	51000.0
R10KDCAREHR	13980	98.95	483.32	0.0	10400.0
R11KDCAREHR	14063	442.87	1894.37	0.0	12480.0
R12KDCAREHR	12748	88.83	500.84	0.0	18820.0
S3KDCAREHR	7876	125.17	476.24	0.0	8000.0

S4KDCAREHR	9150	147.74	592.56	0.0	9000.0
S5KDCAREHR	8366	125.00	581.79	0.0	9600.0
S6KDCAREHR	7946	156.36	1838.33	0.0	90000.0
S7KDCAREHR	9174	975.79	2818.74	0.0	10950.0
S8KDCAREHR	7809	254.44	1352.00	0.0	30000.0
S9KDCAREHR	7292	105.37	874.89	0.0	51000.0
S10KDCAREHR	8932	109.90	504.78	0.0	10400.0
S11KDCAREHR	8992	650.82	2320.22	0.0	12480.0
S12KDCAREHR	7733	95.62	480.58	0.0	15000.0
R3KDCARMIN	1489	302.00	202.71	0.0	501.0
R4KDCARMIN	2757	265.67	213.38	0.0	501.0
R5KDCARMIN	2606	254.06	209.14	0.0	501.0
R6KDCARMIN	2175	256.32	213.77	0.0	501.0
R7KDCARMIN	1942	240.83	210.49	0.0	501.0
R8KDCARMIN	1764	240.78	216.35	0.0	501.0
R9KDCARMIN	1617	230.31	212.78	0.0	501.0
R10KDCARMIN	1435	218.34	210.66	0.0	501.0
R11KDCARMIN	1265	220.67	204.01	0.0	501.0
R12KDCARMIN	992	223.81	208.63	0.0	501.0
S3KDCARMIN	1198	293.18	205.28	0.0	501.0
S4KDCARMIN	2070	252.90	215.03	0.0	501.0
S5KDCARMIN	1936	242.60	209.71	0.0	501.0
S6KDCARMIN	1590	250.47	216.23	0.0	501.0
S7KDCARMIN	1436	231.00	211.53	0.0	501.0
S8KDCARMIN	1293	230.05	217.90	0.0	501.0
S9KDCARMIN	1167	223.61	214.31	0.0	501.0
S10KDCARMIN	936	213.11	212.04	0.0	501.0
S11KDCARMIN	850	207.55	205.28	0.0	501.0
S12KDCARMIN	657	208.41	204.80	0.0	501.0
R3KDCARMAX	752	376.33	147.77	200.0	500.0
R4KDCARMAX	1681	306.30	143.75	199.0	500.0
R5KDCARMAX	1711	310.07	144.82	199.0	500.0
R6KDCARMAX	1282	323.25	147.79	199.0	500.0
R7KDCARMAX	1242	320.25	147.23	199.0	500.0
R8KDCARMAX	1053	309.16	144.62	199.0	500.0
R9KDCARMAX	962	308.67	144.49	199.0	500.0
R10KDCARMAX	911	310.48	145.00	199.0	500.0
R11KDCARMAX	819	321.92	147.56	199.0	500.0
R12KDCARMAX	610	320.65	147.38	199.0	500.0
S3KDCARMAX	627	369.38	148.86	200.0	500.0
S4KDCARMAX	1308	297.84	140.97	199.0	500.0
S5KDCARMAX	1311	304.05	143.07	199.0	500.0
S6KDCARMAX	938	316.59	146.50	199.0	500.0
S7KDCARMAX	935	316.00	146.37	199.0	500.0
S8KDCARMAX	789	303.35	142.93	199.0	500.0
S9KDCARMAX	702	300.50	141.98	199.0	500.0
S10KDCARMAX	598	310.01	144.93	199.0	500.0
S11KDCARMAX	563	316.40	146.51	199.0	500.0
S12KDCARMAX	421	314.61	146.12	199.0	500.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H3KDCAREKF	H4KDCAREKF	H5KDCAREKF	H6KDCAREKF	H7KDCAREKF
.D=DK	10	19	28	21	12
.F=No FamR	65	191	99	3	94
.K=No kids	1530	1708	1416	1199	1443
.R=RF	6	1	4	6	4
.S=Skipped	2031	2960	2658	2716	3431
0=No OPN	9279	10764	10201	9698	10172
3=1+ OPN given,equal not as	4585	5154	4581	4023	4519
6=All kids,equal not ask	408	390	331	299	270
7=All kids+OPN given		127	150	132	89
8=Only deceased kid indicat	30	23	15	33	18
9=Kid indicated,missing OPN	17	5	71	11	56
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	30	42	25	24	21

Value	H8KDCAREKF	H9KDCAREKF	H10KDCAREKF	H11KDCAREKF	H12KDCAREKF
.D=DK	29	25	32	36	16
.F=No FamR	89	80	285	159	162
.K=No kids	1241	1087	1632	1440	1306
.R=RF		4	4	11	7
.S=Skipped	2679	2459	4046	3532	3036
0=No OPN	9837	9611	11108	10893	10173
3=1+ OPN given,equal not as	4210	3597	4507	4138	3734
6=All kids,equal not ask	199	217	296	243	207
7=All kids+OPN given	86	64			
8=Only deceased kid indicat	14	19	23	11	5
9=Kid indicated,missing OPN	50	41	77	71	79
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	35	13	24	20	23

How Constructed

HwKDCAREKN is the number of kids who use the Respondent or Respondent's spouse for at least 100 hours of child care, for grandchildren or great-grandchildren.

This variable is the sum of KwKDCARE for each household in the Respondent-kid file. It is derived from a question in the household level file E_H and is based on OPN.

HwKDCAREKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

RwKDCAREHR is the Respondent's estimate childcare hours provided. SwKDCAREHR is the spouse's estimate of childcare hours provided. These questions are asked separately of the Respondent and spouse. RwKDCARMIN/SwKDCARMIN and RwKDCARMAX/SwKDCARMAX are the minimum and maximum values of the reported bracket ranges for Respondents who do not know or refuse to give the number of childcare hours provided.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:

D1590	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
D1591M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
D1591M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1

D1591M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
D1593	D77.R 100HRS GRANDKID CARE
D1594	D77A.R CARE HRS
D1595	D77B.R SP 100HRS GRANDKID CARE
D1596	D77C.SPOUSE HRS
HRS 1996:	
E1544	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
E1545M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
E1545M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
E1545M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
E1546	D77A.R CARE HRS
E1547	D77B.R CARE HRS DK-200
E1548	D77C.R CARE HRS DK-500
E1550	D77D.SPOUSE HRS
E1551	D77E.SP CARE HRS DK-200
E1552	D77F.SP CARE HRS DK-500
HRS 1998:	
F1832	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
F1833M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1833M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1833M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
F1834	D77A.R CARE HRS
F1835	D77B.R DK-200HRS
F1836	D77C.R DK-500HRS
F1845	D77D.SPOUSE HRS
F1846	D77E.SP DK-200HRS
F1847	D77F.SP DK-500HRS
HRS 2000:	
G2048	D76. CARE OF GRANDKIDS
G2049M1	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2049M2	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2049M3	D76A.WHICH CHILD PARENT-1
G2050	D77A.R CARE HRS
G2051	D77B.R DK-200HRS
G2052	D77C.R DK-500HRS
G2061	D77D.SPOUSE HRS
G2062	D77E.SP DK-200HRS
G2063	D77F.SP DK-500HRS
HRS 2002:	
HE060	CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
HE061M01	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
HE061M02	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
HE061M03	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
HE063	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
HE065	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
HE066	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HE068	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
HE070	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
HE071	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2004:	
JE060	CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
JE061M1	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
JE061M2	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
JE061M3	WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
JE063	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
JE065	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
JE066	R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
JE068	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
JE070	SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS

JE071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2006:
KE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
KE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
KE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
KE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
KE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
KE065 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
KE066 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
KE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
KE070 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
KE071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2008:
LE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
LE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN-1
LE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 2
LE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN- 3
LE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
LE065 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
LE066 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
LE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
LE070 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
LE071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2010:
ME060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
ME061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
ME061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
ME061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
ME063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
ME065 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
ME066 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
ME068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
ME070 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
ME071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2012:
NE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
NE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
NE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
NE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
NE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
NE065 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
NE066 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
NE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
NE070 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
NE071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
HRS 2014:
OE060 CARE OF GRANDKIDS- 100 OR MORE HOURS
OE061M1 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -1
OE061M2 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -2
OE061M3 WHICH CHILDS CHILDREN -3
OE063 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
OE065 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
OE066 R CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS
OE068 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- # HOURS
OE070 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MIN HOURS
OE071 SP/P CARE FOR GRANDCHILD- MAX HOURS

Financial Transfer To Kids

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	H1TCANY	H1TCANY:W1 Any transfer to children	Categ
2	H2TCANY	H2TCANY:W2 Any transfer to children	Categ
3	H3TCANY	H3TCANY:W3 Any transfer to children	Categ
4	H4TCANY	H4TCANY:W4 Any transfer to children	Categ
5	H5TCANY	H5TCANY:W5 Any transfer to children	Categ
6	H6TCANY	H6TCANY:W6 Any transfer to children	Categ
7	H7TCANY	H7TCANY:W7 Any transfer to children	Categ
8	H8TCANY	H8TCANY:W8 Any transfer to children	Categ
9	H9TCANY	H9TCANY:W9 Any transfer to children	Categ
10	H10TCANY	H10TCANY:W10 Any transfer to children	Categ
11	H11TCANY	H11TCANY:W11 Any transfer to children	Categ
12	H12TCANY	H12TCANY:W12 Any transfer to children	Categ
1	H1TCANYKN	H1TCANYKN:W1 Number of children received transfer	Cont
2	H2TCANYKN	H2TCANYKN:W2 Number of children received transfer	Cont
3	H3TCANYKN	H3TCANYKN:W3 Number of children received transfer	Cont
4	H4TCANYKN	H4TCANYKN:W4 Number of children received transfer	Cont
5	H5TCANYKN	H5TCANYKN:W5 Number of children received transfer	Cont
6	H6TCANYKN	H6TCANYKN:W6 Number of children received transfer	Cont
7	H7TCANYKN	H7TCANYKN:W7 Number of children received transfer	Cont
8	H8TCANYKN	H8TCANYKN:W8 Number of children received transfer	Cont
9	H9TCANYKN	H9TCANYKN:W9 Number of children received transfer	Cont
10	H10TCANYKN	H10TCANYKN:W10 Number of children received transfer	Cont
11	H11TCANYKN	H11TCANYKN:W11 Number of children received transfer	Cont
12	H12TCANYKN	H12TCANYKN:W12 Number of children received transfer	Cont
1	H1TCNTRAN	H1TCNTRAN:W1 Number of transfer children received	Categ
2	H2TCNTRAN	H2TCNTRAN:W2 Number of transfer children received	Categ
3	H3TCNTRAN	H3TCNTRAN:W3 Number of transfer children received	Categ
4	H4TCNTRAN	H4TCNTRAN:W4 Number of transfer children received	Categ
5	H5TCNTRAN	H5TCNTRAN:W5 Number of transfer children received	Categ
6	H6TCNTRAN	H6TCNTRAN:W6 Number of transfer children received	Categ
7	H7TCNTRAN	H7TCNTRAN:W7 Number of transfer children received	Categ
8	H8TCNTRAN	H8TCNTRAN:W8 Number of transfer children received	Categ
9	H9TCNTRAN	H9TCNTRAN:W9 Number of transfer children received	Categ
10	H10TCNTRAN	H10TCNTRAN:W10 Number of transfer children received	Categ
11	H11TCNTRAN	H11TCNTRAN:W11 Number of transfer children received	Categ
12	H12TCNTRAN	H12TCNTRAN:W12 Number of transfer children received	Categ
1	H1TCAMT	H1TCAMT:W1 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
2	H2TCAMT	H2TCAMT:W2 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
3	H3TCAMT	H3TCAMT:W3 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
4	H4TCAMT	H4TCAMT:W4 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
5	H5TCAMT	H5TCAMT:W5 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
6	H6TCAMT	H6TCAMT:W6 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
7	H7TCAMT	H7TCAMT:W7 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
8	H8TCAMT	H8TCAMT:W8 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
9	H9TCAMT	H9TCAMT:W9 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
10	H10TCAMT	H10TCAMT:W10 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
11	H11TCAMT	H11TCAMT:W11 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
12	H12TCAMT	H12TCAMT:W12 Amounts of transfer children received(imputed)	Cont
1	H1TCFLG	H1TCFLG:W1 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
2	H2TCFLG	H2TCFLG:W2 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
3	H3TCFLG	H3TCFLG:W3 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
4	H4TCFLG	H4TCFLG:W4 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
5	H5TCFLG	H5TCFLG:W5 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
6	H6TCFLG	H6TCFLG:W6 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
7	H7TCFLG	H7TCFLG:W7 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
8	H8TCFLG	H8TCFLG:W8 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
9	H9TCFLG	H9TCFLG:W9 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
10	H10TCFLG	H10TCFLG:W10 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
11	H11TCFLG	H11TCFLG:W11 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ
12	H12TCFLG	H12TCFLG:W12 Imputed flag:Amount of transfer	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H1TCANY	8015	0.47	0.50	0.0	1.0
H2TCANY	17420	0.41	0.49	0.0	1.0
H3TCANY	15900	0.44	0.50	0.0	1.0
H4TCANY	18927	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
H5TCANY	17623	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
H6TCANY	16703	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
H7TCANY	18426	0.40	0.49	0.0	1.0
H8TCANY	15087	0.40	0.49	0.0	1.0
H9TCANY	15930	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
H10TCANY	19817	0.40	0.49	0.0	1.0
H11TCANY	18729	0.36	0.48	0.0	1.0
H12TCANY	17082	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
H1TCANYKN	8015	0.72	0.99	0.0	8.0
H2TCANYKN	17531	0.65	1.02	0.0	11.0
H3TCANYKN	16262	0.73	1.08	0.0	9.0
H4TCANYKN	19333	0.59	0.98	0.0	14.0
H5TCANYKN	17901	0.58	0.96	0.0	11.0
H6TCANYKN	16795	0.53	0.94	0.0	20.0
H7TCANYKN	18441	0.61	0.96	0.0	10.0
H8TCANYKN	15107	0.61	0.94	0.0	9.0
H9TCANYKN	15948	0.56	0.92	0.0	11.0
H10TCANYKN	19849	0.61	0.95	0.0	10.0
H11TCANYKN	18753	0.54	0.91	0.0	14.0
H12TCANYKN	17108	0.54	0.91	0.0	10.0
H1TCNTRAN	8015	0.72	0.99	0.0	8.0
H2TCNTRAN	17420	0.74	1.16	0.0	11.0
H3TCNTRAN	15900	0.82	1.26	0.0	14.0
H4TCNTRAN	18927	0.61	1.02	0.0	15.0
H5TCNTRAN	17623	0.61	1.00	0.0	11.0
H6TCNTRAN	16703	0.55	1.00	0.0	20.0
H7TCNTRAN	18426	0.63	1.03	0.0	25.0
H8TCNTRAN	15087	0.64	1.00	0.0	9.0
H9TCNTRAN	15930	0.58	0.96	0.0	11.0
H10TCNTRAN	19817	0.63	1.01	0.0	13.0
H11TCNTRAN	18729	0.56	0.97	0.0	14.0
H12TCNTRAN	17082	0.57	0.99	0.0	11.0
H1TCAMT	8015	2646.72	8733.71	0.0	240000.0
H2TCAMT	17531	2424.04	13278.96	0.0	960000.0
H3TCAMT	16262	4377.77	36947.16	0.0	2580000.0
H4TCAMT	19333	3193.21	13164.24	0.0	780000.0
H5TCAMT	17901	3706.34	14946.31	0.0	700000.0
H6TCAMT	16795	3842.82	24067.85	0.0	2000000.0
H7TCAMT	18441	4134.17	16656.76	0.0	650000.0
H8TCAMT	15107	4557.36	19668.76	0.0	905000.0
H9TCAMT	15948	4357.06	21013.93	0.0	1103000.0
H10TCAMT	19849	4765.01	19261.87	0.0	1065000.0
H11TCAMT	18753	4172.46	31226.64	0.0	3600000.0
H12TCAMT	17108	4604.40	34117.71	0.0	2801000.0
H1TCFLG	8011	0.04	0.19	0.0	1.0
H2TCFLG	18460	0.08	0.28	0.0	1.0
H3TCFLG	16258	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
H4TCFLG	19329	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0

H5TCFLG	17900	0.07	0.26	0.0	1.0
H6TCFLG	16795	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
H7TCFLG	18441	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
H8TCFLG	15107	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
H9TCFLG	15948	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
H10TCFLG	19849	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
H11TCFLG	18753	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
H12TCFLG	17108	0.05	0.21	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H1TCANY	H2TCANY	H3TCANY	H4TCANY	H5TCANY	H6TCANY	H7TCANY
.F=No FamR		16	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	955	2079	1539	1712	1428	1205	1443
.M=Missing	3682	127	487	548	426	254	166
0.No	4256	10308	8941	11700	10892	10789	11064
1.Yes	3759	7112	6959	7227	6731	5914	7362

Value	H8TCANY	H9TCANY	H10TCANY	H11TCANY	H12TCANY
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.M=Missing	2048	111	287	212	193
0.No	9123	10007	11948	11979	10826
1.Yes	5964	5923	7869	6750	6256

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H1TCNTRAN	H2TCNTRAN	H3TCNTRAN	H4TCNTRAN	H5TCNTRAN	H6TCNTRAN	H7TCNTRAN
.F=No FamR		16	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	955	2079	1539	1712	1428	1205	1443
.M=Missing	3682	127	487	548	426	254	166
0.No transfer	4363	10359	8960	11859	11031	10997	11337
1-35 transfers	3652	7061	6940	7068	6592	5706	7089

Value	H8TCNTRAN	H9TCNTRAN	H10TCNTRAN	H11TCNTRAN	H12TCNTRAN
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.M=Missing	2048	111	287	212	193
0.No transfer	9244	10132	12098	12146	10985
1-35 transfers	5843	5798	7719	6583	6097

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H1TCFLG	H2TCFLG	H3TCFLG	H4TCFLG	H5TCFLG	H6TCFLG	H7TCFLG
.F=No FamR		16	65	197	102	3	94
.K=No kids	955	1036	1539	1712	1428	1205	1428
.M=Missing	3686	130	129	146	149	162	166
0.Not imputed	7705	16937	14647	17992	16601	15809	17227
1.Imputed	306	1523	1611	1337	1299	986	1214

Value	H8TCFLG	H9TCFLG	H10TCFLG	H11TCFLG	H12TCFLG
.F=No FamR	91	81	285	161	163
.K=No kids	1223	1077	1613	1428	1284
.M=Missing	2048	111	287	212	193
0.Not imputed	14078	15053	18825	17832	16294
1.Imputed	1029	895	1024	921	814

How Constructed

HwTCANY indicates whether the Respondent or spouse gave financial help to any kid (or grandkid). This variable is derived from the KwTCANY variable in the Respondent-kid file.

HwTCANYKN indicates the number of kids (or grandkids) receiving financial help. This variable is the sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwTCANY=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwTCNTRAN is the total number of financial transfers. This variable is derived from the KwTCNTRAN variable in the Respondent-kid file. It is the sum of KwTCNTRAN from kids reported by the Respondent where there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwTCAMT is the imputed total transfer amount. This variable is the sum of KwTCAMT for all kids reported by the Respondent where there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1). Responses of DK and RF have been imputed for KwTCAMT.

HwTCFLG indicates whether any KwTCAMT summed to create HwTCAMT was imputed.

In Wave 1, H1TCAMT is the HRS imputed amount and is from the HRS imputation file. There was not enough information to perform the RAND imputation.

From Wave 2 forward, HwTCAMT is imputed using the same imputation method used for the RAND HRS income and wealth imputations. Please see the Imputation Method section for more details.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question asks whether the Respondent or spouse gave financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$500 or more, except in 1994 and 1995. In those years, the Respondent and spouse were asked whether they gave financial help or (other) gifts totaling \$100 or more.

The bracket responses in 1993, 1994 and 1995 are different from the other years.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 V1504 E35:FINANC. ASSIST >:IMP
 V1507 E37:1ST-LST YRS ASST:IMP
 AHEAD 1993:
 B494 D41. \$500/+ TO CHILD/GRKID PAST 12 MOS-1
 B499 D43. HOW MUCH \$ TO CHILD PAST 12 MOS-1
 HRS 1994:
 W8024 E30B. AMOUNT CHILD RECEIVED
 W902 E30. Give assistance to
 AHEAD 1995:
 D1471 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
 HRS 1996:
 E1441 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
 E1449 D53/D57.TRANSFER TO \$ AMOUNT
 HRS 1998:
 F1863 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
 F1868 D53.TRANSFER TO CHILD \$ AMOUNT
 HRS 2000:
 G2079 D50.TRANSFER TO KIDS 2YR
 G2084 D53.TRANSFER TO CHILD \$ AMOUNT
 HRS 2002:
 HE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 HE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2004:
 JE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 JE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2006:
 KE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 KE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2008:
 LE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 LE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2010:
 ME075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 ME081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2012:
 NE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 NE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN
 HRS 2014:
 OE075 SINCE PREV WAVE TRANSFER TO KIDS
 OE081 AMOUNT TRANSFERRED TO CHILDREN

Number of Kids Included in Will

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2WILLKN	R2WILLKN:W2 Number of children included in the will	Cont
3	R3WILLKN	R3WILLKN:W3 Number of children included in the will	Cont
4	R4WILLKN	R4WILLKN:W4 Number of children included in the will	Cont
5	R5WILLKN	R5WILLKN:W5 Number of children included in the will	Cont
6	R6WILLKN	R6WILLKN:W6 Number of children included in the will	Cont
7	R7WILLKN	R7WILLKN:W7 Number of children included in the will	Cont
8	R8WILLKN	R8WILLKN:W8 Number of children included in the will	Cont
9	R9WILLKN	R9WILLKN:W9 Number of children included in the will	Cont
10	R10WILLKN	R10WILLKN:W10 Number of children included in the will	Cont
11	R11WILLKN	R11WILLKN:W11 Number of children included in the will	Cont
12	R12WILLKN	R12WILLKN:W12 Number of children included in the will	Cont
2	R2WILLKF	R2WILLKF:W2 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
3	R3WILLKF	R3WILLKF:W3 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
4	R4WILLKF	R4WILLKF:W4 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
5	R5WILLKF	R5WILLKF:W5 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
6	R6WILLKF	R6WILLKF:W6 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
7	R7WILLKF	R7WILLKF:W7 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
8	R8WILLKF	R8WILLKF:W8 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
9	R9WILLKF	R9WILLKF:W9 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
10	R10WILLKF	R10WILLKF:W10 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
11	R11WILLKF	R11WILLKF:W11 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ
12	R12WILLKF	R12WILLKF:W12 Number of children included in the will-flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2WILLKN	17562	0.61	1.36	0.0	13.0
R3WILLKN	16435	1.38	1.87	0.0	18.0
R4WILLKN	19664	1.42	1.92	0.0	19.0
R5WILLKN	18140	1.51	1.99	0.0	19.0
R6WILLKN	16948	1.56	2.02	0.0	19.0
R7WILLKN	18679	1.41	1.96	0.0	18.0
R8WILLKN	17219	1.44	1.95	0.0	18.0
R9WILLKN	16114	1.49	2.00	0.0	18.0
R10WILLKN	20374	1.20	1.90	0.0	20.0
R11WILLKN	19086	1.19	1.90	0.0	20.0
R12WILLKN	17418	1.17	1.85	0.0	18.0
R2WILLKF	4218	3.67	0.93	0.0	10.0
R3WILLKF	8567	3.47	1.16	0.0	10.0
R4WILLKF	10069	3.63	1.15	0.0	10.0
R5WILLKF	9530	3.68	1.09	0.0	10.0
R6WILLKF	8878	3.77	0.95	0.0	10.0
R7WILLKF	9053	3.74	0.97	0.0	10.0
R8WILLKF	8761	3.72	1.06	0.0	10.0
R9WILLKF	8051	3.78	0.98	0.0	10.0
R10WILLKF	8352	3.76	1.02	0.0	10.0
R11WILLKF	7820	3.73	1.04	0.0	10.0
R12WILLKF	7184	3.71	1.07	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2WILLKF	R3WILLKF	R4WILLKF	R5WILLKF	R6WILLKF	R7WILLKF
.B=No will	2321	4937	8216	7424	6937	8477
.D=DK		16	1	6	4	3
.K=No kids	1044	1538	1712	1428	1205	1443
.R=RF		2	7	5	8	4
.S=Skipped	639	2931	1379	1186	1133	1149
.X=Inapplicable	11420					
0=No OPN	144	718	658	531	305	332
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	1139	1811	1831	1631	1519	1645
4=All kids equally	2783	6012	7279	7083	6799	6834
6=All kids, equal not ask	150		254	237	208	186
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		19	39	43	43	49
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	2	7	8	5	4	7

Value	R8WILLKF	R9WILLKF	R10WILLKF	R11WILLKF	R12WILLKF
.B=No will	7439	6964	10613	10086	9200
.D=DK	3	5	2	5	8
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.R=RF	4	3	13	11	12
.S=Skipped	1019	1099	1409	1180	1034
0=No OPN	425	287	318	332	314
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	1478	1365	1490	1468	1439
4=All kids equally	6567	6111	6278	5797	5227
6=All kids, equal not ask	239	244	197	155	137
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	48	40	66	66	61
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	4	4	3	2	6

How Constructed

RwWILLKN is the number of kids who are included in the Respondent's will.

This variable is derived from the variable KwWILL in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwWILL=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwWILLKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question was not asked in Waves 1 and 2H (1994).

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:

B1690 J55. R WILL: HAVE ONE
 B1691 J56. R WILL: INCLUDE ANY FAM MEMBERS
 B1692 J56a. R WILL: INCLUDE ANY CHILDREN
 B1693A1 J56b. R WILL: WHICH CHILD-1
 B1693A2 J56b. R WILL: WHICH CHILD-2
 B1694 J56c. R WILL: EQUAL FOR ALL CHILDREN

AHEAD 1995:

D4768 J90. R HAS WILL
 D4769 J91. WILL FAMILY
 D4770 J91A. WILL CHILDREN
 D4771M1 J91B. WILL-WHICH CHILD-1

D4771M2	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M3	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M4	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M5	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4771M6	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
D4772M1	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4772M2	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4772M3	J91B.WILL-WHICH CHILD-2
D4773	J91B.WILL-EQUALLY
HRS 1996:	
E4769	J323.R HAS WILL
E4770	J324.WILL FAMILY
E4771	J325.WILL CHILDREN
E4772M1	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M2	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M3	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M4	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M5	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4772M6	J326.(J91B)WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
E4773	J328.WILL-EQUALLY
HRS 1998:	
F5529	J323.R HAS WILL
F5530	J324.WILL FAMILY
F5531	J325.WILL CHILDREN
F5532M1	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M10	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M2	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M3	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M4	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M5	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M6	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M7	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M8	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5532M9	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
F5533	J328.WILL-EQUALLY
HRS 2000:	
G5884	J325.WILL CHILDREN
G5885M1	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M2	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M3	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M4	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M5	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M6	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M7	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M8	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5885M9	J326.WILL-WHICH CHILD-1
G5886	J328.WILL-EQUALLY
HRS 2002:	
HT003	R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
HT004M01	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
HT004M02	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
HT004M03	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
HT004M04	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
HT004M05	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
HT004M06	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
HT004M07	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
HT004M08	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
HT004M09	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
HT004M10	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10

HT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
HT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2004:
JT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
JT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
JT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
JT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
JT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
JT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
JT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
JT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
JT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
JT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
JT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
JT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
JT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2006:
KT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
KT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
KT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
KT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
KT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
KT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
KT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
KT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
KT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
KT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
KT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
KT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
KT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2008:
LT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
LT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M1
LT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M10
LT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M11
LT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M2
LT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M3
LT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M4
LT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M5
LT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M6
LT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M7
LT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M8
LT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -M9
LT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2010:
MT003 R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
MT004M1 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
MT004M10 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
MT004M11 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
MT004M2 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
MT004M3 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
MT004M4 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
MT004M5 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
MT004M6 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
MT004M7 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
MT004M8 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
MT004M9 WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
MT005 WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2012:

NT003	R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
NT004M1	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
NT004M10	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
NT004M11	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
NT004M2	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
NT004M3	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
NT004M4	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
NT004M5	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
NT004M6	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
NT004M7	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
NT004M8	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
NT004M9	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
NT005	WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY
HRS 2014:	
OT003	R WILL INCLUDE CHILDREN/STEPCHILDREN
OT004M1	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -1
OT004M10	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -10
OT004M11	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -11
OT004M2	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -2
OT004M3	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -3
OT004M4	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -4
OT004M5	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -5
OT004M6	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -6
OT004M7	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -7
OT004M8	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -8
OT004M9	WHICH CHILD IS INCLUDED IN WILL -9
OT005	WILL PROVIDE FOR ALL CHILDREN EQUALLY

Number of Kids Beneficiary of Life Insurance

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2LFINSKN	R2LFINSKN:W2 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
3	R3LFINSKN	R3LFINSKN:W3 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
4	R4LFINSKN	R4LFINSKN:W4 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
5	R5LFINSKN	R5LFINSKN:W5 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
6	R6LFINSKN	R6LFINSKN:W6 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
7	R7LFINSKN	R7LFINSKN:W7 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
8	R8LFINSKN	R8LFINSKN:W8 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
9	R9LFINSKN	R9LFINSKN:W9 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
10	R10LFINSKN	R10LFINSKN:W10 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
11	R11LFINSKN	R11LFINSKN:W11 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
12	R12LFINSKN	R12LFINSKN:W12 Number of children benefit from life ins	Cont
2	R2LFINSKF	R2LFINSKF:W2 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
3	R3LFINSKF	R3LFINSKF:W3 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
4	R4LFINSKF	R4LFINSKF:W4 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
5	R5LFINSKF	R5LFINSKF:W5 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
6	R6LFINSKF	R6LFINSKF:W6 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
7	R7LFINSKF	R7LFINSKF:W7 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
8	R8LFINSKF	R8LFINSKF:W8 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
9	R9LFINSKF	R9LFINSKF:W9 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
10	R10LFINSKF	R10LFINSKF:W10 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
11	R11LFINSKF	R11LFINSKF:W11 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
12	R12LFINSKF	R12LFINSKF:W12 Number of children benefit from life ins-flag	Categ
2	R2LFINSAMT	R2LFINSAMT:W2 Face value of R life ins	Cont
3	R3LFINSAMT	R3LFINSAMT:W3 Face value of R life ins	Cont
4	R4LFINSAMT	R4LFINSAMT:W4 Face value of R life ins	Cont
5	R5LFINSAMT	R5LFINSAMT:W5 Face value of R life ins	Cont
6	R6LFINSAMT	R6LFINSAMT:W6 Face value of R life ins	Cont
7	R7LFINSAMT	R7LFINSAMT:W7 Face value of R life ins	Cont
8	R8LFINSAMT	R8LFINSAMT:W8 Face value of R life ins	Cont
9	R9LFINSAMT	R9LFINSAMT:W9 Face value of R life ins	Cont
10	R10LFINSAMT	R10LFINSAMT:W10 Face value of R life ins	Cont
11	R11LFINSAMT	R11LFINSAMT:W11 Face value of R life ins	Cont
12	R12LFINSAMT	R12LFINSAMT:W12 Face value of R life ins	Cont
3	R3LFINSMIN	R3LFINSMIN:W3 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
4	R4LFINSMIN	R4LFINSMIN:W4 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
5	R5LFINSMIN	R5LFINSMIN:W5 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
6	R6LFINSMIN	R6LFINSMIN:W6 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
7	R7LFINSMIN	R7LFINSMIN:W7 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
8	R8LFINSMIN	R8LFINSMIN:W8 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
9	R9LFINSMIN	R9LFINSMIN:W9 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
10	R10LFINSMIN	R10LFINSMIN:W10 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
11	R11LFINSMIN	R11LFINSMIN:W11 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
12	R12LFINSMIN	R12LFINSMIN:W12 Face value of R life ins bracket-min	Cont
3	R3LFINSMAX	R3LFINSMAX:W3 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
4	R4LFINSMAX	R4LFINSMAX:W4 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
5	R5LFINSMAX	R5LFINSMAX:W5 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
6	R6LFINSMAX	R6LFINSMAX:W6 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
7	R7LFINSMAX	R7LFINSMAX:W7 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
8	R8LFINSMAX	R8LFINSMAX:W8 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
9	R9LFINSMAX	R9LFINSMAX:W9 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
10	R10LFINSMAX	R10LFINSMAX:W10 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
11	R11LFINSMAX	R11LFINSMAX:W11 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont
12	R12LFINSMAX	R12LFINSMAX:W12 Face value of R life ins bracket-max	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2LFINSKN	17563	0.12	0.57	0.0	14.0
R3LFINSKN	16571	0.50	1.19	0.0	13.0
R4LFINSKN	19563	0.61	1.30	0.0	15.0
R5LFINSKN	18005	0.57	1.26	0.0	19.0
R6LFINSKN	16778	0.60	1.29	0.0	16.0
R7LFINSKN	18524	0.61	1.27	0.0	18.0
R8LFINSKN	17086	0.61	1.26	0.0	14.0
R9LFINSKN	15943	0.62	1.28	0.0	18.0
R10LFINSKN	20168	0.66	1.27	0.0	14.0
R11LFINSKN	18894	0.70	1.29	0.0	15.0
R12LFINSKN	17242	0.75	1.31	0.0	11.0
R2LFINSKF	7179	0.44	1.07	0.0	3.0
R3LFINSKF	9907	2.03	2.87	0.0	10.0
R4LFINSKF	13685	1.83	2.53	0.0	11.0
R5LFINSKF	12153	1.73	2.47	0.0	10.0
R6LFINSKF	11214	1.85	2.53	0.0	10.0
R7LFINSKF	12308	1.91	2.53	0.0	11.0
R8LFINSKF	11990	1.76	2.44	0.0	11.0
R9LFINSKF	10072	2.01	2.52	0.0	10.0
R10LFINSKF	11876	2.32	2.58	0.0	10.0
R11LFINSKF	10964	2.49	2.56	0.0	10.0
R12LFINSKF	9858	2.59	2.51	0.0	10.0
R2LFINSAMT	2880	1182.08	11507.04	0.0	400000.0
R3LFINSAMT	5206	69715.33	181560.74	1.0	5000000.0
R4LFINSAMT	11945	63178.22	174480.47	1.0	6000000.0
R5LFINSAMT	10589	77046.85	1466153.13	5.0	150000000.0
R6LFINSAMT	9535	67780.05	172572.98	4.0	4300000.0
R7LFINSAMT	10626	85973.07	194076.20	0.0	6000000.0
R8LFINSAMT	8726	93028.49	228356.40	0.0	8000000.0
R9LFINSAMT	8814	86929.82	229643.76	0.0	8000000.0
R10LFINSAMT	10684	117770.49	255453.30	0.0	7500000.0
R11LFINSAMT	9854	117521.64	269827.79	0.0	8250000.0
R12LFINSAMT	8910	117874.82	276436.71	0.0	10000000.0
R3LFINSMIN	473	41347.78	60895.67	0.0	250000.0
R4LFINSMIN	1826	22173.43	46305.58	0.0	250001.0
R5LFINSMIN	1397	21473.48	46524.94	0.0	250001.0
R6LFINSMIN	2314	12312.36	34155.16	0.0	250001.0
R7LFINSMIN	2466	16935.71	43354.45	0.0	250001.0
R8LFINSMIN	1864	16757.33	43464.55	0.0	250001.0
R9LFINSMIN	1816	18118.50	45528.88	0.0	250001.0
R10LFINSMIN	1948	19363.87	45679.40	0.0	250001.0
R11LFINSMIN	1799	19401.46	47657.95	0.0	250001.0
R12LFINSMIN	1535	16769.13	41897.17	0.0	250001.0
R3LFINSMAX	382	114692.41	103204.18	2500.0	250000.0
R4LFINSMAX	1688	63048.70	82799.36	2499.0	250000.0
R5LFINSMAX	1273	61955.22	78343.02	2499.0	250000.0
R6LFINSMAX	1109	60224.66	80819.67	2499.0	250000.0
R7LFINSMAX	1270	68213.80	87699.87	2499.0	250000.0
R8LFINSMAX	872	74620.79	91387.76	2499.0	250000.0
R9LFINSMAX	871	73391.86	89315.25	2499.0	250000.0
R10LFINSMAX	946	80147.17	94579.44	2499.0	250000.0
R11LFINSMAX	879	74800.09	90693.95	2499.0	250000.0

R12LFINSMAX 743 74144.53 90042.86 2499.0 250000.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2LFINSKF	R3LFINSKF	R4LFINSKF	R5LFINSKF	R6LFINSKF	R7LFINSKF
.D=DK		90	92	101	120	114
.K=No kids	1043	1304	1676	1412	1186	1418
.R=RF		26	53	61	81	73
.S=Skipped		2666	64	46	15	27
.T=No ins/WL ins		3998	5814	5806	5549	6189
.X=Inapplicable	11420					
0=No OPN	6116	6050	8366	7602	6738	7158
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	1063	1591	2553	2274	2237	2769
6=All kids, equal not ask		1678	2530	2097	2035	2060
7=All kids+OPN given						62
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		577	223	169	196	244
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		11	10	11	8	14
11=All kids equally, but no			3			1

Value	R8LFINSKF	R9LFINSKF	R10LFINSKF	R11LFINSKF	R12LFINSKF
.D=DK	89	126	142	121	112
.K=No kids	1223	1073	1616	1425	1292
.R=RF	71	75	108	114	102
.S=Skipped	17	21	259	55	54
.T=No ins/WL ins	5079	5850	8033	7875	7330
0=No OPN	7252	5598	5665	4748	3925
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	2661	2412	3631	3687	3647
6=All kids, equal not ask	1842	1822	2133	2126	1935
7=All kids+OPN given	43	70	106	109	98
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	174	159	321	272	239
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	17	11	20	22	14
11=All kids equally, but no	1				

How Constructed

RwLFINSKN is the number of kids who are beneficiaries of the Respondent's life insurance.

This variable is derived from the variable KwLFINS in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwLFINS=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwLFINSKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

RwLFINSAMT is the face value of life insurance policies. It is the amount of money the beneficiary would get if the Respondent died.

RwLFINSMIN and RwLFINSMAX are the min and max values of reported bracket ranges. For the top open bracket, the special code .B is used.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2H (1994).

In Waves 2A and 3A, the amount is continuous. There is no bracket information.

In Waves 3H and 4, the bracket ranges are 2500, 20K, 50K and 250K.

From Wave 5 forward, the bracket ranges are 2500, 25K, 50K and 250K.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:

BENETIF	BENEFICIARY OF TERM INS BY FEMALE R
BENETIM	BENEFICIARY OF TERM INS BY MALE R
FVALTIF	FACE VALUE TERM INS FROM FEMALE R
FVALTIM	FACE VALUE TERM INS FROM MALE R

AHEAD 1995:

D5280	R16A.R TERM INS
D5292	R16E.R FACE\$
D5295M1	R17.R TERM CHILD BENIF-1
D5295M2	R17.R TERM CHILD BENIF-1
D5295M3	R17.R TERM CHILD BENIF-1

HRS 1996:

E5284	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
E5287	R97.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ POLICIES
E5288	R97A.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ DK-20K
E5289	R97B.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ DK-50K
E5290	R97C.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ DK-250K
E5291	R97D.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ DK-2.5K
E5292M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
E5292M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY

HRS 1998:

F6015	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
F6018	R97.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ POLICIES
F6019	R97DX.R97 DK-2.5
F6020	R97A.DK-20K
F6021	R97B.DK-50K
F6022	R97C.DK-250K
F6023	R97AX.R97 DK-20K
F6024	R97D.DK-2.5K
F6025M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
F6025M7	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY

HRS 2000:

G6409	R94.HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
G6421	R97.POLICIES FACE VALUE-2+ POLICIES
G6422	R97DX.R97 DK-2500
G6423	R97A.DK-25K

G6424	R97B.DK-50K
G6425	R97C.DK-250K
G6426	R97AX.R97 DK-25K
G6427	R97D.DK-2500
G6428M1	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M2	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M3	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M4	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M5	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M6	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M7	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M8	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6428M9	R98.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 2002:	
HT011	R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
HT013	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
HT014	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
HT015	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
HT017M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
HT017M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
HT017M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
HT017M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
HT017M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
HT017M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
HT017M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
HT017M8	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8
HRS 2004:	
JT011	R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
JT013	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
JT014	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
JT015	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
JT017M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
JT017M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
JT017M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
JT017M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
JT017M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
JT017M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
JT017M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
JT017M8	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8
JT017M9	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M9
HRS 2006:	
KT011	R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
KT013	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
KT014	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
KT015	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
KT017M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1
KT017M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M2
KT017M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M3
KT017M4	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M4
KT017M5	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M5
KT017M6	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M6
KT017M7	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M7
KT017M8	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M8
HRS 2008:	
LT011	R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
LT013	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
LT014	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
LT015	FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
LT017M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES -M1

LT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M2
LT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M3
LT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M4
LT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M5
LT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M6
LT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M7
LT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -M8

HRS 2010:

MT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
MT013 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
MT014 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
MT015 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
MT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -1
MT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -2
MT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -3
MT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -4
MT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -5
MT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -6
MT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -7
MT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -8

HRS 2012:

NT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
NT013 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
NT014 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
NT015 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
NT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -1
NT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -2
NT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -3
NT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -4
NT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -5
NT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -6
NT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -7
NT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -8

HRS 2014:

OT011 R HAVE ANY LIFE INSURANCE
OT013 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS POLICIES
OT014 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS -MIN
OT015 FACE VALUE OF R LIFE INS - MAX
OT017M1 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -1
OT017M2 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -2
OT017M3 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -3
OT017M4 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -4
OT017M5 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -5
OT017M6 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -6
OT017M7 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -7
OT017M8 WHO ARE BENEFFICIARIES -8

Number of Kids Beneficiary of Whole Life Insurance

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
5	R5WLFINSKN	R5WLFINSKN:W5 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
6	R6WLFINSKN	R6WLFINSKN:W6 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
7	R7WLFINSKN	R7WLFINSKN:W7 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
8	R8WLFINSKN	R8WLFINSKN:W8 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
9	R9WLFINSKN	R9WLFINSKN:W9 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
10	R10WLFINSKN	R10WLFINSKN:W10 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
11	R11WLFINSKN	R11WLFINSKN:W11 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
12	R12WLFINSKN	R12WLFINSKN:W12 Number of children benefit from whole life ins	Cont
5	R5WLFINSKF	R5WLFINSKF:W5 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
6	R6WLFINSKF	R6WLFINSKF:W6 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
7	R7WLFINSKF	R7WLFINSKF:W7 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
8	R8WLFINSKF	R8WLFINSKF:W8 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
9	R9WLFINSKF	R9WLFINSKF:W9 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
10	R10WLFINSKF	R10WLFINSKF:W10 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
11	R11WLFINSKF	R11WLFINSKF:W11 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ
12	R12WLFINSKF	R12WLFINSKF:W12 Number of children benefit from whole life ins-flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R5WLFINSKN	17342	0.10	0.55	0.0	10.0
R6WLFINSKN	16247	0.13	0.64	0.0	13.0
R7WLFINSKN	17796	0.13	0.60	0.0	18.0
R8WLFINSKN	16413	0.12	0.57	0.0	10.0
R9WLFINSKN	15346	0.12	0.60	0.0	11.0
R10WLFINSKN	19499	0.12	0.58	0.0	10.0
R11WLFINSKN	18397	0.13	0.61	0.0	10.0
R12WLFINSKN	16770	0.14	0.61	0.0	11.0
R5WLFINSKF	5509	0.74	1.99	0.0	9.0
R6WLFINSKF	4922	1.01	2.28	0.0	10.0
R7WLFINSKF	5436	0.98	2.15	0.0	10.0
R8WLFINSKF	4974	0.96	2.20	0.0	10.0
R9WLFINSKF	4335	0.98	2.21	0.0	10.0
R10WLFINSKF	5157	1.09	2.27	0.0	10.0
R11WLFINSKF	4799	1.15	2.30	0.0	10.0
R12WLFINSKF	4386	1.20	2.30	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R5WLFINSKF	R6WLFINSKF	R7WLFINSKF
.D=DK	802	697	857
.K=No kids	1374	1141	1392
.R=RF	61	80	84
.S=Skipped	5844	5722	6360
.T=No ins/WL ins	5989	5603	6000
0=No OPN	4732	3959	4312
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	322	438	640
6=All kids, equal not ask	333	351	324
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	122	170	159
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		4	1

Value	R8WLFINSKF	R9WLFINSKF	R10WLFINSKF	R11WLFINSKF	R12WLFINSKF
.D=DK	816	757	854	662	616
.K=No kids	1184	1055	1578	1391	1257
.R=RF	56	59	103	104	105
.S=Skipped	6028	6036	8474	8096	7527
.T=No ins/WL ins	5411	4975	5868	5502	4857
0=No OPN	4000	3475	3961	3608	3231
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	519	442	706	724	728
6=All kids, equal not ask	285	280	297	281	260
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	169	135	192	184	166
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	1	3	1	2	1

How Constructed

RwWLFINSKN is the number of kids who are beneficiaries of the Respondent's whole life insurance.

