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- 1. **Variable Link:** The variable **SWANID** is the individual-level linking variable for all SWAN datasets.
- 2. **Variable Differences**: Some variables that are referenced in the "P.I. Codebook" were not included by the P.I. in the public use data set released by ICPSR.
- 3. **Additional Information:** For additional information on the Study of Women's Health Across the Nation (SWAN) series, please visit the SWAN Study website.

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Variable Description and Frequencies

Note: Frequencies displayed for the variables are not weighted. They are purely descriptive and may not be representative of the study population. Please review any sampling or weighting information available with the study.

Summary statistics (minimum, maximum, arithmetic mean, median, mode, and standard deviation) may not be available for every variable in the codebook. Conversely, a listing of frequencies in table format may not be present for every variable in the codebook either. However, all variables in the dataset are present and display sufficient information about each variable. These decisions are made intentionally and are at the discretion of the archive producing this codebook.

SWANID: ID

Study of Women's Health Across the Nation (SWAN) respondent ID

Based upon 16,142 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 54695.29Minimum: 10005.00Maximum: 99994.00

• Standard Deviation: 25981.30

Location: 1-5 (width: 5; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

HEALTH: Q1 - Health

Would you say your health in general is excellent, very good, good, fair or poor?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Excellent	3061	19.0 %
2	Very good	5105	31.6 %
3	Good	4945	30.6 %
4	Fair	2414	15.0 %
5	Poor	548	3.4 %
	Missing Data		
	-	69	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,073 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 6-7 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

LVISIT: Q2 - Last visit to doctor

About how long has it been since you last visited a doctor, nurse practitioner, or other health care provider for a routine health check-up?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Less than 1 year	12213	75.7 %
2	At least 1 but less than 3 years	2598	16.1 %
3	3-5 years	589	3.6 %
4	More than 5 years	553	3.4 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
5	Never	72	0.4 %
	Missing Data		
	-	117	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,025 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 8-9 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

HIGH_BP: Q3a - High blood pressure

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: high blood pressure [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	12066	74.7 %
2	Yes	4011	24.8 %
	Missing Data		
	-	65	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,077 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 10-11 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MHIGHBP: Q3.1.a - Blood pressure medications

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	1423	8.8 %
2	Yes	2581	16.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	12138	75.2 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 4,004 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 12-13 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

DIABETE: Q3b - Diabetes

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: diabetes [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15018	93.0 %
2	Yes	1060	6.6 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	64	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,078 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 2.00

Location: 14-15 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MDIABET: Q3.1.b - Diabetes medications

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	331	2.1 %
2	Yes	727	4.5 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
-1	Not applicable	6	0.0 %
	-	15077	93.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 1,058 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 16-17 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

HEART: Q3c - Heart attack or angina

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: heart attack or angina [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15612	96.7 %
2	Yes	467	2.9 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	63	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,079 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 18-19 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MHEART: Q3.1.c - Medications for heart attack or angina

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	199	1.2 %
2	Yes	265	1.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	15678	97.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 464 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 20-21 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

ARTHRIT: Q3d - Arthritis

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: arthritis [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	12414	76.9 %
2	Yes	3655	22.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	73	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,069 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 22-23 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MARTHR: Q3.1.d - Medications for arthritis

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	2234	13.8 %
2	Yes	1411	8.7 %
	Missing Data		
	-	12497	77.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,645 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 2.00

Location: 24-25 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

OSTEOPR: Q3e - Osteoporosis

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: osteoporosis, brittle or thinning bones [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15629	96.8 %
2	Yes	420	2.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	93	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,049 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 26-27 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MOSTEOP: Q3.1.e - Osteoporosis medications

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	219	1.4 %
2	Yes	198	1.2 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	6	0.0 %
-	-	15719	97.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 417 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 28-29 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, -1, .

FIBROID: Q3f - Fibroids of the uterus or womb

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: fibroids, benign growths of the uterus or womb [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	11897	73.7 %
2	Yes	4129	25.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	116	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,026 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 30-31 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MFIBROD: Q3.1.f - Medications for fibroids

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	3779	23.4 %
2	Yes	345	2.1 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
-1	Not applicable	6	0.0 %
	-	12011	74.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 4,124 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 32-33 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, -1, .

CANCER: Q3g - Cancer other than skin cancer

Has a doctor, nurse practitioner or other health care provider ever told you that you had: cancer, other than skin cancer [IF YES: Are you currently taking medication for this condition?]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15394	95.4 %
2	Yes	680	4.2 %
	Missing Data		
	-	68	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,074 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 34-35 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MCANCER: Q3.1.g - Medications for cancer

Are you currently taking medication for this condition?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	541	3.4 %
2	Yes	134	0.8 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
-1	Not applicable	6	0.0 %
-	-	15460	95.8 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 675 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 2.00

Location: 36-37 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, -1, .

DIFFISLP: Q4a - Difficulty sleeping

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Difficulty sleeping

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	9841	61.0 %
2	Yes	6104	37.8 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	196	1.2 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,945 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 38-39 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

NISWEAT: Q4b - Night sweats

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please

answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Night sweats

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	12268	76.0 %
2	Yes	3783	23.4 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	90	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,051 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 40-41 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

STIFF: Q4c - Stiffness

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Stiffness or soreness in joints, neck, or shoulders

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	7342	45.5 %
2	Yes	8728	54.1 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	71	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,070 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 42-43 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

HEADACH: Q4d - Headaches

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Headaches

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	8405	52.1 %
2	Yes	7671	47.5 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	65	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,076 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 44-45 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

HOTFLASH: Q4e - Hot flashes

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Hot flushes or flashes

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	11572	71.7 %
2	Yes	4432	27.5 %
	Missing Data		
	-	138	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,004 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 46-47 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

FORGET: Q4f - Forgetfulness

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Forgetfulness

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	9635	59.7 %
2	Yes	6418	39.8 %
	Missing Data		
	-	89	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,053 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 48-49 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

TENSE: Q4g - Feeling tense or nervous

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Feeling tense or nervous

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	7690	47.6 %
2	Yes	8371	51.9 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	80	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,061 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 50-51 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

DEPRESS: Q4h - Depressed

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Feeling blue or depressed

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	9526	59.0 %
2	Yes	6542	40.5 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	73	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,068 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 52-53 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

DRYNESS: Q4i - Vaginal dryness

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Vaginal dryness

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	13634	84.5 %
2	Yes	2300	14.2 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	207	1.3 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,934 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 54-55 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

IRRITAB: Q4j - Irritability

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Irritability or grouchiness

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	7784	48.2 %
2	Yes	8270	51.2 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	88	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,054 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 56-57 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

HEARTBO: Q4k - Heart pounding

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Heart pounding or racing

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	13063	80.9 %
2	Yes	3000	18.6 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	78	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,063 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 58-59 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

URINE: Q4I - Leaking urine

I am going to read you a list of common problems that affect us from time to time in our daily lives. Please answer yes or no for each problem. Thinking back over the past two weeks, have you experienced:

Leaking urine

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	13077	81.0 %
2	Yes	2860	17.7 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	205	1.3 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,937 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 60-61 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

LIMITED: Q5 - Limited activities because of health

Are you limited in any way in your activities because of any impairments or health problems?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	12977	80.4 %
2	Yes	3081	19.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	84	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,058 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 62-63 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

V_ACTI: Q5.1.a - Vigorous activities

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Vigorous activities, such as running, lifting heavy objects, participating in strenuous sports

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	2090	12.9 %
2	Yes, limited a little	796	4.9 %
3	No, not limited at all	175	1.1 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	104	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,061 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 64-65 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

