**Table 1: Variables retained in the dataset**

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| **Parameter or Survey Question** | **Variable Type** | **Variable Name(s)** | **Cluster Variant or Invariant?** |
| Subject ID number | Numeric | AID | Invariant |
| Sex | Binary | BIO\_SEX | Invariant |
| Age | Numeric | AGE | Variant |
| Time (wave) | Categorical  (4 levels) | time | Variant |
| How do you think of yourself in terms of **weight**? | Categorical  (5 levels) | weight | Variant |
| During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously think about committing **suicide**? | Binary | outcome\_suicide,  outcome\_num | Variant |
| During the past 12 months, how often did you **lie** to your parents or guardians | Categorical  (4 levels) | lie | Variant |
| How much do you feel that your family pays **attention** to you? | Categorical  (6 levels) | fam\_attention | Variant |
| How much do you feel that your friends **care** about you? | Categorical  (6 levels) | fri\_care | Variant |
| During the past week, how many times, did you just hang out or **talk** with friends? | Categorical  (4 levels) | fri\_talk | Variant |
| In the past 12 months, how often did you take part in a **fight** where a group of your friends was against another group? | Categorical  (4 levels) | fight | Variant |
| Support Score | Numeric | support | Variant |