This variable is derived from the variable KwWLFINS in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwWLFINS=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwWLFINSKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Prior to Wave 5, the questions were not asked.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 2000:	
G6429	R99.POLICIES BUILD UP CASH VALUE
G6440M1	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M2	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M3	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M4	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M5	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
G6440M6	R99D.WHO BENEFICIARY
HRS 2002:	
HT018	R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
HT029M1	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
HT029M2	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
HT029M3	WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3

HT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
HT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
HT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
HT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M7

HRS 2004:
JT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
JT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
JT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
JT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
JT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
JT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
JT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
JT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M7

HRS 2006:
KT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
KT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
KT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
KT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
KT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
KT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
KT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6

HRS 2008:
LT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
LT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M1
LT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M2
LT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M3
LT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M4
LT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M5
LT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -M6
LT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS -7

HRS 2010:
MT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
MT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
MT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
MT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
MT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
MT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
MT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
MT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

HRS 2012:
NT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
NT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
NT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
NT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
NT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
NT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
NT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
NT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

HRS 2014:
OT018 R HAVE WHOLE/STRAIGHT LIFE INS POLICIES
OT029M1 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 1
OT029M2 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 2
OT029M3 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 3
OT029M4 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 4
OT029M5 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 5
OT029M6 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 6
OT029M7 WHO ARE BENEFICIARIES OF THESE INS - 7

Number of Kids Covered by Health Insurance

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3HLTINSKN	R3HLTINSKN:W3 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
4	R4HLTINSKN	R4HLTINSKN:W4 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
5	R5HLTINSKN	R5HLTINSKN:W5 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
6	R6HLTINSKN	R6HLTINSKN:W6 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
7	R7HLTINSKN	R7HLTINSKN:W7 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
8	R8HLTINSKN	R8HLTINSKN:W8 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
9	R9HLTINSKN	R9HLTINSKN:W9 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
10	R10HLTINSKN	R10HLTINSKN:W10 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
11	R11HLTINSKN	R11HLTINSKN:W11 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
12	R12HLTINSKN	R12HLTINSKN:W12 Number of children covered by health ins	Cont
3	R3HLTINSKF	R3HLTINSKF:W3 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
4	R4HLTINSKF	R4HLTINSKF:W4 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
5	R5HLTINSKF	R5HLTINSKF:W5 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
6	R6HLTINSKF	R6HLTINSKF:W6 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
7	R7HLTINSKF	R7HLTINSKF:W7 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
8	R8HLTINSKF	R8HLTINSKF:W8 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
9	R9HLTINSKF	R9HLTINSKF:W9 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
10	R10HLTINSKF	R10HLTINSKF:W10 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
11	R11HLTINSKF	R11HLTINSKF:W11 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ
12	R12HLTINSKF	R12HLTINSKF:W12 Number of children covered by health ins-flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3HLTINSKN	16447	0.06	0.33	0.0	8.0
R4HLTINSKN	19667	0.07	0.38	0.0	11.0
R5HLTINSKN	18147	0.05	0.33	0.0	9.0
R6HLTINSKN	16954	0.06	0.32	0.0	8.0
R7HLTINSKN	18677	0.08	0.38	0.0	6.0
R8HLTINSKN	17220	0.09	0.44	0.0	14.0
R9HLTINSKN	16116	0.07	0.37	0.0	10.0
R10HLTINSKN	20369	0.15	0.55	0.0	10.0
R11HLTINSKN	19098	0.12	0.52	0.0	15.0
R12HLTINSKN	17433	0.12	0.49	0.0	6.0
R3HLTINSKF	11198	0.21	0.93	0.0	13.0
R4HLTINSKF	6485	0.53	1.48	0.0	10.0
R5HLTINSKF	5486	0.41	1.31	0.0	10.0
R6HLTINSKF	11727	0.18	0.76	0.0	10.0
R7HLTINSKF	12556	0.26	0.86	0.0	10.0
R8HLTINSKF	10931	0.31	1.00	0.0	9.0
R9HLTINSKF	9398	0.26	0.92	0.0	10.0
R10HLTINSKF	11345	0.56	1.34	0.0	10.0
R11HLTINSKF	10128	0.48	1.29	0.0	10.0
R12HLTINSKF	9082	0.49	1.23	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R3HLTINSKF	R4HLTINSKF	R5HLTINSKF	R6HLTINSKF	R7HLTINSKF
.D=DK	4	6	2	4	7
.K=No kids	1539	1710	1427	1205	1443
.R=RF	1	1	3	2	2
.S=Skipped	5249	13182	12661	5227	6121
0=No OPN	10532	5587	4878	11059	11480
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	574	723	507	637	1070
6=All kids, equal not ask	59	114	59	27	
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	30	32	25	1	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	1	29	17	3	6
13=1+ OPN given plus missin	2				

Value	R8HLTINSKF	R9HLTINSKF	R10HLTINSKF	R11HLTINSKF	R12HLTINSKF
.D=DK	5	6	15	4	5
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.R=RF	1		5		
.S=Skipped	6289	6718	9024	8970	8351
0=No OPN	9923	8655	9464	8727	7722
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	899	684	1635	1183	1233
6=All kids, equal not ask	108	53	240	207	123
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	1	2	2	5	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		4	4	6	4

How Constructed

RwHLTINSKN is the number of kids covered by the Respondent's health insurance.

This variable is derived from the variable KwHLTINS in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHLTINS=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

RwHLTINSKF is the flag that summarizes the child data available for the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1, 2 and 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E5172_1	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED
E5173001	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173002	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173003	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173004	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173005	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173011	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173012	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173013	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173014	R19D.WHO COVERED?
E5173015	R19D.WHO COVERED?
HRS 1998:	
F5905	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED

F5906M1	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M2	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M3	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M4	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M5	R19D.WHO COVERED?
F5906M6	R19D.WHO COVERED?
HRS 2000:	
G6278	R19C.ANYONE ELSE COVERED
G6279M1	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M2	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M3	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M4	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M5	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M6	R19D.WHO COVERED?
G6279M7	R19D.WHO COVERED?
HRS 2002:	
HN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
HN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
HN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
HN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
HN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
HN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
HN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
HN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
HN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
HN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
HN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
HN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
HN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
HN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
HN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
HN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
HN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4
HRS 2004:	
JN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
JN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
JN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
JN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
JN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
JN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
JN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
JN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 5
JN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 6
JN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
JN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
JN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
JN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
JN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
JN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
JN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-3-3
JN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4
HRS 2006:	
KN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
KN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
KN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
KN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
KN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
KN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
KN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4

KN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
KN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
KN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
KN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
KN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
KN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
KN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
KN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
KN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
KN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4
HRS 2008:		
LN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
LN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
LN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
LN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
LN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
LN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
LN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
LN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
LN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
LN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
LN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
LN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
LN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
LN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
LN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
LN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
LN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4
HRS 2010:		
MN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
MN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
MN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
MN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
MN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
MN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
MN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
MN049_1E	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 5
MN049_1F	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 6
MN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
MN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
MN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
MN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
MN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1
MN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 2
MN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 3
MN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 4
HRS 2012:		
NN048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	1
NN048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	2
NN048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED-	3
NN049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 1
NN049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 2
NN049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 3
NN049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	1- 4
NN049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 1
NN049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 2
NN049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 3
NN049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	2- 4
NN049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED-	3- 1

NN049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
NN049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 3
NN049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4
HRS 2014:	
ON048_1	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 1
ON048_2	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 2
ON048_3	PRIV PLAN HI- ANYONE ELSE COVERED- 3
ON049_1A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 1
ON049_1B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 2
ON049_1C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 3
ON049_1D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 1- 4
ON049_2A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 1
ON049_2B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 2
ON049_2C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 3
ON049_2D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 2- 4
ON049_3A	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 1
ON049_3B	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 2
ON049_3C	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 3
ON049_3D	PRIV PLAN HI- WHO COVERED- 3- 4

Number of Kids Benefit from Trust
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	H3TRUSTKN	H3TRUSTKN:W3 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
4	H4TRUSTKN	H4TRUSTKN:W4 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
5	H5TRUSTKN	H5TRUSTKN:W5 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
6	H6TRUSTKN	H6TRUSTKN:W6 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
7	H7TRUSTKN	H7TRUSTKN:W7 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
8	H8TRUSTKN	H8TRUSTKN:W8 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
9	H9TRUSTKN	H9TRUSTKN:W9 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
10	H10TRUSTKN	H10TRUSTKN:W10 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
11	H11TRUSTKN	H11TRUSTKN:W11 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
12	H12TRUSTKN	H12TRUSTKN:W12 Number of children benefit from trust	Cont
3	H3TRUSTKF	H3TRUSTKF:W3 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
4	H4TRUSTKF	H4TRUSTKF:W4 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
5	H5TRUSTKF	H5TRUSTKF:W5 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
6	H6TRUSTKF	H6TRUSTKF:W6 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
7	H7TRUSTKF	H7TRUSTKF:W7 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
8	H8TRUSTKF	H8TRUSTKF:W8 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
9	H9TRUSTKF	H9TRUSTKF:W9 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
10	H10TRUSTKF	H10TRUSTKF:W10 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
11	H11TRUSTKF	H11TRUSTKF:W11 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
12	H12TRUSTKF	H12TRUSTKF:W12 Number of children benefit from trust-flag	Categ
3	H3TRUSTAMT	H3TRUSTAMT:W3 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
4	H4TRUSTAMT	H4TRUSTAMT:W4 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
5	H5TRUSTAMT	H5TRUSTAMT:W5 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
6	H6TRUSTAMT	H6TRUSTAMT:W6 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
7	H7TRUSTAMT	H7TRUSTAMT:W7 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
8	H8TRUSTAMT	H8TRUSTAMT:W8 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
9	H9TRUSTAMT	H9TRUSTAMT:W9 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
10	H10TRUSTAMT	H10TRUSTAMT:W10 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
11	H11TRUSTAMT	H11TRUSTAMT:W11 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
12	H12TRUSTAMT	H12TRUSTAMT:W12 Value of assets in R trusts	Cont
3	H3TRUSTMIN	H3TRUSTMIN:W3 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
4	H4TRUSTMIN	H4TRUSTMIN:W4 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
5	H5TRUSTMIN	H5TRUSTMIN:W5 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
6	H6TRUSTMIN	H6TRUSTMIN:W6 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
7	H7TRUSTMIN	H7TRUSTMIN:W7 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
8	H8TRUSTMIN	H8TRUSTMIN:W8 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
9	H9TRUSTMIN	H9TRUSTMIN:W9 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
10	H10TRUSTMIN	H10TRUSTMIN:W10 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
11	H11TRUSTMIN	H11TRUSTMIN:W11 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
12	H12TRUSTMIN	H12TRUSTMIN:W12 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-min	Cont
3	H3TRUSTMAX	H3TRUSTMAX:W3 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
4	H4TRUSTMAX	H4TRUSTMAX:W4 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
5	H5TRUSTMAX	H5TRUSTMAX:W5 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
6	H6TRUSTMAX	H6TRUSTMAX:W6 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
7	H7TRUSTMAX	H7TRUSTMAX:W7 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
8	H8TRUSTMAX	H8TRUSTMAX:W8 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
9	H9TRUSTMAX	H9TRUSTMAX:W9 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
10	H10TRUSTMAX	H10TRUSTMAX:W10 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
11	H11TRUSTMAX	H11TRUSTMAX:W11 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont
12	H12TRUSTMAX	H12TRUSTMAX:W12 Value of assets in R trusts bracket-max	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H3TRUSTKN	16302	0.06	0.47	0.0	8.0
H4TRUSTKN	19411	0.07	0.51	0.0	10.0

H5TRUSTKN	17946	0.08	0.53	0.0	10.0
H6TRUSTKN	16754	0.09	0.59	0.0	13.0
H7TRUSTKN	18479	0.08	0.53	0.0	12.0
H8TRUSTKN	17056	0.09	0.54	0.0	11.0
H9TRUSTKN	15932	0.10	0.55	0.0	9.0
H10TRUSTKN	20066	0.08	0.50	0.0	9.0
H11TRUSTKN	18901	0.08	0.49	0.0	8.0
H12TRUSTKN	17206	0.12	0.64	0.0	11.0
H3TRUSTKF	14358	0.11	0.65	0.0	8.0
H4TRUSTKF	17207	0.11	0.65	0.0	10.0
H5TRUSTKF	15877	0.12	0.66	0.0	10.0
H6TRUSTKF	14923	0.15	0.79	0.0	10.0
H7TRUSTKF	18417	0.15	0.88	0.0	10.0
H8TRUSTKF	17018	0.15	0.86	0.0	9.0
H9TRUSTKF	15874	0.18	0.96	0.0	10.0
H10TRUSTKF	19726	0.17	0.98	0.0	10.0
H11TRUSTKF	18759	0.17	1.00	0.0	10.0
H12TRUSTKF	17052	0.17	0.85	0.0	10.0
H3TRUSTAMT	658	292279.24	577104.20	0.0	10000000.0
H4TRUSTAMT	865	738667.55	2246354.32	0.0	34000000.0
H5TRUSTAMT	910	886345.69	2716942.67	0.0	50000000.0
H6TRUSTAMT	916	839663.31	2650255.22	0.0	50000000.0
H7TRUSTAMT	1179	939125.81	1996749.48	0.0	25000000.0
H8TRUSTAMT	1056	1206590.41	2652648.02	0.0	27000000.0
H9TRUSTAMT	1137	1127958.97	2344292.92	0.0	25000000.0
H10TRUSTAMT	1355	825793.19	1220378.00	0.0	20000000.0
H11TRUSTAMT	1348	817127.37	1611761.25	0.0	42400000.0
H12TRUSTAMT	1245	1051996.19	5547206.95	0.0	190000000.0
H3TRUSTMIN	270	341297.13	460652.83	0.0	1500001.0
H4TRUSTMIN	390	366923.83	472776.36	0.0	1500001.0
H5TRUSTMIN	452	399115.80	493796.69	0.0	1500001.0
H6TRUSTMIN	737	216893.26	391914.34	0.0	1500001.0
H7TRUSTMIN	819	237179.94	419811.26	0.0	1500001.0
H8TRUSTMIN	699	288841.67	450291.34	0.0	1500001.0
H9TRUSTMIN	774	266408.77	425613.80	0.0	1500001.0
H10TRUSTMIN	686	201968.41	389731.21	0.0	1500001.0
H11TRUSTMIN	637	199450.99	390758.81	0.0	1500001.0
H12TRUSTMIN	677	206647.43	396051.50	0.0	1500001.0
H3TRUSTMAX	238	785504.20	533567.29	50000.0	1500000.0
H4TRUSTMAX	340	706469.77	499013.05	49999.0	1500000.0
H5TRUSTMAX	385	738570.58	511850.96	49999.0	1500000.0
H6TRUSTMAX	374	767512.53	500703.99	49999.0	1500000.0
H7TRUSTMAX	392	736096.10	499236.48	49999.0	1500000.0
H8TRUSTMAX	343	923322.80	539095.50	49999.0	1500000.0
H9TRUSTMAX	411	868612.29	530140.58	49999.0	1500000.0
H10TRUSTMAX	336	709969.38	496221.80	49999.0	1500000.0
H11TRUSTMAX	299	693644.65	489770.90	49999.0	1500000.0
H12TRUSTMAX	325	685383.74	512100.71	49999.0	1500000.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H3TRUSTKF	H4TRUSTKF	H5TRUSTKF	H6TRUSTKF	H7TRUSTKF
.D=DK	28	44	42	58	76
.F=No FamR	27	69	43	3	18
.K=No kids	1539	1711	1426	1205	1443
.R=RF	95	149	122	145	113
.S=Skipped	1944	2204	2069	1831	62
0=No OPN	13967	16699	15373	14355	17792
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	106	150	175	217	247
4=All kids equally	272	352	323	266	278
6=All kids, equal not ask				79	
8=Only deceased kid indicat	13		2		
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		3	2	2	98
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		3	2	4	2

Value	H8TRUSTKF	H9TRUSTKF	H10TRUSTKF	H11TRUSTKF	H12TRUSTKF
.D=DK	51	77	107	71	73
.F=No FamR	19	17	49	24	30
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452	1310
.R=RF	100	96	167	106	129
.S=Skipped	38	58	340	142	154
0=No OPN	16383	15231	18959	18047	16283
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	296	279	396	359	446
4=All kids equally	262	258	219	195	157
6=All kids, equal not ask					159
8=Only deceased kid indicat		2	2		1
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	77	102	149	157	4
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		2	1	1	2

How Constructed

HwTRUSTKN is the number of kids who will benefit from the Respondent's trust.

This variable is derived from the variable KwTRUST in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwTRUST=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwTRUSTKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

HwTRUSTAMT is the estimated value of the trusts if sold. HwTRUSTMIN and HwTRUSTMAX are the min and max values of reported bracket ranges. For the top open bracket, the special code .B is used.

The bracket ranges are 50K, 500K and 1500K.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2.

In Wave 3, the question asks for the actual amount of the trust. In all other waves, the question asks for bracket ranges.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1995:
 D4708 J80.TRUSTS
 D4710M1 J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 D4710M2 J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 D4710M3 J80AA.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 D4712 J80B.\$ TRUSTS
 D4713 J80C.>50K
 D4714 J80D.>500K
 D4715 J80E.>5K

HRS 1996:
 E4709 J295.TRUSTS
 E4711M1 J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 E4711M2 J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 E4711M3 J297.(J80AA)WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 E4713 J299.\$ TRUSTS
 E4714 J299A.\$ TRUSTS>500K
 E4715 J299B.\$ TRUSTS>1,500K
 E4716 J299C.\$ TRUSTS>50K

HRS 1998:
 F5469 J295.TRUSTS
 F5471M1 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 F5471M2 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 F5471M3 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 F5473 J299.\$ TRUSTS
 F5474 J299A.>500K
 F5475 J299B.>1,500K
 F5476 J299C.>50K

HRS 2000:
 G5829 J295.TRUSTS
 G5831M1 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 G5831M2 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 G5831M3 J297.WHICH CHILD TRUST-2
 G5833 J299.\$ TRUSTS
 G5834 J299A.>500K
 G5835 J299B.>1500K
 G5836 J299C.>50K

HRS 2002:
 HQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
 HQ466M01 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
 HQ466M02 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
 HQ466M03 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
 HQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
 HQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
 HQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX

HRS 2004:
 JQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
 JQ466M1 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
 JQ466M2 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
 JQ466M3 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
 JQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
 JQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
 JQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX

HRS 2006:
 KQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
 KQ466M1 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
 KQ466M2 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
 KQ466M3 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
 KQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS

KQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
KQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX
HRS 2008:
LQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
LQ466M1 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
LQ466M2 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
LQ466M3 WHICH CHILD BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
LQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
LQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
LQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX
HRS 2010:
MQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
MQ466M1 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
MQ466M2 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
MQ466M3 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
MQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
MQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
MQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX
HRS 2012:
NQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
NQ466M1 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
NQ466M2 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
NQ466M3 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
NQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
NQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
NQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX
HRS 2014:
OQ464 PUT ANY ASSETS IN TRUST
OQ466M1 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -1
OQ466M2 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -2
OQ466M3 WHICH CHILD RCV BENEFITS FROM TRUSTS -3
OQ467 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS
OQ468 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MIN
OQ469 VALUE OF ANY TRUSTS - MAX

Number of Kids Who Received a Deed to a House from Respondent
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	H2DEEDKN	H2DEEDKN:W2 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
3	H3DEEDKN	H3DEEDKN:W3 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
4	H4DEEDKN	H4DEEDKN:W4 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
5	H5DEEDKN	H5DEEDKN:W5 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
6	H6DEEDKN	H6DEEDKN:W6 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
7	H7DEEDKN	H7DEEDKN:W7 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
8	H8DEEDKN	H8DEEDKN:W8 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
9	H9DEEDKN	H9DEEDKN:W9 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
10	H10DEEDKN	H10DEEDKN:W10 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
11	H11DEEDKN	H11DEEDKN:W11 Number of children deed to a house	Cont
2	H2DEEDKF	H2DEEDKF:W2 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
3	H3DEEDKF	H3DEEDKF:W3 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
4	H4DEEDKF	H4DEEDKF:W4 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
5	H5DEEDKF	H5DEEDKF:W5 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
6	H6DEEDKF	H6DEEDKF:W6 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
7	H7DEEDKF	H7DEEDKF:W7 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
8	H8DEEDKF	H8DEEDKF:W8 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
9	H9DEEDKF	H9DEEDKF:W9 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
10	H10DEEDKF	H10DEEDKF:W10 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ
11	H11DEEDKF	H11DEEDKF:W11 Number of children deed to a house-flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H2DEEDKN	17562	0.03	0.24	0.0	11.0
H3DEEDKN	16358	0.02	0.22	0.0	8.0
H4DEEDKN	19461	0.02	0.18	0.0	6.0
H5DEEDKN	18015	0.02	0.20	0.0	7.0
H6DEEDKN	16913	0.02	0.20	0.0	7.0
H7DEEDKN	18558	0.02	0.21	0.0	5.0
H8DEEDKN	17120	0.02	0.20	0.0	9.0
H9DEEDKN	16023	0.02	0.17	0.0	7.0
H10DEEDKN	20076	0.01	0.17	0.0	7.0
H11DEEDKN	18901	0.01	0.16	0.0	5.0
H2DEEDKF	17562	0.05	0.40	0.0	3.0
H3DEEDKF	16338	0.05	0.47	0.0	10.0
H4DEEDKF	15224	0.05	0.45	0.0	9.0
H5DEEDKF	17987	0.05	0.43	0.0	11.0
H6DEEDKF	16799	0.05	0.45	0.0	10.0
H7DEEDKF	17226	0.06	0.49	0.0	10.0
H8DEEDKF	17109	0.05	0.47	0.0	10.0
H9DEEDKF	15997	0.04	0.46	0.0	10.0
H10DEEDKF	14689	0.04	0.43	0.0	9.0
H11DEEDKF	18704	0.03	0.39	0.0	10.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H2DEEDKF	H3DEEDKF	H4DEEDKF	H5DEEDKF	H6DEEDKF	H7DEEDKF
.D=DK		11	8	12	10	9
.F=No FamR		65	191	99	3	94
.K=No kids	2080	1539	1712	1426	1205	1443
.R=RF		18	12	27	34	25
.S=Skipped		20	4237	28	114	1332
0=No OPN	17250	16159	14987	17743	16557	16960
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	312	121	203	206	208	213
6=All kids, equal not ask		50	32	35	28	45
8=Only deceased kid indicat				1		1
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		5	2		3	4
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		3		1	3	3
11=All kids equally, but no				1		

Value	H8DEEDKF	H9DEEDKF	H10DEEDKF	H11DEEDKF
.D=DK	10	15	12	22
.F=No FamR	89	80	285	159
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1645	1452
.R=RF	7	4	16	20
.S=Skipped	11	26	5387	197
0=No OPN	16877	15814	14517	18552
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	188	143	144	118
6=All kids, equal not ask	33	25	19	23
8=Only deceased kid indicat	1	2	1	
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	9	11	8	9
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	1	2		2

How Constructed

HwDEEDKN is the number of kids who have received a deed to a house from the Respondent.

This variable is derived from the variable KwDEED in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwDEED=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwDEEDKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2H, and 12.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:
HELPDEED R GAVE DEED TO HOUSE

AHEAD 1995:
D1463 D46.DEED
D1465M1 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
D1465M2 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
D1465M3 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1

HRS 1996:
E1433 D46.DEED
E1435M1 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
E1435M2 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1

E1435M3 D47.NAMES FOR DEED-1
HRS 1998:
F1856 D46.DEED
F1857M1 D46A.WHICH CHILD
F1857M2 D46A.WHICH CHILD
F1857M3 D46A.WHICH CHILD
HRS 2002:
HE073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
HE074M01 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
HE074M02 WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
HE074M03 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2004:
JE073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
JE074M1 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
JE074M2 WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
JE074M3 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2006:
KE073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
KE074M1 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
KE074M2 WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
KE074M3 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2008:
LE073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
LE074M1 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 1
LE074M2 WHICH CHILD ON DEED-2
LE074M3 WHICH CHILD ON DEED- 3
HRS 2010:
ME073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
ME074M1 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -1
ME074M2 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -2
ME074M3 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -3
HRS 2012:
NE073 SINCE PREV WAVE CHILD GIVEN DEED TO HOME
NE074M1 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -1
NE074M2 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -2
NE074M3 WHICH CHILD ON DEED -3

Number of Kids on Home Deed

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	H2HMDEEDKN	H2HMDEEDKN:W2 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
3	H3HMDEEDKN	H3HMDEEDKN:W3 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
4	H4HMDEEDKN	H4HMDEEDKN:W4 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
5	H5HMDEEDKN	H5HMDEEDKN:W5 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
6	H6HMDEEDKN	H6HMDEEDKN:W6 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
7	H7HMDEEDKN	H7HMDEEDKN:W7 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
8	H8HMDEEDKN	H8HMDEEDKN:W8 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
9	H9HMDEEDKN	H9HMDEEDKN:W9 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
10	H10HMDEEDKN	H10HMDEEDKN:W10 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
11	H11HMDEEDKN	H11HMDEEDKN:W11 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
12	H12HMDEEDKN	H12HMDEEDKN:W12 Number of children on R home deed	Cont
2	H2HMDEEDKF	H2HMDEEDKF:W2 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
3	H3HMDEEDKF	H3HMDEEDKF:W3 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
4	H4HMDEEDKF	H4HMDEEDKF:W4 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
5	H5HMDEEDKF	H5HMDEEDKF:W5 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
6	H6HMDEEDKF	H6HMDEEDKF:W6 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
7	H7HMDEEDKF	H7HMDEEDKF:W7 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
8	H8HMDEEDKF	H8HMDEEDKF:W8 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
9	H9HMDEEDKF	H9HMDEEDKF:W9 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
10	H10HMDEEDKF	H10HMDEEDKF:W10 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
11	H11HMDEEDKF	H11HMDEEDKF:W11 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ
12	H12HMDEEDKF	H12HMDEEDKF:W12 Number of children on R home deed -flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H2HMDEEDKN	17562	0.05	0.33	0.0	9.0
H3HMDEEDKN	16345	0.09	0.45	0.0	10.0
H4HMDEEDKN	19535	0.09	0.46	0.0	11.0
H5HMDEEDKN	18000	0.09	0.46	0.0	11.0
H6HMDEEDKN	16837	0.09	0.48	0.0	11.0
H7HMDEEDKN	18545	0.09	0.47	0.0	11.0
H8HMDEEDKN	17132	0.01	0.11	0.0	9.0
H9HMDEEDKN	15976	0.09	0.46	0.0	9.0
H10HMDEEDKN	20193	0.01	0.12	0.0	6.0
H11HMDEEDKN	18881	0.07	0.41	0.0	14.0
H12HMDEEDKN	17272	0.01	0.13	0.0	7.0
H2HMDEEDKF	17562	0.10	0.53	0.0	3.0
H3HMDEEDKF	13244	0.23	0.90	0.0	10.0
H4HMDEEDKF	15824	0.21	0.84	0.0	11.0
H5HMDEEDKF	14566	0.22	0.86	0.0	9.0
H6HMDEEDKF	13450	0.27	1.07	0.0	10.0
H7HMDEEDKF	14732	0.27	1.10	0.0	10.0
H8HMDEEDKF	1574	0.16	0.80	0.0	9.0
H9HMDEEDKF	12638	0.30	1.13	0.0	10.0
H10HMDEEDKF	4212	0.11	0.72	0.0	9.0
H11HMDEEDKF	13906	0.25	1.04	0.0	10.0
H12HMDEEDKF	992	0.21	0.96	0.0	9.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H2HMDEEDKF	H3HMDEEDKF	H4HMDEEDKF	H5HMDEEDKF	H6HMDEEDKF	H7HMDEEDKF
.D=DK		54	47	62	77	69
.F=No FamR		30	58	50	3	26
.K=No kids	2080	1532	1704	1425	1204	1443
.R=RF		30	40	42	44	46
.S=Skipped		3101	3711	3434	3387	3813
0=No OPN	16999	12339	14811	13595	12506	13736
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	563	633	728	690	668	687
4=All kids equally		249	271	267		
6=All kids, equal not ask					268	277
8=Only deceased kid indicat		8	7	8	4	3
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		8	6	6		24
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		7			4	5
11=All kids equally, but no			1			

Value	H8HMDEEDKF	H9HMDEEDKF	H10HMDEEDKF	H11HMDEEDKF	H12HMDEEDKF
.D=DK	10	98	29	134	8
.F=No FamR	84	20	144	44	149
.K=No kids	1243	1094	1645	1452	1310
.R=RF		29	23	43	9
.S=Skipped	15558	3338	15981	4975	16280
0=No OPN	1501	11687	4092	13040	941
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	62	671	91	616	36
6=All kids, equal not ask	9	255	21	225	13
8=Only deceased kid indicat		3		3	
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN	2	16	8	15	2
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		6		7	

How Constructed

HwHMDEEDKN is the total number of children who are on the Respondent's home deed.

This variable is derived from the variable KwHMDEED in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwHMDEED=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwHMDEEDKF is the flag that summarizes the child data available for the Respondent, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2H.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
DEEDHOME	NAMED ON TITLE TO R'S HOME
AHEAD 1995:	
D2288	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
D2290	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 1996:	
E2288	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
E2290	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 1998:	
F2805	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED

F2807M1	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
F2807M2	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
F2807M3	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2000:	
G3123	F12.OTHER NAME ON DEED
G3125M1	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
G3125M2	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
G3125M3	F12B.WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2002:	
HH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
HH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2004:	
JH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
JH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2006:	
KH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
KH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2008:	
LH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
LH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2010:	
MH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
MH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2012:	
NH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
NH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1
HRS 2014:	
OH071	OTHER NAME ON DEED
OH074	WHICH CHILD DEED-1

Number of Kids Own Respondent House
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	H2OWNRHMKN	H2OWNRHMKN:W2 Number of children own R home	Cont
3	H3OWNRHMKN	H3OWNRHMKN:W3 Number of children own R home	Cont
4	H4OWNRHMKN	H4OWNRHMKN:W4 Number of children own R home	Cont
5	H5OWNRHMKN	H5OWNRHMKN:W5 Number of children own R home	Cont
6	H6OWNRHMKN	H6OWNRHMKN:W6 Number of children own R home	Cont
7	H7OWNRHMKN	H7OWNRHMKN:W7 Number of children own R home	Cont
8	H8OWNRHMKN	H8OWNRHMKN:W8 Number of children own R home	Cont
9	H9OWNRHMKN	H9OWNRHMKN:W9 Number of children own R home	Cont
10	H10OWNRHMKN	H10OWNRHMKN:W10 Number of children own R home	Cont
11	H11OWNRHMKN	H11OWNRHMKN:W11 Number of children own R home	Cont
12	H12OWNRHMKN	H12OWNRHMKN:W12 Number of children own R home	Cont
2	H2OWNRHMKF	H2OWNRHMKF:W2 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
3	H3OWNRHMKF	H3OWNRHMKF:W3 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
4	H4OWNRHMKF	H4OWNRHMKF:W4 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
5	H5OWNRHMKF	H5OWNRHMKF:W5 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
6	H6OWNRHMKF	H6OWNRHMKF:W6 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
7	H7OWNRHMKF	H7OWNRHMKF:W7 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
8	H8OWNRHMKF	H8OWNRHMKF:W8 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
9	H9OWNRHMKF	H9OWNRHMKF:W9 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
10	H10OWNRHMKF	H10OWNRHMKF:W10 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
11	H11OWNRHMKF	H11OWNRHMKF:W11 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ
12	H12OWNRHMKF	H12OWNRHMKF:W12 Number of children own R home-flag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
H2OWNRHMKN	17562	0.03	0.22	0.0	8.0
H3OWNRHMKN	16383	0.04	0.25	0.0	8.0
H4OWNRHMKN	19482	0.04	0.23	0.0	5.0
H5OWNRHMKN	18047	0.04	0.22	0.0	7.0
H6OWNRHMKN	16955	0.01	0.12	0.0	2.0
H7OWNRHMKN	18588	0.01	0.10	0.0	3.0
H8OWNRHMKN	17135	0.01	0.10	0.0	2.0
H9OWNRHMKN	16040	0.01	0.12	0.0	6.0
H10OWNRHMKN	20104	0.01	0.07	0.0	1.0
H11OWNRHMKN	18938	0.01	0.08	0.0	2.0
H12OWNRHMKN	17270	0.01	0.08	0.0	1.0
H2OWNRHMKF	17562	0.08	0.50	0.0	3.0
H3OWNRHMKF	3490	0.56	1.36	0.0	10.0
H4OWNRHMKF	3979	0.53	1.23	0.0	10.0
H5OWNRHMKF	1896	0.96	1.53	0.0	11.0
H6OWNRHMKF	1227	0.60	1.28	0.0	10.0
H7OWNRHMKF	482	1.15	1.55	0.0	10.0
H8OWNRHMKF	602	0.90	1.47	0.0	10.0
H9OWNRHMKF	329	1.44	1.64	0.0	10.0
H10OWNRHMKF	356	1.09	1.81	0.0	10.0
H11OWNRHMKF	398	0.81	1.40	0.0	9.0
H12OWNRHMKF	365	0.89	1.57	0.0	9.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	H2OWNRHMKF	H3OWNRHMKF	H4OWNRHMKF	H5OWNRHMKF	H6OWNRHMKF	H7OWNRHMKF
.D=DK		10	2	1	1	1
.F=No FamR		59	177	96	3	94
.K=No kids	2080	1537	1712	1425	1205	1443
.R=RF		2	11	10	1	3
.S=Skipped		12893	15503	16151	15728	18106
0=No OPN	17066	2904	3306	1318	991	302
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	496	529	629	543	231	176
4=All kids equally		29	34	25		
6=All kids, equal not ask					1	3
8=Only deceased kid indicat		10	2	2		
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN		6		2	3	
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki		12	8	5	1	1
11=All kids equally, but no				1		

Value	H8OWNRHMKF	H9OWNRHMKF	H10OWNRHMKF	H11OWNRHMKF	H12OWNRHMKF
.D=DK				4	1
.F=No FamR	88	80	285	159	162
.K=No kids	1243	1095	1644	1452	1310
.R=RF	3	2	1	1	5
.S=Skipped	16533	15711	19748	18540	16905
0=No OPN	427	177	242	293	265
3=1+ OPN given, equal not as	172	147	107	103	96
6=All kids, equal not ask	1	4		1	
9=Kid indicated, missing OPN			4	1	4
10=1+ OPN given, but not ki	2	1	3		

How Constructed

HwOWNRHMKN is the number of kids who own the Respondent's home.

This variable is derived from the variable KwOWNRHM in the Respondent-kid file. It is a sum of the kids reported by the Respondent where KwOWNRHM=1 and there is good longitudinal linkage (LINK=1).

HwOWNRHMKF is the flag that summarizes the child data, as described in the introduction.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions were not asked in Waves 1 and 2H.

HRS Variables Used

AHEAD 1993:	
OWNRHOME	OWNS R'S HOME
AHEAD 1995:	
D2311	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
D2313	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 1996:	
E2311	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
E2313	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
HRS 1998:	
F2828	F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
F2830	F18B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2000:
G3146 F18.RELATIVE OWN HOME
G3148M1 F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3148M2 F18B.WHICH CHILD-1
G3148M3 F18B.WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2002:
HH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
HH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2004:
JH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
JH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2006:
KH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
KH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2008:
LH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
LH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2010:
MH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
MH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2012:
NH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
NH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

HRS 2014:
OH088 RELATIVE OWN HOME
OH091 RELATIVE OWN HOME- WHICH CHILD-1

Section 6D: Parents Variables

Parent's Mortality

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MOMLIV	R1MOMLIV:W1 Mother alive	Categ
2	R2MOMLIV	R2MOMLIV:W2 Mother alive	Categ
3	R3MOMLIV	R3MOMLIV:W3 Mother alive	Categ
4	R4MOMLIV	R4MOMLIV:W4 Mother alive	Categ
5	R5MOMLIV	R5MOMLIV:W5 Mother alive	Categ
6	R6MOMLIV	R6MOMLIV:W6 Mother alive	Categ
7	R7MOMLIV	R7MOMLIV:W7 Mother alive	Categ
8	R8MOMLIV	R8MOMLIV:W8 Mother alive	Categ
9	R9MOMLIV	R9MOMLIV:W9 Mother alive	Categ
10	R10MOMLIV	R10MOMLIV:W10 Mother alive	Categ
11	R11MOMLIV	R11MOMLIV:W11 Mother alive	Categ
12	R12MOMLIV	R12MOMLIV:W12 Mother alive	Categ
1	S1MOMLIV	S1MOMLIV:W1 Mother alive	Categ
2	S2MOMLIV	S2MOMLIV:W2 Mother alive	Categ
3	S3MOMLIV	S3MOMLIV:W3 Mother alive	Categ
4	S4MOMLIV	S4MOMLIV:W4 Mother alive	Categ
5	S5MOMLIV	S5MOMLIV:W5 Mother alive	Categ
6	S6MOMLIV	S6MOMLIV:W6 Mother alive	Categ
7	S7MOMLIV	S7MOMLIV:W7 Mother alive	Categ
8	S8MOMLIV	S8MOMLIV:W8 Mother alive	Categ
9	S9MOMLIV	S9MOMLIV:W9 Mother alive	Categ
10	S10MOMLIV	S10MOMLIV:W10 Mother alive	Categ
11	S11MOMLIV	S11MOMLIV:W11 Mother alive	Categ
12	S12MOMLIV	S12MOMLIV:W12 Mother alive	Categ
1	R1DADLIV	R1DADLIV:W1 Father alive	Categ
2	R2DADLIV	R2DADLIV:W2 Father alive	Categ
3	R3DADLIV	R3DADLIV:W3 Father alive	Categ
4	R4DADLIV	R4DADLIV:W4 Father alive	Categ
5	R5DADLIV	R5DADLIV:W5 Father alive	Categ
6	R6DADLIV	R6DADLIV:W6 Father alive	Categ
7	R7DADLIV	R7DADLIV:W7 Father alive	Categ
8	R8DADLIV	R8DADLIV:W8 Father alive	Categ
9	R9DADLIV	R9DADLIV:W9 Father alive	Categ
10	R10DADLIV	R10DADLIV:W10 Father alive	Categ
11	R11DADLIV	R11DADLIV:W11 Father alive	Categ
12	R12DADLIV	R12DADLIV:W12 Father alive	Categ
1	S1DADLIV	S1DADLIV:W1 Father alive	Categ
2	S2DADLIV	S2DADLIV:W2 Father alive	Categ
3	S3DADLIV	S3DADLIV:W3 Father alive	Categ
4	S4DADLIV	S4DADLIV:W4 Father alive	Categ
5	S5DADLIV	S5DADLIV:W5 Father alive	Categ
6	S6DADLIV	S6DADLIV:W6 Father alive	Categ
7	S7DADLIV	S7DADLIV:W7 Father alive	Categ
8	S8DADLIV	S8DADLIV:W8 Father alive	Categ
9	S9DADLIV	S9DADLIV:W9 Father alive	Categ
10	S10DADLIV	S10DADLIV:W10 Father alive	Categ
11	S11DADLIV	S11DADLIV:W11 Father alive	Categ
12	S12DADLIV	S12DADLIV:W12 Father alive	Categ
1	R1LIVPAR	R1LIVPAR:W1 Number of living parents	Cont
2	R2LIVPAR	R2LIVPAR:W2 Number of living parents	Cont
3	R3LIVPAR	R3LIVPAR:W3 Number of living parents	Cont
4	R4LIVPAR	R4LIVPAR:W4 Number of living parents	Cont
5	R5LIVPAR	R5LIVPAR:W5 Number of living parents	Cont
6	R6LIVPAR	R6LIVPAR:W6 Number of living parents	Cont
7	R7LIVPAR	R7LIVPAR:W7 Number of living parents	Cont
8	R8LIVPAR	R8LIVPAR:W8 Number of living parents	Cont
9	R9LIVPAR	R9LIVPAR:W9 Number of living parents	Cont
10	R10LIVPAR	R10LIVPAR:W10 Number of living parents	Cont
11	R11LIVPAR	R11LIVPAR:W11 Number of living parents	Cont
12	R12LIVPAR	R12LIVPAR:W12 Number of living parents	Cont
1	S1LIVPAR	S1LIVPAR:W1 Number of living parents	Cont

2	S2LIVPAR	S2LIVPAR:W2	Number of living parents	Cont
3	S3LIVPAR	S3LIVPAR:W3	Number of living parents	Cont
4	S4LIVPAR	S4LIVPAR:W4	Number of living parents	Cont
5	S5LIVPAR	S5LIVPAR:W5	Number of living parents	Cont
6	S6LIVPAR	S6LIVPAR:W6	Number of living parents	Cont
7	S7LIVPAR	S7LIVPAR:W7	Number of living parents	Cont
8	S8LIVPAR	S8LIVPAR:W8	Number of living parents	Cont
9	S9LIVPAR	S9LIVPAR:W9	Number of living parents	Cont
10	S10LIVPAR	S10LIVPAR:W10	Number of living parents	Cont
11	S11LIVPAR	S11LIVPAR:W11	Number of living parents	Cont
12	S12LIVPAR	S12LIVPAR:W12	Number of living parents	Cont
1	R1MOMAGE	R1MOMAGE:W1	Mother age current/at death	Cont
2	R2MOMAGE	R2MOMAGE:W2	Mother age current/at death	Cont
3	R3MOMAGE	R3MOMAGE:W3	Mother age current/at death	Cont
4	R4MOMAGE	R4MOMAGE:W4	Mother age current/at death	Cont
5	R5MOMAGE	R5MOMAGE:W5	Mother age current/at death	Cont
6	R6MOMAGE	R6MOMAGE:W6	Mother age current/at death	Cont
7	R7MOMAGE	R7MOMAGE:W7	Mother age current/at death	Cont
8	R8MOMAGE	R8MOMAGE:W8	Mother age current/at death	Cont
9	R9MOMAGE	R9MOMAGE:W9	Mother age current/at death	Cont
10	R10MOMAGE	R10MOMAGE:W10	Mother age current/at death	Cont
11	R11MOMAGE	R11MOMAGE:W11	Mother age current/at death	Cont
12	R12MOMAGE	R12MOMAGE:W12	Mother age current/at death	Cont
1	S1MOMAGE	S1MOMAGE:W1	Mother age current/at death	Cont
2	S2MOMAGE	S2MOMAGE:W2	Mother age current/at death	Cont
3	S3MOMAGE	S3MOMAGE:W3	Mother age current/at death	Cont
4	S4MOMAGE	S4MOMAGE:W4	Mother age current/at death	Cont
5	S5MOMAGE	S5MOMAGE:W5	Mother age current/at death	Cont
6	S6MOMAGE	S6MOMAGE:W6	Mother age current/at death	Cont
7	S7MOMAGE	S7MOMAGE:W7	Mother age current/at death	Cont
8	S8MOMAGE	S8MOMAGE:W8	Mother age current/at death	Cont
9	S9MOMAGE	S9MOMAGE:W9	Mother age current/at death	Cont
10	S10MOMAGE	S10MOMAGE:W10	Mother age current/at death	Cont
11	S11MOMAGE	S11MOMAGE:W11	Mother age current/at death	Cont
12	S12MOMAGE	S12MOMAGE:W12	Mother age current/at death	Cont
1	R1DADAGE	R1DADAGE:W1	Father age current/at death	Cont
2	R2DADAGE	R2DADAGE:W2	Father age current/at death	Cont
3	R3DADAGE	R3DADAGE:W3	Father age current/at death	Cont
4	R4DADAGE	R4DADAGE:W4	Father age current/at death	Cont
5	R5DADAGE	R5DADAGE:W5	Father age current/at death	Cont
6	R6DADAGE	R6DADAGE:W6	Father age current/at death	Cont
7	R7DADAGE	R7DADAGE:W7	Father age current/at death	Cont
8	R8DADAGE	R8DADAGE:W8	Father age current/at death	Cont
9	R9DADAGE	R9DADAGE:W9	Father age current/at death	Cont
10	R10DADAGE	R10DADAGE:W10	Father age current/at death	Cont
11	R11DADAGE	R11DADAGE:W11	Father age current/at death	Cont
12	R12DADAGE	R12DADAGE:W12	Father age current/at death	Cont
1	S1DADAGE	S1DADAGE:W1	Father age current/at death	Cont
2	S2DADAGE	S2DADAGE:W2	Father age current/at death	Cont
3	S3DADAGE	S3DADAGE:W3	Father age current/at death	Cont
4	S4DADAGE	S4DADAGE:W4	Father age current/at death	Cont
5	S5DADAGE	S5DADAGE:W5	Father age current/at death	Cont
6	S6DADAGE	S6DADAGE:W6	Father age current/at death	Cont
7	S7DADAGE	S7DADAGE:W7	Father age current/at death	Cont
8	S8DADAGE	S8DADAGE:W8	Father age current/at death	Cont
9	S9DADAGE	S9DADAGE:W9	Father age current/at death	Cont
10	S10DADAGE	S10DADAGE:W10	Father age current/at death	Cont
11	S11DADAGE	S11DADAGE:W11	Father age current/at death	Cont
12	S12DADAGE	S12DADAGE:W12	Father age current/at death	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MOMLIV	12483	0.44	0.50	0.0	1.0
R2MOMLIV	19504	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
R3MOMLIV	17825	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
R4MOMLIV	21163	0.22	0.41	0.0	1.0
R5MOMLIV	19307	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
R6MOMLIV	17912	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
R7MOMLIV	19878	0.22	0.41	0.0	1.0
R8MOMLIV	18236	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
R9MOMLIV	17000	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
R10MOMLIV	21756	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
R11MOMLIV	20348	0.24	0.42	0.0	1.0
R12MOMLIV	18360	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
S1MOMLIV	10119	0.44	0.50	0.0	1.0
S2MOMLIV	13333	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0
S3MOMLIV	12096	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
S4MOMLIV	14275	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S5MOMLIV	12772	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S6MOMLIV	11536	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S7MOMLIV	12943	0.25	0.44	0.0	1.0
S8MOMLIV	11731	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S9MOMLIV	10677	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S10MOMLIV	13571	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
S11MOMLIV	12583	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S12MOMLIV	10999	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
R1DADLIV	12311	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
R2DADLIV	19471	0.09	0.29	0.0	1.0
R3DADLIV	17845	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
R4DADLIV	21122	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
R5DADLIV	19429	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
R6DADLIV	18046	0.06	0.25	0.0	1.0
R7DADLIV	19985	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
R8DADLIV	18345	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
R9DADLIV	17087	0.07	0.26	0.0	1.0
R10DADLIV	21745	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
R11DADLIV	20390	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
R12DADLIV	18480	0.10	0.29	0.0	1.0
S1DADLIV	9989	0.19	0.40	0.0	1.0
S2DADLIV	13310	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
S3DADLIV	12117	0.09	0.29	0.0	1.0
S4DADLIV	14240	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
S5DADLIV	12905	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
S6DADLIV	11679	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
S7DADLIV	13045	0.12	0.32	0.0	1.0
S8DADLIV	11833	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
S9DADLIV	10785	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
S10DADLIV	13586	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S11DADLIV	12669	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
S12DADLIV	11146	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
R1LIVPAR	12296	0.62	0.69	0.0	2.0
R2LIVPAR	19419	0.33	0.58	0.0	2.0
R3LIVPAR	17736	0.29	0.54	0.0	2.0
R4LIVPAR	21045	0.31	0.56	0.0	2.0