M_ACTI: Q5.1.b - Moderate activities

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Moderate activities, such as moving a table, pushing a vacuum cleaner, bowling or playing golf

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	859	5.3 %
2	Yes, limited a little	1069	6.6 %
3	No, not limited at all	1135	7.0 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	102	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,063 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 66-67 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

LIFTING: Q5.1.c - Lifting or carrying groceries

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Lifting or carrying groceries

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	843	5.2 %
2	Yes, limited a little	1037	6.4 %
3	No, not limited at all	1183	7.3 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
-	-	102	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,063 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 68-69 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

CLIMB1: Q5.1.d - Climbing one flight stairs

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Climbing one flight of stairs

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	710	4.4 %
2	Yes, limited a little	888	5.5 %
3	No, not limited at all	1471	9.1 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	96	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,069 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 3.00

Location: 70-71 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

CLIMBS: Q5.1.e - Climbing several flights stairs

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Climbing several flights of stairs

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	1438	8.9 %
2	Yes, limited a little	809	5.0 %
3	No, not limited at all	801	5.0 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	117	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,048 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 72-73 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

BENDING: Q5.1.f - Bending

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Bending, kneeling, or stooping

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	1068	6.6 %
2	Yes, limited a little	1089	6.7 %
3	No, not limited at all	912	5.6 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	-	96	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,069 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 74-75 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8 , -7 , -1 , .

WALK1: Q5.1.g - Walking one block

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Walking one block

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	468	2.9 %
2	Yes, limited a little	747	4.6 %
3	No, not limited at all	1845	11.4 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
-	-	105	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,060 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 76-77 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

WALKS: Q5.1.h - Walking several blocks

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Walking several blocks

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	1041	6.4 %
2	Yes, limited a little	709	4.4 %
3	No, not limited at all	1304	8.1 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	111	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,054 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 78-79 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

WALKM: Q5.1.i - Walking more than a mile

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Walking more than a mile

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	1506	9.3 %
2	Yes, limited a little	591	3.7 %
3	No, not limited at all	900	5.6 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	168	1.0 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 2,997 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 3.00

Location: 80-81 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

BATHING: Q5.1.j - Bathing or dressing self

The following items are about activities you might do during a typical day. Does your health now limit you a lot, a little or not at all in each of these activities:

Bathing or dressing yourself

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Yes, limited a lot	159	1.0 %
2	Yes, limited a little	540	3.3 %
3	No, not limited at all	2368	14.7 %
	Missing Data		
-1	Not applicable	12977	80.4 %
	-	98	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,067 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 82-83 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, -1, .

PHY_ACT: Q6 - Usual level of physical activity

In comparison with other women your age, is your usual level of physical activity:

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Much less than other women your age	950	5.9 %
2	Somewhat less than other women your age	2358	14.6 %
3	About the same as other women your age	6158	38.1 %
4	Somewhat more than other women your age	3793	23.5 %
5	Much more than other women your age	2328	14.4 %
	Missing Data		
	-	555	3.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,587 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 84-85 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

TALLINCH: Q7 - Height in inches

How tall are you without shoes? ___ FEET ___ INCHES

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
48.00	-	7	0.0 %
49.00	-	2	0.0 %
50.00	-	4	0.0 %
51.00	-	2	0.0 %
52.00	-	2	0.0 %
53.00	-	20	0.1 %
54.00	-	6	0.0 %
55.00	-	6	0.0 %
56.00	-	19	0.1 %
57.00	-	50	0.3 %
57.09	-	1	0.0 %
58.00	-	107	0.7 %
58.27	-	2	0.0 %
59.00	-	344	2.1 %
59.06	-	9	0.1 %
59.84	-	4	0.0 %
60.00	-	953	5.9 %
60.63	-	1	0.0 %
61.00	-	1058	6.6 %
61.02	-	4	0.0 %
62.00	-	2117	13.1 %
62.60	-	1	0.0 %
62.99	-	1	0.0 %
63.00	-	2055	12.7 %
63.78	-	2	0.0 %
64.00	-	2337	14.5 %
64.96	-	2	0.0 %
65.00	-	1895	11.7 %
65.75	-	1	0.0 %
66.00	-	1901	11.8 %
67.00	-	1322	8.2 %
67.72	-	2	0.0 %
68.00	-	808	5.0 %
68.90	-	1	0.0 %
69.00	-	439	2.7 %
70.00	-	209	1.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
71.00	-	124	0.8 %
72.00	-	56	0.3 %
73.00	-	10	0.1 %
74.00	-	10	0.1 %
75.00	-	4	0.0 %
76.00	-	1	0.0 %
77.00	-	2	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	241	1.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,901 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 64.07Median: 64.00Mode: 64.00Minimum: 48.00Maximum: 77.00

• Standard Deviation: 2.80

Location: 86-90 (width: 5; decimal: 2)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

TALLCM: Q7 - Height in centimeters.

How tall are you without shoes? ___ _ _ _ CENTIMETERS

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
122.00	-	7	0.0 %
124.00	-	2	0.0 %
127.00	-	4	0.0 %
129.00	-	1	0.0 %
130.00	-	1	0.0 %
132.00	-	2	0.0 %
135.00	-	20	0.1 %
137.00	-	6	0.0 %
140.00	-	6	0.0 %
142.00	-	19	0.1 %
144.78	-	1	0.0 %
145.00	-	50	0.3 %
147.00	-	103	0.6 %
148.00	-	6	0.0 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
149.00	-	6	0.0 %
150.00	-	335	2.1 %
151.00	-	12	0.1 %
152.00	-	932	5.8 %
152.40	-	2	0.0 %
153.00	-	23	0.1 %
154.00	-	25	0.2 %
154.94	-	1	0.0 %
155.00		1012	6.3 %
156.00		25	0.2 %
157.00		2078	12.9 %
157.48		2	0.0 %
158.00		37	0.2 %
159.00		21	0.1 %
160.00		2021	12.5 %
160.02		4	0.0 %
161.00		11	0.1 %
162.00		22	0.1 %
162.56		6	0.0 %
163.00		2311	14.3 %
164.00		12	0.1 %
165.00		1880	11.6 %
165.10		3	0.0 %
166.00		2	0.0 %
167.00 167.64		10	0.1 % 0.0 %
168.00		3 1889	11.7 %
169.00		2	0.0 %
170.00		1316	8.2 %
170.18		4	0.0 %
172.00		3	0.0 %
172.72		4	0.0 %
173.00		803	5.0 %
174.00		1	0.0 %
175.00		436	2.7 %
175.26		3	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	241	1.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%
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Based upon 15,901 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 162.75
Median: 163.00
Mode: 163.00
Minimum: 122.00
Maximum: 196.00
Standard Deviation: 7.19

Location: 91-96 (width: 6; decimal: 2)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

