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| Census Var Name | Description | Type | Comment | Census File | NHIES Q # | Type | Comment | Status |
| REGION | REGION CODE | DISCRETE | There are 13 regions in Namibia which are the administrative divisions. Consult the code book | HOUSING\_REC,  PERSON\_REC |  |  |  | Done |
| CONSTITUENCY | CONSTITUENCY CODE | DISCRETE | There are 107 Constituencies in Namibia which are the administrative divisions. Consult the code book. | HOUSING\_REC,  PERSON\_REC |  |  |  | Done |
| URBAN\_RURAL | URBAN / RURAL CODE | DISCRETE | 1 = URBAN, 2 = RURAL | HOUSING\_REC,  PERSON\_REC | rururb |  |  | Done |
| HH\_TYPE |  |  | Indicate whether the household is Conventional or Institutional by entering an appropriate three-digit code:  100 – CONVENTIONAL HOUSEHOLDS | HOUSING\_REC,  PERSON\_REC |  |  |  | Done |
| HOUSEHOLD\_SERIAL\_NUMBER | HOUSEHOLD IDENTIFIER | CONTINUOUS |  | HOUSING\_REC,  PERSON\_REC | hid |  |  | Done |
| H1 | H1. Housing Type | DISCRETE | * 1 - detached house, (map to 1) * 2 - semi-detached house or townhouse, (map to 6) * 3 - apartment, (map to 3) * 4 - guest flat, (map to 3) * 5 - part commercial or industrial, (map to 7) * 6 - mobile home, (map to 9) * 7 - single quarters, (map to 9) * 8 - traditional dwelling, (map to 8) * 9 - impoverished housing unit or shack, (map to 8) * 10 – other (map to 9) | HOUSING\_REC | dweltyp | DISCRETE | * 1 - Detached house * 2 - Multi-family house * 3 - Separate apartment * 4 - Communal apartment * 5 - Room in a larger dwelling * 6 - Several buildings connected * 7 - Several separate buildings * 8 - Improvised housing unit * 9 - Other | Done |
| H4 | H4. Sleeping Rooms | CONTINUOUS | This is the number of rooms that are used for sleeping purposes; this includes living rooms, dining rooms, study rooms and kitchens. If a garage is used as a sleeping room counts it so. But exclude bathrooms, toilets, stoops, verandas, and passageways. | HOUSING\_REC | rooms | CONTINUOUS | Include Kitchens, Sitting Rooms, Bathrooms, Hallways Or Verandas If Used For Sleeping | Done |
| H5 | H5. Outer Walls | DISCRETE | * 1 – Cement Blocks/Brick/Stones (map to 13) * 2 – Burnt Bricks/Face Bricks (map to 19) * 3 – Mud/Day Bricks (map to 3) * 4 – Corrugated Iron/Zinc (map to 18) * 5 – Prefabricated Materials (map to 17) * 6 – Wood Poles/Sticks or Grass/Reeds (map to 10) * 7 – Sticks with Mud/Clay and/Cow Dung (map to 10) * 8 – Tin (map to 19) * 9 – Other (map to 19) | HOUSING\_REC | wall | DISCRETE | * 1 = Natural – Cane/palm/trunks, * 2 = Natural – Dirt, * 3 = Natural – Other, * 4 = Rudimentary – Bamboo with mud, * 5 = Rudimentary – Stone with mud, * 6 = Rudimentary – Uncovered adobe, * 7 = Rudimentary – Plywood, * 8 = Rudimentary – Cardboard, * 9 = Rudimentary – Reused wood, * 10 = Rudimentary – Other, * 11 = Finished – Woven Bamboo, * 12 = Finished – Stone with lime/cement, * 13 = Finished – Cement blocks, * 14 = Finished – Covered adobe, * 15 = Finished – Wood planks/shingles, * 16 = Finished – Plaster wire, * 17 = Finished – GRC/Gypsum/Asbestos, * 18 = Finished – Other, * 19 = Other | Done |