R5LIVPAR	19224	0.27	0.54	0.0	2.0
R6LIVPAR	17848	0.23	0.50	0.0	2.0
R7LIVPAR	19788	0.32	0.58	0.0	2.0
R8LIVPAR	18156	0.27	0.55	0.0	2.0
R9LIVPAR	16915	0.24	0.52	0.0	2.0
R10LIVPAR	21560	0.39	0.64	0.0	2.0
R11LIVPAR	20226	0.35	0.61	0.0	2.0
R12LIVPAR	18202	0.30	0.58	0.0	2.0
S1LIVPAR	9979	0.63	0.70	0.0	2.0
S2LIVPAR	13256	0.40	0.62	0.0	2.0
S3LIVPAR	12016	0.34	0.58	0.0	2.0
S4LIVPAR	14172	0.37	0.61	0.0	2.0
S5LIVPAR	12714	0.33	0.58	0.0	2.0
S6LIVPAR	11480	0.28	0.54	0.0	2.0
S7LIVPAR	12865	0.37	0.62	0.0	2.0
S8LIVPAR	11665	0.33	0.59	0.0	2.0
S9LIVPAR	10614	0.29	0.56	0.0	2.0
S10LIVPAR	13408	0.44	0.67	0.0	2.0
S11LIVPAR	12500	0.39	0.64	0.0	2.0
S12LIVPAR	10889	0.35	0.61	0.0	2.0
R1MOMAGE	12482	72.53	13.20	16.0	95.0
R2MOMAGE	18888	73.56	15.11	16.0	110.0
R3MOMAGE	17354	74.07	15.23	16.0	110.0
R4MOMAGE	20580	74.61	14.92	15.0	113.0
R5MOMAGE	18806	74.97	15.07	15.0	113.0
R6MOMAGE	17503	75.34	15.18	16.0	110.0
R7MOMAGE	19483	75.22	14.72	16.0	113.0
R8MOMAGE	17897	75.74	14.83	16.0	113.0
R9MOMAGE	16713	76.17	14.86	16.0	113.0
R10MOMAGE	21434	75.51	14.24	16.0	113.0
R11MOMAGE	20057	76.00	14.36	16.0	114.0
R12MOMAGE	18121	76.39	14.46	16.0	114.0
S1MOMAGE	10115	72.62	13.03	17.0	95.0
S2MOMAGE	13059	73.80	14.51	17.0	110.0
S3MOMAGE	11873	74.37	14.62	17.0	110.0
S4MOMAGE	13911	74.80	14.40	17.0	113.0
S5MOMAGE	12472	75.16	14.56	17.0	113.0
S6MOMAGE	11307	75.72	14.61	17.0	110.0
S7MOMAGE	12712	75.50	14.13	16.0	113.0
S8MOMAGE	11535	76.06	14.24	16.0	110.0
S9MOMAGE	10506	76.56	14.29	16.0	110.0
S10MOMAGE	13401	75.78	13.78	16.0	110.0
S11MOMAGE	12418	76.30	13.89	16.0	110.0
S12MOMAGE	10867	76.74	13.95	16.0	110.0
R1DADAGE	12311	69.87	13.62	16.0	96.0
R2DADAGE	18560	70.65	14.36	16.0	110.0
R3DADAGE	17113	70.78	14.48	16.0	116.0
R4DADAGE	20126	71.04	14.33	19.0	107.0
R5DADAGE	18580	71.25	14.37	19.0	107.0
R6DADAGE	17322	71.41	14.46	19.0	107.0
R7DADAGE	19197	71.49	14.19	12.0	110.0
R8DADAGE	17654	71.62	14.29	12.0	110.0
R9DADAGE	16475	71.87	14.43	12.0	110.0
R10DADAGE	20952	71.87	14.09	12.0	110.0
R11DADAGE	19641	72.07	14.28	12.0	110.0

R12DADAGE	17837	72.25	14.40	12.0	110.0
S1DADAGE	9987	70.03	13.44	16.0	95.0
S2DADAGE	12898	70.61	14.11	16.0	105.0
S3DADAGE	11758	70.73	14.24	16.0	116.0
S4DADAGE	13647	71.03	14.10	19.0	106.0
S5DADAGE	12432	71.34	14.12	19.0	106.0
S6DADAGE	11304	71.51	14.25	19.0	106.0
S7DADAGE	12622	71.70	13.97	12.0	110.0
S8DADAGE	11468	71.88	14.07	12.0	110.0
S9DADAGE	10467	72.16	14.20	12.0	110.0
S10DADAGE	13195	72.06	13.88	12.0	110.0
S11DADAGE	12271	72.28	14.06	12.0	110.0
S12DADAGE	10821	72.58	14.25	12.0	110.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MOMLIV	R2MOMLIV	R3MOMLIV	R4MOMLIV	R5MOMLIV	R6MOMLIV	R7MOMLIV
.D=DK/NA	26	9	11	15	14	12	19
.M=Oth missing	143	129	153	199	257	235	231
.R=RF			2	7	1	6	1
0.no	7051	14858	14054	16485	15583	14876	15554
1.yes	5432	4646	3771	4678	3724	3036	4324

Value	R8MOMLIV	R9MOMLIV	R10MOMLIV	R11MOMLIV	R12MOMLIV
.D=DK/NA	15	12	25	19	18
.M=Oth missing	217	205	251	187	368
.R=RF	1		2		1
0.no	14758	14112	16129	15561	14556
1.yes	3478	2888	5627	4787	3804

Value	S1MOMLIV	S2MOMLIV	S3MOMLIV	S4MOMLIV	S5MOMLIV	S6MOMLIV	S7MOMLIV
.D=DK/NA	22	7	13	14	12	8	15
.M=Oth missing	138	332	221	219	256	200	180
.R=RF			3	7	1	5	
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR						110	214
0.no	5652	9555	9073	10566	9854	9224	9658
1.yes	4467	3778	3023	3709	2918	2312	3285

Value	S8MOMLIV	S9MOMLIV	S10MOMLIV	S11MOMLIV	S12MOMLIV
.D=DK/NA	8	9	19	12	9
.M=Oth missing	157	141	174	123	237
.R=RF	1		2		1
.U=Unmar	6417	6205	7799	7474	7127
.V=Sp NR	155	185	469	362	374
0.no	9091	8519	9627	9266	8442
1.yes	2640	2158	3944	3317	2557

Value	R1DADLIV	R2DADLIV	R3DADLIV	R4DADLIV	R5DADLIV	R6DADLIV	R7DADLIV
.D=DK/NA	169	58	40	67	45	28	57
.M=Oth missing	172	112	104	189	104	85	87
.R=RF		1	2	6	1	6	
0.no	10019	17662	16477	19246	17928	16886	18034
1.yes	2292	1809	1368	1876	1501	1160	1951

Value	R8DADLIV	R9DADLIV	R10DADLIV	R11DADLIV	R12DADLIV
.D=DK/NA	46	46	141	88	81
.M=Oth missing	77	84	145	74	185
.R=RF	1		3	2	1
0.no	16841	15884	18952	18111	16715
1.yes	1504	1203	2793	2279	1765

Value	S1DADLIV	S2DADLIV	S3DADLIV	S4DADLIV	S5DADLIV	S6DADLIV	S7DADLIV
.D=DK/NA	122	42	35	55	36	17	32
.M=Oth missing	168	319	176	211	98	55	52
.R=RF		1	5	9	2	6	
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR						102	223
0.no	8055	11800	10983	12675	11645	10733	11492
1.yes	1934	1510	1134	1565	1260	946	1553

Value	S8DADLIV	S9DADLIV	S10DADLIV	S11DADLIV	S12DADLIV
.D=DK/NA	26	30	75	50	47
.M=Oth missing	40	35	82	30	96
.R=RF	1		2		
.U=Unmar	6417	6205	7799	7474	7127
.V=Sp NR	152	162	490	331	331
0.no	10640	9843	11548	11039	9900
1.yes	1193	942	2038	1630	1246

How Constructed

RwMOMAGE and RwDADAGE are assigned respectively to the Respondent's mother's and the Respondent's father's current age if living or age at death if deceased. SwMOMAGE and SwDADAGE are assigned respectively to the Respondent's mother-in-law's and Respondent's father-in-law's current age or age at death.

RwMOMLIV and RwDADLIV flag whether a Respondent's mother and father, respectively, are still alive. SwMOMLIV and SwDADLIV flag whether a Respondent's mother-in-law and father-in-law, respectively, are still alive. If the parent is alive, then the derived mortality status is set to "1;" if deceased, it is set to "0."

RwLIVPAR counts a Respondent's own living parents and SwLIVPAR counts a Respondent's living parents-in-law. They are derived by summing the RwMOMLIV and RwDADLIV variables. If either RwMOMLIV or RwDADLIV is missing, then RwLIVPAR is missing.

If the Respondent is unmarried, SwMOMAGE, SwDADAGE, SwMOMLIV, SwDADLIV, and SwLIVPAR are assigned .U missing values. In waves where the spouse did not provide an interview and the Respondent only reports on his/her own parents, they are assigned .V missing values.

For Waves 1 and 2H, the derivations use preprocessed variables that assign parent and in-law information to Respondents. In Waves 3H, 4, and 5, the derivations use household-level data, taking into account whether the Respondent is the Family Respondent or not. If the Respondent is the Family Respondent, then parent data are assigned to the Respondent's

parent variables and parent-in-law data are assigned to the spouse's parent variables. If the Respondent is not the Family Respondent, then parent-in-law data are assigned to the Respondent's parent variables and parent data are assigned to the Respondent's parent-in-law variables. In Waves 2A and 3A and from Wave 6 forward, parent data are collected from Respondents about their own parents. Information about parents-in-law is assigned from the spouse's report on his/her own parents.

If a parent is reported deceased at an interview and the parent data is missing at a subsequent interview, the data is carried forward. If the parent data is given at an interview but is missing at a prior interview, the data is carried back. When carrying data forward or back for in-laws, the spouse IDs are compared to ensure that the information is for the same spouse.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Information about parent mortality and age is reported in the Family Section at each interview. In Waves 1, 2H, 3H, 4, and 5, the designated Family Respondent answers all questions about parents and parents-in-law in a couple household. In Waves 2A and 3A, and from Wave 6 forward, each Respondent answers the questions about his/her own parents.

In Waves 1 and 2H, the raw HRS data provides parent data in separate modules with observations by parent. In Wave 2H there may be multiple observations per parent. The modules may include information on up to 4 parents per household with the Family Respondent's parents and in-laws. In Waves 2A and 3A, and from Wave 6 forward, the raw data provide parent data in Respondent level variables with one observation per Respondent. In Waves 3H, 4 and 5 the raw HRS data provide parent data in household level variables with one observation per household holding information on up to four parents.

Preprocessing of Wave 1 and 2H data collapses the parent-level observations to each Respondent as a set of 4 variables for each measure pertaining to the Respondent's mother, father, mother-in-law, and father-in-law. The process takes into account whether the Respondent is the Family Respondent or not. For Waves 2A and 3A, and from Wave 6 forward, each Respondent provides information about their own mother and father, regardless of who the Family Respondent is. Information about parents-in-law is based on the spouse's responses. In Waves 3H, 4, and 5 the assignment of parent data is adjusted to account for the Respondent's Family Respondent status.

Concerning `RwMOMAGE` and `RwDADAGE` if a parent is living, a question asks how old the parent is. If the parent is deceased a question asks how old the parent was when he/she died. In Waves 1 and 2H the question wordings are: "How old is she/he?" and "How old was he/she when he/she died?" In Waves 2A and 3H, and from Wave 4 forward, the wording is slightly different: "About how old is she/he?" and "About how old was he/she when he/she died?" These questions are skipped if preloaded information indicates that the Respondent reported the parent deceased at a previous interview.

Unlike other waves, Respondents in Wave 2A who either don't recall, or refuse to answer the question about their parents' age at death, enter into a sequence of two "bracket" questions ("Was he/she older than 65?"; and "Was he/she older than 85?") The pattern of responses to these questions is captured in four special missing codes (.E = died before 65; .F = died between 65-85; and .G = died after 65+; and .H = died after age 85+).

Concerning `RwMOMLIV`, `RwDADLIV`, and `RwLIVPAR` in Wave 1, a question asks: "Is [your, your spouse/partner's] [mother, father] living now?" At subsequent interviews the question is: "Is [your, your spouse/partner's] [mother, father] still living?" This question is skipped if preloaded information indicates that the Respondent reported that the parent had died at a previous interview.

From Wave 7 forward, the answer is set to "Yes" without asking the question if the parent is a resident in the Respondent's household.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 V8203PF PARS:ALIVE NOW? /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8203PM PARS:ALIVE NOW? /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8203RF PARS:ALIVE NOW? /Own Dad
 V8203RM PARS:ALIVE NOW? /Own Mom
 V8205PF PARS:AGE :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8205PM PARS:AGE :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8205RF PARS:AGE :IMP /Own Dad
 V8205RM PARS:AGE :IMP /Own Mom
 V8209PF PARS:AGE WHEN DIED :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8209PM PARS:AGE WHEN DIED :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8209RF PARS:AGE WHEN DIED :IMP /Own Dad
 V8209RM PARS:AGE WHEN DIED :IMP /Own Mom

AHEAD 1993:
 B565 D60. MOTHER LIVING
 B566 D61a. MOTHER AGE
 B572 D61c. MOTHER AGE DIED
 B573 D61d. MOTHER AGE DIED DK 65+
 B575 D61e. MOTHER AGE DIED DK 85+
 B576 D62. FATHER LIVING
 B577 D63a. FATHER AGE
 B583 D63c. FATHER AGE DIED
 B584 D63d. FATHER AGE DIED DK 65+
 B586 D63e. FATHER AGE DIED DK 85+
 BPHHIDPN AHD W1: Spouse HHIDPN

HRS 1994:
 W8201PF Parent still living? /P Dad
 W8201PM Parent still living? /P Mom
 W8201RF Parent still living? /R Dad
 W8201RM Parent still living? /R Mom
 W8202PF Parent age /P Dad
 W8202PM Parent age /P Mom
 W8202RF Parent age /R Dad
 W8202RM Parent age /R Mom
 W8206PF Parent age at death /P Dad
 W8206PM Parent age at death /P Mom
 W8206RF Parent age at death /R Dad
 W8206RM Parent age at death /R Mom
 W950 E: R Mother Alive Now
 W951 E: R Father Alive Now
 W954 E: S/P Mother Alive Now
 W955 E: S/P Father Alive Now
 W958 EE: R Mother Alive Now
 W959 EE: R Father Alive Now
 W960 EE: S/P Mother Alive Now
 W961 EE: S/P Father Alive Now

AHEAD 1995:
 D1613 D90.MOTHER LIVING
 D1614 D91A.MOTHER AGE
 D1617 D91D. AGE MOTHER DIED
 D1621 D92.FATHER LIVING
 D1622 D93A.FATHER AGE
 D1629 D93C.FATHER AGE DIED
 DPHHIDPN AHD95 Spouse HHIDPN

HRS 1996:
 E1557_1 D90.MOTHER LIVING
 E1557_2 D90.MOTHER-IN-LAW LIVING
 E1557_2A D90.MOTHER-IN-LAW LIVING-CORRECTED

E1558_1	D91A.MOTHER AGE
E1558_2	D91A.MOTHER-IN-LAW AGE
E1561_1	D92A. AGE MOTHER DIED
E1561_2	D92A. AGE MOTHER-IN-LAW DIED
E1566_1	D93.FATHER LIVING
E1566_2	D93.FATHER-IN-LAW LIVING
E1566_2A	D93.FATHER-IN-LAW LIVING-CORRECTED
E1567_1	D94A.FATHER AGE
E1567_2	D94A.FATHER-IN-LAW AGE
E1570_1	D95A.FATHER AGE DIED
E1570_2	D95A.FATHER-IN-LAW AGE DIED
E1666_1	D145_.CKPT PARENTS ALIVE
E1666_2	D145.CKPT PARENTS-IN-LAW ALIVE
HRS 1998:	
F1906	D90.MOTHER LIVING
F1907	D91A.MOTHER AGE
F1911	D92A. AGE MOTHER DIED
F1916	D93.FATHER LIVING
F1917	D94A.FATHER AGE
F1921	D95A.FATHER AGE DIED
F2068	D90-2.MOTHER-IN-LAW LIVING
F2069	D91A-2.MOTHER-IN-LAW AGE
F2073	D92A-2. AGE MOTHER-IN-LAW DIED
F2078	D93-2.FATHER-IN-LAW LIVING
F2079	D94A-2.FATHER-IN-LAW AGE
F2083	D95A-2.FATHER-IN-LAW AGE DIED
HRS 2000:	
G2122	D90.MOTHER LIVING
G2123	D91A.MOTHER AGE
G2127	D92A. AGE MOTHER DIED
G2132	D93.FATHER LIVING
G2133	D94A.FATHER AGE
G2137	D95A.FATHER AGE DIED
G2309	D90-2.MOTHER-IN-LAW LIVING
G2310	D91A-2.MOTHER-IN-LAW AGE
G2314	D92A-2. AGE MOTHER-IN-LAW DIED
G2319	D93-2.FATHER-IN-LAW LIVING
G2324	D95A-2.FATHER-IN-LAW AGE DIED
HRS 2002:	
HF001	MOTHER ALIVE
HF002	MOTHERS AGE
HF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
HF011	FATHER ALIVE
HF012	FATHER AGE
HF016	AGE FATHER DIED
HPHHIDPN	HRS 02: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2004:	
JF001	MOTHER ALIVE
JF002	MOTHERS AGE
JF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
JF011	FATHER ALIVE
JF012	FATHER AGE
JF016	AGE FATHER DIED
JPHHIDPN	HRS 04: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2006:	
KF001	MOTHER ALIVE
KF002	MOTHERS AGE
KF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
KF011	FATHER ALIVE

KF012	FATHER AGE
KF016	AGE FATHER DIED
KPHHIDPN	HRS 06: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2008:	
LF001	MOTHER ALIVE
LF002	MOTHERS AGE
LF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
LF011	FATHER ALIVE
LF012	FATHER AGE
LF016	AGE FATHER DIED
LPHHIDPN	HRS 06: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2010:	
MF001	MOTHER ALIVE
MF002	MOTHERS AGE
MF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
MF011	FATHER ALIVE
MF012	FATHER AGE
MF016	AGE FATHER DIED
MPHHIDPN	HRS 10: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2012:	
NF001	MOTHER ALIVE
NF002	MOTHERS AGE
NF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
NF011	FATHER ALIVE
NF012	FATHER AGE
NF016	AGE FATHER DIED
NPHHIDPN	HRS 12: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HRS 2014:	
OF001	MOTHER ALIVE
OF002	MOTHERS AGE
OF006	AGE MOTHER DIED
OF011	FATHER ALIVE
OF012	FATHER AGE
OF016	AGE FATHER DIED
OPHHIDPN	HRS 14: HHIDPN of spouse/partner

Parents' Education: Mother's Education

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAMEDUC	RAMEDUC: R Mother's Years Education	Categ
1	S1MEDUC	S1MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
2	S2MEDUC	S2MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
3	S3MEDUC	S3MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
4	S4MEDUC	S4MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
5	S5MEDUC	S5MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
6	S6MEDUC	S6MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
7	S7MEDUC	S7MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
8	S8MEDUC	S8MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
9	S9MEDUC	S9MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
10	S10MEDUC	S10MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
11	S11MEDUC	S11MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ
12	S12MEDUC	S12MEDUC: S Mother's Years Education	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAMEDUC	33158	9.34	3.55	0.0	17.0
S1MEDUC	9214	9.28	3.61	0.0	17.0
S2MEDUC	12150	8.91	3.06	0.0	17.0
S3MEDUC	11066	8.97	3.12	0.0	17.0
S4MEDUC	12893	9.26	3.33	0.0	17.0
S5MEDUC	11678	9.34	3.40	0.0	17.0
S6MEDUC	10630	9.43	3.44	0.0	17.0
S7MEDUC	11986	9.70	3.58	0.0	17.0
S8MEDUC	10843	9.78	3.59	0.0	17.0
S9MEDUC	9940	9.85	3.62	0.0	17.0
S10MEDUC	12731	9.97	3.90	0.0	17.0
S11MEDUC	11769	9.98	3.96	0.0	17.0
S12MEDUC	10472	10.02	3.99	0.0	17.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAMEDUC
.D=DK	4111
.M=Oth missing	215
.R=RF	11
0.None	1219
1	127
2	231
3	616
4	615
5	677
6	1725
7	796
7.5: lt 8 yrs	3375
8	3950
8.5:8+ yrs	3848
9	947
10	1584
11	969
12	8800
13	564
14	1137
15	228
16	1301
17.17+ yrs	449

Value	S1MEDUC	S2MEDUC	S3MEDUC	S4MEDUC	S5MEDUC	S6MEDUC	S7MEDUC
.D=DK	878	1182	1014	1342	1172	1058	1136
.M=Oth missing	9	97	111	116	100	94	98
.R=RF		1	1	4	3	3	2
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	178	242	141	160	88	74	130
0.None	327	297	281	363	341	316	391
1	35	29	28	36	35	34	38
2	63	58	56	70	67	65	82
3	207	190	176	224	215	190	231
4	267	239	214	263	251	226	244
5	274	251	230	272	252	226	246
6	726	640	596	722	683	624	687
7	341	308	283	346	316	292	293
7.5: lt 8 yrs	35	1700	1356	1018	743	543	388
8	1951	1774	1654	2104	1962	1833	1901
8.5:8+ yrs	81	2201	1955	1580	1212	927	731
9	365	329	316	384	354	342	387
10	637	560	539	670	628	608	678
11	331	299	274	366	352	340	396
12	2602	2378	2232	3180	3019	2864	3753
13	156	141	132	224	215	202	243
14	344	319	314	450	433	418	509
15	55	53	54	70	65	62	88
16	318	294	286	430	414	396	531
17.17+ yrs	99	90	90	121	121	122	169

Value	S8MEDUC	S9MEDUC	S10MEDUC	S11MEDUC	S12MEDUC
.D=DK	1009	868	1094	986	840
.M=Oth missing	91	82	87	75	69
.R=RF	2	2	3	2	2
.U=Unmar	6417	6206	7799	7474	7127
.V=Sp NR	107	119	320	248	237
0.None	349	325	578	566	520
1	33	28	67	67	58
2	76	69	121	114	110
3	214	200	259	253	221
4	222	203	249	228	197
5	213	195	243	215	194
6	618	571	740	693	611

7		263	240	278	259	224
7.5: lt 8 yrs		272	196	112	75	42
8		1725	1586	1664	1496	1288
8.5:8+ yrs		533	381	250	166	107
9		363	335	423	378	324
10		626	581	706	662	603
11		375	350	477	445	399
12		3518	3302	4559	4263	3862
13		235	221	291	272	231
14		473	454	613	570	511
15		83	83	121	110	105
16		497	471	726	705	654
17.17+ yrs		155	149	254	232	211

How Constructed

This variable is assigned by looking at all waves of data for the first non-missing values. In Wave 1 and from Wave 4 forward, a question asks for mother's years of education. Wave 2H does not ask the question at all. In Wave 3H, and in Waves 2A and 3A of the AHEAD sample, the question asks if she attended school for 8 or more years.

Wave 1 or Waves 4 and after, are used first, if not missing. If only Wave 3H data are available, or for the AHEAD sample, Waves 2A and 3A, 7.5 yrs is assigned if less than 8 years, and 8.5 is assigned if 8 or more.

The spouse variable SwMEDUC is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RAMEDUC variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Wave 1 the question is: "What is the highest grade of school your mother completed?". Answers are given in years of school, 0-17.

In Wave 2H, the question is not asked at all.

In Wave 3H, and for the AHEAD sample, Waves 2A and 3A, the question is: "Did your mother attend 8 years or more of school?" and the possible answers are yes and no.

From Wave 4 forward, the question is similar to the Wave 1 wording: "And what is the highest grade of school your mother completed?", and answers can be 0-17.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V212	A4:MOTHER-HIGHEST GRADE
AHEAD 1993:	
B130	A4. MOTHER IN SCHOOL 8/+ YEARS
AHEAD 1995:	
D654	A4.MA EDUC
HRS 1996:	
E654	A4.MOTHER EDUC
HRS 1998:	
F1001	A6.MA EDUC
HRS 2000:	

G1088	A6.MA EDUC
HRS 2002:	
HB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2004:	
JB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2006:	
KB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2008:	
LB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2010:	
MB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2012:	
NB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2014:	
OB027	MOTHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE

Parents' Education: Father's Education

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAFEDUC	RAFEDUC: R Father's Years Education	Categ
1	S1FEDUC	S1FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
2	S2FEDUC	S2FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
3	S3FEDUC	S3FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
4	S4FEDUC	S4FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
5	S5FEDUC	S5FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
6	S6FEDUC	S6FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
7	S7FEDUC	S7FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
8	S8FEDUC	S8FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
9	S9FEDUC	S9FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
10	S10FEDUC	S10FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
11	S11FEDUC	S11FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ
12	S12FEDUC	S12FEDUC: S Father's Years Education	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAFEDUC	31124	9.11	3.79	0.0	17.0
S1FEDUC	8949	8.98	3.96	0.0	17.0
S2FEDUC	11896	8.69	3.31	0.0	17.0
S3FEDUC	10823	8.75	3.37	0.0	17.0
S4FEDUC	12369	8.96	3.63	0.0	17.0
S5FEDUC	11199	9.02	3.71	0.0	17.0
S6FEDUC	10170	9.13	3.75	0.0	17.0
S7FEDUC	11380	9.40	3.91	0.0	17.0
S8FEDUC	10301	9.50	3.91	0.0	17.0
S9FEDUC	9425	9.56	3.93	0.0	17.0
S10FEDUC	11860	9.76	4.18	0.0	17.0
S11FEDUC	10960	9.78	4.23	0.0	17.0
S12FEDUC	9736	9.91	4.24	0.0	17.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAFEDUC
.D=DK	4778
.M=Oth missing	1581
.R=RF	12
0.None	1198
1	125
2	292
3	850
4	744
5	834
6	1861
7	766
7.5: lt 8 yrs	3638
8	3947
8.5:8+ yrs	3572
9	866
10	1326
11	677
12	6437
13	450
14	864
15	233
16	1489
17.17+ yrs	955

Value	S1FEDUC	S2FEDUC	S3FEDUC	S4FEDUC	S5FEDUC	S6FEDUC	S7FEDUC
.D=DK	1132	1425	1244	1566	1378	1251	1352
.M=Oth missing	11	99	116	401	370	354	474
.R=RF				3	3	3	5
.U=Unmar	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V=Sp NR	187	252	150	176	91	81	141
0.None	387	357	313	417	392	346	403
1	45	40	37	39	44	39	49
2	98	85	79	108	95	80	106
3	307	273	258	344	323	290	335
4	325	296	289	342	326	308	322
5	357	317	297	371	352	326	350
6	765	678	640	787	737	689	764
7	327	291	267	330	305	280	308
7.5: lt 8 yrs	34	1866	1516	1155	833	626	458
8	1898	1735	1611	2046	1910	1795	1926
8.5:8+ yrs	74	2016	1771	1410	1105	828	643
9	350	316	302	373	348	335	373
10	553	494	470	582	559	526	602
11	246	226	210	267	254	231	273
12	2117	1922	1809	2428	2308	2194	2779
13	109	108	106	163	157	153	219
14	256	239	225	326	317	317	363
15	70	66	60	92	90	87	99
16	379	345	331	462	426	417	608
17.17+ yrs	252	226	232	327	318	303	400

Value	S8FEDUC	S9FEDUC	S10FEDUC	S11FEDUC	S12FEDUC
.D=DK	1197	1047	1369	1239	1068
.M=Oth missing	439	406	664	613	566
.R=RF	5	4	5	3	3
.U=Unmar	6417	6206	7799	7474	7127
.V=Sp NR	110	129	337	265	247
0.None	354	318	517	504	436
1	42	42	67	67	52
2	93	82	122	119	109
3	303	277	362	340	295
4	296	272	305	269	227
5	305	290	339	304	262
6	685	632	825	773	675

	7		274	245	278	261	229
7.5: lt 8 yrs			335	245	140	92	52
	8		1794	1643	1812	1644	1412
8.5:8+ yrs			462	331	219	146	95
	9		333	314	396	359	301
	10		551	519	647	605	547
	11		265	249	334	315	305
	12		2645	2499	3335	3123	2836
	13		206	192	248	239	209
	14		347	316	441	401	387
	15		97	95	131	121	114
	16		547	519	808	771	712
17.17+ yrs			367	345	534	507	481

How Constructed

This variable is assigned by looking at all waves of data for the first non-missing values. In Wave 1 and from Wave 4 forward, a question asks for father's years of education. Wave 2H does not ask the question at all. In Wave 3H, and in Waves 2A and 3A of the AHEAD sample, the question asks if he attended school for 8 or more years.

Wave 1 or Waves 4 and after, are used first, if not missing. If only Wave 3H data are available, or for the AHEAD sample, Waves 2A and 3A, 7.5 yrs is assigned if less than 8 years, and 8.5 is assigned if 8 or more.

The spouse variable SwFEDUC is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RAFEDUC variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Wave 1 the question is: "What is the highest grade of school your father completed?". Answers are given in years of school, 0-17.

In Wave 2H, the question is not asked at all.

In Wave 3H, and for the AHEAD sample, Waves 2A and 3A, the question is: "Did your father attend 8 years or more of school?" and the possible answers are yes and no.

From Wave 4 forward, the question is similar to the Wave 1 wording: "And what is the highest grade of school your father completed?", and answers can be 0-17.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V213	A5:FATHER-HIGHEST GRADE
AHEAD 1993:	
B131	A5. FATHER IN SCHOOL 8/+ YEARS
AHEAD 1995:	
D655	A5.PA EDUC
HRS 1996:	
E655	A5.FATHER EDUC
HRS 1998:	
F1000	A5.PA EDUC
HRS 2000:	
G1087	A5.PA EDUC
HRS 2002:	
HB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE

HRS 2004:	
JB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2006:	
KB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2008:	
LB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2010:	
MB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2012:	
NB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE
HRS 2014:	
OB026	FATHER EDUCATION- HIGHEST GRADE

Parents' 3 Month+ Illness Before Death: Mother's 3 Month+ Illness
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAMDIEILL	RMDIEILL: 3 mo+ illness last year/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MDIEILL	S1MDIEILL:W1 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MDIEILL	S2MDIEILL:W2 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MDIEILL	S3MDIEILL:W3 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MDIEILL	S4MDIEILL:W4 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MDIEILL	S5MDIEILL:W5 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MDIEILL	S6MDIEILL:W6 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MDIEILL	S7MDIEILL:W7 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MDIEILL	S8MDIEILL:W8 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MDIEILL	S9MDIEILL:W9 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MDIEILL	S10MDIEILL:W10 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MDIEILL	S11MDIEILL:W11 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MDIEILL	S12MDIEILL:W12 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAMDIEILL	22303	0.71	0.45	0.0	1.0
S1MDIEILL	5652	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S2MDIEILL	484	0.71	0.46	0.0	1.0
S3MDIEILL	1003	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S4MDIEILL	3188	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S5MDIEILL	681	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S6MDIEILL	675	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
S7MDIEILL	1403	0.77	0.42	0.0	1.0
S8MDIEILL	570	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
S9MDIEILL	470	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S10MDIEILL	2204	0.76	0.42	0.0	1.0
S11MDIEILL	635	0.71	0.45	0.0	1.0
S12MDIEILL	713	0.73	0.44	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAMDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	796
.D: DK	363
.L: Living	6016
.M: Missing	8006
.R: Refuse	11
0.No	6372
1.Yes	15931

Value	S1MDIEILL	S2MDIEILL	S3MDIEILL	S4MDIEILL	S5MDIEILL	S6MDIEILL	S7MDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		25	58	134	41	16	18
.L: Living	4467	3774	3021	3709	2918	2312	3285
.M: Missing		4063	111			2	1
.P: Died prvW		4939	7735	6987	8805	8138	7814
.R: Refuse			2	2		1	
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	128	305	113	129	60	109	213
0.No	1710	142	307	979	214	221	322
1.Yes	3942	342	696	2209	467	454	1081

Value	S8MDIEILL	S9MDIEILL	S10MDIEILL	S11MDIEILL	S12MDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	11	8	35	14	12
.L: Living	2640	2158	3916	3297	2540
.M: Missing	1		2	5	2
.P: Died prvW	8024	7549	6749	7894	7059
.R: Refuse			3		2
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	154	183	473	363	374
0.No	186	140	519	183	191
1.Yes	384	330	1685	452	522

How Constructed

RAMDIEILL indicates whether a Respondent's mother had an illness lasting 3 months or more during the last year she was alive.

The spouse variable SwMDIEILL is taken from the Wave 'w' spouse's RAMDIEILL variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8210RM	PARS:3 MO ILLNESS :IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:	
W8207RM	Parent have illness lasting 3+ mo /R Mom
HRS 1996:	
E1564_1	D92C.MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 1998:	
FR1914	D92C.MOTHER ILLNESS/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2130	D92C.MOTHER ILLNESS/Self
HRS 2002:	

HF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2004:	
JF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2006:	
KF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2008:	
LF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2010:	
MF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2012:	
NF009	MOTHER ILLNESS
HRS 2014:	
OF009	MOTHER ILLNESS

Parents' 3 Month+ Illness Before Death: Father's 3 Month+ Illness
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAFDIEILL	RFDIEILL: 3 mo+ illness last year/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FDIEILL	S1FDIEILL:W1 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FDIEILL	S2FDIEILL:W2 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FDIEILL	S3FDIEILL:W3 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FDIEILL	S4FDIEILL:W4 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FDIEILL	S5FDIEILL:W5 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FDIEILL	S6FDIEILL:W6 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FDIEILL	S7FDIEILL:W7 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FDIEILL	S8FDIEILL:W8 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FDIEILL	S9FDIEILL:W9 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FDIEILL	S10FDIEILL:W10 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FDIEILL	S11FDIEILL:W11 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FDIEILL	S12FDIEILL:W12 3 mo+ illness before death last year/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAFDIEILL	25109	0.65	0.48	0.0	1.0
S1FDIEILL	8055	0.62	0.49	0.0	1.0
S2FDIEILL	394	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S3FDIEILL	937	0.62	0.48	0.0	1.0
S4FDIEILL	3787	0.63	0.48	0.0	1.0
S5FDIEILL	1013	0.58	0.49	0.0	1.0
S6FDIEILL	486	0.64	0.48	0.0	1.0
S7FDIEILL	1781	0.70	0.46	0.0	1.0
S8FDIEILL	405	0.67	0.47	0.0	1.0
S9FDIEILL	311	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S10FDIEILL	2782	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S11FDIEILL	532	0.69	0.46	0.0	1.0
S12FDIEILL	631	0.71	0.46	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	RAFDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	639
.D: DK	966
.L: Living	2631
.M: Missing	8128
.R: Refuse	22
0.No	8826
1.Yes	16283

Value	S1FDIEILL	S2FDIEILL	S3FDIEILL	S4FDIEILL	S5FDIEILL	S6FDIEILL	S7FDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		54	101	268	145	28	76
.L: Living	1934	1507	1134	1565	1260	946	1553
.M: Missing		4228	81	1		2	1
.P: Died prvW		7055	9635	8273	10049	9688	9076
.R: Refuse			2	4	2	3	1
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	154	310	108	144	50	100	223
0.No	3070	121	353	1413	425	177	542
1.Yes	4985	273	584	2374	588	309	1239

Value	S8FDIEILL	S9FDIEILL	S10FDIEILL	S11FDIEILL	S12FDIEILL
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	23	18	119	37	47
.L: Living	1193	942	2018	1620	1242
.M: Missing			1	2	2
.P: Died prvW	9586	8877	7842	9540	8364
.R: Refuse	1		2	1	1
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	149	160	492	330	331
0.No	133	95	876	166	186
1.Yes	272	216	1906	366	445

How Constructed

RAFDIEILL indicates whether a Respondent's father had an illness lasting 3 months or more during the last year he was alive.

The spouse variable SwFDIEILL is taken from the Wave 'w' spouse's RAFDIEILL variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8210RF	PARS:3 MO ILLNESS :IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:	W8207RF	Parent have illness lasting 3+ mo /R Dad
HRS 1996:	ER1573_1	D95C.FATHER ILLNESS/Self
HRS 1998:	FR1924	D95C.FATHER ILLNESS/Self
HRS 2000:	GR2140	D95C.FATHER ILLNESS/Self
HRS 2002:		

HF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2004:	
JF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2006:	
KF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2008:	
LF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2010:	
MF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2012:	
NF019	FATHER ILLNESS
HRS 2014:	
OF019	FATHER ILLNESS

Parent Ever in Nursing Home: Mother Ever in Nursing Home

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAMEVRNHM	RMEVRNHM: Ever in Nhm bef dth/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MEVRNHM	S1MEVRNHM:W1 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MEVRNHM	S2MEVRNHM:W2 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MEVRNHM	S3MEVRNHM:W3 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MEVRNHM	S4MEVRNHM:W4 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MEVRNHM	S5MEVRNHM:W5 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MEVRNHM	S6MEVRNHM:W6 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MEVRNHM	S7MEVRNHM:W7 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MEVRNHM	S8MEVRNHM:W8 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MEVRNHM	S9MEVRNHM:W9 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MEVRNHM	S10MEVRNHM:W10 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MEVRNHM	S11MEVRNHM:W11 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MEVRNHM	S12MEVRNHM:W12 Ever in Nursing home before death/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAMEVRNHM	22571	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0
S1MEVRNHM	5652	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S2MEVRNHM	497	0.33	0.47	0.0	1.0
S3MEVRNHM	1030	0.33	0.47	0.0	1.0
S4MEVRNHM	3277	0.27	0.45	0.0	1.0
S5MEVRNHM	705	0.36	0.48	0.0	1.0
S6MEVRNHM	687	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
S7MEVRNHM	1415	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
S8MEVRNHM	579	0.45	0.50	0.0	1.0
S9MEVRNHM	476	0.48	0.50	0.0	1.0
S10MEVRNHM	2239	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S11MEVRNHM	646	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
S12MEVRNHM	722	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	S1MEVRNHM	S2MEVRNHM	S3MEVRNHM	S4MEVRNHM	S5MEVRNHM	S6MEVRNHM	S7MEVRNHM
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		12	31	44	17	4	6
.L: Living	4467	3774	3021	3709	2918	2312	3285
.M: Missing		4063	111			2	1
.P: Died prvW		4939	7735	6987	8805	8138	7814
.R: Refuse			2	3		1	
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	128	305	113	129	60	109	213
0.No	4536	335	689	2376	450	381	992
1.Yes	1116	162	341	901	255	306	423

Value	S8MEVRNHM	S9MEVRNHM	S10MEVRNHM	S11MEVRNHM	S12MEVRNHM
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	2	2	3	3	3
.L: Living	2640	2158	3916	3297	2540
.M: Missing	1		2	5	2
.P: Died prvW	8024	7549	6749	7894	7059
.R: Refuse					2
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	154	183	473	363	374
0.No	317	247	1719	439	470
1.Yes	262	229	520	207	252

How Constructed

RAMEVRNHM indicates whether a Respondent's mother ever lived in a nursing home.

The spouse variable SwMEVRNHM is taken from the Wave 'w' spouse's RAMEVRNHM variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8211RM	PARS:IN NURSING HOME:IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:	
W8208RM	Parent ever live in nursing home /R Mom
HRS 1996:	
ER1565_1	D92D.MOTHER NURSING HOME/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1915	D92D.MOTHER NURSING HOME/Self
HRS 2000:	
G2131	D92D.MOTHER NURSING HOME
HRS 2002:	
HF010	DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2004:	
JF010	DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2006:	
KF010	DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2008:	
LF010	DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2010:	
MF010	DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH

HRS 2012:
NF010 DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2014:
OF010 DID MOTHER LIVE IN NH

Parent Ever in Nursing Home: Father Ever in Nursing Home

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	RAFEVRNHM	RFEVRNHM: Ever in Nhm bef dth/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FEVRNHM	S1FEVRNHM:W1 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FEVRNHM	S2FEVRNHM:W2 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FEVRNHM	S3FEVRNHM:W3 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FEVRNHM	S4FEVRNHM:W4 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FEVRNHM	S5FEVRNHM:W5 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FEVRNHM	S6FEVRNHM:W6 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FEVRNHM	S7FEVRNHM:W7 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FEVRNHM	S8FEVRNHM:W8 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FEVRNHM	S9FEVRNHM:W9 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FEVRNHM	S10FEVRNHM:W10 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FEVRNHM	S11FEVRNHM:W11 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FEVRNHM	S12FEVRNHM:W12 Ever in Nursing home befor death/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
RAFEVRNHM	25573	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S1FEVRNHM	8055	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
S2FEVRNHM	411	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S3FEVRNHM	985	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
S4FEVRNHM	3918	0.13	0.34	0.0	1.0
S5FEVRNHM	1082	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
S6FEVRNHM	497	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S7FEVRNHM	1820	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S8FEVRNHM	416	0.27	0.45	0.0	1.0
S9FEVRNHM	319	0.27	0.44	0.0	1.0
S10FEVRNHM	2851	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S11FEVRNHM	544	0.22	0.42	0.0	1.0
S12FEVRNHM	647	0.21	0.40	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	S1FEVRNHM	S2FEVRNHM	S3FEVRNHM	S4FEVRNHM	S5FEVRNHM	S6FEVRNHM	S7FEVRNHM
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		37	54	137	76	17	38
.L: Living	1934	1507	1134	1565	1260	946	1553
.M: Missing		4228	81	1		2	1
.P: Died prvW		7055	9635	8273	10049	9688	9076
.R: Refuse			1	4	2	3	
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	154	310	108	144	50	100	223
0.No	7146	314	812	3391	891	377	1547
1.Yes	909	97	173	527	191	120	273

Value	S8FEVRNHM	S9FEVRNHM	S10FEVRNHM	S11FEVRNHM	S12FEVRNHM
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	13	10	51	25	32
.L: Living	1193	942	2018	1620	1242
.M: Missing			2	2	2
.P: Died prvW	9586	8877	7842	9540	8364
.R: Refuse				1	
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	149	160	492	330	331
0.No	303	233	2419	422	514
1.Yes	113	86	432	122	133

How Constructed

RAFEVRNHM indicates whether a Respondent's father ever lived in a nursing home.

The spouse variable SwFEVRNHM is taken from the Wave 'w' spouse's RAFEVRNHM variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8211RF	PARS:IN NURSING HOME:IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:	
W8208RF	Parent ever live in nursing home /R Dad
HRS 1996:	
ER1574_1	D95D.FATHER NURSING HOME/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1925	D95D.FATHER NURSING HOME/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2141	D95D.FATHER NURSING HOME/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF020	DID FATHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2004:	
JF020	DID FATHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2006:	
KF020	DID FATHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2008:	
LF020	DID FATHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2010:	
MF020	DID FATHER LIVE IN NH

HRS 2012:
NF020 DID FATHER LIVE IN NH
HRS 2014:
OF020 DID FATHER LIVE IN NH

Parents Need Help: Mother Needs Help

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MPCHELP	R1MPCHELP:W1 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MPCHELP	R2MPCHELP:W2 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MPCHELP	R3MPCHELP:W3 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MPCHELP	R4MPCHELP:W4 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MPCHELP	R5MPCHELP:W5 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MPCHELP	R6MPCHELP:W6 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MPCHELP	R7MPCHELP:W7 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MPCHELP	R8MPCHELP:W8 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MPCHELP	R9MPCHELP:W9 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MPCHELP	R10MPCHELP:W10 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MPCHELP	R11MPCHELP:W11 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MPCHELP	R12MPCHELP:W12 Needs help personal care/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MPCHELP	S1MPCHELP:W1 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MPCHELP	S2MPCHELP:W2 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MPCHELP	S3MPCHELP:W3 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MPCHELP	S4MPCHELP:W4 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MPCHELP	S5MPCHELP:W5 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MPCHELP	S6MPCHELP:W6 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MPCHELP	S7MPCHELP:W7 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MPCHELP	S8MPCHELP:W8 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MPCHELP	S9MPCHELP:W9 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MPCHELP	S10MPCHELP:W10 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MPCHELP	S11MPCHELP:W11 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MPCHELP	S12MPCHELP:W12 Needs help personal care/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MPCHELP	5395	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
R2MPCHELP	4342	0.22	0.42	0.0	1.0
R3MPCHELP	3578	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
R4MPCHELP	4593	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
R5MPCHELP	3692	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
R6MPCHELP	3016	0.27	0.44	0.0	1.0
R7MPCHELP	4288	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
R8MPCHELP	3454	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
R9MPCHELP	2861	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0
R10MPCHELP	5542	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
R11MPCHELP	4757	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
R12MPCHELP	3773	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S1MPCHELP	4421	0.19	0.40	0.0	1.0
S2MPCHELP	3495	0.21	0.41	0.0	1.0
S3MPCHELP	2861	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S4MPCHELP	3631	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S5MPCHELP	2891	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S6MPCHELP	2280	0.26	0.44	0.0	1.0
S7MPCHELP	3204	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S8MPCHELP	2595	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S9MPCHELP	2115	0.24	0.43	0.0	1.0
S10MPCHELP	3767	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S11MPCHELP	3256	0.23	0.42	0.0	1.0
S12MPCHELP	2514	0.25	0.43	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MPCHELP	R2MPCHELP	R3MPCHELP	R4MPCHELP	R5MPCHELP	R6MPCHELP	R7MPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.D: DK		17	12	33	15	18	29
.M: Missing	37	286	181	48	16	2	2
.R: Refuse		1		4	1		5
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
0.No	4276	3372	2702	3489	2742	2203	3287
1.Yes	1119	970	876	1104	950	813	1001

Value	R8MPCHELP	R9MPCHELP	R10MPCHELP	R11MPCHELP	R12MPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.D: DK	21	25	44	28	25
.M: Missing	1		37	1	
.R: Refuse	2	2	4	1	6
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
0.No	2610	2145	4376	3628	2790
1.Yes	844	716	1166	1129	983

Value	S1MPCHELP	S2MPCHELP	S3MPCHELP	S4MPCHELP	S5MPCHELP	S6MPCHELP	S7MPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		17	11	29	12	12	26
.M: Missing	3	208	138	12	2	4	
.R: Refuse		2		4			3
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	171	345	124	162	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
0.No	3560	2751	2205	2807	2191	1696	2479
1.Yes	861	744	656	824	700	584	725

Value	S8MPCHELP	S9MPCHELP	S10MPCHELP	S11MPCHELP	S12MPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	17	18	30	18	18
.M: Missing	3		24	1	4
.R: Refuse		2	1	1	4
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
0.No	1981	1607	3009	2494	1887
1.Yes	614	508	758	762	627

How Constructed

RwMPCHELP indicates whether a Respondent's mother needs help with basic personal needs such as dressing, eating or bathing.