WT_LBS: Q8 - Weight in pounds

How much do you weigh when you are wearing light clothing? ___ POUNDS

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
82.00	-	2	0.0 %
83.00	-	1	0.0 %
84.00	-	4	0.0 %
85.00	-	4	0.0 %
86.00	-	2	0.0 %
87.00	-	2	0.0 %
88.00	-	1	0.0 %
89.00	-	2	0.0 %
90.00	-	14	0.1 %
91.00	-	6	0.0 %
92.00	-	5	0.0 %
93.00	-	6	0.0 %
94.00	-	9	0.1 %
95.00	-	26	0.2 %
96.00	-	8	0.0 %
97.00	-	13	0.1 %
98.00	-	18	0.1 %
99.00	-	17	0.1 %
100.00	-	104	0.6 %
101.00	-	11	0.1 %
102.00	-	44	0.3 %
103.00	-	29	0.2 %
104.00	-	44	0.3 %
105.00	-	132	0.8 %
106.00	-	53	0.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
107.00	-	41	0.3 %
108.00	-	82	0.5 %
109.00	-	17	0.1 %
110.00	-	257	1.6 %
111.00	-	14	0.1 %
112.00	-	110	0.7 %
113.00	-	45	0.3 %
114.00	-	45	0.3 %
115.00	-	304	1.9 %
116.00	-	55	0.3 %
117.00	-	70	0.4 %
118.00	-	166	1.0 %
119.00	-	49	0.3 %
120.00	-	479	3.0 %
121.00	-	39	0.2 %
122.00	-	98	0.6 %
123.00	-	92	0.6 %
124.00	-	79	0.5 %
125.00	-	525	3.3 %
126.00	-	88	0.5 %
127.00	-	105	0.7 %
128.00	-	199	1.2 %
129.00	-	59	0.4 %
130.00	-	710	4.4 %
131.00	-	14	0.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	454	2.8 %
	Total	16,142	100%

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Based upon 15,688 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 158.52Median: 150.00Mode: 150.00Minimum: 82.00Maximum: 463.00

• Standard Deviation: 39.90

Location: 97-102 (width: 6; decimal: 2)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

WT_KGS: Q8 - Weight in kilos

How much do you weigh when you are wearing light clothing? ___ __ KILOS

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
37.00	-	2	0.0 %
38.00	-	5	0.0 %
39.00	-	7	0.0 %
40.00	-	4	0.0 %
41.00	-	20	0.1 %
42.00	-	11	0.1 %
43.00	-	36	0.2 %
44.00	-	33	0.2 %
45.00	-	126	0.8 %
46.00	-	54	0.3 %
46.27	-	1	0.0 %
47.00	-	73	0.5 %
48.00	-	188	1.2 %
49.00	-	127	0.8 %
50.00	-	281	1.7 %
51.00	-	155	1.0 %
52.00	-	349	2.2 %
53.00	-	146	0.9 %
54.00	-	536	3.3 %
54.43	-	1	0.0 %
55.00	-	273	1.7 %
56.00	-	171	1.1 %
56.25	-	1	0.0 %
56.70	-	1	0.0 %
57.00	-	610	3.8 %
57.15	-	1	0.0 %
58.00	-	313	1.9 %
58.97	-	1	0.0 %
59.00	-	770	4.8 %
59.87	-	1	0.0 %
60.00	-	200	1.2 %
61.00	-	663	4.1 %
62.00	-	156	1.0 %
63.00	-	348	2.2 %
63.50	-	1	0.0 %
64.00	-	791	4.9 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
65.00	-	150	0.9 %
66.00	-	620	3.8 %
67.00	-	228	1.4 %
67.13	-	1	0.0 %
68.00	-	851	5.3 %
68.04	-	1	0.0 %
69.00	-	141	0.9 %
69.85	-	1	0.0 %
70.00	-	465	2.9 %
71.00	-	96	0.6 %
72.00	-	218	1.4 %
73.00	-	659	4.1 %
73.94	-	1	0.0 %
74.00	-	96	0.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	454	2.8 %
	Total	16,142	100%

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Based upon 15,688 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 71.96Median: 68.00Mode: 68.00Minimum: 37.00Maximum: 210.00

• Standard Deviation: 18.11

Location: 103-108 (width: 6; decimal: 2)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

SMOKED: Q9 - Ever smoked

Have you ever smoked a total of at least 20 packs of cigarettes over your lifetime or at least 1 cigarette per day for at least 1 year?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	8386	52.0 %
2	Yes	7612	47.2 %
	Missing Data		
	-	144	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,998 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 109-110 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

SMOKE_R: Q9.1 - Currently smoke cigarettes

Do you smoke cigarettes now?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	3964	24.6 %
2	Yes	3646	22.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	8532	52.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 7,610 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 111-112 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

NO_CIG: Q9.2 - Current average cigarettes per day

How many cigarettes, on average, do you smoke per day now?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	71	0.4 %
1	-	87	0.5 %
2	-	89	0.6 %
3	-	106	0.7 %
4	-	98	0.6 %
5	-	217	1.3 %
6	-	130	0.8 %
7	-	75	0.5 %
8	-	86	0.5 %
9	-	18	0.1 %
10	-	719	4.5 %
11	-	13	0.1 %
12	_	83	0.5 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
13	-	13	0.1 %
14	-	12	0.1 %
15	-	312	1.9 %
16	-	11	0.1 %
17	-	14	0.1 %
18	-	17	0.1 %
20	-	989	6.1 %
21	-	3	0.0 %
22	-	2	0.0 %
23	-	2	0.0 %
24	-	8	0.0 %
25	-	47	0.3 %
26	-	2	0.0 %
28	-	1	0.0 %
30	-	225	1.4 %
32	-	1	0.0 %
35	-	15	0.1 %
40	-	132	0.8 %
41	-	1	0.0 %
45	-	2	0.0 %
50	-	13	0.1 %
55	-	1	0.0 %
60	-	10	0.1 %
70	-	1	0.0 %
80	-	2	0.0 %
90	-	1	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	12513	77.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,629 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 14.88Median: 14.00Mode: 20.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 90.00

• Standard Deviation: 10.01

Location: 113-114 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

HYSTERE: Q11a - Ever had hysterectomy

Have you had the following surgical procedures?

Hysterectomy, an operation to remove your uterus or womb?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	12899	79.9 %
2	Yes	3131	19.4 %
	Missing Data		
	-	112	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,030 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 115-116 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

OVARIES: Q11b - Both ovaries removed

Have you had the following surgical procedures?

Both ovaries removed?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	14516	89.9 %
2	Yes	1470	9.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	156	1.0 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,986 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 2.00

Location: 117-118 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MENS_12: Q12 - Had a period past 12 months

Have you had a menstrual period in the past 12 months, that is since ____ / ____?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	2570	15.9 %
2	Yes	10245	63.5 %
	Missing Data		
	-	3327	20.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 12,815 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 119-120 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MEDISTOP: Q12.1a - Periods stopped due to medication

Do you know if your periods stopped because of any of the following reasons?

Did they stop because of:

Medication, chemotherapy or radiation treatment?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	2342	14.5 %
2	Yes	179	1.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	13621	84.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 2,521 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 121-122 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

WT_STOP: Q12.1c - Periods stopped due to weight loss or other clear reason

Do you know if your periods stopped because of any of the following reasons?

Did they stop because of:

Severe weight loss or another clear reason except menopause?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	2440	15.1 %
2	Yes	84	0.5 %
	Missing Data		
	-	13618	84.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 2,524 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 123-124 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

ST_MENS: Q13 - Period less predictable

Compared to a year ago, has the number of days between the start of one menstrual period and the start of your next menstrual period become less predictable?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	5377	33.3 %
2	Yes	4777	29.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	5988	37.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 10,154 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 125-126 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MENS_3: Q14 - Period in past 3 months

Have you had a menstrual period in the past 3 months?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	779	4.8 %
2	Yes	9443	58.5 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	Missing Data		
	-	5920	36.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 10,222 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 127-128 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

BC_PILLS: Q15 - Ever taken birth control pills

Have you ever taken birth control pills for any reason?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	4706	29.2 %
2	Yes	11359	70.4 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
	-	76	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,065 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 129-130 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

PILLSYR: Q15.1 - Total number years taken birth control (BC) pills

What is the total number of years that you have taken birth control pills, over your lifetime?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Less than 1 year	2419	15.0 %
2	At least 1 but less than 3 years	2706	16.8 %
3	3-5 years	2360	14.6 %
4	More than 5 years	3799	23.5 %
5	Never	0	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	4858	30.1 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 11,284 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 4.00

Location: 131-132 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

HORMONE: Q16 - Female hormone (not birth control (BC) pills)

Have you ever taken female hormones other than birth control pills for any reason? Female hormones include fertility drugs, estrogens or progestins, hormone patches or creams, hormone injections or post-menopausal hormones.

