

2019 NATIONAL HEALTH INTERVIEW SURVEY (NHIS)
Codebook for Sample Adult file (Document Version: September 2020)
PUBLIC USE

Variable:	WELLVIS_A
Module:	Adult
Section:	UTZ
File(s):	Adult
Data Type:	Numeric
Length:	1
Question Text:	<p>About how long has it been since you last saw a doctor or other health professional for a wellness visit, physical, or general purpose check-up?</p> <p><i>* Read if necessary: This kind of visit typically includes: blood pressure, cholesterol, and blood sugar checks, height and weight measurements, and vaccinations. The doctor or other health professional may also discuss topics related to your health such as smoking, alcohol use, diet and exercise. These visits are usually scheduled in advance and occur when you are not sick or injured.</i></p> <p><i>* Read if necessary: If a wellness exam was combined with a sick care visit, include this visit.</i></p>
Description:	Time since last wellness visit
Recode:	
Universe:	HHSTAT_A=1 and WELLNESS_A IN (2,7,9)
Universe Description:	Sample adults 18+ who reported having seen a doctor, but the last visit was not a wellness visit or they didn't know or refused whether it was a wellness visit
Sources:	
Question ID:	UTZ.0040.00.1
Keywords:	preventive care; well visit
Notes:	
Evaluation Report:	

Unweighted frequencies:

WELLVIS_A Time since last wellness visit

Code	Description	Frequency	Percent
0	Never	141	1.97
1	Within the past year (anytime less than 12 months ago)	4094	57.24
2	Within the last 2 years (1 year but less than 2 years ago)	1056	14.77
3	Within the last 3 years (2 years but less than 3 years ago)	472	6.60
4	Within the last 5 years (3 years but less than 5 years ago)	466	6.52
5	Within the last 10 years (5 years but less than 10 years ago)	369	5.16
6	10 years ago or more	453	6.33
7	Refused	3	0.04
8	Not Ascertained	1	0.01
9	Don't Know	97	1.36

Frequency Missing: 24845