The spouse variable SwMPCHELP is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMPCHELP variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8206RM	PARS:HELP WITH NEEDS:IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:	W8203RM	Parent needs help? /R Mom
HRS 1996:	ER1559_1	D91B. MOTHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 1998:	FR1908	D91B. MOTHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 2000:	GR2124	D91B. MOTHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 2002:	HF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2004:	JF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2006:	KF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2008:	LF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2010:	MF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2012:	NF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2014:	OF003	MOTHERS PERSONAL NEEDS

Parents Need Help: Father Needs Help

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FPCHELP	R1FPCHELP:W1 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FPCHELP	R2FPCHELP:W2 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FPCHELP	R3FPCHELP:W3 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FPCHELP	R4FPCHELP:W4 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FPCHELP	R5FPCHELP:W5 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FPCHELP	R6FPCHELP:W6 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FPCHELP	R7FPCHELP:W7 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FPCHELP	R8FPCHELP:W8 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FPCHELP	R9FPCHELP:W9 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FPCHELP	R10FPCHELP:W10 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FPCHELP	R11FPCHELP:W11 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FPCHELP	R12FPCHELP:W12 Needs help personal care/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FPCHELP	S1FPCHELP:W1 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FPCHELP	S2FPCHELP:W2 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FPCHELP	S3FPCHELP:W3 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FPCHELP	S4FPCHELP:W4 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FPCHELP	S5FPCHELP:W5 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FPCHELP	S6FPCHELP:W6 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FPCHELP	S7FPCHELP:W7 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FPCHELP	S8FPCHELP:W8 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FPCHELP	S9FPCHELP:W9 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FPCHELP	S10FPCHELP:W10 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FPCHELP	S11FPCHELP:W11 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FPCHELP	S12FPCHELP:W12 Needs help personal care/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FPCHELP	2280	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
R2FPCHELP	1712	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
R3FPCHELP	1308	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
R4FPCHELP	1816	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
R5FPCHELP	1467	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
R6FPCHELP	1125	0.18	0.39	0.0	1.0
R7FPCHELP	1902	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
R8FPCHELP	1472	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
R9FPCHELP	1168	0.19	0.40	0.0	1.0
R10FPCHELP	2682	0.16	0.36	0.0	1.0
R11FPCHELP	2223	0.16	0.36	0.0	1.0
R12FPCHELP	1715	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
S1FPCHELP	1915	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
S2FPCHELP	1416	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
S3FPCHELP	1083	0.20	0.40	0.0	1.0
S4FPCHELP	1507	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
S5FPCHELP	1235	0.17	0.38	0.0	1.0
S6FPCHELP	916	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0
S7FPCHELP	1490	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
S8FPCHELP	1162	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
S9FPCHELP	906	0.19	0.39	0.0	1.0
S10FPCHELP	1899	0.15	0.36	0.0	1.0
S11FPCHELP	1570	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
S12FPCHELP	1215	0.18	0.38	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FPCHELP	R2FPCHELP	R3FPCHELP	R4FPCHELP	R5FPCHELP	R6FPCHELP	R7FPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.D: DK		24	27	34	27	34	49
.M: Missing	12	73	32	26	7	1	
.R: Refuse			1				
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
0.No	1900	1405	1040	1491	1206	919	1619
1.Yes	380	307	268	325	261	206	283

Value	R8FPCHELP	R9FPCHELP	R10FPCHELP	R11FPCHELP	R12FPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.D: DK	32	35	84	54	49
.M: Missing			24		
.R: Refuse			3	2	1
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
0.No	1216	942	2262	1874	1410
1.Yes	256	226	420	349	305

Value	S1FPCHELP	S2FPCHELP	S3FPCHELP	S4FPCHELP	S5FPCHELP	S6FPCHELP	S7FPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		15	20	28	21	24	39
.M: Missing		50	24	11		1	
.R: Refuse			1				
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	173	320	114	163	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
0.No	1595	1170	868	1245	1024	751	1272
1.Yes	320	246	215	262	211	165	218

Value	S8FPCHELP	S9FPCHELP	S10FPCHELP	S11FPCHELP	S12FPCHELP
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	22	25	50	32	23
.M: Missing	3		17	1	3
.R: Refuse			1		1
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
0.No	969	735	1615	1338	1001
1.Yes	193	171	284	232	214

How Constructed

RwFPCHELP indicates whether a Respondent's father needs help with basic personal needs such as dressing, eating or bathing.

The spouse variable SwFPCHELP is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFPCHELP variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8206RF	PARS:HELP WITH NEEDS:IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:	W8203RF	Parent needs help? /R Dad
HRS 1996:	ER1568_1	D94B.FATHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 1998:	FR1918	D94B.FATHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 2000:	GR2134	D94B.FATHER NEEDS/Self
HRS 2002:	HF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2004:	JF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2006:	KF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2008:	LF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2010:	MF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2012:	NF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS
HRS 2014:	OF013	FATHER PERSONAL NEEDS

Parents can be Left Alone: Mother can be Left Alone
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MLVLONE	R1MLVLONE:W1 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MLVLONE	R2MLVLONE:W2 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MLVLONE	R3MLVLONE:W3 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MLVLONE	R4MLVLONE:W4 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MLVLONE	R5MLVLONE:W5 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MLVLONE	R6MLVLONE:W6 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MLVLONE	R7MLVLONE:W7 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MLVLONE	R8MLVLONE:W8 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MLVLONE	R9MLVLONE:W9 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MLVLONE	R10MLVLONE:W10 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MLVLONE	R11MLVLONE:W11 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MLVLONE	R12MLVLONE:W12 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MLVLONE	S1MLVLONE:W1 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MLVLONE	S2MLVLONE:W2 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MLVLONE	S3MLVLONE:W3 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MLVLONE	S4MLVLONE:W4 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MLVLONE	S5MLVLONE:W5 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MLVLONE	S6MLVLONE:W6 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MLVLONE	S7MLVLONE:W7 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MLVLONE	S8MLVLONE:W8 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MLVLONE	S9MLVLONE:W9 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MLVLONE	S10MLVLONE:W10 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MLVLONE	S11MLVLONE:W11 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MLVLONE	S12MLVLONE:W12 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MLVLONE	5395	0.85	0.36	0.0	1.0
R2MLVLONE	4350	0.88	0.33	0.0	1.0
R3MLVLONE	3579	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
R4MLVLONE	4589	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
R5MLVLONE	3689	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
R6MLVLONE	3012	0.87	0.34	0.0	1.0
R7MLVLONE	4288	0.88	0.32	0.0	1.0
R8MLVLONE	3451	0.88	0.33	0.0	1.0
R9MLVLONE	2864	0.89	0.32	0.0	1.0
R10MLVLONE	5541	0.90	0.31	0.0	1.0
R11MLVLONE	4753	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0
R12MLVLONE	3775	0.88	0.32	0.0	1.0
S1MLVLONE	4421	0.85	0.35	0.0	1.0
S2MLVLONE	3502	0.88	0.32	0.0	1.0
S3MLVLONE	2862	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
S4MLVLONE	3625	0.86	0.35	0.0	1.0
S5MLVLONE	2886	0.86	0.34	0.0	1.0
S6MLVLONE	2276	0.87	0.33	0.0	1.0
S7MLVLONE	3210	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0
S8MLVLONE	2595	0.89	0.32	0.0	1.0
S9MLVLONE	2117	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0
S10MLVLONE	3768	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
S11MLVLONE	3255	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
S12MLVLONE	2516	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MLVLONE	R2MLVLONE	R3MLVLONE	R4MLVLONE	R5MLVLONE	R6MLVLONE	R7MLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.D: DK		11	9	37	18	21	30
.M: Missing	37	285	181	48	16	2	2
.R: Refuse			2	4	1	1	4
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
0.No	812	530	505	644	515	399	495
1.Yes	4583	3820	3074	3945	3174	2613	3793

Value	R8MLVLONE	R9MLVLONE	R10MLVLONE	R11MLVLONE	R12MLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.D: DK	24	22	41	32	23
.M: Missing	1		38	1	
.R: Refuse	2	2	7	1	6
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
0.No	415	324	581	515	441
1.Yes	3036	2540	4960	4238	3334

Value	S1MLVLONE	S2MLVLONE	S3MLVLONE	S4MLVLONE	S5MLVLONE	S6MLVLONE	S7MLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		11	9	35	17	15	21
.M: Missing	3	208	138	12	2	4	
.R: Refuse			1	4		1	2
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	171	346	124	162	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
0.No	646	414	396	507	395	285	354
1.Yes	3775	3088	2466	3118	2491	1991	2856

Value	S8MLVLONE	S9MLVLONE	S10MLVLONE	S11MLVLONE	S12MLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	17	16	27	19	16
.M: Missing	3		25	1	4
.R: Refuse		2	2	1	4
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
0.No	298	227	371	330	277
1.Yes	2297	1890	3397	2925	2239

How Constructed

RwMLVLONE indicates whether a Respondent's mother can be left alone for an hour or more.

The spouse variable SwMLVLONE is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMLVLONE variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8207RM PARS:BE LEFT ALONE? :IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:
W8204RM Parent can be left alone? /R Mom

HRS 1996:	
ER1560_1	D91C. MOTHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1909	D91C. MOTHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2125	D91C. MOTHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2004:	
JF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2006:	
KF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2008:	
LF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2010:	
MF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2012:	
NF004	MOTHER ALONE HR
HRS 2014:	
OF004	MOTHER ALONE HR

Parents can be Left Alone: Father can be Left Alone
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FLVLONE	R1FLVLONE:W1 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FLVLONE	R2FLVLONE:W2 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FLVLONE	R3FLVLONE:W3 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FLVLONE	R4FLVLONE:W4 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FLVLONE	R5FLVLONE:W5 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FLVLONE	R6FLVLONE:W6 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FLVLONE	R7FLVLONE:W7 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FLVLONE	R8FLVLONE:W8 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FLVLONE	R9FLVLONE:W9 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FLVLONE	R10FLVLONE:W10 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FLVLONE	R11FLVLONE:W11 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FLVLONE	R12FLVLONE:W12 Can be left alone for 1h+/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FLVLONE	S1FLVLONE:W1 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FLVLONE	S2FLVLONE:W2 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FLVLONE	S3FLVLONE:W3 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FLVLONE	S4FLVLONE:W4 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FLVLONE	S5FLVLONE:W5 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FLVLONE	S6FLVLONE:W6 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FLVLONE	S7FLVLONE:W7 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FLVLONE	S8FLVLONE:W8 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FLVLONE	S9FLVLONE:W9 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FLVLONE	S10FLVLONE:W10 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FLVLONE	S11FLVLONE:W11 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FLVLONE	S12FLVLONE:W12 Can be left alone for 1h+/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FLVLONE	2280	0.85	0.35	0.0	1.0
R2FLVLONE	1712	0.90	0.31	0.0	1.0
R3FLVLONE	1312	0.87	0.34	0.0	1.0
R4FLVLONE	1811	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
R5FLVLONE	1464	0.88	0.32	0.0	1.0
R6FLVLONE	1123	0.89	0.32	0.0	1.0
R7FLVLONE	1895	0.91	0.29	0.0	1.0
R8FLVLONE	1465	0.91	0.29	0.0	1.0
R9FLVLONE	1170	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
R10FLVLONE	2687	0.92	0.27	0.0	1.0
R11FLVLONE	2230	0.92	0.28	0.0	1.0
R12FLVLONE	1721	0.91	0.29	0.0	1.0
S1FLVLONE	1915	0.85	0.36	0.0	1.0
S2FLVLONE	1415	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
S3FLVLONE	1087	0.88	0.33	0.0	1.0
S4FLVLONE	1504	0.90	0.30	0.0	1.0
S5FLVLONE	1231	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0
S6FLVLONE	915	0.89	0.31	0.0	1.0
S7FLVLONE	1485	0.91	0.29	0.0	1.0
S8FLVLONE	1157	0.91	0.28	0.0	1.0
S9FLVLONE	909	0.91	0.28	0.0	1.0
S10FLVLONE	1904	0.92	0.27	0.0	1.0
S11FLVLONE	1574	0.93	0.26	0.0	1.0
S12FLVLONE	1218	0.91	0.28	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FLVLONE	R2FLVLONE	R3FLVLONE	R4FLVLONE	R5FLVLONE	R6FLVLONE	R7FLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.D: DK		23	23	39	30	36	56
.M: Missing	12	74	32	26	7	1	
.R: Refuse			1				
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
0.No	336	179	171	179	170	126	171
1.Yes	1944	1533	1141	1632	1294	997	1724

Value	R8FLVLONE	R9FLVLONE	R10FLVLONE	R11FLVLONE	R12FLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.D: DK	39	33	79	48	43
.M: Missing			24		
.R: Refuse			3	1	1
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
0.No	133	113	217	185	154
1.Yes	1332	1057	2470	2045	1567

Value	S1FLVLONE	S2FLVLONE	S3FLVLONE	S4FLVLONE	S5FLVLONE	S6FLVLONE	S7FLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		15	16	30	25	25	44
.M: Missing		51	24	11		1	
.R: Refuse			1				
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	173	320	114	164	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
0.No	287	140	132	146	132	99	140
1.Yes	1628	1275	955	1358	1099	816	1345

Value	S8FLVLONE	S9FLVLONE	S10FLVLONE	S11FLVLONE	S12FLVLONE
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	27	22	45	28	20
.M: Missing	3		17	1	3
.R: Refuse			1		1
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
0.No	100	80	150	117	107
1.Yes	1057	829	1754	1457	1111

How Constructed

RwFLVLONE indicates whether a Respondent's father can be left alone for an hour or more.

The spouse variable SwFLVLONE is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFLVLONE variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
V8207RF PARS:BE LEFT ALONE? :IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:
W8204RF Parent can be left alone? /R Dad

HRS 1996:	
ER1569_1	D94C.FATHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1919	D94C.FATHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2135	D94C.FATHER ALONE HOUR/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2004:	
JF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2006:	
KF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2008:	
LF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2010:	
MF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2012:	
NF014	FATHER ALONE HR
HRS 2014:	
OF014	FATHER ALONE HR

Parents Memory Disease: Mother Memory Disease
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
4	R4MMEMDIS	R4MMEMDIS:W4 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MMEMDIS	R5MMEMDIS:W5 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MMEMDIS	R6MMEMDIS:W6 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MMEMDIS	R7MMEMDIS:W7 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MMEMDIS	R8MMEMDIS:W8 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MMEMDIS	R9MMEMDIS:W9 Ever told memory disease/R-Mom	Categ
4	S4MMEMDIS	S4MMEMDIS:W4 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MMEMDIS	S5MMEMDIS:W5 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MMEMDIS	S6MMEMDIS:W6 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MMEMDIS	S7MMEMDIS:W7 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MMEMDIS	S8MMEMDIS:W8 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MMEMDIS	S9MMEMDIS:W9 Ever told memory disease/S-Mom	Categ
10	R10MALZHE	R10MALZHE:W10 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MALZHE	R11MALZHE:W11 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MALZHE	R12MALZHE:W12 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Mom	Categ
10	S10MALZHE	S10MALZHE:W10 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MALZHE	S11MALZHE:W11 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MALZHE	S12MALZHE:W12 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Mom	Categ
10	R10MDEMEN	R10MDEMEN:W10 Ever told Dementia/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MDEMEN	R11MDEMEN:W11 Ever told Dementia/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MDEMEN	R12MDEMEN:W12 Ever told Dementia/R-Mom	Categ
10	S10MDEMEN	S10MDEMEN:W10 Ever told Dementia/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MDEMEN	S11MDEMEN:W11 Ever told Dementia/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MDEMEN	S12MDEMEN:W12 Ever told Dementia/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R4MMEMDIS	4558	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
R5MMEMDIS	3666	0.13	0.34	0.0	1.0
R6MMEMDIS	2993	0.16	0.36	0.0	1.0
R7MMEMDIS	4261	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
R8MMEMDIS	3418	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0
R9MMEMDIS	2831	0.17	0.37	0.0	1.0
S4MMEMDIS	3598	0.13	0.33	0.0	1.0
S5MMEMDIS	2864	0.13	0.34	0.0	1.0
S6MMEMDIS	2262	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0
S7MMEMDIS	3191	0.15	0.35	0.0	1.0
S8MMEMDIS	2575	0.16	0.37	0.0	1.0
S9MMEMDIS	2090	0.16	0.36	0.0	1.0
R10MALZHE	5480	0.08	0.27	0.0	1.0
R11MALZHE	4696	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
R12MALZHE	3730	0.09	0.29	0.0	1.0
S10MALZHE	3733	0.07	0.26	0.0	1.0
S11MALZHE	3223	0.08	0.28	0.0	1.0
S12MALZHE	2334	0.08	0.28	0.0	1.0
R10MDEMEN	5033	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0

R11MDEMEN	4286	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
R12MDEMEN	3380	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0
S10MDEMEN	3449	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
S11MDEMEN	2953	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
S12MDEMEN	2129	0.09	0.28	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		R4MEMDIS	R5MEMDIS	R6MEMDIS	R7MEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		318	403	378	361
.D: DK		69	41	41	57
.M: Missing		48	16	2	2
.R: Refuse		3	1		4
.X: Died		16388	15452	14751	15444
0.No		3971	3174	2527	3632
1.Yes		587	492	466	629

Value		R8MEMDIS	R9MEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		331	302
.D: DK		58	54
.M: Missing		1	
.R: Refuse		1	3
.X: Died		14660	14027
0.No		2873	2361
1.Yes		545	470

Value		S4MEMDIS	S5MEMDIS	S6MEMDIS	S7MEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		366	536	606	618
.D: DK		63	39	30	40
.M: Missing		12	2	4	
.R: Refuse		3			2
.U: Unmarried		6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR		162	73	125	265
.X: Died		10311	9527	8832	9236
0.No		3142	2487	1904	2726
1.Yes		456	377	358	465

Value		S8MEMDIS	S9MEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		652	644
.D: DK		37	42
.M: Missing		3	
.R: Refuse			3
.U: Unmarried		6417	6205
.V: Spouse NR		179	206
.X: Died		8606	8027
0.No		2166	1763
1.Yes		409	327

Value		R10MALZHE	R11MALZHE	R12MALZHE
.A: missing if alive		351	278	437
.D: DK		87	68	58
.M: Missing		55	23	14
.R: Refuse		5		2
.X: Died		16056	15489	14507
0.No		5052	4291	3391
1.Yes		428	405	339

Value		S10MALZHE	S11MALZHE	S12MALZHE
.A: missing if alive		853	872	923
.D: DK		54	39	36
.M: Missing		34	14	169
.R: Refuse		1		1
.U: Unmarried		7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR		567	383	374
.X: Died		8993	8549	7788
0.No		3460	2953	2137
1.Yes		273	270	197

Value		R10MDEMEN	R11MDEMEN	R12MDEMEN
.A: missing if alive		351	278	437
.D: DK		105	72	68
.M: Missing		484	428	353
.R: Refuse		5	1	3
.X: Died		16056	15489	14507
0.No		4712	3988	3085
1.Yes		321	298	295

Value		S10MDEMEN	S11MDEMEN	S12MDEMEN
.A: missing if alive		853	872	923
.D: DK		64	39	44
.M: Missing		308	284	366
.R: Refuse		1		1
.U: Unmarried		7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR		567	383	374
.X: Died		8993	8549	7788
0.No		3236	2767	1940
1.Yes		213	186	189

How Constructed

RwMMEMDIS indicates whether a doctor has ever said the Respondent's mother had a memory-related disease. The question is asked in Waves 4 through 9. Beginning in Wave 10, RwMALZHE and RwMDEMEN indicate whether a doctor has ever said the Respondent's mother had Alzheimer's or Dementia, respectively.

The spouse variable SwMMEMDIS, SwMALZHE and SwMDEMEN are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMMEMDIS, RwMALZHE and RwMDEMEN variables, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1998:		
	FR1910	D91D.MOTHER MEMORY/Self
HRS 2000:		
	GR2126	D91D.MOTHER MEMORY/Self
HRS 2002:		
	HF005	MOTHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2004:		
	JF005	MOTHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2006:		
	KF005	MOTHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2008:		
	LF005	MOTHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2010:		
	MF233	MOTHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	MF234	MOTHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA
HRS 2012:		
	NF233	MOTHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	NF234	MOTHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA
HRS 2014:		
	OF233	MOTHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	OF234	MOTHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA

Parents Memory Disease: Father Memory Disease
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
4	R4FMEMDIS	R4FMEMDIS:W4 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FMEMDIS	R5FMEMDIS:W5 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FMEMDIS	R6FMEMDIS:W6 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FMEMDIS	R7FMEMDIS:W7 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FMEMDIS	R8FMEMDIS:W8 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FMEMDIS	R9FMEMDIS:W9 Ever told memory disease/R-Dad	Categ
4	S4FMEMDIS	S4FMEMDIS:W4 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FMEMDIS	S5FMEMDIS:W5 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FMEMDIS	S6FMEMDIS:W6 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FMEMDIS	S7FMEMDIS:W7 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FMEMDIS	S8FMEMDIS:W8 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FMEMDIS	S9FMEMDIS:W9 Ever told memory disease/S-Dad	Categ
10	R10FALZHE	R10FALZHE:W10 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FALZHE	R11FALZHE:W11 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FALZHE	R12FALZHE:W12 Ever told Alzheimers/R-Dad	Categ
10	S10FALZHE	S10FALZHE:W10 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FALZHE	S11FALZHE:W11 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FALZHE	S12FALZHE:W12 Ever told Alzheimers/S-Dad	Categ
10	R10FDEMEN	R10FDEMEN:W10 Ever told Dementia/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FDEMEN	R11FDEMEN:W11 Ever told Dementia/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FDEMEN	R12FDEMEN:W12 Ever told Dementia/R-Dad	Categ
10	S10FDEMEN	S10FDEMEN:W10 Ever told Dementia/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FDEMEN	S11FDEMEN:W11 Ever told Dementia/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FDEMEN	S12FDEMEN:W12 Ever told Dementia/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R4FMEMDIS	1802	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
R5FMEMDIS	1447	0.11	0.32	0.0	1.0
R6FMEMDIS	1113	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
R7FMEMDIS	1882	0.10	0.31	0.0	1.0
R8FMEMDIS	1443	0.10	0.31	0.0	1.0
R9FMEMDIS	1158	0.14	0.35	0.0	1.0
S4FMEMDIS	1496	0.09	0.29	0.0	1.0
S5FMEMDIS	1217	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
S6FMEMDIS	905	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
S7FMEMDIS	1478	0.11	0.31	0.0	1.0
S8FMEMDIS	1142	0.10	0.30	0.0	1.0
S9FMEMDIS	901	0.14	0.34	0.0	1.0
R10FALZHE	2656	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
R11FALZHE	2201	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
R12FALZHE	1704	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
S10FALZHE	1884	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0
S11FALZHE	1562	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
S12FALZHE	1131	0.07	0.25	0.0	1.0
R10FDEMEN	2490	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0

R11FDEMEN	2049	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
R12FDEMEN	1589	0.06	0.24	0.0	1.0
S10FDEMEN	1770	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
S11FDEMEN	1460	0.05	0.22	0.0	1.0
S12FDEMEN	1056	0.06	0.23	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value		R4FMEMDIS	R5FMEMDIS	R6FMEMDIS	R7FMEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		396	278	240	255
.D: DK		47	47	46	69
.M: Missing		26	7	1	
.R: Refuse		1			
.X: Died		19112	17800	16765	17923
0.No		1621	1284	992	1685
1.Yes		181	163	121	197

Value		R8FMEMDIS	R9FMEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		225	217
.D: DK		60	44
.R: Refuse		1	1
.X: Died		16740	15797
0.No		1292	995
1.Yes		151	163

Value		S4FMEMDIS	S5FMEMDIS	S6FMEMDIS	S7FMEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		473	522	606	641
.D: DK		37	39	35	51
.M: Missing		11		1	
.R: Refuse		1			
.U: Unmarried		6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR		164	54	105	247
.X: Died		12333	11209	10207	10935
0.No		1359	1084	805	1315
1.Yes		137	133	100	163

Value		S8FMEMDIS	S9FMEMDIS
.A: missing if alive		695	704
.D: DK		42	29
.M: Missing		3	
.R: Refuse			1
.U: Unmarried		6417	6205
.V: Spouse NR		155	171
.X: Died		10015	9206
0.No		1028	779
1.Yes		114	122

Value		R10FALZHE	R11FALZHE	R12FALZHE
.A: missing if alive		368	241	320
.D: DK		98	71	56
.M: Missing		36	4	4
.R: Refuse		3	3	1
.X: Died		18873	18034	16663
0.No		2497	2054	1592
1.Yes		159	147	112

Value		S10FALZHE	S11FALZHE	S12FALZHE
.A: missing if alive		979	1018	1007
.D: DK		56	37	26
.M: Missing		26	3	84
.R: Refuse		1	1	1
.U: Unmarried		7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR		543	346	331
.X: Died		10746	10113	9045
0.No		1776	1463	1056
1.Yes		108	99	75

Value		R10FDEMEN	R11FDEMEN	R12FDEMEN
.A: missing if alive		368	241	320
.D: DK		105	76	58
.M: Missing		195	151	116
.R: Refuse		3	3	2
.X: Died		18873	18034	16663
0.No		2369	1925	1488
1.Yes		121	124	101

Value		S10FDEMEN	S11FDEMEN	S12FDEMEN
.A: missing if alive		979	1018	1007
.D: DK		62	40	26
.M: Missing		134	102	159
.R: Refuse		1	1	1
.U: Unmarried		7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR		543	346	331
.X: Died		10746	10113	9045
0.No		1680	1385	995
1.Yes		90	75	61

How Constructed

RwFMEMDIS indicates whether a doctor has ever said the Respondent's father had a memory-related disease. The question is asked in Waves 4 through 9. Beginning in Wave 10, RwFALZHE and RwFDEMEN indicate whether a doctor has ever said the Respondent's father had Alzheimer's or Dementia, respectively.

The spouse variable SwFMEMDIS, SwFALZHE and SwFDEMEN are taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFMEMDIS, RwFALZHE and RwFDEMEN variables, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1998:		
	FR1920	D94D.FATHER MEMORY/Self
HRS 2000:		
	GR2136	D94D.FATHER MEMORY/Self
HRS 2002:		
	HF015	FATHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2004:		
	JF015	FATHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2006:		
	KF015	FATHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2008:		
	LF015	FATHER MEMORY DISEASE
HRS 2010:		
	MF235	FATHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	MF236	FATHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA
HRS 2012:		
	NF235	FATHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	NF236	FATHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA
HRS 2014:		
	OF235	FATHER EVER HAD ALZHEIMERS
	OF236	FATHER EVER HAD DEMENTIA

Parent Marital Status: Mother Marital Status

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MMSTAT	R1MMSTAT:W1 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MMSTAT	R2MMSTAT:W2 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MMSTAT	R3MMSTAT:W3 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MMSTAT	R4MMSTAT:W4 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MMSTAT	R5MMSTAT:W5 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MMSTAT	R6MMSTAT:W6 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MMSTAT	R7MMSTAT:W7 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MMSTAT	R8MMSTAT:W8 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MMSTAT	R9MMSTAT:W9 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MMSTAT	R10MMSTAT:W10 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MMSTAT	R11MMSTAT:W11 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MMSTAT	R12MMSTAT:W12 Marital status/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MMSTAT	S1MMSTAT:W1 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MMSTAT	S2MMSTAT:W2 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MMSTAT	S3MMSTAT:W3 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MMSTAT	S4MMSTAT:W4 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MMSTAT	S5MMSTAT:W5 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MMSTAT	S6MMSTAT:W6 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MMSTAT	S7MMSTAT:W7 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MMSTAT	S8MMSTAT:W8 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MMSTAT	S9MMSTAT:W9 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MMSTAT	S10MMSTAT:W10 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MMSTAT	S11MMSTAT:W11 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MMSTAT	S12MMSTAT:W12 Marital status/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MMSTAT	5395	0.45	0.84	0.0	3.0
R2MMSTAT	4359	0.41	0.81	0.0	3.0
R3MMSTAT	3585	0.37	0.79	0.0	3.0
R4MMSTAT	4619	0.41	0.82	0.0	3.0
R5MMSTAT	3701	0.39	0.80	0.0	3.0
R6MMSTAT	3015	0.37	0.79	0.0	3.0
R7MMSTAT	4314	0.44	0.82	0.0	3.0
R8MMSTAT	3471	0.43	0.82	0.0	3.0
R9MMSTAT	2880	0.40	0.80	0.0	3.0
R10MMSTAT	5574	0.49	0.87	0.0	3.0
R11MMSTAT	4770	0.49	0.88	0.0	3.0
R12MMSTAT	3791	0.46	0.87	0.0	3.0
S1MMSTAT	4421	0.46	0.84	0.0	3.0
S2MMSTAT	3511	0.42	0.81	0.0	3.0
S3MMSTAT	2868	0.38	0.79	0.0	3.0
S4MMSTAT	3652	0.42	0.82	0.0	3.0
S5MMSTAT	2898	0.41	0.81	0.0	3.0
S6MMSTAT	2281	0.39	0.79	0.0	3.0
S7MMSTAT	3226	0.46	0.82	0.0	3.0
S8MMSTAT	2608	0.44	0.81	0.0	3.0
S9MMSTAT	2129	0.41	0.79	0.0	3.0
S10MMSTAT	3788	0.51	0.88	0.0	3.0
S11MMSTAT	3263	0.50	0.88	0.0	3.0
S12MMSTAT	2530	0.50	0.88	0.0	3.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MMSTAT	R2MMSTAT	R3MMSTAT	R4MMSTAT	R5MMSTAT	R6MMSTAT	R7MMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.D: DK		3	3	8	6	3	7
.M: Missing	37	284	181	48	16	16	2
.R: Refuse			2	3	1	2	1
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
0.Not married	3823	3198	2735	3423	2771	2316	3045
1.Married each oth, live to	1133	824	586	830	661	481	938
2.Married each oth, not tog	43	51	44	48	33	34	41
3.Married someone else	396	286	220	318	236	184	290

Value	R8MMSTAT	R9MMSTAT	R10MMSTAT	R11MMSTAT	R12MMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.D: DK	4	6	10	15	11
.M: Missing	1		41	1	
.R: Refuse	2	2	2	1	2
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
0.Not married	2493	2128	3807	3308	2680
1.Married each oth, live to	711	543	1249	1003	769
2.Married each oth, not tog	29	27	72	58	35
3.Married someone else	238	182	446	401	307

Value	S1MMSTAT	S2MMSTAT	S3MMSTAT	S4MMSTAT	S5MMSTAT	S6MMSTAT	S7MMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		3	3	8	5	1	6
.M: Missing	3	207	138	12	2	12	
.R: Refuse			1	3		2	1
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	171	346	124	163	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
0.Not married	3072	2531	2150	2649	2097	1703	2218
1.Married each oth, live to	994	708	509	724	587	413	760
2.Married each oth, not tog	32	40	33	34	27	28	30
3.Married someone else	323	232	176	245	187	137	218

Value	S8MMSTAT	S9MMSTAT	S10MMSTAT	S11MMSTAT	S12MMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	2	4	7	12	6
.M: Missing	3		27	1	4
.R: Refuse	2	2			
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
0.Not married	1834	1544	2513	2206	1724
1.Married each oth, live to	577	436	916	747	567
2.Married each oth, not tog	25	19	46	38	27
3.Married someone else	172	130	313	272	212

How Constructed

RwMMSTAT indicates a Respondent's mother's marital status.

The spouse variable SwMMSTAT is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMMSTAT variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 V8212PM PARS:PARENTS ALIVE CKPT /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8212RM PARS:PARENTS ALIVE CKPT /Own Mom
 V8213PM PARS:MARRIED? :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8213RM PARS:MARRIED? :IMP /Own Mom
 V8214PM PARS:PARENTS MARRIED:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8214RM PARS:PARENTS MARRIED:IMP /Own Mom
 V8215PM PARS:MARRIED TO STEP:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
 V8215RM PARS:MARRIED TO STEP:IMP /Own Mom
 HRS 1994:
 W8209APM HRS W2, Parent Marital Status /P Mom
 W8209ARM HRS W2, Parent Marital Status /R Mom
 HRS 1996:
 ER1576_1 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 ER1577_1 D97A.MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR1927 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 FR1928 D97A.MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 2000:
 GR2143 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 GR2144 D97A.MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 2002:
 HF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 HF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2004:
 JF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 JF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2006:
 KF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 KF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2008:
 LF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 LF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2010:
 MF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 MF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2012:
 NF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 NF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2014:
 OF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 OF022 MOTHER CURRENTLY MARRIED

Parent Marital Status: Father Marital Status

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FMSTAT	R1FMSTAT:W1 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FMSTAT	R2FMSTAT:W2 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FMSTAT	R3FMSTAT:W3 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FMSTAT	R4FMSTAT:W4 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FMSTAT	R5FMSTAT:W5 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FMSTAT	R6FMSTAT:W6 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FMSTAT	R7FMSTAT:W7 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FMSTAT	R8FMSTAT:W8 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FMSTAT	R9FMSTAT:W9 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FMSTAT	R10FMSTAT:W10 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FMSTAT	R11FMSTAT:W11 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FMSTAT	R12FMSTAT:W12 Marital status/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FMSTAT	S1FMSTAT:W1 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FMSTAT	S2FMSTAT:W2 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FMSTAT	S3FMSTAT:W3 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FMSTAT	S4FMSTAT:W4 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FMSTAT	S5FMSTAT:W5 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FMSTAT	S6FMSTAT:W6 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FMSTAT	S7FMSTAT:W7 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FMSTAT	S8FMSTAT:W8 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FMSTAT	S9FMSTAT:W9 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FMSTAT	S10FMSTAT:W10 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FMSTAT	S11FMSTAT:W11 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FMSTAT	S12FMSTAT:W12 Marital status/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FMSTAT	2280	1.15	1.05	0.0	3.0
R2FMSTAT	1731	1.16	1.06	0.0	3.0
R3FMSTAT	1326	1.16	1.09	0.0	3.0
R4FMSTAT	1831	1.11	1.07	0.0	3.0
R5FMSTAT	1484	1.07	1.06	0.0	3.0
R6FMSTAT	1121	1.08	1.08	0.0	3.0
R7FMSTAT	1931	1.07	1.03	0.0	3.0
R8FMSTAT	1485	1.06	1.03	0.0	3.0
R9FMSTAT	1185	1.05	1.04	0.0	3.0
R10FMSTAT	2736	1.13	1.07	0.0	3.0
R11FMSTAT	2252	1.10	1.07	0.0	3.0
R12FMSTAT	1750	1.07	1.07	0.0	3.0
S1FMSTAT	1915	1.14	1.02	0.0	3.0
S2FMSTAT	1427	1.14	1.04	0.0	3.0
S3FMSTAT	1097	1.12	1.06	0.0	3.0
S4FMSTAT	1520	1.10	1.04	0.0	3.0
S5FMSTAT	1248	1.06	1.04	0.0	3.0
S6FMSTAT	915	1.07	1.05	0.0	3.0
S7FMSTAT	1514	1.08	1.02	0.0	3.0
S8FMSTAT	1168	1.07	1.02	0.0	3.0
S9FMSTAT	920	1.05	1.03	0.0	3.0
S10FMSTAT	1932	1.13	1.06	0.0	3.0
S11FMSTAT	1586	1.10	1.05	0.0	3.0
S12FMSTAT	1231	1.05	1.04	0.0	3.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FMSTAT	R2FMSTAT	R3FMSTAT	R4FMSTAT	R5FMSTAT	R6FMSTAT	R7FMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.D: DK		10	8	19	10	23	19
.M: Missing	12	68	34	26	7	15	
.R: Refuse						1	1
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
0.Not married	638	493	408	584	501	385	602
1.Married each oth, live to	1133	824	585	830	661	481	938
2.Married each oth, not tog	43	51	44	48	33	34	41
3.Married someone else	466	363	289	369	289	221	350

Value	R8FMSTAT	R9FMSTAT	R10FMSTAT	R11FMSTAT	R12FMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.D: DK	18	17	32	25	15
.M: Missing			24		
.R: Refuse	1	1	1	2	
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
0.Not married	478	401	846	738	602
1.Married each oth, live to	711	543	1249	1003	769
2.Married each oth, not tog	29	27	72	58	35
3.Married someone else	267	214	569	453	344

Value	S1FMSTAT	S2FMSTAT	S3FMSTAT	S4FMSTAT	S5FMSTAT	S6FMSTAT	S7FMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		9	5	14	8	17	15
.M: Missing		45	25	11		9	
.R: Refuse			1				
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	173	320	114	164	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
0.Not married	515	400	336	470	406	305	452
1.Married each oth, live to	994	708	508	724	587	413	760
2.Married each oth, not tog	32	40	33	34	27	28	30
3.Married someone else	374	279	220	292	228	169	272

Value	S8FMSTAT	S9FMSTAT	S10FMSTAT	S11FMSTAT	S12FMSTAT
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	15	11	18	15	8
.M: Missing	3		17	1	3
.R: Refuse	1			1	
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
0.Not married	359	301	580	494	415
1.Married each oth, live to	577	436	916	747	567
2.Married each oth, not tog	25	19	46	38	27
3.Married someone else	207	164	390	307	222

How Constructed

RwFMSTAT indicates a Respondent's father's marital status.

The spouse variable SwFMSTAT is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFMSTAT variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 V8212PF PARS:PARENTS ALIVE CKPT /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8212RF PARS:PARENTS ALIVE CKPT /Own Dad
 V8213PF PARS:MARRIED? :IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8213RF PARS:MARRIED? :IMP /Own Dad
 V8214PF PARS:PARENTS MARRIED:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8214RF PARS:PARENTS MARRIED:IMP /Own Dad
 V8215PF PARS:MARRIED TO STEP:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
 V8215RF PARS:MARRIED TO STEP:IMP /Own Dad
 HRS 1994:
 W8209APF HRS W2, Parent Marital Status /P Dad
 W8209ARF HRS W2, Parent Marital Status /R Dad
 HRS 1996:
 ER1576_1 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 ER1578_1 D97B.FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR1927 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 FR1929 D97B.FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 2000:
 GR2143 D96.STILL MARRIED/Self
 GR2145 D97B.FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED/Self
 HRS 2002:
 HF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 HF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2004:
 JF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 JF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2006:
 KF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 KF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2008:
 LF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 LF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2010:
 MF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 MF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2012:
 NF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 NF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED
 HRS 2014:
 OF021 PARENTS STILL MARRIED
 OF023 FATHER CURRENTLY MARRIED

Parents Live with: Mother Lives with

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MLIVWHO	R1MLIVWHO:W1 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MLIVWHO	R2MLIVWHO:W2 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MLIVWHO	R3MLIVWHO:W3 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MLIVWHO	R4MLIVWHO:W4 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MLIVWHO	R5MLIVWHO:W5 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MLIVWHO	R6MLIVWHO:W6 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MLIVWHO	R7MLIVWHO:W7 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MLIVWHO	R8MLIVWHO:W8 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MLIVWHO	R9MLIVWHO:W9 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MLIVWHO	R10MLIVWHO:W10 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MLIVWHO	R11MLIVWHO:W11 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MLIVWHO	R12MLIVWHO:W12 Who lives with/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MLIVWHO	S1MLIVWHO:W1 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MLIVWHO	S2MLIVWHO:W2 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MLIVWHO	S3MLIVWHO:W3 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MLIVWHO	S4MLIVWHO:W4 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MLIVWHO	S5MLIVWHO:W5 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MLIVWHO	S6MLIVWHO:W6 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MLIVWHO	S7MLIVWHO:W7 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MLIVWHO	S8MLIVWHO:W8 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MLIVWHO	S9MLIVWHO:W9 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MLIVWHO	S10MLIVWHO:W10 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MLIVWHO	S11MLIVWHO:W11 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MLIVWHO	S12MLIVWHO:W12 Who lives with/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MLIVWHO	5395	2.46	1.06	1.0	7.0
R2MLIVWHO	4346	2.61	1.27	1.0	7.0
R3MLIVWHO	3509	2.59	1.19	1.0	7.0
R4MLIVWHO	4607	2.63	1.25	1.0	7.0
R5MLIVWHO	3687	2.67	1.28	1.0	7.0
R6MLIVWHO	3027	2.73	1.32	1.0	7.0
R7MLIVWHO	4315	2.69	1.37	1.0	7.0
R8MLIVWHO	3469	2.61	1.24	1.0	7.0
R9MLIVWHO	2878	2.66	1.29	1.0	7.0
R10MLIVWHO	5564	2.57	1.18	1.0	7.0
R11MLIVWHO	4769	2.62	1.22	1.0	7.0
R12MLIVWHO	3795	2.63	1.25	1.0	7.0
S1MLIVWHO	4421	2.49	1.05	1.0	7.0
S2MLIVWHO	3499	2.64	1.27	1.0	7.0
S3MLIVWHO	2803	2.61	1.17	1.0	7.0
S4MLIVWHO	3643	2.64	1.23	1.0	7.0
S5MLIVWHO	2888	2.67	1.25	1.0	7.0
S6MLIVWHO	2290	2.73	1.29	1.0	7.0
S7MLIVWHO	3229	2.73	1.36	1.0	7.0
S8MLIVWHO	2606	2.66	1.24	1.0	7.0
S9MLIVWHO	2126	2.72	1.30	1.0	7.0
S10MLIVWHO	3782	2.62	1.18	1.0	7.0
S11MLIVWHO	3266	2.68	1.21	1.0	7.0
S12MLIVWHO	2531	2.70	1.24	1.0	7.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MLIVWHO	R2MLIVWHO	R3MLIVWHO	R4MLIVWHO	R5MLIVWHO	R6MLIVWHO	R7MLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.D: DK			9	13	9		
.M: Missing	37	300	182	48	16	9	9
.R: Refuse			1	4			
.T: Other			70	6	12		
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
1.with R	296	216	229	252	192	154	264
2.by self(+sp)	3609	2820	2124	2872	2274	1812	2595
3.w/ oth child	779	588	561	665	517	443	667
4.w/ oth rel	239	205	162	190	168	140	189
5.nursing home	394	336	317	430	354	319	345
6.retirement ctr	41	64	111	169	159	125	105
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	37	117	5	29	23	34	150

Value	R8MLIVWHO	R9MLIVWHO	R10MLIVWHO	R11MLIVWHO	R12MLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.M: Missing	9	10	63	18	9
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
1.with R	214	184	387	328	301
2.by self(+sp)	2115	1701	3242	2685	2087
3.w/ oth child	577	480	1135	1009	788
4.w/ oth rel	131	113	268	221	185
5.nursing home	277	249	305	307	267
6.retirement ctr	119	124	164	169	110
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	36	27	63	50	57

Value	S1MLIVWHO	S2MLIVWHO	S3MLIVWHO	S4MLIVWHO	S5MLIVWHO	S6MLIVWHO	S7MLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK			7	12	6		
.M: Missing	3	222	139	12	2	6	4
.R: Refuse			1	5			
.T: Other			60	3	9		
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	171	346	124	163	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
1.with R	138	91	122	122	89	69	114
2.by self(+sp)	3072	2356	1770	2367	1868	1442	2010
3.w/ oth child	632	476	445	518	404	323	512
4.w/ oth rel	176	145	116	139	121	103	140
5.nursing home	331	271	249	331	260	233	254
6.retirement ctr	39	63	99	149	129	98	81
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	33	97	2	17	17	22	118

Value	S8MLIVWHO	S9MLIVWHO	S10MLIVWHO	S11MLIVWHO	S12MLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.M: Missing	9	9	40	10	9
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
1.with R	94	81	142	126	107
2.by self(+sp)	1639	1302	2304	1895	1437
3.w/ oth child	438	352	787	724	566
4.w/ oth rel	95	74	170	141	118
5.nursing home	212	188	205	221	178
6.retirement ctr	103	104	125	126	84
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	25	25	49	33	41

How Constructed

RwMLIVWHO indicates with whom the Respondent's mother lives.