[If (Q.15 = 1 or -8 or -7) and (Q.16 = 1 or -8 or -7) then go to Q.18.]

[If (Q.15 = 2) and (Q.16 = 1 or -8 or -7) then go to Q.17]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	11558	71.6 %
2	Yes	4470	27.7 %
	Missing Data		
	-	114	0.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,028 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 133-134 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

HORMYR: Q16.1 - Number years taken hormones other than birth control (BC) pills

What is the total number of years that you have taken female hormones, other than birth control pills, over your lifetime?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Less than 1 year	1854	11.5 %
2	At least 1 but less than 3 years	1180	7.3 %
3	3-5 years	672	4.2 %
4	More than 5 years	742	4.6 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
5	Never	0	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	11694	72.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 4,448 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 4.00

Location: 135-136 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

CHILDREN: Q18 - Number of live children given birth to

How many live children have you given birth to?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	2584	16.0 %
1	-	2706	16.8 %
2	-	5248	32.5 %
3	-	3192	19.8 %
4	-	1422	8.8 %
5	-	584	3.6 %
6	-	228	1.4 %
7	-	89	0.6 %
8	-	27	0.2 %
9	-	12	0.1 %
10	-	10	0.1 %
11	-	5	0.0 %
12	-	5	0.0 %
13	-	1	0.0 %
15	-	1	0.0 %
16	-	1	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	27	0.2 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,115 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 2.11Median: 2.00

Mode: 2.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 16.00

• Standard Deviation: 1.50

Location: 137-138 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

MENOPS: Q19 - Menopause - do you think you are

Regarding menopause, do you think you are:

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Without any sign	4721	29.2 %
2	Just beginning	5092	31.5 %
3	In the middle	2329	14.4 %
4	Near the end	1156	7.2 %
5	All through	1609	10.0 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	1157	7.2 %
	-	78	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 14,907 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 139-140 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

OLD_VAL: Q20a - Older woman more valued

Now I am going to read you some statements about some general attitudes and feelings that women your age may have. Please tell me whether you personally agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

The older a woman is, the more valued she is.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	9532	59.1 %
2	Neutral	3117	19.3 %
3	Disagree	3207	19.9 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	211	1.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	-	75	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,856 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 141-142 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

ATTRACT: Q20b - Woman less attractive after menopause

Now I am going to read you some statements about some general attitudes and feelings that women your age may have. Please tell me whether you personally agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

A woman is less attractive after menopause.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	1916	11.9 %
2	Neutral	2027	12.6 %
3	Disagree	11875	73.6 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	251	1.6 %
	-	73	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,818 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 143-144 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

FREE: Q20c - Freedom with no more periods

Now I am going to read you some statements about some general attitudes and feelings that women your age may have. Please tell me whether you personally agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

Women who no longer have menstrual periods feel free and independent.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	10465	64.8 %
2	Neutral	3024	18.7 %
3	Disagree	2020	12.5 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	562	3.5 %
	-	71	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,509 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 145-146 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

NO_MED: Q20d - Menopause does not need medical attention

Now I am going to read you some statements about some general attitudes and feelings that women your age may have. Please tell me whether you personally agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

Menopause is a mid-life change that generally does not need medical attention.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	4079	25.3 %
2	Neutral	2361	14.6 %
3	Disagree	9133	56.6 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	500	3.1 %
	-	69	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,573 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 3.00

Location: 147-148 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

H_NOTICE: **Q20e** - Hardly notice menopause

Now I am going to read you some statements about some general attitudes and feelings that women your age may have. Please tell me whether you personally agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

Women with little free time hardly notice the menopause.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	4967	30.8 %
2	Neutral	2713	16.8 %
3	Disagree	7620	47.2 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	766	4.7 %
	-	76	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,300 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 149-150 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

POSITIVE: Q21a Menopause is/was a positive experience

Now I am going to read you some statements about your personal feelings. Please tell me whether you agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

Overall, going through the menopause or change of life will be, or was, a positive experience for me.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	6671	41.3 %
2	Neutral	4990	30.9 %
3	Disagree	3709	23.0 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	694	4.3 %
	-	78	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,370 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 151-152 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

WORSE: Q21b - As I age, feel worse about self

Now I am going to read you some statements about your personal feelings. Please tell me whether you agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

As I age, I feel worse about myself.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	2486	15.4 %
2	Neutral	1528	9.5 %
3	Disagree	11997	74.3 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	67	0.4 %
	-	64	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,011 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 153-154 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MENODEPR: Q21c - Became or expected depression w/menopause

Now I am going to read you some statements about your personal feelings. Please tell me whether you agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

During the menopause or the change of life I became, or expect to become, irritable or depressed.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	5505	34.1 %
2	Neutral	2425	15.0 %
3	Disagree	7676	47.6 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	469	2.9 %
	-	67	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,606 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 155-156 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

REGRET: Q21d - Regret stop of periods for last time

Now I am going to read you some statements about your personal feelings. Please tell me whether you agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

I will feel, or felt, regret when my periods stopped for the last time.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	2415	15.0 %
2	Neutral	1474	9.1 %
3	Disagree	11843	73.4 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	283	1.8 %
	-	127	0.8 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,732 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 157-158 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

EXPECT: Q21e - Didn't know what to expect w/menopause

Now I am going to read you some statements about your personal feelings. Please tell me whether you agree, you feel neutral or you disagree with them.

I don't, or didn't, know what to expect with the menopause.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	7419	46.0 %
2	Neutral	2127	13.2 %
3	Disagree	6242	38.7 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	270	1.7 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	-	84	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,788 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 159-160 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

MISSION: Q22a - I have a mission or purpose in life

The next statements are about your general views of life. Please tell me whether you agree, feel neutral (have no opinion) or disagree with them.

I have a mission or purpose in life.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	14377	89.1 %
2	Neutral	1096	6.8 %
3	Disagree	549	3.4 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	58	0.4 %
	-	62	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,022 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 161-162 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

FAITH: Q22b - My faith sustains me

The next statements are about your general views of life. Please tell me whether you agree, feel neutral (have no opinion) or disagree with them.

My faith sustains me.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	12786	79.2 %
2	Neutral	1839	11.4 %
3	Disagree	1360	8.4 %
	Missing Data		
-9	Missing	1	0.0 %
-8	Don't know	86	0.5 %
-	-	70	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,985 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 163-164 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

DIFFICU: Q22c - Something in life helps through difficult times

The next statements are about your general views of life. Please tell me whether you agree, feel neutral (have no opinion) or disagree with them.

