**CSER HARMONIZED MEASURE REPOSITORY: Income**

| **Template topic** | **Definition/Note** Income (Adult) |
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| **Measure name and acronym** | income |
| **Source citation for original measure** | Adapted from NHANES 2009 Demographic Background and Occupation Section, Family Questionnaire and the U.S. Census American Community Survey |
| **Category of assessment (construct/ CSER framework location)** | Patient Factors (Demographic) |
| **Description of measure** | This question asks for the respondent to report their household’s total income and the number of people supported by that income. Limited psychometric information is available because this is a self-report of factual information that does not attempt to measure a larger construct. |
| **Operational definition of construct** | See links for original |
| **Summary of changes made to measure for CSER (“CSER-adapted scale”), if any** | CSER added income categories instead of asking for an exact income amount to be reported. |
| **Time to administer** | With measures: sex, Age, language, income, education level, insurance status, and country of origin combined estimated: 00:01:20 |
| **Target Respondent(s)** | Adult Patient |
| **Age range(s) or respondents** | entire population |
| **Number of items** | Original scale n/a |
| CSER adapted 2 |
| **Subscales and items per subscale** | Original scale n/a |
| CSER adapted n/a |
| **Response scale (including anchor labels)** | Original scale n/a |
| CSER adapted n/a |
| **Scoring instructions** | Original Scale n/a |
| CSER adapted n/a |
| **Validated cutoff scores, if any** | n/a |
| **Norms (if available)** | Original scale n/a |
| **Contact for permission to use/adapt (associated cost)** | N/A |
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| **Validated administration modes** | Paper and pencil, computer, interview |
| **Original measure languages available** | See links provided below for information about original measures |
| **Evidence for validity (provide type and values if available)** | n/a |
| **Evidence for sensitivity to change** | n/a |
| **Relevant references in genetics or genomics** | n/a |

**Paste original scale below**

[**https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/nhanes/continuousnhanes/default.aspx?BeginYear=2009**](https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/nhanes/continuousnhanes/default.aspx?BeginYear=2009)**:**

**more specifically:** [**https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nhanes/2009-2010/questionnaires/inq\_f\_eng.pdf**](https://wwwn.cdc.gov/nchs/data/nhanes/2009-2010/questionnaires/inq_f_eng.pdf)

[**https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/methodology/questionnaires/2009/quest09.pdf?#**](https://www2.census.gov/programs-surveys/acs/methodology/questionnaires/2009/quest09.pdf?)

**Original citation: Measures: Sociodemographics No. of items: 7 Origin: Adapted from NHANES 2009 Demographic Background and Occupation Section, Family Questionnaire and the U.S. Census American Community Survey Time points: Decliner, BL**

**Paste CSER adaptation below**

**What was your household’s total family income (before taxes) from all sources in the last year?** (Check one)

□0$5,000 to $9,999

□1$10,000 to $14,999

□2$15,000 to $19,999

□3$20,000 to $24,999

□4$25,000 to $29,999

□5$30,000 to $39,999

□6$40,000 to $49,999

□7$50,000 to $59,999

□8$60,000 to $69,999

□9$70,000 to $79,999

□10$80,000 to $99,999

□11$100,000 to $119,999

□12$120,000 to $139,999

□13$140,000 or more

**OR USE BRIEFER ALTERNATIVE SET OF RESPONSES**

□0Less than $20,000

□1$20,000 to $39,999

□2$40,000 to $59,999

□3$60,000 to $79,999

□4$80,000 to $99,999

□5$100,000 to $139,999

□6$140,000 or more

**Second item:**

How many people (children and adults) were supported by this income in the last year?  \_\_\_\_\_

**Paste or list CSER site-specific adaptation/deviation below**

**Baylor: briefer alternative, 2 items**

**Hudson/Alpha: longer alternative, 2 items**

**CHARM: briefer alternative, 2 items**

**Mt. Sinai: longer alternative, 2 items**

**(Also included for those administering surveys a break down of the income monthly and biweekly)**

**UCSF: longer alternative, 1 item (does not have the second question)**

**UNC: longer alternative, 2 items**