The spouse variable SwMLIVWHO is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMLIVWHO variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:		
	V8216PM	PARS:WHOM LIVE WITH?:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Mom
	V8216RM	PARS:WHOM LIVE WITH?:IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:		
	W8213RM	Parent(s) live with whom? /R Mom
HRS 1996:		
	ER1596_1	D110.WHOM MOTHER LIVE/Self
HRS 1998:		
	FR1946	D110.WHOM MOTHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2000:		
	GR2162	D110.WHOM MOTHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2002:		
	HF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2004:		
	JF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2006:		
	KF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2008:		
	LF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2010:		
	MF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2012:		
	NF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE
HRS 2014:		
	OF043	W/WHOM MOTHER LIVE

Parents Live with: Father Lives with

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FLIVWHO	R1FLIVWHO:W1 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FLIVWHO	R2FLIVWHO:W2 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FLIVWHO	R3FLIVWHO:W3 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FLIVWHO	R4FLIVWHO:W4 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FLIVWHO	R5FLIVWHO:W5 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FLIVWHO	R6FLIVWHO:W6 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FLIVWHO	R7FLIVWHO:W7 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FLIVWHO	R8FLIVWHO:W8 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FLIVWHO	R9FLIVWHO:W9 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FLIVWHO	R10FLIVWHO:W10 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FLIVWHO	R11FLIVWHO:W11 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FLIVWHO	R12FLIVWHO:W12 Who lives with/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FLIVWHO	S1FLIVWHO:W1 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FLIVWHO	S2FLIVWHO:W2 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FLIVWHO	S3FLIVWHO:W3 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FLIVWHO	S4FLIVWHO:W4 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FLIVWHO	S5FLIVWHO:W5 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FLIVWHO	S6FLIVWHO:W6 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FLIVWHO	S7FLIVWHO:W7 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FLIVWHO	S8FLIVWHO:W8 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FLIVWHO	S9FLIVWHO:W9 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FLIVWHO	S10FLIVWHO:W10 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FLIVWHO	S11FLIVWHO:W11 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FLIVWHO	S12FLIVWHO:W12 Who lives with/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FLIVWHO	2276	2.30	0.88	1.0	7.0
R2FLIVWHO	1714	2.68	1.47	1.0	7.0
R3FLIVWHO	1293	2.38	0.98	1.0	6.0
R4FLIVWHO	1819	2.37	1.00	1.0	7.0
R5FLIVWHO	1468	2.39	0.99	1.0	7.0
R6FLIVWHO	1132	2.47	1.16	1.0	7.0
R7FLIVWHO	1915	2.38	1.01	1.0	7.0
R8FLIVWHO	1485	2.40	1.09	1.0	7.0
R9FLIVWHO	1186	2.45	1.13	1.0	7.0
R10FLIVWHO	2719	2.37	0.97	1.0	7.0
R11FLIVWHO	2246	2.44	1.06	1.0	7.0
R12FLIVWHO	1745	2.48	1.11	1.0	7.0
S1FLIVWHO	1912	2.31	0.87	1.0	7.0
S2FLIVWHO	1412	2.65	1.42	1.0	7.0
S3FLIVWHO	1075	2.38	0.98	1.0	6.0
S4FLIVWHO	1511	2.38	0.99	1.0	7.0
S5FLIVWHO	1235	2.39	0.97	1.0	7.0
S6FLIVWHO	923	2.45	1.11	1.0	7.0
S7FLIVWHO	1503	2.40	0.98	1.0	7.0
S8FLIVWHO	1170	2.41	1.06	1.0	7.0
S9FLIVWHO	921	2.47	1.14	1.0	7.0
S10FLIVWHO	1927	2.39	0.96	1.0	7.0
S11FLIVWHO	1585	2.45	1.04	1.0	7.0
S12FLIVWHO	1228	2.51	1.09	1.0	7.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FLIVWHO	R2FLIVWHO	R3FLIVWHO	R4FLIVWHO	R5FLIVWHO	R6FLIVWHO	R7FLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.D: DK			11	27	21		
.M: Missing	16	95	34	26	7	28	36
.R: Refuse			1				
.T: Other			29	4	5		
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
1.with R	58	36	40	46	21	20	52
2.by self(+sp)	1832	1238	999	1432	1165	885	1479
3.w/ oth child	201	151	113	156	129	80	195
4.w/ oth rel	48	62	35	39	36	31	53
5.nursing home	113	92	82	98	83	69	80
6.retirement ctr	9	17	24	40	27	28	38
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	15	118		8	7	19	18

Value	R8FLIVWHO	R9FLIVWHO	R10FLIVWHO	R11FLIVWHO	R12FLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.M: Missing	19	17	74	33	20
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
1.with R	42	41	86	74	57
2.by self(+sp)	1154	885	2030	1622	1243
3.w/ oth child	141	126	359	308	243
4.w/ oth rel	37	19	90	81	57
5.nursing home	57	70	88	81	71
6.retirement ctr	23	27	36	54	52
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	31	18	30	26	22

Value	S1FLIVWHO	S2FLIVWHO	S3FLIVWHO	S4FLIVWHO	S5FLIVWHO	S6FLIVWHO	S7FLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK			8	20	16		
.M: Missing	3	65	25	11		18	26
.R: Refuse			1				
.T: Other			19	3	5		
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	173	324	114	164	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
1.with R	29	19	28	21	10	10	22
2.by self(+sp)	1555	1043	839	1212	995	734	1162
3.w/ oth child	177	129	95	130	105	66	170
4.w/ oth rel	37	45	24	28	30	26	41
5.nursing home	92	72	67	78	65	52	69
6.retirement ctr	10	16	22	36	24	23	28
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	12	88		6	6	12	11

Value	S8FLIVWHO	S9FLIVWHO	S10FLIVWHO	S11FLIVWHO	S12FLIVWHO
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.M: Missing	17	10	40	18	14
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
1.with R	19	22	36	28	18
2.by self(+sp)	918	691	1450	1163	877
3.w/ oth child	116	104	267	231	192
4.w/ oth rel	31	13	62	52	38
5.nursing home	46	52	63	52	50
6.retirement ctr	18	24	30	42	39
7.Caregvr/compan/rmate	22	15	19	17	14

How Constructed

RwFLIVWHO indicates with whom the Respondent's father lives.

The spouse variable SwFLIVWHO is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFLIVWHO variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V8216PF	PARS:WHOM LIVE WITH?:IMP /Sp-Prtnr Dad
V8216RF	PARS:WHOM LIVE WITH?:IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:	
W8213RF	Parent (s) live with whom? /R Dad
HRS 1996:	
ER1611_1	D120.WHOM FATHER LIVE/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1959	D120.WHOM FATHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2175	D120.WHOM FATHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2004:	
JF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2006:	
KF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2008:	
LF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2010:	
MF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2012:	
NF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE
HRS 2014:	
OF059	W/WHOM FATHER LIVE

Parents Live w/in 10 Miles: Mother Lives w/in 10 Miles

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MLV10MI	R1MLV10MI:W1 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MLV10MI	R2MLV10MI:W2 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MLV10MI	R3MLV10MI:W3 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MLV10MI	R4MLV10MI:W4 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MLV10MI	R5MLV10MI:W5 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MLV10MI	R6MLV10MI:W6 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MLV10MI	R7MLV10MI:W7 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MLV10MI	R8MLV10MI:W8 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MLV10MI	R9MLV10MI:W9 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MLV10MI	R10MLV10MI:W10 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MLV10MI	R11MLV10MI:W11 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MLV10MI	R12MLV10MI:W12 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MLV10MI	S1MLV10MI:W1 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MLV10MI	S2MLV10MI:W2 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MLV10MI	S3MLV10MI:W3 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MLV10MI	S4MLV10MI:W4 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MLV10MI	S5MLV10MI:W5 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MLV10MI	S6MLV10MI:W6 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MLV10MI	S7MLV10MI:W7 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MLV10MI	S8MLV10MI:W8 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MLV10MI	S9MLV10MI:W9 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MLV10MI	S10MLV10MI:W10 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MLV10MI	S11MLV10MI:W11 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MLV10MI	S12MLV10MI:W12 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MLV10MI	5095	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
R2MLV10MI	4137	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
R3MLV10MI	3338	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
R4MLV10MI	4370	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
R5MLV10MI	3511	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
R6MLV10MI	2875	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
R7MLV10MI	4053	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
R8MLV10MI	3255	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
R9MLV10MI	2694	0.38	0.48	0.0	1.0
R10MLV10MI	5172	0.36	0.48	0.0	1.0
R11MLV10MI	4450	0.38	0.48	0.0	1.0
R12MLV10MI	3495	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
S1MLV10MI	4279	0.39	0.49	0.0	1.0
S2MLV10MI	3414	0.38	0.48	0.0	1.0
S3MLV10MI	2731	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
S4MLV10MI	3533	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S5MLV10MI	2810	0.38	0.49	0.0	1.0
S6MLV10MI	2221	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S7MLV10MI	3118	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
S8MLV10MI	2511	0.36	0.48	0.0	1.0
S9MLV10MI	2046	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0
S10MLV10MI	3640	0.35	0.48	0.0	1.0
S11MLV10MI	3144	0.36	0.48	0.0	1.0
S12MLV10MI	2422	0.37	0.48	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MLV10MI	R2MLV10MI	R3MLV10MI	R4MLV10MI	R5MLV10MI	R6MLV10MI	R7MLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.C: Live w/R	296	216	229	252	192	154	264
.D: DK		3	2	4	4	4	4
.M: Missing	41	289	202	49	17	2	2
.R: Refuse		1		3		1	1
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
0.No	3132	2559	2046	2686	2129	1774	2555
1.Yes	1963	1578	1292	1684	1382	1101	1498

Value	R8MLV10MI	R9MLV10MI	R10MLV10MI	R11MLV10MI	R12MLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.C: Live w/R	214	184	387	328	301
.D: DK	5	8	18	6	6
.M: Missing	1		48	1	1
.R: Refuse	3	2	2	2	1
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
0.No	2057	1679	3314	2774	2166
1.Yes	1198	1015	1858	1676	1329

Value	S1MLV10MI	S2MLV10MI	S3MLV10MI	S4MLV10MI	S5MLV10MI	S6MLV10MI	S7MLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.C: Live w/R	138	91	122	122	89	69	114
.D: DK		3	3	4	3	2	1
.M: Missing	7	212	154	13	3	4	
.R: Refuse		2		3			
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	171	345	124	163	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
0.No	2631	2123	1695	2209	1735	1404	2015
1.Yes	1648	1291	1036	1324	1075	817	1103

Value	S8MLV10MI	S9MLV10MI	S10MLV10MI	S11MLV10MI	S12MLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.C: Live w/R	94	81	142	126	107
.D: DK	4	6	10	5	5
.M: Missing	3		30	1	5
.R: Refuse	3	2			1
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
0.No	1600	1285	2365	2011	1536
1.Yes	911	761	1275	1133	886

How Constructed

RwMLV10MI indicates whether Respondent's mother lives within 10 miles of the Respondent.

The spouse variable SwMLV10MI is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMLV10MI variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8221RM	PARS:W/IN 10 MILES :IMP /Own Mom
HRS 1994:	W8217RM	Parent(s) live w/in 10 miles /R Mom
HRS 1996:	ER1603_1	D113.MOTHER LIVE 10 MILES/Self
HRS 1998:	FR1952	D114.MOTHER LIVE 10 MILES/Self
HRS 2000:	GR2168	D114.MOTHER LIVE 10 MILES/Self
HRS 2002:	HF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2004:	JF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2006:	KF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2008:	LF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2010:	MF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2012:	NF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2014:	OF051	MOTHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI

Parents Live w/in 10 Miles: Father Lives w/in 10 Miles

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FLV10MI	R1FLV10MI:W1 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FLV10MI	R2FLV10MI:W2 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FLV10MI	R3FLV10MI:W3 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FLV10MI	R4FLV10MI:W4 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FLV10MI	R5FLV10MI:W5 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FLV10MI	R6FLV10MI:W6 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FLV10MI	R7FLV10MI:W7 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FLV10MI	R8FLV10MI:W8 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FLV10MI	R9FLV10MI:W9 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FLV10MI	R10FLV10MI:W10 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FLV10MI	R11FLV10MI:W11 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FLV10MI	R12FLV10MI:W12 Lives w/in 10 miles/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FLV10MI	S1FLV10MI:W1 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FLV10MI	S2FLV10MI:W2 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FLV10MI	S3FLV10MI:W3 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FLV10MI	S4FLV10MI:W4 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FLV10MI	S5FLV10MI:W5 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FLV10MI	S6FLV10MI:W6 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FLV10MI	S7FLV10MI:W7 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FLV10MI	S8FLV10MI:W8 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FLV10MI	S9FLV10MI:W9 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FLV10MI	S10FLV10MI:W10 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FLV10MI	S11FLV10MI:W11 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FLV10MI	S12FLV10MI:W12 Lives w/in 10 miles/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FLV10MI	2219	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
R2FLV10MI	1687	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
R3FLV10MI	1287	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
R4FLV10MI	1792	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
R5FLV10MI	1465	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
R6FLV10MI	1121	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
R7FLV10MI	1878	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
R8FLV10MI	1446	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
R9FLV10MI	1144	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
R10FLV10MI	2657	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
R11FLV10MI	2178	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
R12FLV10MI	1687	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0
S1FLV10MI	1883	0.33	0.47	0.0	1.0
S2FLV10MI	1403	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
S3FLV10MI	1069	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
S4FLV10MI	1503	0.32	0.47	0.0	1.0
S5FLV10MI	1238	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
S6FLV10MI	919	0.31	0.46	0.0	1.0
S7FLV10MI	1495	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
S8FLV10MI	1152	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
S9FLV10MI	899	0.30	0.46	0.0	1.0
S10FLV10MI	1898	0.29	0.45	0.0	1.0
S11FLV10MI	1557	0.29	0.46	0.0	1.0
S12FLV10MI	1205	0.28	0.45	0.0	1.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FLV10MI	R2FLV10MI	R3FLV10MI	R4FLV10MI	R5FLV10MI	R6FLV10MI	R7FLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.C: Live w/R	58	36	40	46	21	20	52
.D: DK		6	7	12	8	13	16
.M: Missing	15	80	34	26	7	5	5
.R: Refuse						1	
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
0.No	1505	1152	870	1213	996	769	1314
1.Yes	714	535	417	579	469	352	564

Value	R8FLV10MI	R9FLV10MI	R10FLV10MI	R11FLV10MI	R12FLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.C: Live w/R	42	41	86	74	57
.D: DK	10	9	14	12	9
.M: Missing	4	8	36	14	11
.R: Refuse	2	1		1	1
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
0.No	1025	808	1882	1529	1211
1.Yes	421	336	775	649	476

Value	S1FLV10MI	S2FLV10MI	S3FLV10MI	S4FLV10MI	S5FLV10MI	S6FLV10MI	S7FLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.C: Live w/R	29	19	28	21	10	10	22
.D: DK		6	6	10	8	10	10
.M: Missing	3	53	25	11		2	2
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	173	320	114	164	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
0.No	1264	964	729	1025	858	637	1057
1.Yes	619	439	340	478	380	282	438

Value	S8FLV10MI	S9FLV10MI	S10FLV10MI	S11FLV10MI	S12FLV10MI
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.C: Live w/R	19	22	36	28	18
.D: DK	9	5	7	8	7
.M: Missing	6	5	26	10	11
.R: Refuse	1				1
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
0.No	813	625	1345	1100	872
1.Yes	339	274	553	457	333

How Constructed

RwFLV10MI indicates whether Respondent's father lives within 10 miles of the Respondent.

The spouse variable SwFLV10MI is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFLV10MI variable.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	V8221RF	PARS:W/IN 10 MILES :IMP /Own Dad
HRS 1994:	W8217RF	Parent(s) live w/in 10 miles /R Dad
HRS 1996:	ER1619_1	D124.FATHER LIVES 10 MILES/Self
HRS 1998:	FR1965	D124.FATHER LIVES 10 MILES/Self
HRS 2000:	GR2181	D124.FATHER LIVES 10 MILES/Self
HRS 2002:	HF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2004:	JF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2006:	KF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2008:	LF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2010:	MF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2012:	NF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI
HRS 2014:	OF067	FATHER LIVE W/IN 10 MI

Parents Census Division: Mother Census Division
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1MCENDIV	R1MCENDIV:W1 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
2	R2MCENDIV	R2MCENDIV:W2 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
3	R3MCENDIV	R3MCENDIV:W3 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
4	R4MCENDIV	R4MCENDIV:W4 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
5	R5MCENDIV	R5MCENDIV:W5 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
6	R6MCENDIV	R6MCENDIV:W6 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
7	R7MCENDIV	R7MCENDIV:W7 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
8	R8MCENDIV	R8MCENDIV:W8 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
9	R9MCENDIV	R9MCENDIV:W9 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
10	R10MCENDIV	R10MCENDIV:W10 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
11	R11MCENDIV	R11MCENDIV:W11 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
12	R12MCENDIV	R12MCENDIV:W12 Census division of residence/R-Mom	Categ
1	S1MCENDIV	S1MCENDIV:W1 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
2	S2MCENDIV	S2MCENDIV:W2 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
3	S3MCENDIV	S3MCENDIV:W3 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
4	S4MCENDIV	S4MCENDIV:W4 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
5	S5MCENDIV	S5MCENDIV:W5 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
6	S6MCENDIV	S6MCENDIV:W6 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
7	S7MCENDIV	S7MCENDIV:W7 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
8	S8MCENDIV	S8MCENDIV:W8 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
9	S9MCENDIV	S9MCENDIV:W9 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
10	S10MCENDIV	S10MCENDIV:W10 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
11	S11MCENDIV	S11MCENDIV:W11 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ
12	S12MCENDIV	S12MCENDIV:W12 Census division of residence/S-Mom	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1MCENDIV	296	4.93	2.22	1.0	9.0
R2MCENDIV	4120	5.02	2.28	1.0	11.0
R3MCENDIV	2155	5.62	2.70	1.0	11.0
R4MCENDIV	4623	5.29	2.56	1.0	11.0
R5MCENDIV	3702	5.32	2.58	1.0	11.0
R6MCENDIV	3029	5.29	2.60	1.0	11.0
R7MCENDIV	4313	5.41	2.71	1.0	11.0
R8MCENDIV	3468	5.42	2.71	1.0	11.0
R9MCENDIV	2878	5.45	2.69	1.0	11.0
R10MCENDIV	5558	5.83	2.90	1.0	11.0
R11MCENDIV	4765	5.82	2.89	1.0	11.0
R12MCENDIV	3784	5.81	2.87	1.0	11.0
S1MCENDIV	138	4.79	2.30	1.0	9.0
S2MCENDIV	3307	5.02	2.27	1.0	11.0
S3MCENDIV	1676	5.69	2.74	1.0	11.0
S4MCENDIV	3656	5.30	2.59	1.0	11.0
S5MCENDIV	2897	5.34	2.60	1.0	11.0
S6MCENDIV	2287	5.29	2.61	1.0	11.0
S7MCENDIV	3227	5.41	2.73	1.0	11.0
S8MCENDIV	2603	5.43	2.72	1.0	11.0
S9MCENDIV	2125	5.45	2.70	1.0	11.0
S10MCENDIV	3779	5.90	2.95	1.0	11.0
S11MCENDIV	3265	5.96	2.95	1.0	11.0
S12MCENDIV	2523	5.97	2.95	1.0	11.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1MCENDIV	R2MCENDIV	R3MCENDIV	R4MCENDIV	R5MCENDIV	R6MCENDIV	R7MCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	169	148	222	318	403	378	361
.D: DK		6		3	4	1	9
.M: Missing	5136	520	1614	49	18	4	2
.R: Refuse			2	3		2	
.X: Died	7051	14848	13998	16388	15452	14751	15444
1.Northeast:New Eng	12	137	59	148	108	115	157
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	38	450	195	495	413	318	451
3.Midwest: EN Central	43	698	316	746	590	504	735
4.Midwest: WN Central	14	380	182	394	317	261	370
5.South: S Atlantic	92	996	485	1084	854	685	851
6.South: ES Central	22	359	186	358	273	182	285
7.South: WS Central	35	423	198	450	365	297	416
8.West: Mountain	10	183	98	219	169	129	255
9.West: Pacific	30	473	257	494	424	409	516
11.Foreign country		21	179	235	189	129	277

Value	R8MCENDIV	R9MCENDIV	R10MCENDIV	R11MCENDIV	R12MCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	331	302	351	278	437
.D: DK	4	6	13	8	9
.M: Missing	3		53	9	6
.R: Refuse	3	4	3	5	5
.X: Died	14660	14027	16056	15489	14507
1.Northeast:New Eng	116	100	152	130	114
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	365	279	620	515	406
3.Midwest: EN Central	609	510	837	727	562
4.Midwest: WN Central	317	247	356	300	227
5.South: S Atlantic	652	550	1004	858	697
6.South: ES Central	190	186	294	315	238
7.South: WS Central	352	295	583	492	407
8.West: Mountain	204	184	347	292	241
9.West: Pacific	459	346	795	639	520
11.Foreign country	204	181	570	497	372

Value	S1MCENDIV	S2MCENDIV	S3MCENDIV	S4MCENDIV	S5MCENDIV	S6MCENDIV	S7MCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	32	82	290	366	536	606	618
.D: DK		7		2	4	1	6
.M: Missing	4195	404	1306	13	4	6	
.R: Refuse			2	4		2	
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	262	349	150	163	73	125	265
.X: Died	5652	9523	8909	10311	9527	8832	9236
1.Northeast:New Eng	8	113	44	117	88	85	120
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	21	351	149	393	316	240	331
3.Midwest: EN Central	19	571	251	594	458	386	567
4.Midwest: WN Central	6	315	140	319	260	211	291
5.South: S Atlantic	38	782	362	841	660	505	624
6.South: ES Central	15	280	134	266	206	137	198
7.South: WS Central	13	354	160	359	286	220	296
8.West: Mountain	3	148	83	175	133	96	198
9.West: Pacific	15	382	202	396	332	305	383
11.Foreign country		11	151	196	158	102	219

Value	S8MCENDIV	S9MCENDIV	S10MCENDIV	S11MCENDIV	S12MCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	652	644	853	872	923
.D: DK	4	6	11	4	5
.M: Missing	5		32	6	9
.R: Refuse	3	4		1	3
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	179	206	567	383	374
.X: Died	8606	8027	8993	8549	7788
1.Northeast:New Eng	88	74	109	92	78
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	270	202	395	323	250
3.Midwest: EN Central	461	381	574	492	373

4.Midwest: WN Central		245	191	261	212	153
5.South: S Atlantic		491	403	649	558	437
6.South: ES Central		131	129	182	204	149
7.South: WS Central		258	219	388	321	258
8.West: Mountain		153	133	249	216	164
9.West: Pacific		344	257	546	455	361
11.Foreign country		162	136	426	392	300

How Constructed

RwMCENDIV indicates the region where a Respondent's mother lives.

The spouse variable SwMCENDIV is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMCENDIV variable.

This question was not asked of most Respondents in Wave 1 or in Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1994:	
W8218RM	Parent(s) state of residence /R Mom
HRS 1996:	
ER1604M1	D115.STATE MOTHER LIVE - REGION/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1953M	D115.REGION MOTHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2169M	D115.REGION MOTHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2004:	
JF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2006:	
KF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2008:	
LF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2010:	
MF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2012:	
NF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2014:	
OF052M	STATE MOTHER LIVE - MASKED

Parents Census Division: Father Census Division
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1FCENDIV	R1FCENDIV:W1 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
2	R2FCENDIV	R2FCENDIV:W2 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
3	R3FCENDIV	R3FCENDIV:W3 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
4	R4FCENDIV	R4FCENDIV:W4 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
5	R5FCENDIV	R5FCENDIV:W5 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
6	R6FCENDIV	R6FCENDIV:W6 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
7	R7FCENDIV	R7FCENDIV:W7 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
8	R8FCENDIV	R8FCENDIV:W8 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
9	R9FCENDIV	R9FCENDIV:W9 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
10	R10FCENDIV	R10FCENDIV:W10 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
11	R11FCENDIV	R11FCENDIV:W11 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
12	R12FCENDIV	R12FCENDIV:W12 Census division of residence/R-Dad	Categ
1	S1FCENDIV	S1FCENDIV:W1 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
2	S2FCENDIV	S2FCENDIV:W2 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
3	S3FCENDIV	S3FCENDIV:W3 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
4	S4FCENDIV	S4FCENDIV:W4 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
5	S5FCENDIV	S5FCENDIV:W5 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
6	S6FCENDIV	S6FCENDIV:W6 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
7	S7FCENDIV	S7FCENDIV:W7 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
8	S8FCENDIV	S8FCENDIV:W8 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
9	S9FCENDIV	S9FCENDIV:W9 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
10	S10FCENDIV	S10FCENDIV:W10 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
11	S11FCENDIV	S11FCENDIV:W11 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ
12	S12FCENDIV	S12FCENDIV:W12 Census division of residence/S-Dad	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1FCENDIV	58	4.97	2.60	1.0	9.0
R2FCENDIV	1611	5.10	2.30	1.0	11.0
R3FCENDIV	1137	5.54	2.71	1.0	11.0
R4FCENDIV	1844	5.46	2.65	1.0	11.0
R5FCENDIV	1487	5.53	2.69	1.0	11.0
R6FCENDIV	1150	5.44	2.67	1.0	11.0
R7FCENDIV	1930	5.57	2.79	1.0	11.0
R8FCENDIV	1490	5.62	2.81	1.0	11.0
R9FCENDIV	1189	5.68	2.82	1.0	11.0
R10FCENDIV	2741	6.10	3.00	1.0	11.0
R11FCENDIV	2247	6.10	2.99	1.0	11.0
R12FCENDIV	1741	6.07	2.98	1.0	11.0
S1FCENDIV	29	5.10	2.47	1.0	9.0
S2FCENDIV	1317	5.09	2.30	1.0	11.0
S3FCENDIV	913	5.54	2.73	1.0	11.0
S4FCENDIV	1530	5.44	2.64	1.0	11.0
S5FCENDIV	1249	5.54	2.69	1.0	11.0
S6FCENDIV	934	5.43	2.62	1.0	11.0
S7FCENDIV	1516	5.55	2.79	1.0	11.0
S8FCENDIV	1173	5.64	2.78	1.0	11.0
S9FCENDIV	922	5.73	2.81	1.0	11.0
S10FCENDIV	1930	6.18	3.01	1.0	11.0
S11FCENDIV	1585	6.18	3.03	1.0	11.0
S12FCENDIV	1222	6.17	3.05	1.0	11.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1FCENDIV	R2FCENDIV	R3FCENDIV	R4FCENDIV	R5FCENDIV	R6FCENDIV	R7FCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	341	191	230	396	278	240	255
.D: DK		10	2	6	6	4	16
.M: Missing	2234	188	229	26	8	5	5
.R: Refuse						1	
.X: Died	10019	17642	16393	19112	17800	16765	17923
1.Northeast:New Eng	5	57	29	49	45	47	79
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	10	168	124	198	155	118	172
3.Midwest: EN Central	5	259	167	288	217	173	318
4.Midwest: WN Central	1	146	99	151	124	101	185
5.South: S Atlantic	16	373	242	418	330	242	352
6.South: ES Central	4	135	89	121	96	65	110
7.South: WS Central	5	207	115	185	152	127	186
8.West: Mountain	3	75	56	106	87	65	140
9.West: Pacific	9	179	124	210	176	148	234
11.Foreign country		12	92	118	105	64	154

Value	R8FCENDIV	R9FCENDIV	R10FCENDIV	R11FCENDIV	R12FCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	225	217	368	241	320
.D: DK	5	4	9	15	6
.M: Missing	6	8	43	16	14
.R: Refuse	3	2		1	4
.X: Died	16740	15797	18873	18034	16663
1.Northeast:New Eng	52	43	84	71	61
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	139	106	257	196	150
3.Midwest: EN Central	247	190	385	326	245
4.Midwest: WN Central	149	122	175	140	108
5.South: S Atlantic	262	199	473	387	313
6.South: ES Central	62	61	130	138	107
7.South: WS Central	152	117	268	207	156
8.West: Mountain	111	97	201	167	131
9.West: Pacific	198	152	401	308	239
11.Foreign country	118	102	367	307	231

Value	S1FCENDIV	S2FCENDIV	S3FCENDIV	S4FCENDIV	S5FCENDIV	S6FCENDIV	S7FCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	136	124	335	473	522	606	641
.D: DK		9	1	4	7	4	11
.M: Missing	1855	147	213	11		2	2
.R: Refuse						1	
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
.V: Spouse NR	204	328	115	164	54	105	247
.X: Died	8055	11747	10756	12333	11209	10207	10935
1.Northeast:New Eng	2	52	23	42	38	33	64
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	3	130	98	161	127	93	130
3.Midwest: EN Central	4	219	143	244	187	142	255
4.Midwest: WN Central	1	119	82	128	103	87	157
5.South: S Atlantic	9	297	181	342	275	200	273
6.South: ES Central	1	113	68	99	78	55	84
7.South: WS Central	3	174	100	156	128	105	139
8.West: Mountain	2	61	43	91	76	51	114
9.West: Pacific	4	144	99	170	149	120	181
11.Foreign country		8	76	97	88	48	119

Value	S8FCENDIV	S9FCENDIV	S10FCENDIV	S11FCENDIV	S12FCENDIV
.A: missing if alive	695	704	979	1018	1007
.D: DK	4	3	7	7	5
.M: Missing	8	5	30	11	12
.R: Refuse	2	1			3
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
.V: Spouse NR	155	171	543	346	331
.X: Died	10015	9206	10746	10113	9045
1.Northeast:New Eng	39	34	58	54	41
2.Northeast:Mid Atl	103	73	163	128	101
3.Midwest: EN Central	193	146	275	226	177

4.Midwest: WN Central		124	103	130	104	82
5.South: S Atlantic		209	148	324	266	205
6.South: ES Central		45	43	81	90	72
7.South: WS Central		127	101	189	140	101
8.West: Mountain		91	79	155	125	92
9.West: Pacific		148	116	283	218	164
11.Foreign country		94	79	272	234	187

How Constructed

RwFCENDIV indicates the region where a Respondent's father lives.

The spouse variable SwFCENDIV is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFCENDIV variable.

This question was not asked of most Respondents in Wave 1 or in Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1994:	
W8218RF	Parent(s) state of residence /R Dad
HRS 1996:	
ER1620M1	D125.STATE FATHER LIVE - REGION/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1966M	D125.REGION FATHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2182M	D125.REGION FATHER LIVE/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2004:	
JF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2006:	
KF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2008:	
LF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2010:	
MF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2012:	
NF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED
HRS 2014:	
OF068M	STATE FATHER LIVE - MASKED

Contact with Parents: Number of Contacts with Mom per Month
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3MCONTMO	R3MCONTMO:W3 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
4	R4MCONTMO	R4MCONTMO:W4 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
5	R5MCONTMO	R5MCONTMO:W5 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
6	R6MCONTMO	R6MCONTMO:W6 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
7	R7MCONTMO	R7MCONTMO:W7 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
8	R8MCONTMO	R8MCONTMO:W8 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
9	R9MCONTMO	R9MCONTMO:W9 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
10	R10MCONTMO	R10MCONTMO:W10 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
11	R11MCONTMO	R11MCONTMO:W11 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
12	R12MCONTMO	R12MCONTMO:W12 Freq contact: per month/R-Mom	Cont
3	S3MCONTMO	S3MCONTMO:W3 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
4	S4MCONTMO	S4MCONTMO:W4 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
5	S5MCONTMO	S5MCONTMO:W5 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
6	S6MCONTMO	S6MCONTMO:W6 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
7	S7MCONTMO	S7MCONTMO:W7 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
8	S8MCONTMO	S8MCONTMO:W8 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
9	S9MCONTMO	S9MCONTMO:W9 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
10	S10MCONTMO	S10MCONTMO:W10 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
11	S11MCONTMO	S11MCONTMO:W11 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont
12	S12MCONTMO	S12MCONTMO:W12 Freq contact: per month/S-Mom	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3MCONTMO	3279	12.70	21.23	0.0	600.0
R4MCONTMO	4314	14.01	22.64	0.0	510.0
R5MCONTMO	3462	13.35	19.92	0.0	450.0
R6MCONTMO	2872	12.99	15.41	0.0	210.0
R7MCONTMO	4023	13.65	20.39	0.0	450.0
R8MCONTMO	3257	15.24	27.74	0.0	900.0
R9MCONTMO	2699	14.40	24.50	0.0	600.0
R10MCONTMO	5166	16.91	35.89	0.0	900.0
R11MCONTMO	4395	16.34	50.22	0.0	3000.0
R12MCONTMO	3445	19.56	133.82	0.0	7500.0
S3MCONTMO	2679	11.98	17.68	0.0	300.0
S4MCONTMO	3488	13.75	23.52	0.0	510.0
S5MCONTMO	2778	12.70	17.71	0.0	300.0
S6MCONTMO	2220	12.62	14.98	0.0	210.0
S7MCONTMO	3103	13.13	19.52	0.0	450.0
S8MCONTMO	2513	15.06	28.52	0.0	900.0
S9MCONTMO	2050	14.07	22.84	0.0	600.0
S10MCONTMO	3634	15.75	32.50	0.0	900.0
S11MCONTMO	3103	14.33	18.12	0.0	300.0
S12MCONTMO	2384	18.26	156.22	0.0	7500.0

How Constructed

RwMCONTMO is the total numbers of times per month a Respondent has contact with his/her mother either in person, by phone or by mail. It is a summary measure using reported frequencies and periods.

The question asked in Waves 1 and 2H are different from those asked in Wave 3 forward. Instead of asking the Respondent to report a number in Waves 1 and 2H, the question asked Respondents to choose one of five possible frequencies: (1) More than once a week, (2) About once a week, (3) Once or twice a month, or (4) Almost never. Because of this difference, we do not derive RwMCONTMO for Waves 1 and 2H. The questions were not asked in Waves 2A or 3A.

The spouse variable SwMCONTMO is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwMCONTMO variable.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
ER1605_1	D116.HAD CONTACT/Self
ER1606_1	D116A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1954	D116.HAD CONTACT/Self
FR1955	D116A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2170	D116.HAD CONTACT/Self
GR2171	D116A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
HF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2004:	
JF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
JF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2006:	
KF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
KF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2008:	
LF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
LF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2010:	
MF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
MF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2012:	
NF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
NF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER
HRS 2014:	
OF054	FREQ CONTACT W/MOTHER
OF055	FREQ CONTACT MOTHER- PER

Contact with Parents: Number of Contacts with Dad per Month
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3FCONTMO	R3FCONTMO:W3 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
4	R4FCONTMO	R4FCONTMO:W4 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
5	R5FCONTMO	R5FCONTMO:W5 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
6	R6FCONTMO	R6FCONTMO:W6 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
7	R7FCONTMO	R7FCONTMO:W7 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
8	R8FCONTMO	R8FCONTMO:W8 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
9	R9FCONTMO	R9FCONTMO:W9 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
10	R10FCONTMO	R10FCONTMO:W10 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
11	R11FCONTMO	R11FCONTMO:W11 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
12	R12FCONTMO	R12FCONTMO:W12 Freq contact: per month/R-Dad	Cont
3	S3FCONTMO	S3FCONTMO:W3 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
4	S4FCONTMO	S4FCONTMO:W4 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
5	S5FCONTMO	S5FCONTMO:W5 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
6	S6FCONTMO	S6FCONTMO:W6 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
7	S7FCONTMO	S7FCONTMO:W7 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
8	S8FCONTMO	S8FCONTMO:W8 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
9	S9FCONTMO	S9FCONTMO:W9 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
10	S10FCONTMO	S10FCONTMO:W10 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
11	S11FCONTMO	S11FCONTMO:W11 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont
12	S12FCONTMO	S12FCONTMO:W12 Freq contact: per month/S-Dad	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3FCONTMO	1257	9.77	17.27	0.0	300.0
R4FCONTMO	1766	10.83	28.01	0.0	900.0
R5FCONTMO	1434	10.71	21.78	0.0	300.0
R6FCONTMO	1129	10.09	13.67	0.0	150.0
R7FCONTMO	1876	10.55	22.20	0.0	660.0
R8FCONTMO	1452	10.95	18.20	0.0	330.0
R9FCONTMO	1153	10.96	17.26	0.0	330.0
R10FCONTMO	2664	11.09	18.12	0.0	300.0
R11FCONTMO	2156	11.53	36.04	0.0	1500.0
R12FCONTMO	1672	11.90	30.44	0.0	930.0
S3FCONTMO	1044	9.30	14.58	0.0	300.0
S4FCONTMO	1488	10.46	19.09	0.0	300.0
S5FCONTMO	1212	10.77	21.12	0.0	300.0
S6FCONTMO	926	10.21	13.22	0.0	120.0
S7FCONTMO	1494	10.17	22.03	0.0	660.0
S8FCONTMO	1158	10.95	18.50	0.0	330.0
S9FCONTMO	904	11.16	18.30	0.0	330.0
S10FCONTMO	1901	10.94	18.18	0.0	300.0
S11FCONTMO	1541	10.64	14.77	0.0	180.0
S12FCONTMO	1197	11.19	19.23	0.0	300.0

How Constructed

RwFCONTMO is the total numbers of times per month a Respondent has contact with his/her father either in person, by phone or by mail. It is a summary measure using reported frequencies and periods.

The question asked in Waves 1 and 2H are different from those asked in Wave 3 forward. Instead of asking the Respondent to report a number in Waves 1 and 2H, the question asked Respondents to choose one of five possible frequencies: (1) More than once a week, (2) About once a week, (3) Once or twice a month, or (4) Almost never. Because of this difference, we do not derive RwFCONTMO for Waves 1 and 2H. The questions were not asked in Waves 2A or 3A.

The spouse variable SwFCONTMO is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwFCONTMO variable.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
ER1621_1	D126.HAD CONTACT FILL14/Self
ER1622_1	D126A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 1998:	
FR1967	D126.HAD CONTACT FILL14/Self
FR1968	D126A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 2000:	
GR2183	D126.HAD CONTACT FILL14/Self
GR2184	D126A.FREQ OF CONTACT PER/Self
HRS 2002:	
HF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
HF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2004:	
JF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
JF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2006:	
KF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
KF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2008:	
LF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
LF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2010:	
MF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
MF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2012:	
NF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
NF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER
HRS 2014:	
OF070	FREQ CONTACT W/FATHER
OF071	FREQ CONTACT FATHER- PER

Financial Help to Parents: Who was Helped, Amount and Imputation Flag
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1PTOFIN	R1PTOFIN:W1 Financial help to R parents	Categ
2	R2PTOFIN	R2PTOFIN:W2 Financial help to R parents	Categ
3	R3PTOFIN	R3PTOFIN:W3 Financial help to R parents	Categ
4	R4PTOFIN	R4PTOFIN:W4 Financial help to R parents	Categ
5	R5PTOFIN	R5PTOFIN:W5 Financial help to R parents	Categ
6	R6PTOFIN	R6PTOFIN:W6 Financial help to R parents	Categ
7	R7PTOFIN	R7PTOFIN:W7 Financial help to R parents	Categ
8	R8PTOFIN	R8PTOFIN:W8 Financial help to R parents	Categ
9	R9PTOFIN	R9PTOFIN:W9 Financial help to R parents	Categ
10	R10PTOFIN	R10PTOFIN:W10 Financial help to R parents	Categ
11	R11PTOFIN	R11PTOFIN:W11 Financial help to R parents	Categ
12	R12PTOFIN	R12PTOFIN:W12 Financial help to R parents	Categ
1	S1PTOFIN	S1PTOFIN:W1 Financial help to S parents	Categ
2	S2PTOFIN	S2PTOFIN:W2 Financial help to S parents	Categ
3	S3PTOFIN	S3PTOFIN:W3 Financial help to S parents	Categ
4	S4PTOFIN	S4PTOFIN:W4 Financial help to S parents	Categ
5	S5PTOFIN	S5PTOFIN:W5 Financial help to S parents	Categ
6	S6PTOFIN	S6PTOFIN:W6 Financial help to S parents	Categ
7	S7PTOFIN	S7PTOFIN:W7 Financial help to S parents	Categ
8	S8PTOFIN	S8PTOFIN:W8 Financial help to S parents	Categ
9	S9PTOFIN	S9PTOFIN:W9 Financial help to S parents	Categ
10	S10PTOFIN	S10PTOFIN:W10 Financial help to S parents	Categ
11	S11PTOFIN	S11PTOFIN:W11 Financial help to S parents	Categ
12	S12PTOFIN	S12PTOFIN:W12 Financial help to S parents	Categ
1	R1PTOAMT	R1PTOAMT:W1 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
2	R2PTOAMT	R2PTOAMT:W2 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
3	R3PTOAMT	R3PTOAMT:W3 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
4	R4PTOAMT	R4PTOAMT:W4 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
5	R5PTOAMT	R5PTOAMT:W5 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
6	R6PTOAMT	R6PTOAMT:W6 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
7	R7PTOAMT	R7PTOAMT:W7 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
8	R8PTOAMT	R8PTOAMT:W8 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
9	R9PTOAMT	R9PTOAMT:W9 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
10	R10PTOAMT	R10PTOAMT:W10 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
11	R11PTOAMT	R11PTOAMT:W11 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
12	R12PTOAMT	R12PTOAMT:W12 Fin help to R parents/amt	Cont
1	S1PTOAMT		Cont
2	S2PTOAMT	S2PTOAMT:W2 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
3	S3PTOAMT	S3PTOAMT:W3 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
4	S4PTOAMT	S4PTOAMT:W4 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
5	S5PTOAMT	S5PTOAMT:W5 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
6	S6PTOAMT	S6PTOAMT:W6 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
7	S7PTOAMT	S7PTOAMT:W7 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
8	S8PTOAMT	S8PTOAMT:W8 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
9	S9PTOAMT	S9PTOAMT:W9 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
10	S10PTOAMT	S10PTOAMT:W10 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
11	S11PTOAMT	S11PTOAMT:W11 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
12	S12PTOAMT	S12PTOAMT:W12 Fin help to S parents/amt	Cont
2	R2PTOAMTF	R2PTOAMTF:W2 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
3	R3PTOAMTF	R3PTOAMTF:W3 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
4	R4PTOAMTF	R4PTOAMTF:W4 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
5	R5PTOAMTF	R5PTOAMTF:W5 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
6	R6PTOAMTF	R6PTOAMTF:W6 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
7	R7PTOAMTF	R7PTOAMTF:W7 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
8	R8PTOAMTF	R8PTOAMTF:W8 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
9	R9PTOAMTF	R9PTOAMTF:W9 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
10	R10PTOAMTF	R10PTOAMTF:W10 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
11	R11PTOAMTF	R11PTOAMTF:W11 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
12	R12PTOAMTF	R12PTOAMTF:W12 Fin help to R parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
2	S2PTOAMTF	S2PTOAMTF:W2 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
3	S3PTOAMTF	S3PTOAMTF:W3 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ

4	S4PTOAMTF	S4PTOAMTF:W4 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
5	S5PTOAMTF	S5PTOAMTF:W5 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
6	S6PTOAMTF	S6PTOAMTF:W6 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
7	S7PTOAMTF	S7PTOAMTF:W7 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
8	S8PTOAMTF	S8PTOAMTF:W8 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
9	S9PTOAMTF	S9PTOAMTF:W9 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
10	S10PTOAMTF	S10PTOAMTF:W10 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
11	S11PTOAMTF	S11PTOAMTF:W11 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ
12	S12PTOAMTF	S12PTOAMTF:W12 Fin help to S parents/amt ImpFlag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1PTOFIN	6197	0.13	0.45	0.0	4.0
R2PTOFIN	7829	0.16	0.51	0.0	4.0
R3PTOFIN	4647	0.20	0.56	0.0	3.0
R4PTOFIN	6005	0.18	0.52	0.0	3.0
R5PTOFIN	5057	0.20	0.54	0.0	3.0
R6PTOFIN	4298	0.19	0.53	0.0	3.0
R7PTOFIN	5859	0.24	0.61	0.0	4.0
R8PTOFIN	4742	0.23	0.58	0.0	3.0
R9PTOFIN	3970	0.24	0.59	0.0	4.0
R10PTOFIN	7455	0.29	0.68	0.0	4.0
R11PTOFIN	6293	0.26	0.63	0.0	4.0
R12PTOFIN	5109	0.26	0.63	0.0	4.0
S1PTOFIN	5082	0.12	0.44	0.0	4.0
S2PTOFIN	6687	0.15	0.49	0.0	4.0
S3PTOFIN	3659	0.20	0.57	0.0	3.0
S4PTOFIN	4725	0.17	0.52	0.0	3.0
S5PTOFIN	3935	0.19	0.55	0.0	3.0
S6PTOFIN	3243	0.20	0.55	0.0	3.0
S7PTOFIN	4370	0.23	0.60	0.0	4.0
S8PTOFIN	3549	0.23	0.59	0.0	3.0
S9PTOFIN	2924	0.24	0.59	0.0	3.0
S10PTOFIN	5083	0.28	0.68	0.0	4.0
S11PTOFIN	4312	0.25	0.63	0.0	4.0
S12PTOFIN	3433	0.27	0.65	0.0	4.0
R1PTOAMT	6197	217.94	1852.32	0.0	80000.0
R2PTOAMT	928	1564.68	5916.25	0.0	100000.0
R3PTOAMT	657	2743.15	6167.95	4.5	72000.0
R4PTOAMT	780	3189.50	8920.59	0.0	200000.0
R5PTOAMT	736	2690.54	3787.97	100.0	37000.0
R6PTOAMT	613	3544.75	7839.16	0.0	85000.0
R7PTOAMT	977	3605.87	9752.79	100.0	200000.0
R8PTOAMT	806	3883.11	8404.73	200.0	81000.0
R9PTOAMT	706	4416.81	11817.07	29.0	240000.0
R10PTOAMT	1483	3969.82	11742.98	60.0	250000.0
R11PTOAMT	1137	3390.67	10815.46	45.0	300000.0
R12PTOAMT	950	3005.32	5520.51	25.0	120000.0
S1PTOAMT	5082	201.29	1520.43	0.0	75000.0
S2PTOAMT	717	1400.80	4163.15	0.0	100000.0
S3PTOAMT	493	2561.37	5408.77	4.5	72000.0
S4PTOAMT	597	2901.84	5327.59	0.0	48000.0
S5PTOAMT	540	2643.35	3541.68	100.0	30000.0

S6PTOAMT	456	3453.15	7456.07	0.0	79200.0
S7PTOAMT	693	2996.52	4991.11	100.0	84800.0
S8PTOAMT	583	3877.85	8715.82	200.0	81000.0
S9PTOAMT	507	4477.50	13040.62	150.0	240000.0
S10PTOAMT	954	3954.44	11302.88	60.0	200000.0
S11PTOAMT	765	2986.20	5361.28	45.0	84000.0
S12PTOAMT	627	2779.82	3784.54	25.0	40000.0
R2PTOAMTF	928	0.38	0.84	0.0	3.0
R3PTOAMTF	666	1.35	1.68	0.0	4.0
R4PTOAMTF	780	0.63	1.03	0.0	4.0
R5PTOAMTF	736	0.61	1.05	0.0	4.0
R6PTOAMTF	613	0.53	1.05	0.0	4.0
R7PTOAMTF	977	0.50	0.98	0.0	4.0
R8PTOAMTF	806	0.45	0.88	0.0	4.0
R9PTOAMTF	706	0.39	0.85	0.0	4.0
R10PTOAMTF	1483	0.30	0.79	0.0	4.0
R11PTOAMTF	1137	0.32	0.83	0.0	4.0
R12PTOAMTF	950	0.28	0.74	0.0	4.0
S2PTOAMTF	715	0.37	0.86	0.0	3.0
S3PTOAMTF	248	3.02	1.65	0.0	4.0
S4PTOAMTF	597	0.60	1.03	0.0	4.0
S5PTOAMTF	540	0.57	1.04	0.0	4.0
S6PTOAMTF	456	0.48	1.01	0.0	4.0
S7PTOAMTF	693	0.47	0.96	0.0	4.0
S8PTOAMTF	583	0.42	0.85	0.0	4.0
S9PTOAMTF	507	0.36	0.82	0.0	4.0
S10PTOAMTF	954	0.28	0.76	0.0	4.0
S11PTOAMTF	765	0.31	0.80	0.0	4.0
S12PTOAMTF	627	0.27	0.74	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1PTOFIN	R2PTOFIN	R3PTOFIN	R4PTOFIN	R5PTOFIN	R6PTOFIN	R7PTOFIN
.M: Missing	6455	11813	13344	15379	14522	13867	14270
0.None	5597	6901	3981	5225	4321	3685	4882
1.to mother (and/or sp)	475	736	505	605	570	475	722
2.to father (and/or sp)	52	86	58	74	79	67	108
3.to parents (together)	67	76	103	101	87	71	146
4.to mother and father (spl)	6	30					1

Value	R8PTOFIN	R9PTOFIN	R10PTOFIN	R11PTOFIN	R12PTOFIN
.M: Missing	13727	13247	14579	14261	13638
0.None	3936	3264	5972	5156	4159
1.to mother (and/or sp)	617	541	1054	834	702
2.to father (and/or sp)	95	87	177	129	114
3.to parents (together)	94	77	246	169	130
4.to mother and father (spl)		1	6	5	4

Value	S1PTOFIN	S2PTOFIN	S3PTOFIN	S4PTOFIN	S5PTOFIN	S6PTOFIN	S7PTOFIN
.M: Missing	7570	12955	14332	16659	15644	14922	15759
0.None	4626	5970	3160	4128	3395	2787	3677
1.to mother (and/or sp)	357	564	368	455	398	339	504
2.to father (and/or sp)	41	68	47	61	65	56	83
3.to parents (together)	56	63	84	81	77	61	105
4.to mother and father (spl)	2	22					1

Value	S8PTOFIN	S9PTOFIN	S10PTOFIN	S11PTOFIN	S12PTOFIN
.M: Missing	14920	14293	16951	16242	15314
0.None	2966	2417	4129	3547	2806
1.to mother (and/or sp)	431	382	655	554	439
2.to father (and/or sp)	80	68	120	93	88
3.to parents (together)	72	57	176	116	98
4.to mother and father (spl)			3	2	2

Value	R2PTOAMTF	R3PTOAMTF	R4PTOAMTF	R5PTOAMTF	R6PTOAMTF	R7PTOAMTF
.S: No or missing Xfr	18714	17325	20604	18843	17552	19152
0.Continuous value	730	358	538	522	468	754
1.About value	115	54	44	42	21	17
2.Complete bkt	16	86	171	141	96	175
3.Incomplete bkt	67		4	2		4
4.No bkt info		168	23	29	28	27

Value	R8PTOAMTF	R9PTOAMTF	R10PTOAMTF	R11PTOAMTF	R12PTOAMTF
.S: No or missing Xfr	17663	16511	20551	19417	17798
0.Continuous value	620	566	1268	968	820
1.About value	31	28	37	19	20
2.Complete bkt	135	95	147	117	94
3.Incomplete bkt	15	9	9	17	8
4.No bkt info	5	8	22	16	8

Value	S2PTOAMTF	S3PTOAMTF	S4PTOAMTF	S5PTOAMTF	S6PTOAMTF	S7PTOAMTF
.S: No or missing Xfr	12955	12085	13918	12501	11403	12659
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	572	51	419	391	358	542
1.About value	75	6	35	30	11	12
2.Complete bkt	13	10	122	97	69	120
3.Incomplete bkt	55		2	2		1
4.No bkt info		181	19	20	18	18

Value	S8PTOAMTF	S9PTOAMTF	S10PTOAMTF	S11PTOAMTF	S12PTOAMTF
.S: No or missing Xfr	11469	10505	13281	12315	10998
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	457	414	824	656	544
1.About value	21	17	24	14	15
2.Complete bkt	91	65	88	75	56
3.Incomplete bkt	12	6	5	10	6
4.No bkt info	2	5	13	10	6

How Constructed

RwPTOFIN and SwPTOFIN indicate whether the Respondent's and spouse's father, mother or both parents were helped financially by either or both the Respondent and spouse. The question does not separate out whether financial help was provided by the Respondent, the spouse or both. Financial help is noted when the Respondent and/or spouse give \$500 or more in total toward helping pay bills or covering specific types of costs such as medical care or insurance, schooling, down payment for a home, rent, etc. In 1994, the financial help amount was defined as \$100.