I have something meaningful in my life that helps me to get through difficult times.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Agree	15233	94.4 %
2	Neutral	475	2.9 %
3	Disagree	337	2.1 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	39	0.2 %
	-	58	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,045 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 165-166 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

QUALITY: Q23 - Quality of Life (QOL) at present time

Think about the quality of your life at the present time. I'd like you to give it a rating where 0 represents the worst possible quality for you and 10 represents the best possible quality for you. How would you rate your quality of life at the present time? Choose a number between 0 and 10.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	Worst possible quality for you	103	0.6 %
1	-	32	0.2 %
2	-	64	0.4 %
3	-	142	0.9 %
4	-	286	1.8 %
5	-	1256	7.8 %
6	-	1032	6.4 %
7	-	2831	17.5 %
8	-	5264	32.6 %
9	-	2272	14.1 %
10	Best possible quality for you	2700	16.7 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	85	0.5 %
	-	75	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,982 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 7.73Median: 8.00Mode: 8.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 10.00

• Standard Deviation: 1.75

Location: 167-168 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -1, .

CONTROL: Q24a - Unable to control important things in life

I would now like to ask you about your feelings over the past two weeks. Tell me how often you have felt or thought this way.

Felt unable to control important things in your life?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never	4856	30.1 %
2	Almost never	3763	23.3 %
3	Sometimes	5357	33.2 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
4	Fairly often	1130	7.0 %
5	Very often	827	5.1 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	67	0.4 %
	-	142	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,933 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 169-170 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

CONFIDE: Q24b - Felt confident could handle problems

I would now like to ask you about your feelings over the past two weeks. Tell me how often you have felt or thought this way.

Felt confident about your ability to handle your personal problems?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never	565	3.5 %
2	Almost never	654	4.1 %
3	Sometimes	3315	20.5 %
4	Fairly often	4025	24.9 %
5	Very often	7436	46.1 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	74	0.5 %
-	-	73	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,995 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 171-172 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

YOURWAY: Q24c - Felt things were going your way

I would now like to ask you about your feelings over the past two weeks. Tell me how often you have felt or thought this way.

Felt that things were going your way?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never	525	3.3 %
2	Almost never	731	4.5 %
3	Sometimes	5320	33.0 %
4	Fairly often	5023	31.1 %
5	Very often	4346	26.9 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	57	0.4 %
	-	140	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,945 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 173-174 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

OVERCOME: Q24d - Difficulties too high to overcome

I would now like to ask you about your feelings over the past two weeks. Tell me how often you have felt or thought this way.

Felt difficulties were piling so high that you could not overcome them?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never	6020	37.3 %
2	Almost never	4230	26.2 %
3	Sometimes	4295	26.6 %
4	Fairly often	835	5.2 %
5	Very often	643	4.0 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	46	0.3 %
-	-	73	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,023 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 175-176 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

HELPTALK: Q25 - Someone available to help/talk

How often is someone available to help you if you need someone to talk to or if you need help with daily chores?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never	959	5.9 %
2	Almost never	1554	9.6 %
3	Sometimes	3365	20.8 %
4	Fairly often	5641	34.9 %
5	Very often	4499	27.9 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Don't know	42	0.3 %
	-	82	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,018 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 177-178 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

CLOSE: Q26 - Number of close friends/relatives

About how many close friends and close relatives do you have - that is, people you feel at ease with and can talk to about what is on your mind?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	398	2.5 %
1	-	836	5.2 %
2	-	1701	10.5 %
3	-	2225	13.8 %
4	-	1874	11.6 %
5	-	2738	17.0 %
6	-	1464	9.1 %
7	-	536	3.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
8	-	628	3.9 %
9	-	101	0.6 %
10	-	1840	11.4 %
11	-	19	0.1 %
12	-	330	2.0 %
13	-	14	0.1 %
14	-	14	0.1 %
15	-	333	2.1 %
16	-	11	0.1 %
17	-	6	0.0 %
18	-	10	0.1 %
19	-	1	0.0 %
20	-	534	3.3 %
21	-	1	0.0 %
22	-	2	0.0 %
23	-	1	0.0 %
24	-	8	0.0 %
25	-	84	0.5 %
26	-	4	0.0 %
30	-	56	0.3 %
32	-	1	0.0 %
34	-	1	0.0 %
35	-	5	0.0 %
40	-	17	0.1 %
42	-	1	0.0 %
48	-	1	0.0 %
50	-	86	0.5 %
55	-	2	0.0 %
60		3	0.0 %
64	-	1	0.0 %
70		1	0.0 %
75	-	2	0.0 %
80		1	0.0 %
85	-	1	0.0 %
90		5	0.0 %
95	-	2	0.0 %
99	>= 99	21	0.1 %
	Missing Data		
-8	Do not know	140	0.9 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
-7	Refused	1	0.0 %
	-	81	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,920 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 6.44Median: 5.00Mode: 5.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 99.00

• Standard Deviation: 7.13

Location: 179-180 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, -1, .

WORK: Q27 - Currently working

Do you currently work at a job or business, not counting work around your house? (Include unpaid work in the family farm/business.)[Do not include unpaid volunteer work]

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	3975	24.6 %
2	Yes	12100	75.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	67	0.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,075 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 181-182 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -9, -8, -7, .

TOTALHRS: Q27.1 - Total hours a week worked

On average, how many total hours a week do you work, not counting work around the house?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Less than 35 hours	2590	16.0 %
2	35 hours or more	9490	58.8 %
	Missing Data		
		4062	25.2 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 12,080 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 183-184 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

MARITALGP: Current marital status/group

What is your current marital status?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Single, never married	2043	12.7 %
2	Currently married/living as married	10104	62.6 %
3	Separated or divorced	3305	20.5 %
4	Widowed	594	3.7 %
	Missing Data		
	-	96	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,046 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00 Maximum: 4.00

Location: 185-186 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

HOW_HARD: Q32 - How hard is it to pay for basics

How hard is it for you to pay for the very basics like food, housing, medical care, and heating? Would you say it is very hard, somewhat hard, or not very hard at all?

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Very hard	1910	11.8 %
2	Somewhat hard	5242	32.5 %
3	Not very hard at all	8899	55.1 %
	Missing Data		
	- -	91	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,051 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 187-188 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

(Range of) Missing Values: -8, -7, .

RACE: Race - primary race or ethnic group

How would you describe your primary racial or ethnic group? [If "12" probe: I understand that you may define yourself as of mixed ethnicity, however, for the research that we are doing it is critical to classify women by their ethnicity or race. Are you comfortable, for the purpose of our study, choosing one racial or ethnic category?] 01 Black, African American (African origin or descent) [NOTE: code other Blacks as other] 02 Puerto Rican 03 Mexican or Mexican American 04 Dominican 05 Central American 06 Cuban or Cuban American 07 South American, Spanish, other Hispanic 08 Chinese or Chinese American 09 Japanese or Japanese American 10 Caucasian/White non-Hispanic [European descent] 11 Other [Specify:_______]
12 No primary affiliation / "mixed" -77 Refused PLEASE NOTE: The above categories were condensed to five: 1 Black, African American 2 Chinese or Chinese American 3 Japanese or Japanese American 4 Caucasian/White non-Hispanic 5 Hispanic

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Black/African American	4351	27.0 %
2	Chinese/Chinese American	652	4.0 %
3	Japanese/Japanese American	855	5.3 %
4	Caucasian/White Non-Hispanic	7806	48.4 %
5	Hispanic	1911	11.8 %
	Missing Data		
•	-	567	3.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,575 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 189-189 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

IND_1A: Screener Part I S1.a - African-American

Next, would you describe yourself as belonging, even partly, to any of the following racial or ethnic groups?

African-American

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	9952	61.7 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
2	Yes	5966	37.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	224	1.4 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,918 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 190-191 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: -7,.

