

2023 Quarter 3 National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)
Preliminary Microdata File Variable Summary
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Question ID	Variable	Module	Section	Description	File(s)
	ACASEID	General	IDN	Annual Case Identification	Adult, Child
HHC.0240.00.1	AGE65	Roster	HHC	Age 65 or older	Adult
	AGEGRP_R_A	General	ERP	Adult age group recode - Early Release	Adult
	AGEGRP3	General	ERP	Age group recode - Early Release	Adult, Child
	AGEI_A	Roster	HHC	Age of SA	Adult
	AGEP_C	Roster	HHC	Age of SC	Child
	ANX_R_A	General	ERP	Regularly had feelings of worry, anxiety, nervousness recode - Early Release	Adult
	ASAT12M_R_A	General	ERP	Asthma episode, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
	ASTAT	General	GEN	Status of Sample Adult section	Adult
	BPLAST_R_A	Adult	PRV	Blood pressure check, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
	CSTAT	General	GEN	Status of Sample Child section	Child
	CTRLNUM	General	IDN	Control number	Adult, Child
	DENPREV_R_A	General	ERP	Dental exam or cleaning, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
	DEP_R_A	General	ERP	Regularly had feelings of depression recode - Early Release	Adult
	DISAB3_A	Adult	UPP	The Washington Group Short Set Composite Disability Indicator	Adult
	ECIGCUR_R_A	General	ERP	Current electronic cigarette smoking recode - Early Release	Adult
	EMER12M_R_A	General	ERP	Hospital emergency department visit, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
	EXCHANGE	General	ERP	Recode: Private coverage through Health Insurance Marketplace	Adult, Child
IMS.0050.00.3	FLUPREG_A	Adult	IMS	Was flu shot before or during pregnancy	Adult
IMS.0060.00.3	FLUPREG2_A	Adult	IMS	Earlier pregnancy and flu vaccine	Adult

	FLURISK_A	General	ERP	Sample adult at high risk for influenza-related complications	Adult
	FLURISK_C	General	ERP	Sample child at high risk for influenza-related complications	Child
IMM.0030.01.1	FLUVAC1M_C	Child	IMM	Month of most recent flu vaccine	Child
IMM.0030.02.1	FLUVAC1Y_C	Child	IMM	Year of most recent flu vaccine	Child
IMM.0040.01.1	FLUVAC2M_C	Child	IMM	Month of next most recent flu vaccine	Child
IMM.0040.02.1	FLUVAC2Y_C	Child	IMM	Year of next most recent flu vaccine	Child
	HHID	General	IDN	First 18 characters of the control number	Adult, Child
	HPX_A	General	IDN	Person number of SA	Adult
	HPX_C	General	IDN	Person number of SC	Child
	HRACER_A	Roster	HHC	Simplified single race recode for SA	Adult
	HRACER_C	Roster	HHC	Simplified single race recode for SC	Child
	HYP_R_A	General	ERP	Current hypertension or takes prescription medication to control it recode	Adult
	INSURED6	General	ERP	Insurance coverage status created for Early Release analysis.	Adult, Child
	INTV_MON	General	GEN	Interview month	Adult, Child
	INTV_QRT	General	GEN	Interview quarter	Adult, Child
	LASTDR_R_A	General	ERP	Doctor visit for any reason, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
IMS.0020.00.3	LIVEBIRTH_A	Adult	IMS	Any live births	Adult
IMS.0190.00.3	LIVEHEP_A	Adult	IMS	Live with someone with hepatitis	Adult
	MDNG12M_R_A	General	ERP	Did not get needed medical care due to cost, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
	MHTHND_R_A	General	ERP	Did not get needed mental health care due to cost, past 12 months Early Release	Adult
	MHTHRPY_R_A	General	ERP	Counseling or therapy from mental health professional, past 12 months recode	Adult
	PAFRQ3M_R_A	Adult	PAI	Regularly experience chronic pain recode - Early Release	Adult
	PNEUMORISK_A	General	ERP	Sample adult at high risk for pneumococcal disease	Adult