RwPTOAMT and SwPTOAMT are the financial amounts of help the Respondent and/or spouse gave to the Respondent's and spouse's parents, respectively. If the amount is missing for Wave 1, we use HRS provided imputed values. From Wave 2 forward if the continuous amount was not reported, we impute the amount using hot-deck method based on the bracket information.

RwPTOAMTF and SwPTOAMTF are the imputation flags. There are no R1PTOAMTF and S1PTOAMTF variables for Wave 1 because we used imputations provided by HRS.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to whether either the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s) received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The lead in question asks whether the Respondent gives financial help totaling \$500 or more. However, the detail question allows the Respondent to report any amount, including amounts less than the amount specified in the lead in question. In 1994, the cut-off amount is \$100.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 VR2001 E81:FIN ASSIST TO PA:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2002 E81A:HPARENT1-HELPEP:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2003 E81A: 1ST PRT AMT:IMP/ Own fam

VR2004 E81B:HPARENT2-HELPED:IMP/ Own fam
 HRS 1994:
 W8221_1 Parnt:how much fin assist /Xfr-1
 W8221_2 Parnt:how much fin assist /Xfr-2
 W8221_3 Parnt:how much fin assist /Xfr-3
 W8221_4 Parnt:how much fin assist /Xfr-4
 W8222_1 Parnt:fin assist brackets /Xfr-1
 W8222_2 Parnt:fin assist brackets /Xfr-2
 W8222_3 Parnt:fin assist brackets /Xfr-3
 W8222_4 Parnt:fin assist brackets /Xfr-4
 WNTPAR HRS W2: # parent transfers
 WR8220_1 Parnt:received fin assist? /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8220_2 Parnt:received fin assist? /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8220_3 Parnt:received fin assist? /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8220_4 Parnt:received fin assist? /Xfr-4:Self
 WRPARTR1 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-1:Self
 WRPARTR2 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-2:Self
 WRPARTR3 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-3:Self
 WRPARTR4 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 E1669008 D145A.IN-LAWS WHO R ASSISTED
 ER1668_1 D145.R GIVE ASSISTANCE/Self
 ER1668_2 D145.R GIVE ASSISTANCE TO IN-LAWS/Self
 ER166901 D145A.WHO R ASSISTED/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR2015 D145.R GIVE ASSISTANCE/Self
 FR2016M1 D145A.WHO R ASSISTED/Self
 FR2177 D145-2.R GIVE ASSISTANCE/Self
 FR2178M1 D145A-2.WHO R ASSISTED/Self
 HRS 2000:
 GR2251 D145.R GIVE ASSISTANCE/Self
 GR2252M1 D145A.WHO R ASSISTED/Self
 GR2428 D145Y2-2.R GIVE ASSISTANCE/Self
 GR2429M1 D145A-2.WHO R ASSISTED/Self
 HRS 2002:
 HF104 R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
 HF105M1 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
 HFP104 GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
 HFP105M1 WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 HRS 2004:
 JF104 R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
 JF105M1 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
 JF105M2 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2
 JFP104 GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
 JFP105M1 WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 JFP105M2 WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
 HRS 2006:
 KF104 R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
 KF105M1 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
 KFP104 GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
 KFP105M1 WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 HRS 2008:
 LF104 R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
 LF105M1 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
 LF105M2 WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2
 LFP104 GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
 LFP105M1 WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 HRS 2010:
 MF104 R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS

MF105M1	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
MF105M2	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2
MFP104	GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
MFP105M1	WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
HRS 2012:	
NF104	R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
NF105M1	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
NF105M2	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2
NFP104	GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
NFP105M1	WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
HRS 2014:	
OF104	R GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO PARENTS
OF105M1	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1
OF105M2	WHO R FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 2
OFP104	GIVE FIN ASSISTANCE TO Sp PARENTS
OFP105M1	WHO Sp FIN ASSISTED- PARENTS- 1 /Sp

Personal Care: Respondent and Spouse Helped which Parent

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1PPCR	R1PPCR:W1 Personal care to R parents	Categ
2	R2PPCR	R2PPCR:W2 Personal care to R parents	Categ
3	R3PPCR	R3PPCR:W3 Personal care to R parents	Categ
4	R4PPCR	R4PPCR:W4 Personal care to R parents	Categ
5	R5PPCR	R5PPCR:W5 Personal care to R parents	Categ
6	R6PPCR	R6PPCR:W6 Personal care to R parents	Categ
7	R7PPCR	R7PPCR:W7 Personal care to R parents	Categ
8	R8PPCR	R8PPCR:W8 Personal care to R parents	Categ
9	R9PPCR	R9PPCR:W9 Personal care to R parents	Categ
10	R10PPCR	R10PPCR:W10 Personal care to R parents	Categ
11	R11PPCR	R11PPCR:W11 Personal care to R parents	Categ
12	R12PPCR	R12PPCR:W12 Personal care to R parents	Categ
1	S1PPCR	S1PPCR:W1 Personal care to S parents	Categ
2	S2PPCR	S2PPCR:W2 Personal care to S parents	Categ
3	S3PPCR	S3PPCR:W3 Personal care to S parents	Categ
4	S4PPCR	S4PPCR:W4 Personal care to S parents	Categ
5	S5PPCR	S5PPCR:W5 Personal care to S parents	Categ
6	S6PPCR	S6PPCR:W6 Personal care to S parents	Categ
7	S7PPCR	S7PPCR:W7 Personal care to S parents	Categ
8	S8PPCR	S8PPCR:W8 Personal care to S parents	Categ
9	S9PPCR	S9PPCR:W9 Personal care to S parents	Categ
10	S10PPCR	S10PPCR:W10 Personal care to S parents	Categ
11	S11PPCR	S11PPCR:W11 Personal care to S parents	Categ
12	S12PPCR	S12PPCR:W12 Personal care to S parents	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1PPCR	6197	0.09	0.36	0.0	4.0
R2PPCR	7829	0.09	0.37	0.0	4.0
R3PPCR	4672	0.17	0.52	0.0	4.0
R4PPCR	6023	0.16	0.51	0.0	4.0
R5PPCR	5066	0.17	0.52	0.0	4.0
R6PPCR	4310	0.17	0.49	0.0	4.0
R7PPCR	5861	0.15	0.47	0.0	4.0
R8PPCR	4752	0.15	0.49	0.0	4.0
R9PPCR	3979	0.17	0.52	0.0	4.0
R10PPCR	7460	0.16	0.50	0.0	4.0
R11PPCR	6300	0.16	0.52	0.0	4.0
R12PPCR	5115	0.17	0.52	0.0	4.0
S1PPCR	5082	0.08	0.35	0.0	4.0
S2PPCR	6687	0.07	0.34	0.0	4.0
S3PPCR	3672	0.16	0.50	0.0	4.0
S4PPCR	4739	0.15	0.50	0.0	4.0
S5PPCR	3946	0.16	0.51	0.0	4.0
S6PPCR	3251	0.15	0.49	0.0	4.0
S7PPCR	4370	0.14	0.49	0.0	4.0
S8PPCR	3558	0.14	0.48	0.0	4.0
S9PPCR	2928	0.16	0.52	0.0	4.0
S10PPCR	5087	0.14	0.48	0.0	4.0
S11PPCR	4318	0.15	0.49	0.0	4.0
S12PPCR	3436	0.16	0.50	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R1PPCR	R2PPCR	R3PPCR	R4PPCR	R5PPCR	R6PPCR	R7PPCR
.M: Missing	300	444	612	349	338	304	322
.S: No living parents	6155	11369	12707	15012	14175	13551	13946
0.None	5761	7307	4085	5279	4419	3753	5193
1.to mother (and/or sp)	345	408	440	587	505	442	531
2.to father (and/or sp)	68	91	117	115	103	94	107
3.to parents (together)	22						
4.to mother and father (spl)	1	23	30	42	39	21	30

Value	R8PPCR	R9PPCR	R10PPCR	R11PPCR	R12PPCR
.M: Missing	286	285	442	287	510
.S: No living parents	13431	12953	14132	13967	13122
0.None	4186	3463	6568	5537	4440
1.to mother (and/or sp)	450	393	696	581	525
2.to father (and/or sp)	89	96	146	135	115
4.to mother and father (spl)	27	27	50	47	35

Value	S1PPCR	S2PPCR	S3PPCR	S4PPCR	S5PPCR	S6PPCR	S7PPCR
.M: Missing	268	607	651	356	325	382	510
.S: No living parents	4929	6378	8010	9420	8770	8226	8472
.U: Unmarried	2373	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.None	4751	6314	3252	4205	3482	2884	3908
1.to mother (and/or sp)	255	284	307	415	352	278	353
2.to father (and/or sp)	57	75	91	86	83	70	81
3.to parents (together)	17						
4.to mother and father (spl)	2	14	22	33	29	19	28

Value	S8PPCR	S9PPCR	S10PPCR	S11PPCR	S12PPCR
.M: Missing	392	404	854	577	720
.S: No living parents	8102	7679	8294	8185	7469
.U: Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
0.None	3172	2581	4546	3839	3027
1.to mother (and/or sp)	300	257	410	372	308
2.to father (and/or sp)	66	70	102	81	80
4.to mother and father (spl)	20	20	29	26	21

How Constructed

RwPPCR and SwPPCR indicate, respectively, whether the Respondent's or spouse's father, mother or both parents received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse for basic personal needs such as dressing, eating and bathing.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to whether either the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s) received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

This question was not asked in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 VR2011 E83:100+ HRS PARENT :IMP/ Own fam
 VR2012 E83A:1ST PRENT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2015 E83A:2ND PARNT CARED:IMP/ Own fam

HRS 1994:
 WNTPAR HRS W2: # parent transfers
 WR8223_1 Parnt:received per assist? /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8223_2 Parnt:received per assist? /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8223_3 Parnt:received per assist? /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8223_4 Parnt:received per assist? /Xfr-4:Self
 WRPARTR1 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-1:Self
 WRPARTR2 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-2:Self
 WRPARTR3 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-3:Self
 WRPARTR4 HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 ER1683_1 D147.HELP PARENTS/Self
 ER1683_2 D147.HELP PARENTS-IN-LAW/Self
 ER168401 D147A. WHO HELPS/Self
 ER168402 D147A. WHO HELPS/Self
 ER168408 D147A.IN-LAWS WHO HELPS/Self
 ER168409 D147A.IN-LAWS WHO HELPS/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR2027 D147.HELP PARENTS/Self
 FR2028M1 D147A. WHO HELPS/Self
 FR2028M2 D147A. WHO HELPS/Self
 FR2189 D147-2.HELP P-IN-LAWS/Self
 FR2190M1 D147A-2. WHO HELPS/Self
 FR2190M2 D147A-2. WHO HELPS/Self
 HRS 2000:
 GR2263 D147.HELP PARENTS/Self
 GR2264M1 D147A.WHO WAS HELPED/Self
 GR2264M2 D147A.WHO WAS HELPED/Self
 GR2440 D147-2.HELP P-IN-LAWS/Self
 GR2441M1 D147A-2. WHO WAS HELPED/Self
 GR2441M2 D147A-2. WHO WAS HELPED/Self
 HRS 2002:
 HF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 HF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
 HF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
 HFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 HFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 HFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
 HRS 2004:
 JF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 JF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
 JF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
 JFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 JFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 JFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
 HRS 2006:
 KF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 KF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
 KF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
 KFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 KFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 KFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
 HRS 2008:
 LF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 LF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
 LF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
 LFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
 LFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
 LFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2010:
MF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
MF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
MF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
MFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
MFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
MFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2012:
NF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
NF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
NF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
NFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
NFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
NFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2014:
OF119 R HELP PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
OF120M1 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1
OF120M2 WHO R HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2
OFP119 Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/PERSONAL NEEDS
OFP120M1 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
OFP120M2 WHO Sp HELPED PERSONAL NEEDS- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

Personal Care: Hours Respondent Helped Parents, Flags
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1PRPCRH	R1PRPCRH:W1 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
2	R2PRPCRH	R2PRPCRH:W2 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
3	R3PRPCRH	R3PRPCRH:W3 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
4	R4PRPCRH	R4PRPCRH:W4 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
5	R5PRPCRH	R5PRPCRH:W5 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
6	R6PRPCRH	R6PRPCRH:W6 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
7	R7PRPCRH	R7PRPCRH:W7 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
8	R8PRPCRH	R8PRPCRH:W8 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
9	R9PRPCRH	R9PRPCRH:W9 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
10	R10PRPCRH	R10PRPCRH:W10 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
11	R11PRPCRH	R11PRPCRH:W11 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
12	R12PRPCRH	R12PRPCRH:W12 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
1	S1PRPCRH	S1PRPCRH:W1 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
2	S2PRPCRH	S2PRPCRH:W2 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
3	S3PRPCRH	S3PRPCRH:W3 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
4	S4PRPCRH	S4PRPCRH:W4 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
5	S5PRPCRH	S5PRPCRH:W5 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
6	S6PRPCRH	S6PRPCRH:W6 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
7	S7PRPCRH	S7PRPCRH:W7 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
8	S8PRPCRH	S8PRPCRH:W8 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
9	S9PRPCRH	S9PRPCRH:W9 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
10	S10PRPCRH	S10PRPCRH:W10 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
11	S11PRPCRH	S11PRPCRH:W11 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
12	S12PRPCRH	S12PRPCRH:W12 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
2	R2PRPCRF	R2PRPCRF:W2 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	R3PRPCRF	R3PRPCRF:W3 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	R4PRPCRF	R4PRPCRF:W4 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	R5PRPCRF	R5PRPCRF:W5 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	R6PRPCRF	R6PRPCRF:W6 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	R7PRPCRF	R7PRPCRF:W7 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	R8PRPCRF	R8PRPCRF:W8 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	R9PRPCRF	R9PRPCRF:W9 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	R10PRPCRF	R10PRPCRF:W10 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	R11PRPCRF	R11PRPCRF:W11 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	R12PRPCRF	R12PRPCRF:W12 Pers care to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
2	S2PRPCRF	S2PRPCRF:W2 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	S3PRPCRF	S3PRPCRF:W3 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	S4PRPCRF	S4PRPCRF:W4 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	S5PRPCRF	S5PRPCRF:W5 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	S6PRPCRF	S6PRPCRF:W6 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	S7PRPCRF	S7PRPCRF:W7 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	S8PRPCRF	S8PRPCRF:W8 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	S9PRPCRF	S9PRPCRF:W9 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	S10PRPCRF	S10PRPCRF:W10 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	S11PRPCRF	S11PRPCRF:W11 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	S12PRPCRF	S12PRPCRF:W12 Personal care to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1PRPCRH	6191	57.13	419.23	0.0	11648.0
R2PRPCRH	7829	27.07	248.69	0.0	8760.0
R3PRPCRH	4662	46.66	275.76	0.0	5550.0
R4PRPCRH	6023	90.08	424.59	0.0	8600.0
R5PRPCRH	5066	97.21	460.57	0.0	8760.0
R6PRPCRH	4310	119.00	641.55	0.0	9000.0

R7PRPCRH	5861	97.68	526.55	0.0	9100.0
R8PRPCRH	4752	122.10	625.13	0.0	9000.0
R9PRPCRH	3979	107.31	538.89	0.0	10000.0
R10PRPCRH	7460	115.68	675.03	0.0	12640.0
R11PRPCRH	6300	108.25	630.40	0.0	14000.0
R12PRPCRH	5115	104.99	598.48	0.0	9001.0
S1PRPCRH	5057	26.14	246.50	0.0	5824.0
S2PRPCRH	6687	9.70	118.58	0.0	4000.0
S3PRPCRH	3671	21.53	162.26	0.0	4000.0
S4PRPCRH	4739	34.19	251.51	0.0	8000.0
S5PRPCRH	3946	35.02	245.54	0.0	5855.0
S6PRPCRH	3251	30.61	241.83	0.0	5840.0
S7PRPCRH	4370	28.94	229.83	0.0	5200.0
S8PRPCRH	3558	29.53	198.70	0.0	3000.0
S9PRPCRH	2928	23.80	161.78	0.0	3000.0
S10PRPCRH	5087	23.87	208.41	0.0	7000.0
S11PRPCRH	4318	37.49	377.60	0.0	9000.0
S12PRPCRH	3436	35.10	373.00	0.0	9000.0
R2PRPCRF	522	0.35	0.67	0.0	4.0
R3PRPCRF	587	0.55	0.90	0.0	3.0
R4PRPCRF	744	0.92	1.07	0.0	4.0
R5PRPCRF	647	1.03	1.06	0.0	4.0
R6PRPCRF	557	0.99	1.06	0.0	4.0
R7PRPCRF	668	0.92	1.07	0.0	4.0
R8PRPCRF	566	1.09	1.05	0.0	4.0
R9PRPCRF	516	1.12	1.10	0.0	4.0
R10PRPCRF	892	0.75	1.05	0.0	4.0
R11PRPCRF	763	0.75	1.02	0.0	4.0
R12PRPCRF	675	0.72	1.05	0.0	4.0
S2PRPCRF	371	0.55	0.63	0.0	4.0
S3PRPCRF	420	0.23	0.58	0.0	3.0
S4PRPCRF	534	0.63	1.04	0.0	4.0
S5PRPCRF	464	0.60	0.95	0.0	4.0
S6PRPCRF	367	0.59	1.01	0.0	4.0
S7PRPCRF	462	0.54	0.97	0.0	4.0
S8PRPCRF	386	0.58	0.97	0.0	4.0
S9PRPCRF	347	0.56	1.00	0.0	4.0
S10PRPCRF	541	0.29	0.72	0.0	4.0
S11PRPCRF	479	0.34	0.82	0.0	4.0
S12PRPCRF	409	0.24	0.73	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2PRPCRF	R3PRPCRF	R4PRPCRF	R5PRPCRF	R6PRPCRF	R7PRPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	19120	17404	20640	18932	17608	19461
0.Continuous value	390	416	396	309	274	357
1.About value	85	31	56	46	42	45
2.Complete bkt	45	128	268	272	223	245
3.Incomplete bkt		12	6	6	6	5
4.No bkt info	2		18	14	12	16

Value	R8PRPCRF	R9PRPCRF	R10PRPCRF	R11PRPCRF	R12PRPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	17903	16701	21142	19791	18073
0.Continuous value	248	229	562	469	438
1.About value	45	36	40	55	32
2.Complete bkt	259	229	259	217	180
3.Incomplete bkt	2	6	12	8	8
4.No bkt info	12	16	19	14	17

Value	S2PRPCRF	S3PRPCRF	S4PRPCRF	S5PRPCRF	S6PRPCRF	S7PRPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	13300	11913	13981	12577	11492	12890
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	192	357	373	323	264	344
1.About value	157	31	17	16	8	9
2.Complete bkt	21	31	128	119	85	98
3.Incomplete bkt		1			1	1
4.No bkt info	1		16	6	9	10

Value	S8PRPCRF	S9PRPCRF	S10PRPCRF	S11PRPCRF	S12PRPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	11666	10665	13694	12601	11216
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	276	254	464	403	363
1.About value	9	9	5	4	4
2.Complete bkt	94	74	68	65	35
3.Incomplete bkt		1	2		2
4.No bkt info	7	9	2	7	5

How Constructed

RwPRPCRH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the Respondent helped his own father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs such as dressing, eating and bathing.

SwPRPCRH is the number of hours since last interview that the Respondent helped the spouse's father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs such as dressing, eating and bathing.

RwPRPCRF and SwPRPCRF are the imputation flags that indicate whether RwPRPCRH and SwPRPCRH are imputed or not, respectively. There are no R1PRPCRF or S1PRPCRF variables for wave 1 because R1PRPCRH and S1PRPCRH use the HRS imputed values.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s). The 4th character in the variable name (also either an R or S) indicates whether the Respondent or the spouse provided the help. Just to reiterate, RwPRPCRH refers to help the Respondent's parent(s) received from the Respondent while SwPRPCRH refers to the help the spouse's parent(s) received from the Respondent.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 VR2012 E83A:1ST PRENT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2013 E83B:1ST-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2014 E83C:1ST-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
 VR2015 E83A:2ND PARNT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2016 E83B:2ND-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2017 E83C:2ND-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
 HRS 1994:
 WR8224_1 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8224_2 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8224_3 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8224_4 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-4:Self
 WR8226_1 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8226_2 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8226_3 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8226_4 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 ER1686_1 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1686_2 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1687B1 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
 ER1687B2 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR2030_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2030_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2031B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2031B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 HRS 2000:
 GR2266_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2266_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2267B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2267B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 HRS 2002:
 HF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 HF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 HF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 HF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 HF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 HF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 HF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 HF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 HRS 2004:
 JF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 JF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 JF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 JF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 JF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 JF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 JF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 JF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 HRS 2006:
 KF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 KF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 KF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 KF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 KF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 KF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 KF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 KF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2008:
LF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
LF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
LF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
LF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
LF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
LF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
LF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
LF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2010:
MF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
MF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
MF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
MF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
MF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
MF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
MF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
MF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2012:
NF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
NF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
NF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
NF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
NF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
NF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
NF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
NF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2014:
OF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
OF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
OF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
OF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
OF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
OF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
OF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
OF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

Personal Care: Hours Spouse Helped Parents, Flags
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1PSPCRH	R1PSPCRH:W1 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
2	R2PSPCRH	R2PSPCRH:W2 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
3	R3PSPCRH	R3PSPCRH:W3 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
4	R4PSPCRH	R4PSPCRH:W4 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
5	R5PSPCRH	R5PSPCRH:W5 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
6	R6PSPCRH	R6PSPCRH:W6 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
7	R7PSPCRH	R7PSPCRH:W7 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
8	R8PSPCRH	R8PSPCRH:W8 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
9	R9PSPCRH	R9PSPCRH:W9 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
10	R10PSPCRH	R10PSPCRH:W10 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
11	R11PSPCRH	R11PSPCRH:W11 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
12	R12PSPCRH	R12PSPCRH:W12 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
1	S1PSPCRH	S1PSPCRH:W1 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
2	S2PSPCRH	S2PSPCRH:W2 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
3	S3PSPCRH	S3PSPCRH:W3 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
4	S4PSPCRH	S4PSPCRH:W4 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
5	S5PSPCRH	S5PSPCRH:W5 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
6	S6PSPCRH	S6PSPCRH:W6 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
7	S7PSPCRH	S7PSPCRH:W7 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
8	S8PSPCRH	S8PSPCRH:W8 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
9	S9PSPCRH	S9PSPCRH:W9 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
10	S10PSPCRH	S10PSPCRH:W10 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
11	S11PSPCRH	S11PSPCRH:W11 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
12	S12PSPCRH	S12PSPCRH:W12 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
2	R2PSPCRF	R2PSPCRF:W2 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	R3PSPCRF	R3PSPCRF:W3 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	R4PSPCRF	R4PSPCRF:W4 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	R5PSPCRF	R5PSPCRF:W5 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	R6PSPCRF	R6PSPCRF:W6 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	R7PSPCRF	R7PSPCRF:W7 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	R8PSPCRF	R8PSPCRF:W8 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	R9PSPCRF	R9PSPCRF:W9 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	R10PSPCRF	R10PSPCRF:W10 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	R11PSPCRF	R11PSPCRF:W11 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	R12PSPCRF	R12PSPCRF:W12 Pers care to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
2	S2PSPCRF	S2PSPCRF:W2 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	S3PSPCRF	S3PSPCRF:W3 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	S4PSPCRF	S4PSPCRF:W4 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	S5PSPCRF	S5PSPCRF:W5 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	S6PSPCRF	S6PSPCRF:W6 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	S7PSPCRF	S7PSPCRF:W7 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	S8PSPCRF	S8PSPCRF:W8 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	S9PSPCRF	S9PSPCRF:W9 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	S10PSPCRF	S10PSPCRF:W10 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	S11PSPCRF	S11PSPCRF:W11 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	S12PSPCRF	S12PSPCRF:W12 Personal care to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1PSPCRH	5065	26.31	247.29	0.0	5824.0
R2PSPCRH	6687	9.82	118.92	0.0	4000.0
R3PSPCRH	3700	21.14	161.24	0.0	4000.0
R4PSPCRH	4765	33.59	247.79	0.0	8000.0
R5PSPCRH	3954	35.41	252.45	0.0	5855.0
R6PSPCRH	3318	31.07	242.34	0.0	5840.0

R7PSPCRH	4531	28.23	225.90	0.0	5200.0
R8PSPCRH	3660	29.68	200.14	0.0	3000.0
R9PSPCRH	3033	23.65	161.14	0.0	3000.0
R10PSPCRH	5415	23.83	205.71	0.0	7000.0
R11PSPCRH	4544	36.00	368.49	0.0	9000.0
R12PSPCRH	3648	33.81	363.70	0.0	9000.0
S1PSPCRH	5075	46.34	355.89	0.0	5824.0
S2PSPCRH	6687	20.06	205.54	0.0	8760.0
S3PSPCRH	3667	44.70	281.27	0.0	5550.0
S4PSPCRH	4739	74.32	379.58	0.0	8600.0
S5PSPCRH	3946	84.67	433.54	0.0	8760.0
S6PSPCRH	3251	77.11	466.94	0.0	9000.0
S7PSPCRH	4370	85.10	493.29	0.0	9100.0
S8PSPCRH	3558	101.03	576.04	0.0	9000.0
S9PSPCRH	2928	92.58	487.62	0.0	10000.0
S10PSPCRH	5087	83.95	523.55	0.0	12640.0
S11PSPCRH	4318	95.43	581.43	0.0	10500.0
S12PSPCRH	3436	81.20	480.84	0.0	9000.0
R2PSPCRF	384	0.56	0.64	0.0	4.0
R3PSPCRF	427	0.23	0.59	0.0	3.0
R4PSPCRF	538	0.64	1.04	0.0	4.0
R5PSPCRF	463	0.60	0.95	0.0	4.0
R6PSPCRF	376	0.59	1.01	0.0	4.0
R7PSPCRF	479	0.54	0.98	0.0	4.0
R8PSPCRF	397	0.58	0.97	0.0	4.0
R9PSPCRF	359	0.56	1.00	0.0	4.0
R10PSPCRF	584	0.30	0.73	0.0	4.0
R11PSPCRF	494	0.33	0.81	0.0	4.0
R12PSPCRF	427	0.25	0.75	0.0	4.0
S2PSPCRF	371	0.34	0.67	0.0	4.0
S3PSPCRF	420	0.48	0.85	0.0	3.0
S4PSPCRF	534	0.83	1.04	0.0	4.0
S5PSPCRF	464	0.92	1.04	0.0	4.0
S6PSPCRF	367	0.92	1.04	0.0	4.0
S7PSPCRF	462	0.89	1.06	0.0	4.0
S8PSPCRF	386	1.05	1.06	0.0	4.0
S9PSPCRF	347	1.07	1.10	0.0	4.0
S10PSPCRF	541	0.62	0.99	0.0	4.0
S11PSPCRF	479	0.67	1.00	0.0	4.0
S12PSPCRF	409	0.61	1.01	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2PSPCRF	R3PSPCRF	R4PSPCRF	R5PSPCRF	R6PSPCRF	R7PSPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	13288	11906	13977	12578	11483	12873
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	195	362	375	323	271	356
1.About value	164	31	16	16	8	11
2.Complete bkt	24	33	130	118	87	99
3.Incomplete bkt		1	1		1	2
4.No bkt info	1		16	6	9	11

Value	R8PSPCRF	R9PSPCRF	R10PSPCRF	R11PSPCRF	R12PSPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	11655	10653	13651	12586	11198
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	284	263	498	418	378
1.About value	9	10	5	4	4
2.Complete bkt	97	76	77	65	37
3.Incomplete bkt		1	2		2
4.No bkt info	7	9	2	7	6

Value	S2PSPCRF	S3PSPCRF	S4PSPCRF	S5PSPCRF	S6PSPCRF	S7PSPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	13300	11913	13981	12577	11492	12890
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	280	311	305	245	191	253
1.About value	60	22	37	28	29	29
2.Complete bkt	29	81	178	182	138	168
3.Incomplete bkt		6	4	1	2	2
4.No bkt info	2		10	8	7	10

Value	S8PSPCRF	S9PSPCRF	S10PSPCRF	S11PSPCRF	S12PSPCRF
.S: No or missing Xfr	11666	10665	13694	12601	11216
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	180	163	375	315	285
1.About value	28	22	15	28	19
2.Complete bkt	167	150	137	124	93
3.Incomplete bkt	2		7	4	2
4.No bkt info	9	12	7	8	10

How Constructed

RwPSPCRH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the spouse helped the Respondent's father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs like dressing, eating and bathing.

SwPSPCRH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the spouse helped the spouse's own father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs like dressing, eating and bathing.

RwPSPCRF and SwPSPCRF are the imputation flags that indicate whether RwPSPCRH and SwPSPCRH were imputed or not, respectively.

The questions were not asked in Waves 2A or 3A.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s). The 4th character in the variable name (also either an R or S) indicates whether the Respondent or the spouse provided the help. Just to reiterate, RwPSPCRH refers to help the Respondent's parent(s) received from the Respondent while SwPSPCRH refers to the help the spouse's parent(s) received from the Respondent.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:
 VR2012 E83A:1ST PRENT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2013 E83B:1ST-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2014 E83C:1ST-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
 VR2015 E83A:2ND PARNT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2016 E83B:2ND-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
 VR2017 E83C:2ND-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
 HRS 1994:
 WR8224_1 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8224_2 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8224_3 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8224_4 Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-4:Self
 WR8226_1 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8226_2 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8226_3 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8226_4 Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 ER1686_1 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1686_2 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1687B1 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
 ER1687B2 D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR2030_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2030_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2031B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2031B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 HRS 2000:
 GR2266_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2266_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2267B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 GR2267B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
 HRS 2002:
 HF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 HF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 HF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 HF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 HF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 HF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 HF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 HF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 HRS 2004:
 JF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 JF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 JF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 JF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 JF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 JF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 JF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 JF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 HRS 2006:
 KF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 KF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 KF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 KF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 KF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 KF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 KF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 KF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2008:

LF122_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-1
LF122_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-2
LF124_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-1
LF124_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-2
LF125_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-1
LF125_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-2
LF126_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-1
LF126_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2010:

MF122_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-1
MF122_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-2
MF124_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-1
MF124_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-2
MF125_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-1
MF125_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-2
MF126_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-1
MF126_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2012:

NF122_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-1
NF122_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-2
NF124_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-1
NF124_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-2
NF125_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-1
NF125_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-2
NF126_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-1
NF126_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-2

HRS 2014:

OF122_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-1
OF122_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-2
OF124_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-1
OF124_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MIN-2
OF125_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-1
OF125_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS- MAX-2
OF126_1	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-1
OF126_2	R	TOT	HRS	PARENTS	PERSONAL	NEEDS-RES-2

Personal Care: Hours Respondent and Spouse Helped Parents
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1PHPCRH	R1PHPCRH:W1 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
2	R2PHPCRH	R2PHPCRH:W2 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
3	R3PHPCRH	R3PHPCRH:W3 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
4	R4PHPCRH	R4PHPCRH:W4 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
5	R5PHPCRH	R5PHPCRH:W5 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
6	R6PHPCRH	R6PHPCRH:W6 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
7	R7PHPCRH	R7PHPCRH:W7 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
8	R8PHPCRH	R8PHPCRH:W8 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
9	R9PHPCRH	R9PHPCRH:W9 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
10	R10PHPCRH	R10PHPCRH:W10 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
11	R11PHPCRH	R11PHPCRH:W11 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
12	R12PHPCRH	R12PHPCRH:W12 Pers care to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
1	S1PHPCRH	S1PHPCRH:W1 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
2	S2PHPCRH	S2PHPCRH:W2 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
3	S3PHPCRH	S3PHPCRH:W3 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
4	S4PHPCRH	S4PHPCRH:W4 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
5	S5PHPCRH	S5PHPCRH:W5 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
6	S6PHPCRH	S6PHPCRH:W6 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
7	S7PHPCRH	S7PHPCRH:W7 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
8	S8PHPCRH	S8PHPCRH:W8 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
9	S9PHPCRH	S9PHPCRH:W9 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
10	S10PHPCRH	S10PHPCRH:W10 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
11	S11PHPCRH	S11PHPCRH:W11 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
12	S12PHPCRH	S12PHPCRH:W12 Personal care to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1PHPCRH	6197	78.58	537.86	0.0	11648.0
R2PHPCRH	7829	35.46	304.63	0.0	8760.0
R3PHPCRH	4667	63.37	362.68	0.0	8000.0
R4PHPCRH	6023	116.65	530.35	0.0	8900.0
R5PHPCRH	5066	124.85	581.68	0.0	12760.0
R6PHPCRH	4310	142.92	722.26	0.0	9730.0
R7PHPCRH	5861	119.51	622.56	0.0	12460.0
R8PHPCRH	4752	144.96	694.35	0.0	10400.0
R9PHPCRH	3979	125.34	598.13	0.0	10000.0
R10PHPCRH	7460	132.98	738.75	0.0	14000.0
R11PHPCRH	6300	134.22	784.87	0.0	18000.0
R12PHPCRH	5115	129.10	740.59	0.0	18000.0
S1PHPCRH	5082	72.28	514.78	0.0	11648.0
S2PHPCRH	6687	29.76	278.04	0.0	8760.0
S3PHPCRH	3672	66.17	387.24	0.0	8000.0
S4PHPCRH	4739	108.51	523.89	0.0	8900.0
S5PHPCRH	3946	119.69	588.17	0.0	12760.0
S6PHPCRH	3251	107.72	599.72	0.0	9730.0
S7PHPCRH	4370	114.04	625.44	0.0	12460.0
S8PHPCRH	3558	130.56	670.99	0.0	10400.0
S9PHPCRH	2928	116.37	570.39	0.0	10000.0
S10PHPCRH	5087	107.82	635.39	0.0	14000.0
S11PHPCRH	4318	132.92	809.88	0.0	18000.0
S12PHPCRH	3436	116.29	716.41	0.0	18000.0

How Constructed

RwPHPCRH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the Respondent and spouse helped the Respondent's father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs, such as dressing, eating and bathing. It is the sum of RwPRPCRH and RwPSPCRH.

SwPHPCRH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the Respondent and spouse helped the spouse's father, mother or both parents with basic personal needs, such as dressing, eating and bathing. It is the sum of SwPRPCRH and SwPSPCRH.

In Wave 1, we use imputed values provided by HRS.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to whether either the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s) received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

HRS Variables Used

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HRS 1992:
VR2012      E83A:1ST PRENT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
VR2013      E83B:1ST-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
VR2014      E83C:1ST-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
VR2015      E83A:2ND PARNT CARED:IMP/ Own fam
VR2016      E83B:2ND-TOTAL HRS A:IMP/ Own fam
VR2017      E83C:2ND-HUSB/PRTNR :IMP/ Own fam
HRS 1994:
WR8224_1    Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-1:Self
WR8224_2    Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-2:Self
WR8224_3    Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-3:Self
WR8224_4    Parnt:hours R per assist /Xfr-4:Self
WR8226_1    Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-1:Self
WR8226_2    Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-2:Self
WR8226_3    Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-3:Self
WR8226_4    Parnt:hours SP/P per assist /Xfr-4:Self
HRS 1996:
ER1686_1    D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
ER1686_2    D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
ER1687B1    D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
ER1687B2    D147B.R-PARENT CARE/Bkt/Self
HRS 1998:
FR2030_1    # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
FR2030_2    # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
FR2031B1    # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
FR2031B2    # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
HRS 2000:
GR2266_1    # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
GR2266_2    # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
GR2267B1    # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
GR2267B2    # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-PersCar
HRS 2002:
HF122_1     R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
HF122_2     R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
HF124_1     R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
HF124_2     R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
HF125_1     R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1

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HF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 HF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 HF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 HF127_1 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 HF127_2 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 HF129_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 HF129_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 HF130_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 HF130_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 HF131_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
 HF131_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
 HRS 2004:
 JF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 JF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 JF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 JF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 JF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 JF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 JF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 JF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 JF127_1 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 JF127_2 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 JF129_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 JF129_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 JF130_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 JF130_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 JF131_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
 JF131_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
 HRS 2006:
 KF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 KF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 KF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 KF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 KF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 KF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 KF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 KF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 KF127_1 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 KF127_2 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 KF129_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 KF129_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 KF130_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 KF130_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 KF131_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
 KF131_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
 HRS 2008:
 LF122_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 LF122_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 LF124_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 LF124_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 LF125_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
 LF125_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
 LF126_1 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
 LF126_2 R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
 LF127_1 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
 LF127_2 SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
 LF129_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
 LF129_2 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
 LF130_1 SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1

LF130_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
LF131_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
LF131_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
HRS 2010:	
MF122_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
MF122_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
MF124_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
MF124_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
MF125_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
MF125_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
MF126_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
MF126_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
MF127_1	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
MF127_2	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
MF129_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
MF129_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
MF130_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
MF130_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
MF131_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
MF131_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
HRS 2012:	
NF122_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
NF122_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
NF124_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
NF124_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
NF125_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
NF125_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
NF126_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
NF126_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
NF127_1	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
NF127_2	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
NF129_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
NF129_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
NF130_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
NF130_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
NF131_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
NF131_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2
HRS 2014:	
OF122_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
OF122_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
OF124_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
OF124_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
OF125_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
OF125_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
OF126_1	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-1
OF126_2	R TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-RES-2
OF127_1	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-1
OF127_2	SP TOTAL HOURS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS-2
OF129_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-1
OF129_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MIN-2
OF130_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-1
OF130_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEEDS- MAX-2
OF131_1	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-1
OF131_2	SP TOT HRS PARENTS PERSONAL NEED-RES-2

Errand Help: Which Parent was Helped by Respondent and Spouse
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2PERD	R2PERD:W2 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
3	R3PERD	R3PERD:W3 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
4	R4PERD	R4PERD:W4 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
5	R5PERD	R5PERD:W5 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
6	R6PERD	R6PERD:W6 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
7	R7PERD	R7PERD:W7 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
8	R8PERD	R8PERD:W8 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
9	R9PERD	R9PERD:W9 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
10	R10PERD	R10PERD:W10 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
11	R11PERD	R11PERD:W11 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
12	R12PERD	R12PERD:W12 Help with errands to R parents	Categ
2	S2PERD	S2PERD:W2 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
3	S3PERD	S3PERD:W3 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
4	S4PERD	S4PERD:W4 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
5	S5PERD	S5PERD:W5 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
6	S6PERD	S6PERD:W6 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
7	S7PERD	S7PERD:W7 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
8	S8PERD	S8PERD:W8 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
9	S9PERD	S9PERD:W9 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
10	S10PERD	S10PERD:W10 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
11	S11PERD	S11PERD:W11 Help with errands to S parents	Categ
12	S12PERD	S12PERD:W12 Help with errands to S parents	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2PERD	7829	0.29	0.68	0.0	4.0
R3PERD	4662	0.42	0.75	0.0	4.0
R4PERD	6022	0.45	0.77	0.0	4.0
R5PERD	5060	0.44	0.76	0.0	4.0
R6PERD	4302	0.41	0.72	0.0	4.0
R7PERD	5854	0.44	0.78	0.0	4.0
R8PERD	4741	0.46	0.76	0.0	4.0
R9PERD	3968	0.47	0.78	0.0	4.0
R10PERD	7457	0.49	0.82	0.0	4.0
R11PERD	6291	0.48	0.82	0.0	4.0
R12PERD	5111	0.51	0.83	0.0	4.0
S2PERD	6687	0.26	0.65	0.0	4.0
S3PERD	3659	0.40	0.75	0.0	4.0
S4PERD	4738	0.44	0.79	0.0	4.0
S5PERD	3944	0.42	0.77	0.0	3.0
S6PERD	3247	0.40	0.74	0.0	4.0
S7PERD	4365	0.43	0.79	0.0	4.0
S8PERD	3554	0.45	0.77	0.0	4.0
S9PERD	2922	0.46	0.79	0.0	4.0
S10PERD	5083	0.46	0.81	0.0	4.0
S11PERD	4309	0.45	0.80	0.0	4.0
S12PERD	3435	0.48	0.82	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2PERD	R3PERD	R4PERD	R5PERD	R6PERD	R7PERD
.M: Missing	444	619	350	343	312	330
.S: No living parents	11369	12710	15012	14176	13551	13945
0.None	6253	3247	4111	3472	2998	4046
1.to mother (and/or sp)	1196	1056	1417	1184	991	1304
2.to father (and/or sp)	159	181	218	192	168	232
3.to parents (together)	156	167	272	209	144	267
4.to mother and father (spl)	65	11	4	3	1	5

Value	R8PERD	R9PERD	R10PERD	R11PERD	R12PERD
.M: Missing	296	294	446	293	516
.S: No living parents	13432	12955	14131	13970	13120
0.None	3162	2633	4962	4241	3327
1.to mother (and/or sp)	1193	984	1779	1449	1278
2.to father (and/or sp)	192	170	303	257	219
3.to parents (together)	190	177	401	333	273
4.to mother and father (spl)	4	4	12	11	14

Value	S2PERD	S3PERD	S4PERD	S5PERD	S6PERD	S7PERD
.M: Missing	607	663	357	326	386	515
.S: No living parents	6378	8011	9420	8771	8226	8472
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.None	5478	2612	3310	2780	2303	3080
1.to mother (and/or sp)	909	765	1022	838	698	894
2.to father (and/or sp)	125	139	173	150	122	174
3.to parents (together)	130	134	230	176	123	212
4.to mother and father (spl)	45	9	3		1	5

Value	S8PERD	S9PERD	S10PERD	S11PERD	S12PERD
.M: Missing	396	409	859	582	723
.S: No living parents	8102	7680	8293	8189	7467
.U: Unmarried	6417	6206	7799	7474	7123
0.None	2428	1991	3510	2995	2321
1.to mother (and/or sp)	825	666	1095	925	773
2.to father (and/or sp)	145	131	210	169	152
3.to parents (together)	152	131	264	216	183
4.to mother and father (spl)	4	3	4	4	6

How Constructed

RwPERD and SwPERD indicate, respectively, whether the Respondent's or spouse's father, mother or both parents received 100 or more hours of help with errands, household chores and transportation from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

This question was not asked in Wave 1 or in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to whether either the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s) received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1994:

WNTPAR	HRS W2: # parent transfers
WR8228_1	Parnt:received oth assist? /Xfr-1:Self
WR8228_2	Parnt:received oth assist? /Xfr-2:Self
WR8228_3	Parnt:received oth assist? /Xfr-3:Self
WR8228_4	Parnt:received oth assist? /Xfr-4:Self
WRPARTR1	HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-1:Self
WRPARTR2	HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-2:Self
WRPARTR3	HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-3:Self
WRPARTR4	HRS W2, Trnsfr Parnt Type /Xfr-4:Self