IND_1B: Screener Part I S1.b - Hispanic

Next, would you describe yourself as belonging, even partly, to any of the following racial or ethnic groups?

Hispanic

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	13735	85.1 %
2	Yes	2100	13.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	307	1.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,835 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 192-193 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: -7,.

IND_1C: Screener Part I S1.c - Japanese or Japanese-American

Next, would you describe yourself as belonging, even partly, to any of the following racial or ethnic groups?

Japanese or Japanese-American

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15060	93.3 %
2	Yes	911	5.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	171	1.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,971 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 194-195 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: -7,.

IND_1D: Screener Part I S1.d - Chinese or Chinese-American

Next, would you describe yourself as belonging, even partly, to any of the following racial or ethnic groups?

Chinese or Chinese-American

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	15254	94.5 %
2	Yes	716	4.4 %
	Missing Data		
	-	172	1.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,970 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 196-197 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: -7,.

IND_1E: Screener Part I S1.e - Caucasian, non-Hispanic

Next, would you describe yourself as belonging, even partly, to any of the following racial or ethnic groups?

Caucasian, non-Hispanic

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	No	7701	47.7 %
2	Yes	8349	51.7 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	92	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,050 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 2.00

Location: 198-199 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: -7,.

AGE: Age at screener II completion

Age at screener II completion rounded down to nearest year

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
40	-	883	5.5 %
41	-	982	6.1 %
42	-	1120	6.9 %
43	-	1115	6.9 %
44	-	1127	7.0 %
45	-	1132	7.0 %
46	-	1192	7.4 %
47	-	1214	7.5 %
48	-	1165	7.2 %
49	-	1157	7.2 %
50	-	954	5.9 %
51	-	875	5.4 %
52	-	858	5.3 %
53	-	898	5.6 %
54	-	871	5.4 %
55	-	599	3.7 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,142 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 47.09Median: 47.00Mode: 47.00Minimum: 40.00

• Maximum: 55.00

• Standard Deviation: 4.34

Location: 200-201 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

LMPMOS: Months since last menstrual period

Months since last menstrual period (LMPMOS) was calculated from the month, day, and year of the last menstrual period (LMP). For women who remembered the month and year but not the day, 15 was imputed for the missing day (except in 6 cases where the last day of the month was imputed to make the LMP date less than 3 months before the screener date). These cases are flagged (indicated by the variable MEN_FLAG) so that they may be set to missing in a particular analysis if this imputation is deemed inappropriate. The number of months since LMP was calculated from LMP date and Screener II completion date. Note that last menstrual period (LMP) date was collected only for those women who said they had a menstrual period in the last three months.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0.00	-	243	1.5 %
0.02	-	1	0.0 %
0.03	-	301	1.9 %
0.05	-	2	0.0 %
0.07	-	267	1.7 %
0.08	-	1	0.0 %
0.10	-	291	1.8 %
0.12	-	1	0.0 %
0.13	-	284	1.8 %
0.16	-	313	1.9 %
0.20	-	270	1.7 %
0.21	-	1	0.0 %
0.23	-	379	2.3 %
0.25	-	1	0.0 %
0.26	-	309	1.9 %
0.28	-	3	0.0 %
0.30	-	229	1.4 %
0.31	-	2	0.0 %
0.33	-	277	1.7 %
0.35	-	1	0.0 %
0.36	-	265	1.6 %
0.38	-	2	0.0 %
0.39	-	250	1.5 %
0.43	-	271	1.7 %
0.44	-	2	0.0 %
0.46	-	408	2.5 %
0.48	-	2	0.0 %

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0.90 - 1 0.	.0 %
0.92 - 147 0.	.9 %
0.95 - 124 0.	.8 %
0.99 - 108 0.	.7 %
Missing Data	
6818 42	2 %
Total 16,142 10	00%

Please note that only the first 50 response categories are displayed in the PDF codebook. To view all response categories, please analyze the data file in the statistical package of your choice (SAS, SPSS, Stata, R).

Based upon 9,324 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 0.60Median: 0.49Mode: 0.46Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 3.58

• Standard Deviation: 0.48

Location: 202-205 (width: 4; decimal: 2)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

STATUS: Menopausal status considering hormones

Menopausal status (STATUS) was coded as:

- 2: if the participant had not had a menstrual period in the past 12 months (natural post)
- 3: if the participant had bleeding in the preceding 12 but not the preceding 3 months (late perimenopausal)
- 4: if the participant had a menstrual period in the past 3 months and had experienced irregularity (from Q13) (early perimenopausal)
- 5: if the participant had a menstrual period in the past 3 months and had not experienced irregularity (premenopausal)

7: if the participant had experienced bleeding in the past 12 months and had used reproductive hormones in the past 3 months (undetermined due to HT use). Menopause status is undetermined for recent hormone users reporting bleeding in the past 12 months because the bleeding may have been due to either the hormone use or to natural bleeding patterns.

Menopause status was set to missing for women who reported 12+ months of amenorrhea and said that their periods had stopped because of medication, pregnancy, or severe weight loss. Menopause status was also set to missing for women who had either a hysterectomy (Q11a) and/or oophorectomy (Q11b) because a positive answer to either surgical question caused the last menstrual period questions (Q12-14) to be skipped, so a determination of post prior to surgery was not available.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
2	Natural post	2293	14.2 %
3	Late perimenopausal	637	3.9 %
4	Early perimenopausal	3660	22.7 %
5	Premenopausal	4653	28.8 %
7	Undetermined	1185	7.3 %
	Missing Data		
	-	3714	23.0 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 12,428 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 2.00Maximum: 7.00

Location: 206-206 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

MEN_FLAG: Flag for imputed day of last menstrual period

For women who remembered the month and year but not the day of their last menstrual period (LMP), 15 was imputed for the missing day (except in 6 cases where the last day of the month was imputed to make the last menstrual period (LMP) date less than 3 months before the screener date). These cases are flagged (indicated by the variable MEN_FLAG) so that they may be set to missing in a particular analysis if this imputation is deemed inappropriate.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	No	15673	97.1 %
1	Yes	418	2.6 %
	Missing Data		

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
		51	0.3 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,091 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 1.00

Location: 207-207 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

HORMEVER: Hormone use

Ever-use of reproductive hormones (HORMEVER) was derived from Q15-16.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	Never used hormones	3678	22.8 %
1	Ever used hormones	12375	76.7 %
	Missing Data		
	-	89	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,053 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 1.00

Location: 208-208 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

SMOKER: Current smoking

Current smoking (SMOKER) was calculated from Q9 and Q9.1, so that participants who had never smoked are coded as 0 (no).

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	Not a current smoker	12348	76.5 %
1	Current smoker	3646	22.6 %
	Missing Data		
	-	148	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,994 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 1.00

Location: 209-209 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

SMOKING: 3 category smoking - smoking history

A 3-category smoking variable (SMOKING) was created from questions 9 and 9.1. and indicates: 1: never smoked 2: past smoker only 3: current smoker

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Never smoked	8386	52.0 %
2	Past smoker	3962	24.5 %
3	Current smoker	3646	22.6 %
	Missing Data		
-	-	148	0.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,994 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 210-210 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

NUM_CIG: Number of cigarettes per day - 0 if non-smoker

The average number of cigarettes currently smoked per day (NUM_CIG) was created from questions 9, 9.1, and 9.2, and was coded 0 for all those not currently smoking (the 0's include those who never smoked, those who smoked only in the past, plus a few current smokers who indicated an average consumption of 0 cigarettes per day).

