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NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY

IMPUTED FAMILY INCOME / PERSONAL EARNINGS FILE - PUBLIC USE

Variable Name		Question	Date last modified 07/24/06
Question No.		Variable Universe	
		Universe Description	
Location		Variable Label	
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
RECTYPE		Generated variable	
Generated			
		AGE = ALL	
		All persons	
1-2		Record Type	
		25 Income Imputation	
Sources: None Recodes: None Keywords: record Notes: None	l type		
SRVY_YR		Generated variable	
Generated		AGE = ALL	
		All persons	
3-6		Survey Year	
Sources: None Recodes: None Keywords: survey Notes: None	year		

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Variable Universe	Date last modified 07/24/06
Location	Freq.	Universe Description Variable Label Value / Value Labels	
HHX Generated		Generated variable	
Generated		AGE = ALL	
		All persons	
7-12		Household Serial Number	er

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: household number

Notes: Use this variable to identify individual households.

FMX
Generated variable

AGE = ALL

All persons

13-14
Family Serial Number

01-25
Family number 1 thru 25

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: family number

Notes: Use this variable in combination with HHX to identify individual

families.

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Variable Universe	Date last modified 07/24/06
Location	Freq.	Universe Description Variable Label Value / Value Labels	
FPX		Generated variable	
Generated		AGE = ALL	
		All persons	
15-16		Person Number	
		01-25 Person number	1 thru 25

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: person number

Notes: Use this variable in combination with HHX and FMX to identify

individual persons.

IMPNUM Generated variable

Generated

AGE = ALL

All persons

17 Imputation number

1-5 Imputation number 1-5

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: imputation number

Notes: None

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Date last modified 07/24/06 Variable Universe Universe Description
Location	Freq.	Variable Label Value / Value Labels
INCGRP_F Generated		Generated variable
Cerrerated		AGE = ALL
		All persons
18		Family income group imputation flag
		<pre>0 Reported 1 Imputed; no information 2 Imputed; 2-category income reported</pre>

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: family income group imputation flag

Notes: Total combined family income group imputation flag values: 0 -- if family income group is based on reported data (either exact income or 44-category income group); 1 -- if family income group is based on imputed family income because family income group was unknown (no information reported); 2 -- if family income group is based on imputed family income because 11-category income group was unknown (2-category income information was reported).

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Variable Name Question No.	Freq.	Question Date last modified 07/24/06 Variable Universe Universe Description Variable Label Value / Value Labels
INCGRP_I FIN Recode		Recode  AGE = ALL  All persons
19-20		Total combined family income (grouped)  01

Sources: FAMINC\_I Recodes: None

Keywords: family income group

Notes: The family's value for this variable is assigned to each member of the

family, thus making it a person-level variable.

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Date last modified 07/24/06 Variable Universe Universe Description
Location	Freq.	Variable Label Value / Value Labels
RAT_CATF Generated		Generated variable
		AGE = ALL
		All persons
21		Poverty ratio category imputation flag
		<pre>0 Based on reported income 1 Imputed; no information 2 Imputed; 2-category income reported 3 Imputed; 44-category income reported 5 Undefinable</pre>

Sources: None Recodes: None

Keywords: Ratio of family income to poverty threshold imputation flag

Notes: Ratio of family income to poverty threshold imputation flag values: 0 - if ratio was calculated based on reported exact family income; 1 - if ratio was calculated based on imputed family income because exact family income was not reported (no information reported); 2 - if ratio was calculated based on imputed family income because exact family income was not reported (2-category income information was reported); 3 - if ratio was calculated based on imputed family income because exact family income was not reported (44-category income information was reported); 5 - (see RAT\_CATI notes)

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Variable Name Question No.	Freq.	Question Variable Universe Universe Description Variable Label Value / Value Labels	Date last modified 07/24/06
RAT_CATI FIN Recode		Recode  AGE = ALL  All persons	
22-23		Ratio of fam inc to poven the state of the s	threshold group

Sources: FAMINC\_I; FM\_SIZE; NUM\_KIDS

Recodes: None

Keywords: income, poverty

Notes: The family's value for this variable is assigned to each member of the family, thus making it a person-level variable. The "Undefinable" cases consist of families where the number of children under age 18 in the family is equivalent to the number of family members. Published poverty thresholds from the Census Bureau are used in these

calculations.