HRS 1996:

ER1703_1	D149.HELP PARENTS/Self
ER1703_2	D149.HELP PARENTS-IN-LAW/Self
ER170401	D149A. WHO HELPS/Self
ER170402	D149A. WHO HELPS/Self
ER170408	D149A.IN-LAWS WHO HELPS/Self
ER170409	D149A.IN-LAWS WHO HELPS/Self

HRS 1998:

FR2045	D149.HELP PARENTS/Self
FR2046M1	D149A. WHO HELPS/Self
FR2046M2	D149A. WHO HELPS/Self
FR2207	D149-2.HELP P-IN-LAWS/Self
FR2208M1	D149A-2. WHO HELPS/Self
FR2208M2	D149A-2. WHO HELPS/Self

HRS 2000:

GR2281	D149.HELP PARENTS/Self
GR2282M1	D149A.WHO WAS HELPED/Self
GR2282M2	D149A.WHO WAS HELPED/Self
GR2458	D149-2.HELP P-IN-LAWS/Self
GR2459M1	D149A-2. WHO WAS HELPED/Self
GR2459M2	D149A-2. WHO WAS HELPED/Self

HRS 2002:

HF139	R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
HF140M1	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
HF140M2	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
HFP139	Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
HFP140M1	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
HFP140M2	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2004:

JF139	R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
JF140M1	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
JF140M2	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
JFP139	Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
JFP140M1	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
JFP140M2	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2006:

KF139	R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
KF140M1	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
KF140M2	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
KFP139	Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
KFP140M1	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
KFP140M2	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp

HRS 2008:

LF139	R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
LF140M1	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
LF140M2	WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
LFP139	Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
LFP140M1	WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp

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LFP140M2      WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
HRS 2010:
MF139         R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
MF140M1      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
MF140M2      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
MFP139       Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
MFP140M1     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
MFP140M2     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
HRS 2012:
NF139        R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
NF140M1      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
NF140M2      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
NFP139       Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
NFP140M1     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
NFP140M2     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
HRS 2014:
OF139        R HELP PARENTS W/ERRANDS
OF140M1      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1
OF140M2      WHO R HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2
OFP139       Sp HELP Sp PARENTS W/ERRANDS
OFP140M1     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 1 /Sp
OFP140M2     WHO Sp HELPED WITH ERRAND- PARENTS- 2 /Sp
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Errand Help: Hours Respondent Helped Parents with Errands, Flags

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2PRERDH	R2PRERDH:W2 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
3	R3PRERDH	R3PRERDH:W3 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
4	R4PRERDH	R4PRERDH:W4 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
5	R5PRERDH	R5PRERDH:W5 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
6	R6PRERDH	R6PRERDH:W6 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
7	R7PRERDH	R7PRERDH:W7 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
8	R8PRERDH	R8PRERDH:W8 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
9	R9PRERDH	R9PRERDH:W9 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
10	R10PRERDH	R10PRERDH:W10 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
11	R11PRERDH	R11PRERDH:W11 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
12	R12PRERDH	R12PRERDH:W12 Help w/errands to R parents/R-hrs	Cont
2	S2PRERDH	S2PRERDH:W2 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
3	S3PRERDH	S3PRERDH:W3 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
4	S4PRERDH	S4PRERDH:W4 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
5	S5PRERDH	S5PRERDH:W5 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
6	S6PRERDH	S6PRERDH:W6 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
7	S7PRERDH	S7PRERDH:W7 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
8	S8PRERDH	S8PRERDH:W8 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
9	S9PRERDH	S9PRERDH:W9 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
10	S10PRERDH	S10PRERDH:W10 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
11	S11PRERDH	S11PRERDH:W11 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
12	S12PRERDH	S12PRERDH:W12 Help w/errands to S parents/R-hrs	Cont
2	R2PRERDF	R2PRERDF:W2 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	R3PRERDF	R3PRERDF:W3 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	R4PRERDF	R4PRERDF:W4 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	R5PRERDF	R5PRERDF:W5 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	R6PRERDF	R6PRERDF:W6 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	R7PRERDF	R7PRERDF:W7 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	R8PRERDF	R8PRERDF:W8 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	R9PRERDF	R9PRERDF:W9 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	R10PRERDF	R10PRERDF:W10 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	R11PRERDF	R11PRERDF:W11 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	R12PRERDF	R12PRERDF:W12 Help errands to R parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
2	S2PRERDF	S2PRERDF:W2 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	S3PRERDF	S3PRERDF:W3 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	S4PRERDF	S4PRERDF:W4 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	S5PRERDF	S5PRERDF:W5 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	S6PRERDF	S6PRERDF:W6 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	S7PRERDF	S7PRERDF:W7 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	S8PRERDF	S8PRERDF:W8 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	S9PRERDF	S9PRERDF:W9 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	S10PRERDF	S10PRERDF:W10 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	S11PRERDF	S11PRERDF:W11 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	S12PRERDF	S12PRERDF:W12 Help errands to S parents/R-hrs ImpFlag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2PRERDH	7829	43.21	232.43	0.0	6000.0
R3PRERDH	4595	64.06	223.30	0.0	4000.0
R4PRERDH	6022	122.26	378.35	0.0	5720.0
R5PRERDH	5060	113.71	338.50	0.0	4280.0
R6PRERDH	4302	133.48	460.79	0.0	9000.0
R7PRERDH	5854	134.95	447.72	0.0	9000.0
R8PRERDH	4741	138.47	382.72	0.0	5000.0
R9PRERDH	3968	152.31	483.98	0.0	7300.0

R10PRERDH	7457	165.73	635.63	0.0	9100.0
R11PRERDH	6291	152.57	565.86	0.0	9000.0
R12PRERDH	5111	161.88	624.78	0.0	9000.0
S2PRERDH	6687	21.83	146.67	0.0	5000.0
S3PRERDH	3587	32.89	141.98	0.0	4000.0
S4PRERDH	4738	62.94	299.46	0.0	5720.0
S5PRERDH	3944	44.95	179.70	0.0	2400.0
S6PRERDH	3247	43.58	174.74	0.0	2500.0
S7PRERDH	4365	41.69	165.36	0.0	2608.0
S8PRERDH	3554	48.42	200.96	0.0	3000.0
S9PRERDH	2922	47.14	235.90	0.0	5000.0
S10PRERDH	5082	48.54	251.30	0.0	9000.0
S11PRERDH	4307	43.40	197.57	0.0	4000.0
S12PRERDH	3434	41.50	211.95	0.0	7680.0
R2PRERDF	1575	0.30	0.67	0.0	4.0
R3PRERDF	1416	0.53	0.93	0.0	3.0
R4PRERDF	1911	0.83	1.05	0.0	4.0
R5PRERDF	1588	0.87	1.08	0.0	4.0
R6PRERDF	1304	0.92	1.12	0.0	4.0
R7PRERDF	1808	0.76	1.05	0.0	4.0
R8PRERDF	1579	0.93	1.10	0.0	4.0
R9PRERDF	1335	0.82	1.07	0.0	4.0
R10PRERDF	2495	0.55	0.96	0.0	4.0
R11PRERDF	2050	0.54	0.95	0.0	4.0
R12PRERDF	1784	0.50	0.94	0.0	4.0
S2PRERDF	1205	0.42	0.62	0.0	4.0
S3PRERDF	1046	0.35	0.86	0.0	3.0
S4PRERDF	1428	0.64	1.03	0.0	4.0
S5PRERDF	1164	0.60	0.97	0.0	4.0
S6PRERDF	944	0.63	1.07	0.0	4.0
S7PRERDF	1285	0.52	0.98	0.0	4.0
S8PRERDF	1126	0.57	1.02	0.0	4.0
S9PRERDF	931	0.51	0.99	0.0	4.0
S10PRERDF	1573	0.26	0.73	0.0	4.0
S11PRERDF	1314	0.26	0.75	0.0	4.0
S12PRERDF	1114	0.22	0.70	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2PRERDF	R3PRERDF	R4PRERDF	R5PRERDF	R6PRERDF	R7PRERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	18067	16575	19473	17991	16861	18321
0.Continuous value	1268	1037	1095	890	705	1112
1.About value	152	76	144	113	103	131
2.Complete bkt	149	235	615	529	435	505
3.Incomplete bkt		68	14	10	11	10
4.No bkt info	6		43	46	50	50

Value	R8PRERDF	R9PRERDF	R10PRERDF	R11PRERDF	R12PRERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	16890	15882	19539	18504	16964
0.Continuous value	853	780	1820	1493	1351
1.About value	94	93	99	82	47
2.Complete bkt	574	416	511	425	340
3.Incomplete bkt	5	8	19	15	16
4.No bkt info	53	38	46	35	30

Value	S2PRERDF	S3PRERDF	S4PRERDF	S5PRERDF	S6PRERDF	S7PRERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	12463	11287	13087	11877	10915	12067
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	779	867	987	819	666	969
1.About value	356	61	39	36	33	30
2.Complete bkt	67	45	364	289	207	251
3.Incomplete bkt		73	2	1	1	3
4.No bkt info	3		36	19	37	32

Value	S8PRERDF	S9PRERDF	S10PRERDF	S11PRERDF	S12PRERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	10926	10081	12662	11766	10511
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	827	712	1382	1158	1002
1.About value	23	15	16	9	4
2.Complete bkt	241	176	155	125	94
3.Incomplete bkt	1	1	3	5	1
4.No bkt info	34	27	17	17	13

How Constructed

RwPRERDHF is the total number of hours since last interview that a Respondent helped his/her own father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation.

SwPRERDHF is the number of hours since last interview that the Respondent helped the spouse's father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation.

RwPRERDF and SwPRERDF are the imputation flags that indicate whether or not RwPRERDHF and SwPRERDHF were imputed, respectively.

These questions were not asked in Wave 1 or in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s). The 4th character in the variable name (also either an R or S) indicates whether the Respondent or the spouse provided the help. Just to reiterate, RwPRERDHF refers to help the Respondent's parent(s) received from the Respondent while SwPRERDHF refers to help the spouse's parent(s) received from the Respondent.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1994:
 WR8229_1 Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8229_2 Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8229_3 Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8229_4 Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 ER1706_1 D149B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1706_2 D149B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
 ER1706_6 D149B.R-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Self
 ER1706_7 D149B.R-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Self
 HRS 1998:
 FR2048_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2048_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2049B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FR2049B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 HRS 2000:
 GR2284_1 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GR2284_2 # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GR2285B1 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GR2285B2 # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 HRS 2002:
 HF142_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 HF142_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 HF144_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 HF144_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 HF145_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 HF145_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 HF146_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
 HF146_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
 HRS 2004:
 JF142_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 JF142_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 JF144_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 JF144_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 JF145_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 JF145_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 JF146_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
 JF146_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
 HRS 2006:
 KF142_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 KF142_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 KF144_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 KF144_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 KF145_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 KF145_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 KF146_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
 KF146_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
 HRS 2008:
 LF142_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 LF142_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 LF144_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 LF144_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 LF145_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 LF145_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 LF146_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
 LF146_2 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
 HRS 2010:
 MF142_1 R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1

MF142_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
MF144_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
MF144_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
MF145_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
MF145_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
MF146_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-1
MF146_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-2
HRS 2012:					
NF142_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-1
NF142_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
NF144_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
NF144_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
NF145_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
NF145_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
NF146_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-1
NF146_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-2
HRS 2014:					
OF142_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-1
OF142_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
OF144_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
OF144_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
OF145_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
OF145_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
OF146_1	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-1
OF146_2	R	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS- RESULT-2

Errand Help: Hours Spouse Helped Parents with Errands, Flags

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2PSERDH	R2PSERDH:W2 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
3	R3PSERDH	R3PSERDH:W3 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
4	R4PSERDH	R4PSERDH:W4 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
5	R5PSERDH	R5PSERDH:W5 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
6	R6PSERDH	R6PSERDH:W6 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
7	R7PSERDH	R7PSERDH:W7 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
8	R8PSERDH	R8PSERDH:W8 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
9	R9PSERDH	R9PSERDH:W9 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
10	R10PSERDH	R10PSERDH:W10 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
11	R11PSERDH	R11PSERDH:W11 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
12	R12PSERDH	R12PSERDH:W12 Help w/errands to R parents/S-hrs	Cont
2	S2PSERDH	S2PSERDH:W2 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
3	S3PSERDH	S3PSERDH:W3 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
4	S4PSERDH	S4PSERDH:W4 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
5	S5PSERDH	S5PSERDH:W5 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
6	S6PSERDH	S6PSERDH:W6 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
7	S7PSERDH	S7PSERDH:W7 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
8	S8PSERDH	S8PSERDH:W8 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
9	S9PSERDH	S9PSERDH:W9 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
10	S10PSERDH	S10PSERDH:W10 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
11	S11PSERDH	S11PSERDH:W11 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
12	S12PSERDH	S12PSERDH:W12 Help w/errands to S parents/S-hrs	Cont
2	R2PSE RDF	R2PSE RDF:W2 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	R3PSE RDF	R3PSE RDF:W3 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	R4PSE RDF	R4PSE RDF:W4 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	R5PSE RDF	R5PSE RDF:W5 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	R6PSE RDF	R6PSE RDF:W6 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	R7PSE RDF	R7PSE RDF:W7 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	R8PSE RDF	R8PSE RDF:W8 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	R9PSE RDF	R9PSE RDF:W9 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	R10PSE RDF	R10PSE RDF:W10 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	R11PSE RDF	R11PSE RDF:W11 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	R12PSE RDF	R12PSE RDF:W12 Help errands to R parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
2	S2PSE RDF	S2PSE RDF:W2 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
3	S3PSE RDF	S3PSE RDF:W3 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
4	S4PSE RDF	S4PSE RDF:W4 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
5	S5PSE RDF	S5PSE RDF:W5 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
6	S6PSE RDF	S6PSE RDF:W6 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
7	S7PSE RDF	S7PSE RDF:W7 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
8	S8PSE RDF	S8PSE RDF:W8 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
9	S9PSE RDF	S9PSE RDF:W9 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
10	S10PSE RDF	S10PSE RDF:W10 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
11	S11PSE RDF	S11PSE RDF:W11 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ
12	S12PSE RDF	S12PSE RDF:W12 Help errands to S parents/S-hrs ImpFlag	Categ

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2PSE RDH	6687	20.51	131.25	0.0	4000.0
R3PSE RDH	3628	33.97	143.07	0.0	4000.0
R4PSE RDH	4763	62.31	298.34	0.0	5720.0
R5PSE RDH	3953	44.97	179.54	0.0	2400.0
R6PSE RDH	3314	43.56	173.65	0.0	2500.0
R7PSE RDH	4525	41.17	163.16	0.0	2608.0
R8PSE RDH	3654	47.72	198.64	0.0	3000.0
R9PSE RDH	3027	46.60	232.95	0.0	5000.0

R10PSERDH	5411	48.34	247.52	0.0	9000.0
R11PSERDH	4532	42.28	193.33	0.0	4000.0
R12PSERDH	3648	41.25	209.04	0.0	7680.0
S2PSERDH	6687	37.02	214.91	0.0	6000.0
S3PSERDH	3588	58.91	218.47	0.0	4000.0
S4PSERDH	4738	103.36	336.29	0.0	5000.0
S5PSERDH	3944	94.94	290.41	0.0	3800.0
S6PSERDH	3247	105.89	386.58	0.0	9000.0
S7PSERDH	4365	116.50	416.53	0.0	9000.0
S8PSERDH	3554	115.36	330.64	0.0	5000.0
S9PSERDH	2922	129.69	441.74	0.0	7300.0
S10PSERDH	5083	133.20	540.07	0.0	9000.0
S11PSERDH	4309	123.81	484.25	0.0	9000.0
S12PSERDH	3435	127.39	514.60	0.0	9000.0
R2PSERDF	1210	0.42	0.62	0.0	4.0
R3PSERDF	1074	0.33	0.82	0.0	3.0
R4PSERDF	1440	0.64	1.02	0.0	4.0
R5PSERDF	1179	0.60	0.97	0.0	4.0
R6PSERDF	962	0.64	1.08	0.0	4.0
R7PSERDF	1338	0.53	0.98	0.0	4.0
R8PSERDF	1158	0.57	1.02	0.0	4.0
R9PSERDF	966	0.52	1.00	0.0	4.0
R10PSERDF	1676	0.26	0.73	0.0	4.0
R11PSERDF	1382	0.25	0.74	0.0	4.0
R12PSERDF	1187	0.22	0.70	0.0	4.0
S2PSERDF	1205	0.26	0.63	0.0	4.0
S3PSERDF	1046	0.51	0.96	0.0	3.0
S4PSERDF	1428	0.78	1.04	0.0	4.0
S5PSERDF	1164	0.79	1.05	0.0	4.0
S6PSERDF	944	0.87	1.11	0.0	4.0
S7PSERDF	1285	0.74	1.04	0.0	4.0
S8PSERDF	1126	0.88	1.10	0.0	4.0
S9PSERDF	931	0.76	1.06	0.0	4.0
S10PSERDF	1573	0.45	0.88	0.0	4.0
S11PSERDF	1314	0.47	0.92	0.0	4.0
S12PSERDF	1114	0.42	0.88	0.0	4.0

Categorical Variable Codes

Value	R2PSERDF	R3PSERDF	R4PSERDF	R5PSERDF	R6PSERDF	R7PSERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	12462	11259	13075	11862	10897	12014
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	784	895	996	827	678	1007
1.About value	355	68	38	36	34	31
2.Complete bkt	68	47	368	296	210	262
3.Incomplete bkt		64	2	1	1	3
4.No bkt info	3		36	19	39	35

Value	R8PSERDF	R9PSERDF	R10PSERDF	R11PSERDF	R12PSERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	10894	10046	12559	11698	10438
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	848	738	1468	1223	1069
1.About value	24	16	18	9	5
2.Complete bkt	251	181	169	128	98
3.Incomplete bkt	1	1	3	5	1
4.No bkt info	34	30	18	17	14

Value	S2PSERDF	S3PSERDF	S4PSERDF	S5PSERDF	S6PSERDF	S7PSERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	12463	11287	13087	11877	10915	12067
.U: Unmarried	5970	5658	6869	6538	6306	6777
0.Continuous value	996	794	862	697	531	799
1.About value	105	46	99	81	80	87
2.Complete bkt	101	134	424	354	291	362
3.Incomplete bkt		72	9	3	6	6
4.No bkt info	3		34	29	36	31

Value	S8PSERDF	S9PSERDF	S10PSERDF	S11PSERDF	S12PSERDF
.S: No or missing Xfr	10926	10081	12662	11766	10511
.U: Unmarried	6417	6205	7799	7474	7123
0.Continuous value	641	574	1214	1005	887
1.About value	59	59	58	49	22
2.Complete bkt	386	268	272	230	183
3.Incomplete bkt	4	3	9	8	6
4.No bkt info	36	27	20	22	16

How Constructed

RwPSERDH is the total number of hours since last interview that the spouse helped the Respondent's father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation.

SwPSERDH is the total number of hours since last interview that the spouse helped the spouse's own father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation.

RwPSERDF and SwPSERDF are the imputation flags that indicate whether or not RwPSERDH and SwPSERDF were imputed, respectively.

These questions were not asked in Wave 1 or in AHEAD Waves 2A or 3A.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s). The 4th character in the variable name (also either an R or S) indicates whether the Respondent or the spouse provided the help. Just to reiterate, RwPSERDH refers to help the Respondent's parent(s) received from the spouse while SwPSERDH refers to the help the spouse's parent(s) received from the spouse.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1994:
 WR8231_1 Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-1:Self
 WR8231_2 Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-2:Self
 WR8231_3 Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-3:Self
 WR8231_4 Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-4:Self
 HRS 1996:
 EP1706_1 D149E.SP-PARENT CARE/Sp-P
 EP1706_2 D149E.SP-PARENT CARE/Sp-P
 EP1706_6 D149E.SP-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Sp-P
 EP1706_7 D149E.SP-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Sp-P
 HRS 1998:
 FP2048_1 # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FP2048_2 # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FP2049B1 # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 FP2049B2 # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
 HRS 2000:
 GP2284_1 # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GP2284_2 # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GP2285B1 # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 GP2285B2 # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
 HRS 2002:
 HF147_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 HF147_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 HF149_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 HF149_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 HF150_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 HF150_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 HF151_1 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
 HF151_2 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
 HRS 2004:
 JF147_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 JF147_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 JF149_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 JF149_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 JF150_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 JF150_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 JF151_1 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
 JF151_2 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
 HRS 2006:
 KF147_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 KF147_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 KF149_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 KF149_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 KF150_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 KF150_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 KF151_1 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
 KF151_2 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
 HRS 2008:
 LF147_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
 LF147_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
 LF149_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
 LF149_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
 LF150_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
 LF150_2 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
 LF151_1 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
 LF151_2 SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
 HRS 2010:
 MF147_1 SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1

MF147_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
MF149_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
MF149_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
MF150_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
MF150_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
MF151_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-1
MF151_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2012:					
NF147_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-1
NF147_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
NF149_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
NF149_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
NF150_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
NF150_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
NF151_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-1
NF151_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2014:					
OF147_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-1
OF147_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-2
OF149_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-1
OF149_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MIN-2
OF150_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-1
OF150_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HOURS	PARENT	ERRANDS-MAX-2
OF151_1	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-1
OF151_2	SP/P	TOTAL	HRS	PARENT	ERRANDS-RESULT-2

Errand Help: Hours Respondent and Spouse Helped Parents with Errands, Flags
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
2	R2PHERDH	R2PHERDH:W2 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
3	R3PHERDH	R3PHERDH:W3 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
4	R4PHERDH	R4PHERDH:W4 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
5	R5PHERDH	R5PHERDH:W5 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
6	R6PHERDH	R6PHERDH:W6 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
7	R7PHERDH	R7PHERDH:W7 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
8	R8PHERDH	R8PHERDH:W8 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
9	R9PHERDH	R9PHERDH:W9 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
10	R10PHERDH	R10PHERDH:W10 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
11	R11PHERDH	R11PHERDH:W11 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
12	R12PHERDH	R12PHERDH:W12 Help w/errands to R parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
2	S2PHERDH	S2PHERDH:W2 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
3	S3PHERDH	S3PHERDH:W3 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
4	S4PHERDH	S4PHERDH:W4 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
5	S5PHERDH	S5PHERDH:W5 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
6	S6PHERDH	S6PHERDH:W6 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
7	S7PHERDH	S7PHERDH:W7 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
8	S8PHERDH	S8PHERDH:W8 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
9	S9PHERDH	S9PHERDH:W9 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
10	S10PHERDH	S10PHERDH:W10 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
11	S11PHERDH	S11PHERDH:W11 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont
12	S12PHERDH	S12PHERDH:W12 Help w/errands to S parents/R+S-hrs	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R2PHERDH	7829	60.72	299.75	0.0	8100.0
R3PHERDH	4612	90.55	311.03	0.0	8000.0
R4PHERDH	6022	171.54	534.26	0.0	10000.0
R5PHERDH	5060	148.84	420.98	0.0	5140.0
R6PHERDH	4302	167.03	528.32	0.0	9000.0
R7PHERDH	5854	166.78	519.66	0.0	10300.0
R8PHERDH	4741	175.24	478.36	0.0	8000.0
R9PHERDH	3968	187.85	584.57	0.0	10000.0
R10PHERDH	7457	200.81	720.40	0.0	11000.0
R11PHERDH	6291	183.03	637.74	0.0	9900.0
R12PHERDH	5111	191.32	708.90	0.0	15360.0
S2PHERDH	6687	58.84	306.49	0.0	8100.0
S3PHERDH	3607	91.31	326.45	0.0	8000.0
S4PHERDH	4738	166.30	543.46	0.0	10000.0
S5PHERDH	3944	139.89	407.25	0.0	5140.0
S6PHERDH	3247	149.48	489.18	0.0	9000.0
S7PHERDH	4365	158.19	516.92	0.0	10300.0
S8PHERDH	3554	163.78	469.10	0.0	8000.0
S9PHERDH	2922	176.83	583.97	0.0	10000.0
S10PHERDH	5083	181.73	676.52	0.0	11000.0
S11PHERDH	4309	167.19	601.40	0.0	9900.0
S12PHERDH	3435	168.88	649.66	0.0	15360.0

How Constructed

RwPHERDH is the imputed number of hours since last interview that the Respondent and spouse helped the Respondent's father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation. It is the sum of RwPRERDH and RwPHERDH.

SwPHERDH is the number of hours since last interview that the Respondent and spouse helped the spouse's father, mother or both parents with errands, household chores and transportation. It is the sum of SwPRERDH and SwPHERDH.

These questions were not asked prior to Wave 4.

Note that the parent helper variables naming construction differs importantly from our standard RAND HRS variable naming conventions. Here, the first character of the name (either an R or S) refers to whether either the Respondent's or spouse's parent(s) received help from the Respondent and/or the spouse.

HRS Variables Used

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HRS 1994:
  WR8229_1      Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-1:Self
  WR8229_2      Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-2:Self
  WR8229_3      Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-3:Self
  WR8229_4      Parnt:hours R oth assist /Xfr-4:Self
  WR8231_1      Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-1:Self
  WR8231_2      Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-2:Self
  WR8231_3      Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-3:Self
  WR8231_4      Parnt:hours SP/P oth assist /Xfr-4:Self
HRS 1996:
  EP1706_1      D149E.SP-PARENT CARE/Sp-P
  EP1706_2      D149E.SP-PARENT CARE/Sp-P
  EP1706_6      D149E.SP-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Sp-P
  EP1706_7      D149E.SP-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Sp-P
  ER1706_1      D149B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
  ER1706_2      D149B.R-PARENT CARE/Self
  ER1706_6      D149B.R-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Self
  ER1706_7      D149B.R-PAR-IN-LAW CARE/Self
HRS 1998:
  FP2048_1      # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FP2048_2      # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FP2049B1      # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FP2049B2      # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FR2048_1      # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FR2048_2      # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FR2049B1      # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
  FR2049B2      # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT
HRS 2000:
  GP2284_1      # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GP2284_2      # HRS SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GP2285B1      # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GP2285B2      # HRS (BKT) SP SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GR2284_1      # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GR2284_2      # HRS R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GR2285B1      # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
  GR2285B2      # HRS (BKT) R SPENT ON R'S PARENT-Chores
HRS 2002:
  HF142_1      R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
  HF142_2      R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2

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HF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
HF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
HF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
HF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
HF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
HF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
HF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
HF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
HF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
HF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
HF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
HF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
HF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
HF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2004:	
JF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
JF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
JF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
JF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
JF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
JF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
JF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
JF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
JF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
JF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
JF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
JF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
JF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
JF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
JF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
JF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2006:	
KF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
KF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
KF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
KF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
KF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
KF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
KF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
KF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
KF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
KF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
KF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
KF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
KF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
KF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
KF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
KF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2008:	
LF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
LF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
LF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
LF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
LF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
LF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
LF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
LF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
LF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
LF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2

LF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
LF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
LF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
LF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
LF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
LF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2010:	
MF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
MF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
MF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
MF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
MF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
MF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
MF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
MF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
MF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
MF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
MF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
MF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
MF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
MF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
MF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
MF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2012:	
NF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
NF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
NF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
NF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
NF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
NF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
NF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
NF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
NF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
NF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
NF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
NF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
NF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
NF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
NF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
NF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2
HRS 2014:	
OF142_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
OF142_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
OF144_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
OF144_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
OF145_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
OF145_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
OF146_1	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-1
OF146_2	R TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS- RESULT-2
OF147_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-1
OF147_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-2
OF149_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-1
OF149_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MIN-2
OF150_1	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-1
OF150_2	SP/P TOTAL HOURS PARENT ERRANDS-MAX-2
OF151_1	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-1
OF151_2	SP/P TOTAL HRS PARENT ERRANDS-RESULT-2

Section 6E: Sibling Variables

Number of Living Siblings

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1LIVBRO	R1LIVBRO:W1 number of living brothers	Cont
2	R2LIVBRO	R2LIVBRO:W2 number of living brothers	Cont
3	R3LIVBRO	R3LIVBRO:W3 number of living brothers	Cont
4	R4LIVBRO	R4LIVBRO:W4 number of living brothers	Cont
5	R5LIVBRO	R5LIVBRO:W5 number of living brothers	Cont
6	R6LIVBRO	R6LIVBRO:W6 number of living brothers	Cont
7	R7LIVBRO	R7LIVBRO:W7 number of living brothers	Cont
8	R8LIVBRO	R8LIVBRO:W8 number of living brothers	Cont
9	R9LIVBRO	R9LIVBRO:W9 number of living brothers	Cont
10	R10LIVBRO	R10LIVBRO:W10 number of living brothers	Cont
11	R11LIVBRO	R11LIVBRO:W11 number of living brothers	Cont
12	R12LIVBRO	R12LIVBRO:W12 number of living brothers	Cont
1	S1LIVBRO	S1LIVBRO:W1 number of living brothers	Cont
2	S2LIVBRO	S2LIVBRO:W2 number of living brothers	Cont
3	S3LIVBRO	S3LIVBRO:W3 number of living brothers	Cont
4	S4LIVBRO	S4LIVBRO:W4 number of living brothers	Cont
5	S5LIVBRO	S5LIVBRO:W5 number of living brothers	Cont
6	S6LIVBRO	S6LIVBRO:W6 number of living brothers	Cont
7	S7LIVBRO	S7LIVBRO:W7 number of living brothers	Cont
8	S8LIVBRO	S8LIVBRO:W8 number of living brothers	Cont
9	S9LIVBRO	S9LIVBRO:W9 number of living brothers	Cont
10	S10LIVBRO	S10LIVBRO:W10 number of living brothers	Cont
11	S11LIVBRO	S11LIVBRO:W11 number of living brothers	Cont
12	S12LIVBRO	S12LIVBRO:W12 number of living brothers	Cont
1	R1LIVSIS	R1LIVSIS:W1 number of living sisters	Cont
2	R2LIVSIS	R2LIVSIS:W2 number of living sisters	Cont
3	R3LIVSIS	R3LIVSIS:W3 number of living sisters	Cont
4	R4LIVSIS	R4LIVSIS:W4 number of living sisters	Cont
5	R5LIVSIS	R5LIVSIS:W5 number of living sisters	Cont
6	R6LIVSIS	R6LIVSIS:W6 number of living sisters	Cont
7	R7LIVSIS	R7LIVSIS:W7 number of living sisters	Cont
8	R8LIVSIS	R8LIVSIS:W8 number of living sisters	Cont
9	R9LIVSIS	R9LIVSIS:W9 number of living sisters	Cont
10	R10LIVSIS	R10LIVSIS:W10 number of living sisters	Cont
11	R11LIVSIS	R11LIVSIS:W11 number of living sisters	Cont
12	R12LIVSIS	R12LIVSIS:W12 number of living sisters	Cont
1	S1LIVSIS	S1LIVSIS:W1 number of living sisters	Cont
2	S2LIVSIS	S2LIVSIS:W2 number of living sisters	Cont
3	S3LIVSIS	S3LIVSIS:W3 number of living sisters	Cont
4	S4LIVSIS	S4LIVSIS:W4 number of living sisters	Cont
5	S5LIVSIS	S5LIVSIS:W5 number of living sisters	Cont
6	S6LIVSIS	S6LIVSIS:W6 number of living sisters	Cont
7	S7LIVSIS	S7LIVSIS:W7 number of living sisters	Cont
8	S8LIVSIS	S8LIVSIS:W8 number of living sisters	Cont
9	S9LIVSIS	S9LIVSIS:W9 number of living sisters	Cont
10	S10LIVSIS	S10LIVSIS:W10 number of living sisters	Cont
11	S11LIVSIS	S11LIVSIS:W11 number of living sisters	Cont
12	S12LIVSIS	S12LIVSIS:W12 number of living sisters	Cont
1	R1LIVSIB	R1LIVSIB:W1 number of living siblings	Cont
2	R2LIVSIB	R2LIVSIB:W2 number of living siblings	Cont
3	R3LIVSIB	R3LIVSIB:W3 number of living siblings	Cont
4	R4LIVSIB	R4LIVSIB:W4 number of living siblings	Cont
5	R5LIVSIB	R5LIVSIB:W5 number of living siblings	Cont
6	R6LIVSIB	R6LIVSIB:W6 number of living siblings	Cont
7	R7LIVSIB	R7LIVSIB:W7 number of living siblings	Cont
8	R8LIVSIB	R8LIVSIB:W8 number of living siblings	Cont
9	R9LIVSIB	R9LIVSIB:W9 number of living siblings	Cont
10	R10LIVSIB	R10LIVSIB:W10 number of living siblings	Cont
11	R11LIVSIB	R11LIVSIB:W11 number of living siblings	Cont
12	R12LIVSIB	R12LIVSIB:W12 number of living siblings	Cont
1	S1LIVSIB	S1LIVSIB:W1 number of living siblings	Cont

2	S2LIVSIB	S2LIVSIB:W2	number of living siblings	Cont
3	S3LIVSIB	S3LIVSIB:W3	number of living siblings	Cont
4	S4LIVSIB	S4LIVSIB:W4	number of living siblings	Cont
5	S5LIVSIB	S5LIVSIB:W5	number of living siblings	Cont
6	S6LIVSIB	S6LIVSIB:W6	number of living siblings	Cont
7	S7LIVSIB	S7LIVSIB:W7	number of living siblings	Cont
8	S8LIVSIB	S8LIVSIB:W8	number of living siblings	Cont
9	S9LIVSIB	S9LIVSIB:W9	number of living siblings	Cont
10	S10LIVSIB	S10LIVSIB:W10	number of living siblings	Cont
11	S11LIVSIB	S11LIVSIB:W11	number of living siblings	Cont
12	S12LIVSIB	S12LIVSIB:W12	number of living siblings	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1LIVBRO	11941	1.45	1.49	0.0	13.0
R2LIVBRO	19247	1.21	1.39	0.0	12.0
R3LIVBRO	17949	1.19	1.38	0.0	13.0
R4LIVBRO	21202	1.19	1.39	0.0	14.0
R5LIVBRO	19521	1.20	1.39	0.0	12.0
R6LIVBRO	18136	1.19	1.39	0.0	14.0
R7LIVBRO	20108	1.25	1.41	0.0	12.0
R8LIVBRO	18464	1.22	1.41	0.0	14.0
R9LIVBRO	17211	1.23	1.41	0.0	14.0
R10LIVBRO	22006	1.45	1.53	0.0	14.0
R11LIVBRO	20539	1.47	1.54	0.0	14.0
R12LIVBRO	18218	1.49	1.56	0.0	14.0
S1LIVBRO	9361	1.43	1.48	0.0	13.0
S2LIVBRO	13003	1.27	1.39	0.0	12.0
S3LIVBRO	12237	1.26	1.40	0.0	11.0
S4LIVBRO	14242	1.23	1.40	0.0	13.0
S5LIVBRO	12967	1.27	1.40	0.0	12.0
S6LIVBRO	11787	1.26	1.41	0.0	14.0
S7LIVBRO	13238	1.30	1.42	0.0	12.0
S8LIVBRO	11939	1.28	1.42	0.0	14.0
S9LIVBRO	10885	1.28	1.42	0.0	12.0
S10LIVBRO	13958	1.44	1.51	0.0	14.0
S11LIVBRO	12831	1.47	1.53	0.0	14.0
S12LIVBRO	11245	1.45	1.55	0.0	14.0
R1LIVSIS	11941	1.58	1.60	0.0	11.0
R2LIVSIS	19234	1.42	1.51	0.0	11.0
R3LIVSIS	17946	1.39	1.49	0.0	11.0
R4LIVSIS	21152	1.38	1.49	0.0	14.0
R5LIVSIS	19523	1.39	1.48	0.0	14.0
R6LIVSIS	18131	1.38	1.50	0.0	14.0
R7LIVSIS	20109	1.42	1.52	0.0	12.0
R8LIVSIS	18465	1.40	1.51	0.0	15.0
R9LIVSIS	17213	1.41	1.52	0.0	15.0
R10LIVSIS	22004	1.61	1.63	0.0	15.0
R11LIVSIS	20540	1.63	1.64	0.0	15.0
R12LIVSIS	18233	1.65	1.66	0.0	15.0
S1LIVSIS	9361	1.56	1.59	0.0	11.0
S2LIVSIS	13010	1.46	1.51	0.0	11.0
S3LIVSIS	12225	1.43	1.51	0.0	11.0

S4LIVSIS	14176	1.39	1.51	0.0	14.0
S5LIVSIS	12970	1.42	1.50	0.0	11.0
S6LIVSIS	11794	1.42	1.52	0.0	14.0
S7LIVSIS	13239	1.43	1.52	0.0	12.0
S8LIVSIS	11947	1.43	1.51	0.0	14.0
S9LIVSIS	10885	1.42	1.53	0.0	15.0
S10LIVSIS	13954	1.58	1.61	0.0	15.0
S11LIVSIS	12826	1.61	1.62	0.0	15.0
S12LIVSIS	11246	1.57	1.63	0.0	15.0
R1LIVSIB	11940	3.02	2.51	0.0	19.0
R2LIVSIB	19193	2.63	2.37	0.0	17.0
R3LIVSIB	17935	2.58	2.35	0.0	17.0
R4LIVSIB	21111	2.58	2.36	0.0	23.0
R5LIVSIB	19504	2.59	2.35	0.0	20.0
R6LIVSIB	18115	2.57	2.37	0.0	21.0
R7LIVSIB	20103	2.67	2.40	0.0	18.0
R8LIVSIB	18463	2.62	2.39	0.0	20.0
R9LIVSIB	17210	2.64	2.40	0.0	20.0
R10LIVSIB	22001	3.05	2.59	0.0	21.0
R11LIVSIB	20536	3.10	2.60	0.0	21.0
R12LIVSIB	18121	3.15	2.64	0.0	21.0
S1LIVSIB	9360	2.99	2.49	0.0	19.0
S2LIVSIB	12935	2.73	2.37	0.0	17.0
S3LIVSIB	12219	2.69	2.37	0.0	17.0
S4LIVSIB	14118	2.64	2.37	0.0	18.0
S5LIVSIB	12953	2.69	2.35	0.0	20.0
S6LIVSIB	11780	2.68	2.38	0.0	21.0
S7LIVSIB	13224	2.73	2.39	0.0	18.0
S8LIVSIB	11928	2.71	2.37	0.0	19.0
S9LIVSIB	10869	2.70	2.40	0.0	20.0
S10LIVSIB	13938	3.02	2.57	0.0	20.0
S11LIVSIB	12802	3.08	2.59	0.0	20.0
S12LIVSIB	11187	3.04	2.63	0.0	20.0

How Constructed

RwLIVBRO and RwLIVSIS count the number of the Respondent's living brothers and sisters, respectively. RwLIVSIB is the number of the Respondent's living siblings, or the sum of RwLIVBRO and RwLIVSIS. If either RwLIVSIS or RwLIVBRO is missing then RwLIVSIB is missing. SwLIVBRO, SwLIVSIS, and SwLIVSIB are the number of the spouse's brothers, sisters, and siblings, respectively.

In Waves 1, 2H, and from 3H forward, the number of living sisters and brothers are counted by checking status and relationship codes at each wave. In Waves 2A and 3A, these counts are taken from direct questions. The Respondent's siblings are counted and assigned to RwLIVSIS and RwLIVBRO, and siblings-in-law are counted and assigned to SwLIVSIS and SwLIVBRO. RwLIVSIB is the sum of RwLIVSIS and RwLIVBRO, and SwLIVSIB is the sum of SwLIVSIS and SwLIVBRO.

In Wave 1, the question about total number of siblings is used to fill RwLIVSIB and SwLIVSIB directly. If these are missing, the counts are used when available.

In Waves 1, 2H, 3H, 4 and 5, these data are provided by the Family Respondent. The relationship codes or variables

are appropriately swapped before counting if the Respondent is not the Family Respondent. From Wave 6 forward, information on individual siblings is collected from individual Respondents.

In Waves 2A and 3A, individual Respondents are asked how many living sisters and brothers they have. In Wave 3A, Respondents are also asked how many of these sisters or brothers are step-siblings. These step-siblings are subtracted from the total number of living siblings to be compatible with other waves where step-siblings are specifically omitted.

If both parents are deceased, sibling data are not always collected, unless parents were alive in a prior wave. In Wave 3H and from Wave 4 forward, if both parents are deceased, a question asks for the number of living brothers and sisters. In some cases, both a count from the sibling roster and the direct answer to this question are available, but are not always the same. These derived variables use the answer to the direct question if it is available and the number counted from the roster if it is not. Before Wave 6, the direct question is asked of the Family Respondent. From Wave 6 forward, the direct question is asked of individuals; for these waves, the spouse's responses are used to provide the direct question information for siblings-in-law.

Because so many values are missing when only one wave is used, the counts (including zero) are carried forward and backward to help fill missing values in other waves. This filling is done for sisters and brothers separately. The questions may have been skipped if no living siblings were reported at a previous wave. Filling backward may undercount living siblings as there may have been more living at a prior wave, but it should give an approximation better than having no value at all. When carrying sibling counts for in-laws backward, checks are done to ensure that the spouse is the same spouse as in the source year.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

Information about siblings is reported in the Family Section for each wave before Wave 6. In couple households, the designated Family Respondent answers most questions about siblings, including in-laws. In Waves 2A, 3A, and from Wave 6 forward, each individual in a couple household is asked about siblings.

In Waves 1 and 2H, the raw HRS data provide sibling data in a separate module with separate observations for each sibling, including in-laws. Preprocessing of Wave 1 and 2H data collapses the sibling-level observations to each Respondent. When necessary the process takes into account whether the Respondent is the Family Respondent. In Wave 2H a status code for each sibling is provided that indicates if the sibling has died or should not have been on the list.

In Waves 2A and 3A, the AHEAD data provide information about siblings among Respondent-level data. In Wave 2A the questions about numbers of living sisters and brothers does not include text specifically omitting step-siblings or relationship codes that distinguish between full-/half- and step-siblings. In Wave 3A, follow-up questions ask if any of the living brothers and sisters are step-siblings.

In Waves 3H, 4, and 5 the sibling data needed to derive these variables can be found in the household-level Family Section and in the PR_SB module which has one observation for each sibling-household combination. In these waves, a direct question about living siblings is asked of the Family Respondent.

From Wave 6 forward, sibling information is asked of all individuals. The PR_SB has one observation for each Respondent-sibling combination. A direct question asks about living siblings in these waves, which is also asked of all individuals. In Wave 7, the PR_MC module did not include the Respondent ID, so these siblings are matched to Respondents by sub-household ID (JHHID) and Family Respondent status (JFAMR).

On PR_MC modules, relationship codes indicate if the sibling is a sister or brother, and whether s/he is the Respondent's own sibling or sibling-in-law.

