2009 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY
Imputed Income

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Question ID: IDN.000_00.000
Instrument Variable Name: RECTYPE

Record Type
Universe: AGE = ALL
Description: All persons

Sources: None
Recodes: None
Keywords: record type
Notes: None

File type identifier
10 Household
20 Person
25 Income Imputation
30 Sample Adult
40 Sample Child
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Question ID: IDN.000_02.000
Instrument Variable Name: SRVY_YR

Survey Year
Universe: AGE = ALL
Description: All persons

Sources: None
Recodes: None
Keywords: survey year
Notes: None

Year of National Health Interview Survey
Year Survey Year
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**Question ID:** IDN.000_04.000

**Instrument Variable Name:**

**Final Documentation Name:** HHX

**Household ID**

**Universe:** AGE = ALL

**Description:** All persons

**Sources:** None

**Recodes:** None

**Keywords:** household number

**Notes:** Use this variable to identify individual households.

**Household Serial Number**

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**Question ID:** IDN.000_35.000

**Instrument Variable Name:**

**Final Documentation Name:** FMX

**Family Number**

**Universe:** AGE = ALL

**Description:** All families

**Sources:** None

**Recodes:** None

**Keywords:** family number

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

**Family #**

01-25 Family number 1 - 25

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**Question ID:** IDN.000_40.000

**Instrument Variable Name:**

**Final Documentation Name:** FPX

**Person Number**

**Universe:** AGE = ALL

**Description:** All persons

**Sources:** None

**Recodes:** None

**Keywords:** person number

**Notes:** Use this variable in combination with HHX and FMX to identify individual persons or use this variable in combination with FCTRLNUM to identify individual persons.

**Person Number (Within family)**

01-25 Person number 1 thru 25
### Imputation Number

**Question ID:** Generated  
**Instrument Variable Name:**  
**Final Documentation Name:** IMPNUM  

**Universe:** AGE = ALL  
**Description:** All persons  

**Sources:** None  
**Recodes:** None  
**Keywords:** imputation number  
**Notes:** None  

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### Family income imputation flag

**Question ID:** Generated  
**Instrument Variable Name:**  
**Final Documentation Name:** FAMINCF2  

**Universe:** AGE = ALL  
**Description:** All persons  

**Sources:** None  
**Recodes:** None  
**Keywords:** family income imputation flag  
**Notes:** Total combined family income imputation flag values: 0 -- if family income is based on reported data; 1 -- if family income is based on imputed family income because exact family income was unknown (no information reported); 2 -- if family income is based on imputed family income because exact family income group was unknown (only income range was reported). Not for Public Use release.

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<td>2 Imputed; reported in categories</td>
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### Family income /Poverty ratio top-code flag

**Question ID:** FIN.250  
**Instrument Variable Name:** FAMINCI2  
**Final Documentation Name:** FAMINCI2  

#### Description:
All persons

#### Universe:
AGE = ALL

#### Sources:
FINCTOT, imputed FINCTOT

#### Recodes:
None

#### Keywords:
income

#### Notes:
Total combined imputed family income top-coded to the weighted average of the 95th percentile of the five imputed datasets.
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**Question ID:** FIN Recode

**Instrument Variable Name:**

**Final Documentation Name:** POVRATI2

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**Ratio of fam inc to pov threshold**

**Universe:** AGE = ALL

**Description:** All persons

**Sources:** FAMINCI2; 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, coded as 9999, consist of families where the number of children under age 18 in the family is equivalent to the number of family members. Format of data has an implied decimal (xx.xx). Published poverty thresholds from the Census Bureau are used in these calculations. The POVRATI2 were calculated from the top-coded family income FAMINCI2.

**Ratio of fam inc to pov threshold**

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xx.xx
(implied decimal)
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**Question ID:** Generated

**Instrument Variable Name:**

**Final Documentation Name:** EMPLOY_F

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**Employment status imputation flag**

**Universe:** AGE = 18+

**Description:** All persons age 18+

**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.

**Employment status imputation flag**

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0    Not imputed
1    Imputed
Blank Not in universe
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Question ID: FSD Recode
Instrument Variable Name:
Final Documentation Name: EMPLOY_1

Person's employment status last year

Universe: AGE = 18+
Description: All persons age 18+

Sources: AGE, WRKLYR1, imputed employment status
Recodes: None
Keywords: employment status; earning status
Notes: Persons age 18 and above (adults): In 1997-2000, 1 -- 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 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.

Person's earning imputation flag

1 Employed
2 Not employed
Blank Not in universe

Question ID: Generated
Instrument Variable Name:
Final Documentation Name: ERNYR_F

Person's earning imputation flag

Universe: AGE = 18+ and EMPLOY_1 = 1
Description: Starting in 2001, persons 18+: worked for pay last year; or employment status is imputed to be employed for pay

Sources: ERNYR, EMPLOY_F
Recodes: None
Keywords: income earned imputation flag
Notes: 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.

Person's earning imputation flag

0 Reported
1 Imputed
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Question ID: Generated  
Instrument Variable Name: 
Final Documentation Name: TCEARN_F

Person's earnings top-code flag

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Person's total earnings top-code flag

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Instrument Variable Name: 
Final Documentation Name: ERNYR_I2

Person's total earnings in last year

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