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0		12419	76.9 %
1	-	86	0.5 %
2	-	89	0.6 %
3	-	106	0.7 %
4	-	98	0.6 %
5	-	217	1.3 %
6	-	130	0.8 %
7	-	75	0.5 %
8	-	86	0.5 %
9	-	18	0.1 %
10	-	718	4.4 %
11	-	13	0.1 %
12	-	83	0.5 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
13	-	13	0.1 %
14	-	12	0.1 %
15	-	312	1.9 %
16	-	11	0.1 %
17	-	14	0.1 %
18	-	17	0.1 %
20	-	989	6.1 %
21	-	3	0.0 %
22	-	2	0.0 %
23	-	2	0.0 %
24	-	8	0.0 %
25	-	47	0.3 %
26	-	2	0.0 %
28	-	1	0.0 %
30	-	225	1.4 %
32	-	1	0.0 %
35	-	15	0.1 %
40	-	132	0.8 %
41	-	1	0.0 %
45	-	2	0.0 %
50	-	13	0.1 %
55	-	1	0.0 %
60	-	10	0.1 %
70	-	1	0.0 %
80	-	2	0.0 %
90	-	1	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	167	1.0 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,975 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 3.38Median: 0.00Mode: 0.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 90.00

• Standard Deviation: 7.85

Location: 211-212 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

DEGREE: Education

A 5-category education variable (DEGREE) was created from question 28, and indicates 1: Less than High School 2: High school only 3: Some College/Technical School 4: College degree 5: Post Graduate Education

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Less than high school	1601	9.9 %
2	High school graduate	4219	26.1 %
3	Some college/technical school	5044	31.2 %
4	College graduate	2651	16.4 %
5	Post graduate education	2540	15.7 %
	Missing Data		
		87	0.5 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,055 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 213-213 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

P_STRESS: Perceived stress: sum of Q24a - d; b, c recoded

Perceived stress (P_STRESS) was created from questions 24a-24d. Scores can range from 4 to 20, with 20 the maximum perceived stress.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
4	-	1363	8.4 %
5	-	1400	8.7 %
6	-	1781	11.0 %
7	-	1623	10.1 %
8	-	1942	12.0 %
9	-	1570	9.7 %
10	-	1780	11.0 %
11	-	1297	8.0 %
12	-	1493	9.2 %
13	-	636	3.9 %
14	-	411	2.5 %
15	-	203	1.3 %
16	-	147	0.9 %
17	-	70	0.4 %
18	-	52	0.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
19	-	11	0.1 %
20	Maximum perceived stress	19	0.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	344	2.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,798 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 8.63Median: 8.00Mode: 8.00Minimum: 4.00Maximum: 20.00

• Standard Deviation: 3.04

Location: 214-215 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

SF36PF: Q5.1 - Disability score scaled sum: 0 - 100 (100 = not limited)

A disability score (SF36PF) was computed from questions 5 and the ten sub questions of 5.1. Scores range from 0 to 100. A score of "0" indicates a high degree of disability. (A score of 100 is assigned those answering NO to question 5- or, for 69 women, YES to question 5 and "3" to all sub questions of 5.1. For women who responded to at least five, but not all ten sub questions, the SF36PF is the average of the non-missing responses, times ten. NSF36 represents the number of non-missing responses).

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	High degree of disability	59	0.4 %
5	-	98	0.6 %
6	-	1	0.0 %
10	-	114	0.7 %
11	-	6	0.0 %
15	-	131	0.8 %
17	-	4	0.0 %
19	-	2	0.0 %
20	-	142	0.9 %
21	-	1	0.0 %
22	-	3	0.0 %
25	-	138	0.9 %
28	-	4	0.0 %
30	-	154	1.0 %
31	-	2	0.0 %
33	-	8	0.0 %
35	-	147	0.9 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
36	-	2	0.0 %
38	-	1	0.0 %
39	-	8	0.0 %
40	-	137	0.8 %
42	-	1	0.0 %
44	-	7	0.0 %
45	-	138	0.9 %
50	-	154	1.0 %
55	-	155	1.0 %
56	-	12	0.1 %
57	-	2	0.0 %
60	-	160	1.0 %
61	-	9	0.1 %
63	-	3	0.0 %
64	-	2	0.0 %
65	-	143	0.9 %
67	-	10	0.1 %
69	-	1	0.0 %
70	-	151	0.9 %
71	-	2	0.0 %
72	-	7	0.0 %
75	-	162	1.0 %
78	-	11	0.1 %
79	-	1	0.0 %
80	-	194	1.2 %
81	-	1	0.0 %
83	-	10	0.1 %
85	-	172	1.1 %
86	-	1	0.0 %
89	-	6	0.0 %
90	-	183	1.1 %
92	-	1	0.0 %
94	-	3	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	91	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

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Based upon 16,051 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 91.03Median: 100.00Mode: 100.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 100.00

• Standard Deviation: 22.13

Location: 216-218 (width: 3; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

NSF36: Number of non-missing repsonses to Q5.1

A disability score (SF36PF) was computed from questions 5 and the ten sub questions of 5.1. Scores range from 0 to 100. A score of "0" indicates a high degree of disability. (A score of 100 is assigned those answering NO to question 5- or, for 69 women, YES to question 5 and "3" to all sub questions of 5.1. For women who responded to at least five, but not all ten sub questions, the SF36PF is the average of the non-missing responses, times ten. NSF36 represents the number of non-missing responses).

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	-	35	0.2 %
1	-	2	0.0 %
4	-	3	0.0 %
6	-	2	0.0 %
7	-	13	0.1 %
8	-	22	0.1 %
9	-	112	0.7 %
10	-	15902	98.5 %
	Missing Data		
	-	51	0.3 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,091 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 9.96Median: 10.00Mode: 10.00Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 10.00

• Standard Deviation: 0.50

Location: 219-220 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

DISABLE: Q5 and Q5.1 - 3 category disability

A 3-category disability variable (DISABLE) was also created from questions 5 and 5.1. Women who respond NO to question 5 form category 1 (no disability); women who respond YES to question 5 with SF36PF > 50 form category 2; women with YES to question 5 and SF36PF = 50 form category 3.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Not	12976	80.4 %
2	Little (sf>50)	1612	10.0 %
3	Lot (sf<=50)	1462	9.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	92	0.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,050 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 3.00

Location: 221-221 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

BMI: Body Mass Index - kg/m2

Body mass index (BMI) was calculated from metric height and weight measures.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
14.69000000000	-	1	0.0 %
14.84000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.36000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.570000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.59000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.63000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.67000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.78000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.79000000000	-	4	0.0 %
15.92000000000	-	1	0.0 %
15.94000000000	-	3	0.0 %
16.04000000000	-	2	0.0 %
16.14000000000	-	1	0.0 %
16.180000000000	-	1	0.0 %
16.23000000000	-	2	0.0 %
16.33000000000	-	2	0.0 %
16.37000000000	-	1	0.0 %
16.41000000000	-	1	0.0 %
16.44000000000	-	1	0.0 %

16.45000000000	Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
16.56000000000	16.450000000000	-	2	0.0 %
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		Total	16,142	100%

Please note that only the first 50 response categories are displayed in the PDF codebook. To view all response categories, please analyze the data file in the statistical package of your choice (SAS, SPSS, Stata, R).