	POVCAT5	General	ERP	Recode: Poverty status created for Early Release analysis - 6 categories	Adult, Child
	POVERTY	General	ERP	Recode: Poverty status created for Early Release analysis - 4 categories	Adult, Child
IMS.0010.00.3	PREGFLUYR_A	Adult	IMS	Was sample adult pregnant last flu season	Adult
	PSU_ER	General	UCF	Early Release PSU for variance estimation	Adult, Child
	REGION	General	UCF	Household region	Adult, Child
	RXNA12M_R_A	General	ERP	Did not take medications as prescribed to reduce drug costs, past 12 months	Adult
	SEX_A	Roster	HHC	Sex of Sample Adult	Adult
	SEX_C	Roster	HHC	Sex of Sample Child	Child
	SHFL12M_R_A	General	ERP	Influenza vaccination, past 12 months recode - Early Release	Adult
IMS.0120.00.3	SHINGRIX3_A	Adult	IMS	Ever had Shingrix vaccination	Adult
IMS.0150.00.3	SHINGRIXFS1_A	Adult	IMS	First or second Shingrix shot	Adult
IMS.0140.00.3	SHINGRIXN3_A	Adult	IMS	How many Shingrix shots	Adult
IMS.0110.00.3	SHINGWHEN1_A	Adult	IMS	Was last shingles shot before 2017	Adult
IMS.0100.00.3	SHINGYEAR_A	Adult	IMS	What year did you get your most recent shingles vaccine	Adult
IMS.0030.00.1	SHTFLU12M_A	Adult	IMS	Flu vaccine, past 12 months	Adult
IMM.0010.00.1	SHTFLU12M_C	Child	IMM	Flu vaccine, past 12 months	Child
IMS.0040.01.1	SHTFLUM_A	Adult	IMS	Month of last flu vaccine	Adult
IMM.0020.00.1	SHTFLUNUM_C	Child	IMM	Number of flu vaccines, past 12 months	Child
IMS.0040.02.1	SHTFLUY_A	Adult	IMS	Year of last flu vaccine	Adult
IMS.0180.00.3	SHTHEPB1_A	Adult	IMS	Hepatitis B vaccine	Adult
IMS.0080.00.1	SHTPNEUNB_A	Adult	IMS	Number of pneumonia shots	Adult
IMS.0070.00.1	SHTPNUEV_A	Adult	IMS	Ever had pneumonia shot	Adult
IMS.0090.00.3	SHTSHINGL1_A	Adult	IMS	Ever had a shingles vaccination	Adult
	SMKCUR_R_A	General	ERP	Current cigarette smoking recode - Early Release	Adult
	SRVY_YR	General	IDN	Year of the National Health Interview Survey	Adult, Child

	STRAT_ER	General	UCF	Early Release Stratum for variance estimation	Adult, Child
IMS.0170.00.3	TDAPPREG_A	Adult	IMS	Have a Tdap booster shot	Adult
IMS.0240.00.3	TRAVEL_A	Adult	IMS	Travel to other countries since 1995	Adult
	TYPEPRI	General	ERP	Private coverage variable created for Early Release analysis.	Adult, Child
	TYPEPUB	General	ERP	Public coverage variable created for Early Release analysis.	Adult, Child
	WKDYSMS_R_A	General	ERP	Missed 6 or more workdays due to health recode - Early Release	Adult
IMS.0220.00.3	WORKHEALTH_A	Adult	IMS	Currently provide medical care to patients	Adult
IMS.0230.00.3	WRKHLTHFC_A	Adult	IMS	Currently volunteer or work in health care	Adult
	WTFA_A	General	IDN	Weight - Final Annual	Adult
	WTFA_C	General	IDN	Weight - Final Annual	Child