There have been a number of data alerts for the sibling data. Those posted on the HRS web site as of this writing

have been applied to these data.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:

V1701	E68:R LIVNG SIBLINGS:IMP
V1702	E69-E80:#BROS OR SIS:IMP
V2201	E111:H/P LIVING SIB :IMP
V2202	E112-E115:#HUSB/PRTN:IMP
V8101	SIBS:SIB OF R OR H/P?
V8104	SIBS:SEX :IMP

AHEAD 1993:

B559	D58. # SISTERS LIVING
B562	D59. # BROTHERS LIVING
BPHHIDPN	AHD W1: Spouse HHIDPN

HRS 1994:

SIBCODE	Sibling or sibling-in-law flag
W8101	E76/176. Relationship to R/Sp
W8103	Sibling problem code

AHEAD 1995:

D1601	D81.# SISTERS
D1604	D81C.STEPSISTER
D1605	D81D.STEPSISTERS
D1607	D82.# BROTHERS
D1610	D82D.STEPBROTHER
D1611	D82D.STEPBROTHERS
DPHHIDPN	AHD95 Spouse HHIDPN

HRS 1996:

E159	SIB REL TO R
E159A	SIB OR SIB-IN-LAW
E1627_1	D81.# SISTERS
E1627_2	D81.# SISTERS-IN-LAW
E1631_1	D82.# BROTHERS
E1631_2	D82.# BROTHERS-IN-LAW
E93	UPDATED SIB STATUS
EHHID	EHHID: HRS 96 Household ID (char7)
EPHHIDPN	HRS W3: Spouse HHIDPN
EPN_FAM	1996 FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER
EPN_NFAM	1996 NON-FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER

HRS 1998:

F137	SIB STATUS
F141	SIB REL TO FAMILY R - UPDATED
F1972	D130A.# SISTERS
F1975	D130D.# BROTHERS
F2134	D130A-2.# SISTERS-IN-LAW
F2137	D130D-2.# BROTHERS-IN-LAW
F597	SAME SPOUSE AS LAST WAVE
FHHID	FHHID: HRS 98 Household ID (char7)
FPN_FAM	1998 FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER
FPN_NFAM	1998 NON-FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER

HRS 2000:

G137	SIB STATUS - UPDATED
G141	SIB REL TO FAMILY R - UPDATED
G2198	D130A.# SISTERS
G2201	D130D.# BROTHERS
G2385	D130A-2.# SISTERS-IN-LAW
G2388	D130D-2.# BROTHERS-IN-LAW
G658	CS15Y63.SAME SPOUSE AS LAST WAVE

GHHID	GHHID: HRS 00 Household ID (char7)
GPN_FAM	2000 FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER
GPN_NFAM	2000 NON-FAMILY RESP PERSON NUMBER
HRS 2002:	
HF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
HF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
HPHHIDPN	HRS 02: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
HX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
HX061_SB	RELATIONSHIP TO R - SIBLING-UPDATED
HX063_SB	RELATIONSHIP SIB TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2004:	
JF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
JF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
JFAMR	2004 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
JHHID	JHHID: HRS 04 Household ID (char7)
JPHHIDPN	HRS 04: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
JX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
JX061_SB	RELATIONSHIP TO R - SIBLING-UPDATED
JX063_SB	RELATIONSHIP SIB TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
KF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
KPHHIDPN	HRS 06: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
KX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
KX061_SB	RELATIONSHIP TO R - SIBLING-UPDATED
KX063_SB	RELATIONSHIP SIB TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
LF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
LPHHIDPN	HRS 06: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
LX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
LX061_SB	RELATIONSHIP TO R - SIBLING-UPDATED
LX063_SB	RELATIONSHIP SIB TO SP - UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
MF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
MPHHIDPN	HRS 10: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
MZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING
MZ251	RELATIONSHIP TO R
HRS 2012:	
NF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
NF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
NPHHIDPN	HRS 12: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
NZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING
NZ251	RELATIONSHIP TO R
HRS 2014:	
OF073	NUMBER LIVING SISTERS
OF076	NUMBER LIVING BROTHERS
OPHHIDPN	HRS 14: HHIDPN of spouse/partner
OZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING
OZ251	RELATIONSHIP TO R
Tracker:	
AFAMR	1992 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
CFAMR	1994 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
EFAMR	1996 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
FFAMR	1998 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
GFAMR	2000 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
HFAMR	2002 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT
JFAMR	2004 WHETHER FAMILY RESPONDENT

KFAMR	2006	WHETHER	FAMILY	RESPONDENT
LFAMR	2008	WHETHER	FAMILY	RESPONDENT
MFAMR	2010	WHETHER	FAMILY	RESPONDENT
NFAMR	2012	WHETHER	FAMILY	RESPONDENT
OFAMR	2014	WHETHER	FAMILY	RESPONDENT

Number of Deceased Siblings

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3SBDIED	R3SBDIED:W3 number of siblings who died	Cont
4	R4SBDIED	R4SBDIED:W4 number of siblings who died	Cont
5	R5SBDIED	R5SBDIED:W5 number of siblings who died	Cont
6	R6SBDIED	R6SBDIED:W6 number of siblings who died	Cont
7	R7SBDIED	R7SBDIED:W7 number of siblings who died	Cont
8	R8SBDIED	R8SBDIED:W8 number of siblings who died	Cont
9	R9SBDIED	R9SBDIED:W9 number of siblings who died	Cont
10	R10SBDIED	R10SBDIED:W10 number of siblings who died	Cont
11	R11SBDIED	R11SBDIED:W11 number of siblings who died	Cont
12	R12SBDIED	R12SBDIED:W12 number of siblings who died	Cont
3	S3SBDIED	S3SBDIED:W3 number of siblings who died	Cont
4	S4SBDIED	S4SBDIED:W4 number of siblings who died	Cont
5	S5SBDIED	S5SBDIED:W5 number of siblings who died	Cont
6	S6SBDIED	S6SBDIED:W6 number of siblings who died	Cont
7	S7SBDIED	S7SBDIED:W7 number of siblings who died	Cont
8	S8SBDIED	S8SBDIED:W8 number of siblings who died	Cont
9	S9SBDIED	S9SBDIED:W9 number of siblings who died	Cont
10	S10SBDIED	S10SBDIED:W10 number of siblings who died	Cont
11	S11SBDIED	S11SBDIED:W11 number of siblings who died	Cont
12	S12SBDIED	S12SBDIED:W12 number of siblings who died	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3SBDIED	4192	0.06	0.28	0.0	5.0
R4SBDIED	5156	0.06	0.27	0.0	4.0
R5SBDIED	4767	0.04	0.23	0.0	5.0
R6SBDIED	4242	0.09	0.33	0.0	4.0
R7SBDIED	6176	0.08	0.33	0.0	4.0
R8SBDIED	5198	0.10	0.35	0.0	4.0
R9SBDIED	4705	0.05	0.25	0.0	6.0
R10SBDIED	6835	0.04	0.21	0.0	4.0
R11SBDIED	6093	0.07	0.27	0.0	4.0
R12SBDIED	5167	0.06	0.25	0.0	4.0
S3SBDIED	2907	0.05	0.25	0.0	5.0
S4SBDIED	3574	0.06	0.28	0.0	4.0
S5SBDIED	3275	0.04	0.21	0.0	3.0
S6SBDIED	3091	0.07	0.30	0.0	3.0
S7SBDIED	4506	0.07	0.29	0.0	3.0
S8SBDIED	3886	0.09	0.34	0.0	4.0
S9SBDIED	3374	0.05	0.25	0.0	6.0
S10SBDIED	4692	0.03	0.20	0.0	4.0
S11SBDIED	4165	0.06	0.26	0.0	4.0
S12SBDIED	3459	0.05	0.24	0.0	4.0

How Constructed

RwSBDIED is the number of the Respondent's deceased siblings. We have only counted affirmative reports that a sibling has died. Respondents are coded with a value of zero both in cases where either the Respondent reported zero siblings died OR the Respondent does not have data for this measure.

These variables are derived by checking the sibling status from the PR_SB module.

The spouse variable SwSBDIED is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBDIED variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

In Waves 1 and 2H, the status question was not asked. For Waves 2A and 3A, there is no separate sibling file. As such, the variable R3SBDIED only contains the information for Wave 3H.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E159	SIB REL TO R
E159A	SIB OR SIB-IN-LAW
E93	UPDATED SIB STATUS
HRS 1998:	
F137	SIB STATUS
HRS 2000:	
G137	SIB STATUS - UPDATED
HRS 2002:	
HX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
HRS 2004:	
JX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
HRS 2006:	
KX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
HRS 2008:	
LX056_SB	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING-UPDATED
HRS 2010:	
MZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING
HRS 2012:	
NZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING
HRS 2014:	
OZ249	RESIDENCY STATUS - SIBLING

Number of Siblings Who Work

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1SBWORK	R1SBWORK:W1 number of siblings who work	Cont
2	R2SBWORK	R2SBWORK:W2 number of siblings who work	Cont
3	R3SBWORK	R3SBWORK:W3 number of siblings who work	Cont
4	R4SBWORK	R4SBWORK:W4 number of siblings who work	Cont
5	R5SBWORK	R5SBWORK:W5 number of siblings who work	Cont
6	R6SBWORK	R6SBWORK:W6 number of siblings who work	Cont
7	R7SBWORK	R7SBWORK:W7 number of siblings who work	Cont
8	R8SBWORK	R8SBWORK:W8 number of siblings who work	Cont
9	R9SBWORK	R9SBWORK:W9 number of siblings who work	Cont
10	R10SBWORK	R10SBWORK:W10 number of siblings who work	Cont
11	R11SBWORK	R11SBWORK:W11 number of siblings who work	Cont
12	R12SBWORK	R12SBWORK:W12 number of siblings who work	Cont
1	S1SBWORK	S1SBWORK:W1 number of siblings who work	Cont
2	S2SBWORK	S2SBWORK:W2 number of siblings who work	Cont
3	S3SBWORK	S3SBWORK:W3 number of siblings who work	Cont
4	S4SBWORK	S4SBWORK:W4 number of siblings who work	Cont
5	S5SBWORK	S5SBWORK:W5 number of siblings who work	Cont
6	S6SBWORK	S6SBWORK:W6 number of siblings who work	Cont
7	S7SBWORK	S7SBWORK:W7 number of siblings who work	Cont
8	S8SBWORK	S8SBWORK:W8 number of siblings who work	Cont
9	S9SBWORK	S9SBWORK:W9 number of siblings who work	Cont
10	S10SBWORK	S10SBWORK:W10 number of siblings who work	Cont
11	S11SBWORK	S11SBWORK:W11 number of siblings who work	Cont
12	S12SBWORK	S12SBWORK:W12 number of siblings who work	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1SBWORK	11940	1.59	1.79	0.0	8.0
R2SBWORK	10982	1.40	1.68	0.0	10.0
R3SBWORK	4192	1.43	1.31	0.0	4.0
R4SBWORK	5156	1.31	1.58	0.0	8.0
R5SBWORK	4767	0.58	1.13	0.0	7.0
R6SBWORK	2068	1.20	1.26	0.0	7.0
R7SBWORK	3637	1.34	1.30	0.0	4.0
R8SBWORK	2848	1.46	1.27	0.0	4.0
R9SBWORK	2364	1.33	1.26	0.0	4.0
R10SBWORK	6835	1.32	1.32	0.0	4.0
R11SBWORK	6093	0.28	0.78	0.0	4.0
R12SBWORK	4928	0.23	0.71	0.0	4.0
S1SBWORK	9066	1.83	1.86	0.0	8.0
S2SBWORK	8195	1.61	1.76	0.0	10.0
S3SBWORK	2907	1.51	1.33	0.0	4.0
S4SBWORK	3574	1.46	1.68	0.0	8.0
S5SBWORK	3275	0.64	1.19	0.0	7.0
S6SBWORK	1572	1.26	1.29	0.0	7.0
S7SBWORK	2709	1.30	1.29	0.0	4.0
S8SBWORK	2069	1.50	1.27	0.0	4.0
S9SBWORK	1732	1.34	1.27	0.0	4.0
S10SBWORK	4692	1.28	1.33	0.0	4.0
S11SBWORK	4165	0.29	0.81	0.0	4.0
S12SBWORK	3302	0.24	0.73	0.0	4.0

How Constructed

RwSBWORK counts the number of the Respondent's siblings or siblings-in-law who work, regardless of whether it is less than or greater than 30 hours per week. We have only counted affirmative reports from Respondents who said they have siblings/in-laws working. Respondents are coded with a value of zero both in cases where either the Respondent reported zero siblings/in-laws who work OR the Respondent does not have data for this measure.

These variables are derived from the D_SB module prior to Wave 6 and from the F_SB module from Wave 6 forward.

The spouse variable SwSBWORK is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBWORK variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no separate sibling file in Wave 2A or Wave 3A. Therefore, the R2SBWORK and R3SBWORK variables contain only the information for Wave 2H and Wave 3H, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V810801	SIBS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP /S01
V810802	SIBS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP /S02
V810803	SIBS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP /S03
V810804	SIBS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP /S04
V810805	SIBS:HOURS WORK/WEEK:IMP /S05
HRS 1994:	
W810901	E77a/177a. Work status /S01
W810902	E77a/177a. Work status /S02
W810903	E77a/177a. Work status /S03
W810904	E77a/177a. Work status /S04
W810905	E77a/177a. Work status /S05
HRS 1996:	
E1652	D137.SIB WORK PER WEEK
HRS 1998:	
F2001	D137.SIB/SIB-IN-LAW WORK PER WEEK
HRS 2000:	
G2227	D137.SIB/SIB-IN-LAW WORK PER WEEK
HRS 2002:	
HF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2004:	
JF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2006:	
KF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2008:	
LF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2010:	
MF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2012:	
NF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK
HRS 2014:	
OF092	SIB WORK HRS PER WEEK

Number of Siblings Who Own Homes

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1SBOWNH	R1SBOWNH:W1 number of siblings who own home	Cont
2	R2SBOWNH	R2SBOWNH:W2 number of siblings who own home	Cont
3	R3SBOWNH	R3SBOWNH:W3 number of siblings who own home	Cont
4	R4SBOWNH	R4SBOWNH:W4 number of siblings who own home	Cont
5	R5SBOWNH	R5SBOWNH:W5 number of siblings who own home	Cont
7	R7SBOWNH	R7SBOWNH:W7 number of siblings who own home	Cont
8	R8SBOWNH	R8SBOWNH:W8 number of siblings who own home	Cont
9	R9SBOWNH	R9SBOWNH:W9 number of siblings who own home	Cont
10	R10SBOWNH	R10SBOWNH:W10 number of siblings who own home	Cont
11	R11SBOWNH	R11SBOWNH:W11 number of siblings who own home	Cont
12	R12SBOWNH	R12SBOWNH:W12 number of siblings who own home	Cont
1	S1SBOWNH	S1SBOWNH:W1 number of siblings who own home	Cont
2	S2SBOWNH	S2SBOWNH:W2 number of siblings who own home	Cont
3	S3SBOWNH	S3SBOWNH:W3 number of siblings who own home	Cont
4	S4SBOWNH	S4SBOWNH:W4 number of siblings who own home	Cont
5	S5SBOWNH	S5SBOWNH:W5 number of siblings who own home	Cont
7	S7SBOWNH	S7SBOWNH:W7 number of siblings who own home	Cont
8	S8SBOWNH	S8SBOWNH:W8 number of siblings who own home	Cont
9	S9SBOWNH	S9SBOWNH:W9 number of siblings who own home	Cont
10	S10SBOWNH	S10SBOWNH:W10 number of siblings who own home	Cont
11	S11SBOWNH	S11SBOWNH:W11 number of siblings who own home	Cont
12	S12SBOWNH	S12SBOWNH:W12 number of siblings who own home	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1SBOWNH	7623	2.52	1.69	0.0	8.0
R2SBOWNH	7025	2.40	1.69	0.0	9.0
R3SBOWNH	3322	2.05	1.22	0.0	4.0
R4SBOWNH	1236	2.42	1.61	0.0	8.0
R5SBOWNH	1620	2.11	1.44	0.0	8.0
R7SBOWNH	2781	1.88	1.17	0.0	4.0
R8SBOWNH	78	1.63	1.25	0.0	4.0
R9SBOWNH	1852	1.88	1.15	0.0	4.0
R10SBOWNH	3592	1.78	1.20	0.0	4.0
R11SBOWNH	1075	1.80	1.12	0.0	4.0
R12SBOWNH	73	1.40	1.05	0.0	4.0
S1SBOWNH	6382	2.65	1.72	0.0	8.0
S2SBOWNH	5762	2.54	1.73	0.0	9.0
S3SBOWNH	2349	2.15	1.21	0.0	4.0
S4SBOWNH	882	2.63	1.67	0.0	8.0
S5SBOWNH	1189	2.22	1.50	0.0	8.0
S7SBOWNH	2009	1.92	1.15	0.0	4.0
S8SBOWNH	76	1.64	1.25	0.0	4.0
S9SBOWNH	1333	1.92	1.14	0.0	4.0
S10SBOWNH	2363	1.83	1.21	0.0	4.0
S11SBOWNH	704	1.85	1.11	0.0	4.0
S12SBOWNH	69	1.45	1.04	0.0	4.0

How Constructed

RwSBOWNH counts the number of the Respondent's siblings or siblings-in-law who own homes.

These variables are derived from the D_SB module prior to Wave 6 and from the F_SB module from Wave 7 forward.

The spouse variable SwSBOWNH is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBOWNH variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no separate sibling file in Wave 2A or Wave 3A. As such, the R2SBOWNH and R3SBOWNH variables contain only the information for Wave 2H and Wave 3H, respectively.

Beginning with Wave 6, the question about sibling home ownership is only asked of reinterview households in alternate waves. The question is always asked of new households, but there were not any new households in Wave 6. Hence, we do not include a Wave 6 variable for this measure.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1992:	
V811101	SIBS:OWN A HOME? :IMP /S01
V811102	SIBS:OWN A HOME? :IMP /S02
V811103	SIBS:OWN A HOME? :IMP /S03
V811104	SIBS:OWN A HOME? :IMP /S04
V811105	SIBS:OWN A HOME? :IMP /S05
HRS 1994:	
W811201	E77d/177d. Own a home? /S01
W811202	E77d/177d. Own a home? /S02
W811203	E77d/177d. Own a home? /S03
W811204	E77d/177d. Own a home? /S04
W811205	E77d/177d. Own a home? /S05
HRS 1996:	
E1655	D140.SIB OWN HOME
HRS 1998:	
F2004	D140.SIB/SIB-IN-LAW OWN HOME
HRS 2000:	
G2230	D140.SIB/SIB-IN-LAW OWN HOME
HRS 2004:	
JF095	SIB-IN-LAW OWN HOME -1
HRS 2006:	
KF095	SIB OWN HOME
HRS 2008:	
LF095	SIB OWN HOME
HRS 2010:	
MF095	SIB OWN HOME
HRS 2012:	
NF095	SIB OWN HOME
HRS 2014:	
OF095	SIB OWN HOME

Number of Siblings Who Live w/ 10 Miles of Parents

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
1	R1SBL10M	R1SBL10M:W1 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
2	R2SBL10M	R2SBL10M:W2 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
3	R3SBL10M	R3SBL10M:W3 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
4	R4SBL10M	R4SBL10M:W4 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
5	R5SBL10M	R5SBL10M:W5 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
6	R6SBL10M	R6SBL10M:W6 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
7	R7SBL10M	R7SBL10M:W7 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
8	R8SBL10M	R8SBL10M:W8 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
9	R9SBL10M	R9SBL10M:W9 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
10	R10SBL10M	R10SBL10M:W10 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
11	R11SBL10M	R11SBL10M:W11 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
12	R12SBL10M	R12SBL10M:W12 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
1	S1SBL10M	S1SBL10M:W1 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
2	S2SBL10M	S2SBL10M:W2 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
3	S3SBL10M	S3SBL10M:W3 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
4	S4SBL10M	S4SBL10M:W4 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
5	S5SBL10M	S5SBL10M:W5 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
6	S6SBL10M	S6SBL10M:W6 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
7	S7SBL10M	S7SBL10M:W7 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
8	S8SBL10M	S8SBL10M:W8 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
9	S9SBL10M	S9SBL10M:W9 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
10	S10SBL10M	S10SBL10M:W10 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
11	S11SBL10M	S11SBL10M:W11 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont
12	S12SBL10M	S12SBL10M:W12 number of siblings w/ 10 miles from parents	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R1SBL10M	11940	0.76	1.18	0.0	8.0
R2SBL10M	10982	0.71	1.13	0.0	8.0
R3SBL10M	4192	0.74	1.03	0.0	4.0
R4SBL10M	5156	0.49	0.90	0.0	6.0
R5SBL10M	4767	0.25	0.69	0.0	7.0
R6SBL10M	2068	0.53	0.86	0.0	4.0
R7SBL10M	3637	0.66	0.96	0.0	4.0
R8SBL10M	2848	0.69	0.96	0.0	4.0
R9SBL10M	2364	0.62	0.91	0.0	4.0
R10SBL10M	6835	0.75	1.06	0.0	4.0
R11SBL10M	6093	0.15	0.53	0.0	4.0
R12SBL10M	4928	0.12	0.47	0.0	4.0
S1SBL10M	9066	0.87	1.24	0.0	8.0
S2SBL10M	8195	0.81	1.19	0.0	8.0
S3SBL10M	2907	0.75	1.02	0.0	4.0
S4SBL10M	3574	0.48	0.89	0.0	6.0
S5SBL10M	3275	0.27	0.72	0.0	7.0
S6SBL10M	1572	0.54	0.86	0.0	4.0
S7SBL10M	2709	0.64	0.94	0.0	4.0
S8SBL10M	2069	0.69	0.95	0.0	4.0
S9SBL10M	1732	0.62	0.91	0.0	4.0
S10SBL10M	4692	0.72	1.05	0.0	4.0
S11SBL10M	4165	0.15	0.53	0.0	4.0
S12SBL10M	3302	0.12	0.48	0.0	4.0

How Constructed

RwSBL10M counts the number of the Respondent's siblings or siblings-in-law who live within 10 miles of their parents. We have only counted affirmative reports of those living within 10 miles. Respondents are coded with a value of zero both in cases where either the Respondent reported zero siblings/in-laws lived within 10 miles OR the Respondent does not have data for this measure.

These variables are derived from the D_SB module prior to Wave 6 and from the F_SB module from Wave 6 forward.

The spouse variable SwSBL10M is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBL10M variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

There is no separate sibling file in Wave 2A or Wave 3A. As such, the R2SBL10M and R3SBL10M variables contain only the information for Wave 2H and Wave 3H, respectively.

HRS Variables Used

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HRS 1992:
  V811301      SIBS:W/IN 10 MILES? :IMP /S01
  V811302      SIBS:W/IN 10 MILES? :IMP /S02
  V811303      SIBS:W/IN 10 MILES? :IMP /S03
  V811304      SIBS:W/IN 10 MILES? :IMP /S04
  V811305      SIBS:W/IN 10 MILES? :IMP /S05
HRS 1994:
  W811401      E77f/177f. Live w/in 10 miles? /S01
  W811402      E77f/177f. Live w/in 10 miles? /S02
  W811403      E77f/177f. Live w/in 10 miles? /S03
  W811404      E77f/177f. Live w/in 10 miles? /S04
  W811405      E77f/177f. Live w/in 10 miles? /S05
HRS 1996:
  E1657        D142.SIB LIVE 10 MILES PARENTS
HRS 1998:
  F2005        D142.SIB/S-IN-LAW LIVE 10 MILES PARENTS
  F2006        D142A-1.SIB/S-IN-LAW LIVE 10 MILE FATHER
HRS 2000:
  G2231        D142.SIB/S-IN-LAW LIVE 10 MILES PARENTS
HRS 2002:
  HF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  HF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER
HRS 2004:
  JF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  JF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER
HRS 2006:
  KF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  KF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER
HRS 2008:
  LF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  LF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER
HRS 2010:
  MF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  MF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER
HRS 2012:
  NF096        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
  NF097        SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER

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HRS 2014:
OF096 SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM PARENTS/MOTHER
OF097 SIB LIVE W/IN 10 MI FROM FATHER

Number of Siblings Who Help Parents Financially

Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3SBFHLP	R3SBFHLP:W3 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
4	R4SBFHLP	R4SBFHLP:W4 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
5	R5SBFHLP	R5SBFHLP:W5 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
6	R6SBFHLP	R6SBFHLP:W6 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
7	R7SBFHLP	R7SBFHLP:W7 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
8	R8SBFHLP	R8SBFHLP:W8 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
9	R9SBFHLP	R9SBFHLP:W9 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
10	R10SBFHLP	R10SBFHLP:W10 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
11	R11SBFHLP	R11SBFHLP:W11 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
12	R12SBFHLP	R12SBFHLP:W12 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
3	S3SBFHLP	S3SBFHLP:W3 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
4	S4SBFHLP	S4SBFHLP:W4 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
5	S5SBFHLP	S5SBFHLP:W5 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
6	S6SBFHLP	S6SBFHLP:W6 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
7	S7SBFHLP	S7SBFHLP:W7 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
8	S8SBFHLP	S8SBFHLP:W8 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
9	S9SBFHLP	S9SBFHLP:W9 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
10	S10SBFHLP	S10SBFHLP:W10 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
11	S11SBFHLP	S11SBFHLP:W11 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont
12	S12SBFHLP	S12SBFHLP:W12 number of siblings who help parents financially	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3SBFHLP	4525	0.23	0.88	0.0	10.0
R4SBFHLP	4928	0.18	0.77	0.0	13.0
R5SBFHLP	4666	0.22	0.89	0.0	14.0
R6SBFHLP	3677	0.25	0.93	0.0	13.0
R7SBFHLP	4782	0.29	0.99	0.0	15.0
R8SBFHLP	4155	0.30	1.01	0.0	15.0
R9SBFHLP	3366	0.31	0.96	0.0	11.0
R10SBFHLP	6020	0.41	1.22	0.0	14.0
R11SBFHLP	5496	0.38	1.13	0.0	13.0
R12SBFHLP	4419	0.38	1.13	0.0	13.0
S3SBFHLP	3586	0.23	0.90	0.0	10.0
S4SBFHLP	3912	0.17	0.76	0.0	13.0
S5SBFHLP	3715	0.20	0.82	0.0	14.0
S6SBFHLP	2797	0.24	0.88	0.0	13.0
S7SBFHLP	3612	0.28	0.96	0.0	15.0
S8SBFHLP	3148	0.29	1.00	0.0	15.0
S9SBFHLP	2511	0.30	0.92	0.0	11.0
S10SBFHLP	4187	0.39	1.21	0.0	14.0
S11SBFHLP	3798	0.36	1.07	0.0	12.0
S12SBFHLP	3008	0.39	1.14	0.0	11.0

How Constructed

RwSBFHLP counts the number of the Respondent's siblings who gave \$500 or more in financial help to their parents.

In Waves 3H, 4, and 5, these variables are derived based on the OPN reported in the household level file D_H. From Wave 6 forward, these variables are derived based on the OPN reported in the Respondent level file F_R.

If the response is "All Siblings," then all of the siblings are coded as yes.

The spouse variable SwSBFHLP is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBFHLP variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The question is not asked in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E1674_1	D146.SIB GIVE HELP
E1677001	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1677002	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1677003	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1677004	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1677005	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 1998:	
F2021	D146.SIB GIVE HELP
F2024001	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2024002	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2024003	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2024004	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 2000:	
G2257	D146.SIB GIVE HELP
G2260001	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2260002	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2260003	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2260004	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2260005	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2260006	D146B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 2002:	
HF112	SIB GIVE FIN HELP
HF114_1A	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
HF114_1B	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
HF114_1C	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
HF114_1D	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
HF114_1E	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5
HRS 2004:	
JF112	SIB GIVE FIN HELP
JF114_1A	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
JF114_1B	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
JF114_1C	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
JF114_1D	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
HRS 2006:	
KF112	SIB GIVE FIN HELP
KF114_1A	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
KF114_1B	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
KF114_1C	WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3

KF114_1D WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
KF114_1E WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5
HRS 2008:
LF112 SIB GIVE FIN HELP
LF114_1M1 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
LF114_1M2 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
LF114_1M3 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
LF114_1M4 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
LF114_1M5 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5
HRS 2010:
MF112 SIB GIVE FIN HELP
MF114_1M1 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
MF114_1M2 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
MF114_1M3 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
MF114_1M4 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
MF114_1M5 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5
HRS 2012:
NF112 SIB GIVE FIN HELP
NF114_1M1 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
NF114_1M2 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
NF114_1M3 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
NF114_1M4 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
NF114_1M5 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5
HRS 2014:
OF112 SIB GIVE FIN HELP
OF114_1M1 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-1
OF114_1M2 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-2
OF114_1M3 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-3
OF114_1M4 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-4
OF114_1M5 WHICH SIB FIN HELPED PARENT-1-5

Number of Siblings Who Help Parents with Personal Needs
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Wave	Variable Name	Variable Label	Type
3	R3SBPHLP	R3SBPHLP:W3 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
4	R4SBPHLP	R4SBPHLP:W4 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
5	R5SBPHLP	R5SBPHLP:W5 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
6	R6SBPHLP	R6SBPHLP:W6 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
7	R7SBPHLP	R7SBPHLP:W7 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
8	R8SBPHLP	R8SBPHLP:W8 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
9	R9SBPHLP	R9SBPHLP:W9 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
10	R10SBPHLP	R10SBPHLP:W10 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
11	R11SBPHLP	R11SBPHLP:W11 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
12	R12SBPHLP	R12SBPHLP:W12 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
3	S3SBPHLP	S3SBPHLP:W3 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
4	S4SBPHLP	S4SBPHLP:W4 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
5	S5SBPHLP	S5SBPHLP:W5 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
6	S6SBPHLP	S6SBPHLP:W6 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
7	S7SBPHLP	S7SBPHLP:W7 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
8	S8SBPHLP	S8SBPHLP:W8 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
9	S9SBPHLP	S9SBPHLP:W9 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
10	S10SBPHLP	S10SBPHLP:W10 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
11	S11SBPHLP	S11SBPHLP:W11 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont
12	S12SBPHLP	S12SBPHLP:W12 number of siblings who help parents personal needs	Cont

Descriptive Statistics

Variable Name	N	Mean	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
R3SBPHLP	4705	0.35	0.91	0.0	10.0
R4SBPHLP	5059	0.45	1.32	0.0	15.0
R5SBPHLP	4837	0.33	1.03	0.0	13.0
R6SBPHLP	3805	0.36	0.98	0.0	11.0
R7SBPHLP	5090	0.34	0.96	0.0	15.0
R8SBPHLP	4387	0.37	1.01	0.0	15.0
R9SBPHLP	3560	0.41	1.08	0.0	12.0
R10SBPHLP	6392	0.44	1.12	0.0	13.0
R11SBPHLP	5758	0.51	1.23	0.0	16.0
R12SBPHLP	4644	0.52	1.21	0.0	13.0
S3SBPHLP	3723	0.34	0.90	0.0	10.0
S4SBPHLP	3994	0.41	1.27	0.0	15.0
S5SBPHLP	3826	0.32	1.04	0.0	13.0
S6SBPHLP	2893	0.34	0.93	0.0	11.0
S7SBPHLP	3818	0.34	0.93	0.0	13.0
S8SBPHLP	3301	0.37	1.03	0.0	15.0
S9SBPHLP	2629	0.39	1.04	0.0	12.0
S10SBPHLP	4408	0.42	1.09	0.0	13.0
S11SBPHLP	3952	0.50	1.20	0.0	16.0
S12SBPHLP	3133	0.54	1.21	0.0	13.0

How Constructed

RwSBPHLP counts the number of the Respondent's siblings or siblings-in-law who helped parents with basic personal needs.

In Waves 3H, 4, and 5, these variables are derived based on the OPN reported in the household level file D_H. From Wave 6 forward, these variables are derived based on the OPN reported in the Respondent level file F_R.

If the response is "All Siblings," then all of the siblings are coded as yes.

The spouse variable SwSBPHLP is taken from the spouse's Wave 'w' RwSBPHLP variable.

Cross Wave Differences in Original HRS Data

The questions are not asked in Wave 1 or Wave 2.

HRS Variables Used

HRS 1996:	
E1694_1	D148.SIBS HELP W PERSONAL NEEDS
E1697001	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1697002	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1697003	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1697004	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
E1697005	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 1998:	
F2039	D148.HELP PERSONAL NEEDS
F2042001	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2042002	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2042003	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
F2042004	D148B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 2000:	
G2275	D148.HELP PERSONAL NEEDS
G2278001	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2278003	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2278004	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2278005	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2278006	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
G2278007	D148Y1B.WHICH SIB HELPED
HRS 2002:	
HF132	SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
HF135_1A	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
HF135_1B	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
HF135_1C	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
HF135_1D	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4
HF135_1E	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-5
HRS 2004:	
JF132	SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
JF135_1A	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
JF135_1B	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
JF135_1C	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
JF135_1D	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4
JF135_1E	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-5
HRS 2006:	
KF132	SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
KF135_1A	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
KF135_1B	WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2

KF135_1C WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
KF135_1D WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4
KF135_1E WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-5

HRS 2008:
LF132 SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
LF135_1A WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
LF135_1B WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
LF135_1C WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
LF135_1D WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4
LF135_1E WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-5

HRS 2010:
MF132 SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
MF135_1A WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
MF135_1B WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
MF135_1C WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
MF135_1D WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4

HRS 2012:
NF132 SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
NF135_1A WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
NF135_1B WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
NF135_1C WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
NF135_1D WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4

HRS 2014:
OF132 SIB HELP WITH PARENT PERSONAL NEEDS
OF135_1A WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-1
OF135_1B WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-2
OF135_1C WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-3
OF135_1D WHICH SIB HELPED PARENT PERSON NEED-1-4

Appendix A

Merging the RAND HRS Family Data with the raw HRS PR_MC files

The Respondent-Kid data can be merged with the raw HRS hYYpr_mc files fairly easily. To merge a given year of the HRS raw data with the longitudinal RAND HRS Family Data, first select the relevant records from the Respondent-Kid data for the corresponding wave. For example, to merge the 2012 HRS raw data (h12pr_mc) with the Respondent-Kid data (randhrsfamk1992_2012v1), you will first need to identify the eligible records for the merge where INW11=1 (indicating the individual responded in Wave 11), K11PICK=1 (selecting the child records from the Family Respondent in Wave 11) and LINK=1 (good longitudinal linkage).

Merge the RAND HRS Family Data to the raw HRS file using Household identifier (HHID), sub-household (HwSUBHH/xSUBHH), and Other Person Number (OPN). Please note that the wave-specific raw ID variables are changed to match our variable naming conventions. For example, H11SUBHH on the RAND HRS Family Data is the same variable as NSUBHH in the raw HRS data. Additionally, in raw HRS data after 1994, HHID is a numeric variable and HHIDC is the same value in a 6-character format. In order to merge HRS PR_MC data after 1994 with RAND HRS Family Data, HHIDC must be renamed HHID. This does not apply to years 1992, 1993 and 1994.

Merging Wave 11 data may look like this:

```

** Year-specific RAND HRS Family Data **;
data randfam12;
  set [libname].RANDHRSFAMK1992_2012V1 (where=(INW11 and K11PICK=1 and LINK=1));
run;

** Year-specific raw HRS MC data **;
data hrs12 (rename=(HHIDC=HHID NSUBHH=H11SUBHH));
  set [libname].H12PR_MC (keep=HHIDC OPN NSUBHH [variables of interest]);

[ID adjustment code, where applicable]

run;

proc sort data=hrs12;
  by HHID H11SUBHH OPN;
run;

** Merge RAND HRS Family Data to HRS raw file **;
data mergel2;
  merge randfam12
  hrs12;
  by HHID H11SUBHH OPN;
run;

```

We made ID adjustments for the overlap cases in 1992-1998 in order to merge with other RAND HRS data products, such as the RAND HRS Longitudinal File and the RAND HRS Fat Files. Note that we found some OPNs that were not consistent across files. Furthermore, there are a few households where the sub-household ID differs between the RAND HRS Family Data and the raw HRS PR_MC files. Below is a description of the ID differences and information on how to merge these households.

These edits applied to the HRS raw data will allow all records in the RAND HRS Family Respondent-Kid file to be merged. Note that in all waves, there are records in the HRS raw data which are not expected to merge to the RAND HRS Family Data. From 2002 forward, you should find +/-30,000 records in the hYYpr_mc files which do not merge back to the RAND HRS Family Data. The majority of these records are for the spouses of respondents' kids. Couple households where both members are core Respondents will have 2 records for each kid. We select out a single kid record for the merge (KwPICK=1) which leaves the second record for these children in the unmerged group.

1992 ID Adjustment

In order to match 1992 overlap cases with later waves, we need to recode the HHID and OPN. The matching process is based on 1992 name file and birth year then comparing with name files and birth year in later wave. These 1992 overlap cases link with the correct HH/OPN in later waves.

Here is the code for matching the overlap cases of OPNs in 1992:

```
if hhid = "010417" then do;
  hhid = "200119";
  if opn="201" then opn="112";
  if opn="202" then opn="041";
  if opn="203" then opn="042";
  if opn="301" then opn="114";
  if opn="302" then opn="115";
  if opn="303" then opn="113";
  if opn="304" then opn="116";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "012517" then do;
  hhid = "208867";
  if opn="201" then opn="114";
  if opn="202" then opn="115";
  if opn="301" then opn="112";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "013177" then do;
  hhid = "201326";
  if opn="201" then opn="116";
  if opn="202" then opn="115";
  if opn="301" then opn="112";
  if opn="302" then opn="113";
  if opn="303" then opn="114";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "014186" then do;
  hhid = "201820";
  if opn="101" then opn="112";
  if opn="102" then opn="113";
  if opn="103" then opn="114";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "016358" then do;
```

```
    hhid = "202801";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
    if opn="301" then opn="041";
end;

if hhid = "018248" then do;
    hhid = "203740";
    if opn="201" then opn="113";
    if opn="202" then opn="112";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
end;

if hhid = "019162" then do;
    hhid = "208728";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="115";
    if opn="103" then opn="116";
end;

if hhid = "020582" then do;
    hhid = "204940";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="114";
    if opn="203" then opn="113";
    if opn="301" then opn="301"; *;
    if opn="302" then opn="302"; *;
end;

if hhid = "020950" then do;
    hhid = "205130";
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
    if opn="102" then opn="113";
    if opn="103" then opn="114";
end;

if hhid = "021246" then do;
    hhid = "205265";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="112";
    if opn="103" then opn="113";
    if opn="104" then opn="114";
    if opn="105" then opn="115";
    if opn="106" then opn="116";
end;

if hhid = "021477" then do;
    hhid = "205496";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="112";
```



```
end;

if hhid = "022844" then do;
  hhid = "206364";
  if opn="101" then opn="116";
  if opn="102" then opn="119";
  if opn="103" then opn="118";
  if opn="104" then opn="117";
  if opn="105" then opn="120";
  if opn="106" then opn="121";
  if opn="201" then opn="112";
  if opn="202" then opn="113";
  if opn="203" then opn="115";
  if opn="204" then opn="114";
end;

if hhid = "024003" then do;
  hhid = "207347";
  if opn="201" then opn="112";
  if opn="301" then opn="113";
end;

if hhid = "024507" then do;
  hhid = "207574";
  if opn="101" then opn="112";
  if opn="102" then opn="113";
  if opn="201" then opn="201"; *;
  if opn="202" then opn="202"; *;
end;

if hhid = "024657" then do;
  hhid = "207644";
  if opn="201" then opn="115";
  if opn="202" then opn="116";
  if opn="301" then opn="112";
  if opn="302" then opn="113";
end;

if hhid = "024851" then do;
  hhid = "207759";
  if opn="201" then opn="112";
  if opn="202" then opn="113";
end;

if hhid = "024898" then do;
  hhid = "207784";
  if opn="201" then opn="118";
  if opn="202" then opn="119";
  if opn="301" then opn="112";
  if opn="302" then opn="113";
```

```
    if opn="303" then opn="114";
    if opn="304" then opn="115";
    if opn="305" then opn="117";
    if opn="306" then opn="116";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "024930" then do;
    hhid = "207794";
    if opn="101" then opn="116";
    if opn="102" then opn="117";
    if opn="201" then opn="114";
    if opn="202" then opn="115";
    if opn="203" then opn="041";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "024987" then do;
    hhid = "207811";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
    if opn="302" then opn="115";
    if opn="303" then opn="116";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "031573" then do;
    hhid = "200411";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
    if opn="302" then opn="115";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "032225" then do;
    hhid = "200580";
    if opn="301" then opn="113";
    if opn="302" then opn="112";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "033058" then do;
    hhid = "200920";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="042";
    if opn="103" then opn="112";
    if opn="201" then opn="114";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "036551" then do;
    hhid = "208289";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="042";
    if opn="103" then opn="043";
```

```
    if opn="104" then opn="114";
    if opn="105" then opn="115";
    if opn="106" then opn="116";
    if opn="107" then opn="117";
    if opn="108" then opn="118";
    if opn="109" then opn="119";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "040448" then do;
    hhid = "203236";
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
    if opn="102" then opn="113";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "043693" then do;
    hhid = "204387";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="114";
    if opn="301" then opn="115";
    if opn="302" then opn="116";
    if opn="303" then opn="117";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "043793" then do;
    hhid = "204404";
    if opn="101" then opn="113";
    if opn="102" then opn="114";
    if opn="103" then opn="112";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "045930" then do;
    hhid = "204928";
    if opn="301" then opn="116";
    if opn="302" then opn="117";
    if opn="303" then opn="118";
    if opn="304" then opn="119";
    if opn="305" then opn="120";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "046447" then do;
    hhid = "205061";
    if opn="201" then opn="113";
    if opn="202" then opn="112";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
    if opn="302" then opn="116";
    if opn="303" then opn="115";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "046656" then do;
    hhid = "205109";
```

```
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "047560" then do;
    hhid = "205392";
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
    if opn="102" then opn="113";
    if opn="103" then opn="114";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "048663" then do;
    hhid = "205672";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
    if opn="302" then opn="115";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "049273" then do;
    hhid = "205922";
    if opn="201" then opn="043";
    if opn="202" then opn="114";
    if opn="203" then opn="115";
    if opn="204" then opn="116";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
    if opn="302" then opn="113" ;
end;
```

```
if hhid = "050753" then do;
    hhid = "206198";
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
    if opn="102" then opn="041";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "052841" then do;
    hhid = "207091";
    if opn="101" then opn="119";
    if opn="102" then opn="112";
    if opn="103" then opn="113";
    if opn="104" then opn="114";
    if opn="105" then opn="117";
    if opn="106" then opn="116";
    if opn="107" then opn="118";
    if opn="108" then opn="115";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "055569" then do;
    hhid = "207790";
    if opn="201" then opn="117";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
```

```
    if opn="302" then opn="113";
    if opn="303" then opn="303"; *;
    if opn="304" then opn="114";
    if opn="305" then opn="115";
    if opn="306" then opn="116";
end;

if hhid = "057537" then do;
    hhid = "201084";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
end;

if hhid = "058215" then do;
    hhid = "201764";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
end;

if hhid = "059398" then do;
    hhid = "203692";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="114";
    if opn="203" then opn="115";
    if opn="204" then opn="116";
    if opn="205" then opn="117";
    if opn="301" then opn="113";
end;

if hhid = "060593" then do;
    hhid = "206509";
    if opn="201" then opn="114";
    if opn="202" then opn="112";
    if opn="203" then opn="113";
    if opn="204" then opn="115";
    if opn="205" then opn="116";
end;

if hhid = "064691" then do;
    hhid = "205584";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
    if opn="203" then opn="115";
    if opn="204" then opn="116";
    if opn="205" then opn="117";
    if opn="206" then opn="118";
    if opn="207" then opn="114";
    if opn="301" then opn="119";
    if opn="302" then opn="120";
end;

if hhid = "072716" then do;
```

```
    hhid = "200500";
    if opn="101" then opn="113";
    if opn="102" then opn="114";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "074002" then do;
    hhid = "201129";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="114";
    if opn="103" then opn="112";
    if opn="104" then opn="113";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "075488" then do;
    hhid = "201577";
    if opn="201" then opn="116";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
    if opn="302" then opn="113";
    if opn="303" then opn="114";
    if opn="304" then opn="115";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "076635" then do;
    hhid = "202182";
    if opn="101" then opn="112";
    if opn="102" then opn="113";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "078627" then do;
    hhid = "203427";
    if opn="201" then opn="112";
    if opn="202" then opn="113";
    if opn="203" then opn="114";
    if opn="301" then opn="116";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "079338" then do;
    hhid = "203682";
    if opn="101" then opn="114";
    if opn="102" then opn="041";
    if opn="103" then opn="112";
    if opn="104" then opn="113";
    if opn="105" then opn="115";
    if opn="106" then opn="116";
end;
```

```
if hhid = "082601" then do;
    hhid = "205218";
    if opn="201" then opn="113";
```

```

    if opn="202" then opn="112";
    if opn="301" then opn="114";
end;

```

```

if hhid = "082885" then do;
    hhid = "205317";
    if opn="101" then opn="041";
    if opn="102" then opn="112";
    if opn="103" then opn="113";
    if opn="104" then opn="115";
    if opn="105" then opn="114";
end;

```

```

if hhid = "084448" then do;
    hhid = "206183";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
end;

```

```

if hhid = "086359" then do;
    hhid = "207306";
    if opn="101" then opn="115";
    if opn="102" then opn="119";
end;

```

```

if hhid = "087032" then do;
    hhid = "207594";
    if opn="201" then opn="114";
    if opn="301" then opn="112";
    if opn="302" then opn="113";
end;

```

* There are 5 cases in adjusted HHID households above for which the names could not be found in later waves so the original OPN was kept.

1994 ID Adjustment

Drop the deceased households: CSUBHH=3

1996 ID Adjustment

There are a few households that appear to be reunited based on answers to questions in the Cover Sheet section. They are reunited in Wave 4, but have different sub-household IDs in Wave 3. We reunite them in Wave 3. These households are: 17520, 22999, 40609, 40441, 50945. These cases will have different sub-household IDs in H3HHID from the ESUBHH found in the Tracker and core 1996 files. Three of these households have duplicate records appearing with differing sub-household IDs and can be deleted:

```

if hhidc="040441" and esubhh="1" then delete;
else if hhidc="040609" and esubhh="2" then delete;
else if hhidc="050945" and esubhh="2" then delete;
else if hhidc in ("017520", "022999", "040609", "040441", "050945") then esubhh="7" ;

```

1998 ID Adjustment

There are 2 households where the Tracker file shows non-responding spouses, but the Core data indicates the couples split. We treat these couples as split. In order to merge with the raw HRS h98pr_mc dataset, these 2 households, 10646 and 65564, need their sub-household IDs recoded to 1 from 7 and 0, respectively.

```
if hhidc in ("010646", "065564") then fsubhh="1";
```

2004 OPN Adjustment

There are N=36 cases in E_MC but not in PR_MC. The OPN has been corrected in E_MC based on the "Child Index Number" from both files: JX054_MC and JEX054. Apply the following code to raw HRS E_MC data if merging to RAND HRS Family Data.

```
if hhidc="023919" and opn="207" then opn="208" ;
if hhidc="046119" and opn="154" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="052103" and opn="101" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="054247" and opn="308" then opn="317" ;
if hhidc="058589" and jsubhh="2" and opn="103" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="060807" and opn="155" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="061015" and opn="106" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="062092" and opn="206" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="072467" and opn="210" then opn="211" ;
if hhidc="078481" and opn="101" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="079180" and opn="158" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="081662" and opn="162" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="082643" and opn="201" then opn="412" ;
if hhidc="083559" and opn="154" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="086263" and opn="101" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="138373" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="183748" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="185419" and jsubhh="1" and opn="117" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="200647" and opn="118" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="201106" and opn="041" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="201284" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="202598" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="203404" and opn="041" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="204143" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="204482" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="204685" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="205097" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="205512" and opn="042" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="206262" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="206343" and opn="041" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="206802" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="208003" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="208394" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="210476" and opn="112" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="213002" and opn="116" then opn="401" ;
if hhidc="213089" and opn="114" then opn="401" ;
```


2006 OPN Adjustment

One OPN in the PR_MC data needs correction :

```
if hhidc="078302" and opn ="656" then opn="208" ;
```

There are N=5 cases in E_MC but not in PR_MC. The OPN has been corrected in E_MC based on Family member index KEX054. Apply the following code to raw HRS E_MC data if merging to RAND HRS Family Data:

```
if hhidc="011678" and ksubhh="2" and opn=106 then opn=104;
if hhidc="140397" and ksubhh="0" and opn=656 then opn=655;
if hhidc="182176" and ksubhh="0" and opn=655 then opn=654;
if hhidc="500937" and ksubhh="0" and opn=110 then opn=109;
if hhidc="501680" and ksubhh="0" and opn=107 then opn=105;
```

2008 OPN Adjustment

There are N=30 cases OPN in E_MC but not in PR_MC. Apply the following code to raw HRS E_MC data if merging to RAND HRS Family Data:

```
if OPN in ("993" "997") then delete;
```

2010 ID Anomalies

In 2004, two households were identified and selected to be in the HRS survey. Both these households were 2-person households containing a married couple. However, there is a lag between when a household is identified and when they actually start to answer survey questions. So it was 2010 before they actually responded to any HRS survey questions by which time these households had split. In the 2010 Core data we had the following IDs HHIDPN=526934010 split from HHIDPN=525520010 and HHIDPN=529766010 split from HHIDPN=520845010.

By 2012, these couples had reunited so that in the 2012 Tracker file their IDs change from
 HHIDPN=526934010 to HHIDPN=525520020
 HHIDPN=529766010 to HHIDPN=520845020

In the RAND HRS and the HRS PR_MC files these cases are referenced by their 2012 IDs. The IDs they had in the 2010 Core data can be found in RAOHRSID. Be aware that other raw HRS files may identify these with the split IDs.