| H6 | H6. Roof | DISCRETE | * 1 – Corrugated iron sheets (map to 12) * 2 – Asbestos sheets (map to 9) * 3 – Brick tiles (map to 7) * 4 – Concrete (map to 11) * 5 – Thatch / Grass (map to 1) * 6 – Slate (map to 15) * 7 – Wood covered with malthoid (map to 15) * 8 – Sticks with Mud/Clay and/Cow Dung (map to 3) * 9 – Tin (map to 15) * 10 – Other (map to 15) | HOUSING\_REC | roof | DISCRETE | * 1 = Natural – Thatch/palm leaf, * 2 = Natural – Sod, * 3 = Natural – Other, * 4 = Rudimentary – Rustic mat, * 5 = Rudimentary – Palm/bamboo, * 6 = Rudimentary – Wood planks, * 7 = Rudimentary – Other, * 8 = Finished – Roofing, * 9 = Finished – Asbestos, * 10 = Finished – Tile, * 11 = Finished – Concrete, * 12 = Finished – Metal tile, * 13 = Finished – Roofing shingles, * 14 = Finished – Other, * 15 = Other – Specific | Done |
| H7 | H7. Floor | DISCRETE | * 1 – Sand / Earth (map to 1) * 2 – Cement (map to 11) * 3 – Mud / Clay (map to 3) * 4 – Wood (map to 4) * 5 – Concrete (map to 11) * 6 – Tiles (ceramic / wood / plastic) * 7 – Other | HOUSING\_REC | floor | DISCRETE | * 1 = Natural - Earth/sand, * 2 = Natural - Dung, * 3 = Natural - Other, * 4 = Rudimentary - Wood planks, * 5 = Rudimentary - Palm/bamboo, * 6 = Rudimentary - Other, * 7 = Finished - Parquet or polished wood, * 8 = Finished - Vinyl or asphalt strips, * 9 = Finished - Ceramic/marble/granite, * 10 = Finished - Floor tiles/teraso, * 11 = Finished - Cement/red bricks, * 12 = Finished - Carpet, * 13 = Finished - Other, * 14 = Other - Specific | Done |
| H8A | H8A. Energy Source: Cooking | DISCRETE | * 1 – Electricity from Mains (map to 4) * 2 – Electricity from Generator (map to 4) * 3 – Gas (map to 5) * 4 – Paraffin / Kerosene (map to 2) * 5 – Wood / Charcoal from Wood (map to 1) * 6 – Charcoal coal (map to 3) * 8 – Animal Dung (map to 9) * 9 – Solar Energy (map to 9) * 11 – Other (map to 9) | HOUSING\_REC | fuelcook | DISCRETE | * 1 = Firewood, * 2 = Kerosene, * 3 = Charcoal, * 4 = Electricity, * 5 = Gas, * 9 = Other, * 10 = None | Done |
| H8B | H8B. Energy Source: Lighting | DISCRETE | * 1 – Electricity from Mains (map to 1) * 2 – Electricity from Generator (map to 1) * 3 – Gas (map to 4) * 4 – Paraffin / Kerosene (map to 2) * 5 – Wood / Charcoal from Wood (map to 9) * 6 – Charcoal coal (map to 9) * 7 – Candles (map to 3) * 8 – Animal Dung (map to 9) * 9 – Solar Energy (map to 9) * 11 – Other (map to 10) | HOUSING\_REC | fuelligh | DISCRETE | * 1 = Electricity, * 2 = Kerosene, * 3 = Candles, * 4 = Gas, * 9 = Other, * 10 = None | Done |
| H8C | H8C. Energy Source: Heating | DISCRETE | * 1 – Electricity from Mains (map to 4) * 2 – Electricity from Generator (map to 4) * 3 – Gas (map to 5) * 5 – Wood / Charcoal from Wood (map to 1) * 6 – Charcoal coal (map to 3) * 8 – Animal Dung (map to 9) * 9 – Solar Energy (map to 9) * 10 – None (map to 10) * 11 – Other (map to 9) | HOUSING\_REC | heatsource | DISCRETE | * 1 = Firewood, * 2 = Kerosene, * 3 = Charcoal, * 4 = Electricity, * 5 = Gas, * 6 = Central, * 9 = Other, * 10 = No heating | Done |
| H9 | H9. Water Source | DISCRETE | What is the household's MAIN source of water for cooking and drinking?   * 1 – Piped Water Inside (map to 1) * 2 – Piped Water Outside (map to 2) * 3 – Public Pipe (map to 3) * 4 – Borehole with tank covered (map to 4) * 5 – Borehole with open tank (map to 4) * 6 – River / Dam / Stream (map to 13) * 7 – Canal (map to 13) * 8 – Well protected (map to 5) * 9 – Well unprotected (map to 10) * 10 – Other (map to 14) | HOUSING\_REC | water14 | DISCRETE | * 1 = Piped water into dwelling, * 2 = Piped water to yard/plot, * 3 = Public tap or standpipe, * 4 = Tube well or borehole, * 5 = Protected dug well, * 6 = Protected spring, * 7 = Bottled water, * 8 = Rainwater, * 9 = Unprotected spring, * 10 = Unprotected dug well, * 11 = Cart with small tank/drum, * 12 = Tanker-truck, * 13 = Surface water, * 14 = Other | Done |