Based upon 15,554 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 27.148983525393Minimum: 14.690000000000Maximum: 70.590000000000

• Standard Deviation: 6.475353317227

Location: 222-236 (width: 15; decimal: 12)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

BMI_FLAG: Body Mass Index Flag <14 or >72 kg/m2

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	Body Mass Index (BMI) acceptable range	16121	99.9 %
1	Body Mass Index (BMI) < 14 or > 72 kg/m2	9	0.1 %
	Missing Data		
	- -	12	0.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,130 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 1.00

Location: 237-237 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

WTKGGP: Five kilogram interval weight categories - truncated tails

Weight groups in 5 kilogram intervals (WTKGGP) was created. The lower tail of the distribution was collapsed using the cut off point of less than 40 kilograms and the upper tail of the distribution was collapsed using the cut off point of greater than or equal to 166 kilograms.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	0-39.99 kgs	14	0.1 %
2	40-45.99 kgs	230	1.4 %
3	46-50.99 kgs	724	4.5 %
4	51-55.99 kgs	1460	9.0 %
5	56-60.99 kgs	2069	12.8 %
6	61-65.99 kgs	2109	13.1 %
7	66-70.99 kgs	2308	14.3 %
8	71-75.99 kgs	1482	9.2 %
9	76-80.99 kgs	1172	7.3 %
10	81-85.99 kgs	1070	6.6 %
11	86-90.99 kgs	701	4.3 %
12	91-95.99 kgs	844	5.2 %
13	96-100.99 kgs	370	2.3 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
14	101-105.99 kgs	271	1.7 %
15	106-110.99 kgs	192	1.2 %
16	111-115.99 kgs	233	1.4 %
17	116-120.99 kgs	136	0.8 %
18	121-125.99 kgs	77	0.5 %
19	126-130.99 kgs	56	0.3 %
20	131-135.99 kgs	39	0.2 %
21	136-140.99 kgs	64	0.4 %
22	141-145.99 kgs	17	0.1 %
23	146-150.99 kgs	17	0.1 %
24	151-155.99 kgs	4	0.0 %
25	156-160.99 kgs	18	0.1 %
26	161-165.99 kgs	4	0.0 %
27	166-210 kgs	7	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	454	2.8 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 15,688 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 1.00Maximum: 27.00

Location: 238-239 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric

AGE_R_HYST: Reported age at hysterectomy

Reported age at hysterectomy (AGE_R_HYST) was created by taking the reported year of birth and subtracting it from the reported year of hysterectomy. In addition, the lower tail of the distribution was collapsed using the cut point of less than or equal to 20 years of age.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
20	-	17	0.1 %
21	-	11	0.1 %
22	-	9	0.1 %
23	-	23	0.1 %
24	-	24	0.1 %
25	-	34	0.2 %
26	-	46	0.3 %
27	-	47	0.3 %
28	-	69	0.4 %
29	-	94	0.6 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
30	-	90	0.6 %
31	-	95	0.6 %
32	-	85	0.5 %
33	-	118	0.7 %
34	-	108	0.7 %
35	-	125	0.8 %
36	-	132	0.8 %
37	-	132	0.8 %
38	-	151	0.9 %
39	-	161	1.0 %
40	-	179	1.1 %
41	-	193	1.2 %
42	- -	178	1.1 %
43	-	147	0.9 %
44	-	144	0.9 %
45	-	137	0.8 %
46	-	145	0.9 %
47	-	100	0.6 %
48	-	87	0.5 %
49	-	70	0.4 %
50	-	42	0.3 %
51	-	38	0.2 %
52	-	19	0.1 %
53	-	12	0.1 %
54	- -	9	0.1 %
55	-	6	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	13065	80.9 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 3,077 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 38.55Median: 39.00Mode: 41.00Minimum: 20.00Maximum: 55.00

• Standard Deviation: 7.01

Location: 240-241 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

AGE_R_OOPH: Reported age at oophorectomy

Reported age at oophorectomy (AGE_R_OOPH) was created by taking the reported year of birth and subtracting it from the reported year of oophorectomy. In addition, the lower tail of the distribution was collapsed using the cut point of less than or equal to 20 year of age.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
20	-	11	0.1 %
21	-	7	0.0 %
22	-	3	0.0 %
23	-	4	0.0 %
24	-	8	0.0 %
25	-	15	0.1 %
26	-	14	0.1 %
27	-	23	0.1 %
28	-	25	0.2 %
29	-	43	0.3 %
30	-	36	0.2 %
31	-	34	0.2 %
32	-	24	0.1 %
33	-	32	0.2 %
34	-	38	0.2 %
35	-	47	0.3 %
36	-	42	0.3 %
37	-	52	0.3 %
38	-	56	0.3 %
39	-	54	0.3 %
40	-	63	0.4 %
41	-	81	0.5 %
42	-	78	0.5 %
43	-	67	0.4 %
44	-	84	0.5 %
45	-	85	0.5 %
46	-	101	0.6 %
47	-	80	0.5 %
48	-	59	0.4 %
49	-	57	0.4 %
50	-	39	0.2 %
51	-	36	0.2 %
52	-	18	0.1 %
53	-	14	0.1 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
54	-	7	0.0 %
55	-	6	0.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	14699	91.1 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 1,443 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 40.41Median: 42.00Mode: 46.00Minimum: 20.00Maximum: 55.00

• Standard Deviation: 7.42

Location: 242-243 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

AGE_R_LMP: Reported age at last menstrual period

Reported age at last menstrual period (AGE_R_LMP) was created by taking the reported year of birth and subtracting it from the reported year of the last menstrual period. Note that this question was asked only of participants who had reported no menstrual period in the last 12 months. The variable LMPMOS calculates the number of months since last menstrual period for those women who reported bleeding within the past 3 months.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
15		1	0.0 %
16	-	1	0.0 %
17	-	1	0.0 %
18	-	3	0.0 %
19	-	1	0.0 %
22	-	1	0.0 %
23	-	1	0.0 %
24	-	1	0.0 %
26	-	4	0.0 %
27	-	4	0.0 %
28	-	2	0.0 %
29	-	6	0.0 %
30	-	5	0.0 %
31	-	4	0.0 %
32	-	6	0.0 %
33	-	3	0.0 %
34	-	8	0.0 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
35	-	21	0.1 %
36	-	10	0.1 %
37	-	16	0.1 %
38	-	33	0.2 %
39	-	43	0.3 %
40	-	61	0.4 %
41	-	56	0.3 %
42	-	84	0.5 %
43	-	90	0.6 %
44	-	140	0.9 %
45	-	131	0.8 %
46	-	173	1.1 %
47	-	193	1.2 %
48	-	247	1.5 %
49	-	295	1.8 %
50	-	257	1.6 %
51	-	210	1.3 %
52	-	184	1.1 %
53	-	135	0.8 %
54	-	45	0.3 %
55	-	10	0.1 %
	Missing Data		
	-	13656	84.6 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 2,486 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Mean: 47.01Median: 48.00Mode: 49.00Minimum: 15.00Maximum: 55.00

• Standard Deviation: 4.95

Location: 244-245 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .

NUMCHILD: Number of children - 5+ in one group

Number of children (NUMCHILD) was created from Q18. The upper tail of the distribution was collapsed using the cut point of greater than or equal to 5 children.

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
0	No children	2584	16.0 %
1	1 child	2706	16.8 %
2	2 children	5248	32.5 %
3	3 children	3192	19.8 %
4	4 children	1422	8.8 %
5	5 or more children	963	6.0 %
	Missing Data		
	-	27	0.2 %
	Total	16,142	100%

Based upon 16,115 valid cases out of 16,142 total cases.

Minimum: 0.00Maximum: 5.00

Location: 246-246 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

Variable Type: numeric (Range of) Missing Values: .