
**Changes**
- **1958-1996**: Screener questions were embedded throughout the questionnaire.
- **1997-1999**: Screener questions were: DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is, since [91 days before today's date], [were/was] [you/anyone in the family] injured seriously enough that (you/they) got medical advice or treatment? Who was this? How many different times in the past three months [were/was] [you/subjects name] injured seriously enough to seek medical advice or treatment? DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is, since [91 days before today's date], [were/was] [you/anyone in the family] poisoned seriously enough that (you/they) got medical advice or treatment? Followed with the same sequence as for injuries.
- **2000-2003**: Screener questions: DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is since [91 days before today's date], [were/was] [you/anyone in the family] injured or poisoned seriously enough that (you/they) got medical advice or treatment? Who was this? How many different times in the PAST THREE MONTHS were you injured or poisoned seriously enough to seek medical advice or treatment? Combined injury and poisoning sections to create a common set of questions between injury and poisoning.
- **Proposed 2004**: Screener Questions: DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is since [91 days before today's date], did you or anyone in your family have an injury where any part of the body was hurt, such as cut or wound, broken bone, sprain or burn? Who was this? DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, how many times were (you/name of family member) injured? Did (you/name of family member) talk to or see a medical professional about any of these injuries? DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is since [91 days before today's date], were (you/you or anyone in your family) poisoned by swallowing or breathing in a harmful substance such as bleach, carbon monoxide, or too many pills or drugs? Do not include food poisoning, sun poisoning, or poison ivy rashes. Followed with the same sequence as for injuries.

**Limitations**
- **1997-1999**: No specific questions on poisoning.
- **2000-2003**: Not all questions common between injury and poisoning.
- **Proposed 2004**: Analysis of trends will be difficult.

**Annual estimates of injury and poisoning episodes**
- Number of episodes in millions.
- Percent distribution of external causes.
- Annual estimates of leading conditions.
- Percent of episodes resulting in days off work.

**Screener Questions**
- DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is, since [91 days before today's date], did [you/you or anyone in your family] have an injury where any part of the body was hurt, such as cut or wound, broken bone, sprain or burn? Who was this? How many different times in the past three months [were/was] [you/subjects name] injured seriously enough to seek medical advice or treatment?
- DURING THE PAST THREE MONTHS, that is since [91 days before today's date], did [you/you or anyone in your family] get poisoned seriously enough that (you/they) got medical advice or treatment? Followed with the same sequence as for injuries.

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- Proposed 2004: Screener questions.

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