Variable Name Question No.	Freq.	Question Variable Universe Universe Description Variable Label Value / Value Labels	Date last modified 07/24/06
EMPLOY_F Generated		Generated variable	
delicrated		AGE = 18+	
		Persons 18+ years	
24		Employment status impu	tation flag
		0 Not imputed 1 Imputed <blank: in="" not="" td="" univers<=""><td>ee&gt;</td></blank:>	ee>

Sources: AGE, WRKLYR1

Recodes: None

Keywords: employment status imputation flag

Notes: In 1997-2000 persons age 18 and above (adults) had known employment status if they were working at a job or business last week or not working last week and reported their last year's work-for-pay status. Starting in 2001 adults had known employment status if they reported their last year's work-for-pay status. The employment status of the

rest of the adults was imputed.

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Variable Universe Universe Description	Date last modified 07/24/06
Location	Freq.	Variable Label Value / Value Labels	
EMPLOY_I FSD Recode		Recode	
FSD Recode		AGE = 18+	
		Persons 18+ years	
25		Person's employment st	catus
		1 Employed 2 Not employed <blank: in="" not="" td="" univers<=""><td>se&gt;</td></blank:>	se>

Sources: AGE, WRKLYR1, imputed employment status

Recodes: None

Keywords: employment status; earning status

Notes: Persons age 18 and above (adults): In 1997-2000, 1 -- if working at a job or business last week (DOINGLW = 1) or did not work last week but worked for pay last year (WRKLYR = 1) or imputed as employed; 2 -- if not working at a job or business last week (DOINGLW ne 1) and did not work for pay last year (WRKLYR = 2), or imputed as not employed. Starting in 2001, 1 -- if worked for pay last year (WRKLYR1=1) or imputed as employed; 2 -- if did not work for pay last year or imputed as not employed.

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Variable Name Question No.		Question Date last modified 07/24/06 Variable Universe Universe Description
Location	Freq.	Variable Label Value / Value Labels
ERNYR_F Generated		Generated variable
		AGE = $18+$ and EMPLOY_I = $1$
		In 1997-2000, persons 18+: working at a job or business last week; or did not work last week but worked for pay last year; or employment status is imputed to be employed for pay. Starting in 2001, persons 18+: worked for pay last year; or employment status is imputed to be employed for pay
26		Person's earnings imputation flag
		<pre>0 Reported 1 Imputed <blank: in="" not="" universe=""></blank:></pre>

Sources: ERNYR, EMPLOY\_F

Recodes: None

Keywords: income earned imputation flag

Notes: None

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Question No.		Variable Universe	
		Universe Description	
Location		Variable Label	
	Freq.	Value / Value Labels	
ERNYRG_I		Recode	
FSD Recode			
		AGE = $18+$ and EMPLOY_I = $1$	
		In 1997-2000, persons 18+: working at a job or business last week; or did not work last week but worked for pay last year; or employment status is imputed to be working for pay. Starting in 2001, persons 18+: worked for pay last year; or employment status is imputed to be employed for pay	
27-28		Total earnings in last year (grouped)	
		Total earnings in last year (grouped)  01 \$1-\$4999 02 \$5000-\$9999 03 \$10000-\$14999 04 \$15000-\$19999 05 \$20000-\$24999 06 \$25000-\$34999 07 \$35000-\$44999 08 \$45000-\$54999 10 \$65000-\$74999 11 \$75000 and over <blank: in="" not="" universe=""></blank:>	
Sources: ERNYR_	I		
Recodes: None			

Keywords: income earned; last year's earnings

Notes: Total earnings in last year refers to person's total earnings in

calendar year prior to the year of interview. See ERNYR\_F for

imputation flag.