| H10 | H10. Toilet Facility | DISCRETE | * 1 – Private Flush Connected to Main Sewer (map to 2) * 2 – Shared Flush Connected to Main Sewer (map to 2) * 3 – Private Flush Connected to Septic/Cesspool (map to 3) * 4 – Shared Flush Connected to Septic/Cesspool (map to 3) * 5 – Pit Latrine with Ventilation Pipe (map to 5) * 6 – Covered Pit Latrine without Ventilation Pipe (map to 6) * 7 – Uncovered Pit Latrine without Ventilation Pipe (map to 10) * 8 – Bucket Toilet (map to 11) * 9 – No Toilet Facility (map to 13) * 10 – Other (map to 14) | HOUSING\_REC | toilet14 | DISCRETE | * 1 = A flush toilet, * 2 = A piped sewer system, * 3 = A septic tank, * 4 = Pit latrine, * 5 = Ventilated improved pit latrine (VIP), * 6 = Pit latrine with slab, * 7 = Composting toilet, * 8 = Special case, * 9 = A flush/pour flush to elsewhere, * 10 = A pit latrine without slab, * 11 = Bucket, * 12 = Hanging toilet or hanging latrine, * 13 = No facilities or bush or field, * 14 = Other | Done |
| HWGT | Housing Weight |  | Conventional households  Value:  1 – 1.2%  5 – 98.8% | HOUSING\_REC | wta\_hh |  |  | Done |
| B3 | B3. Relationship | DISCRETE | * 0 * 1 – Head (map to 1) * 2 – Spouse (map to 2) * 3 – Son/Daughter (map to 3) * 4 – Son/Daughter in Law (map to 6) * 5 – Grand child (map to 5) * 6 – Parent (map to 4) * 7 – Other Relative (map to 7) * 8 – Domestic Worker (map to 8) * 9 – Other Non-Relative (map of 9) * 99 – Don’t know | PERSON\_REC | relathh9 | DISCRETE | * 1 = Head, * 2 = Spouse, * 3 = Child, * 4 = Parents/parents-in-law, * 5 = Grandchild, * 6 = Son-in-law/daughter-in-law, * 7 = Other relative, * 8 = Domestic help/boarder, * 9 = Non-relative | Done |
| B4 | B4: Sex | DISCRETE | * 1 – Female * 2 – Male | PERSON\_REC | sex |  | 0 – Female; 1 – Male | Done |
| B5 | B5: Age | DISCRETE | * 0 * 1-4 * 5-9 * 10-14 * 15-19 * 20-24 * 25-29 * 30-34 * 35-39 * 40-44 * 45-49 * 50-54 * 55-59 * 60-64 * 65-74 * 75+ | PERSON\_REC | agecat | CONTINUOUS |  | Done |
| B8 | B8. Marital Status | DISCRETE | * 1 – Never Married (map to 2) * 2 – Married with Certificate (map to 1) * 3 – Married Traditionally (map to 1) * 4 – Consensual Union (map to 3) * 5 – Divorced (map to 4) * 6 – Widowed (map to 5) * 7 – Separated (map to 4) * 99 – Don’t know | PERSON\_REC | marital5 | DISCRETE | 1 = Married,  2 = Never married,  3 = Living together,  4 = Divorced/Separated,  5 = Widowed | Done |
| B19B | B19B. ICT: Radio | DISCRETE | 1 – Had access to Radio in the last month | PERSON\_REC | radio | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| B19C | B19C. ICT: TV | DISCRETE | 2 – Had access to TV in the last month | PERSON\_REC | television | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| B19D | B19D. ICT: Computer | DISCRETE | 3 – Had access to Computer in the last month | PERSON\_REC | computer | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| B19E | B19E. ICT: Cell Phone | DISCRETE | 4 – Had access to Cell Phone in the last month | PERSON\_REC | cellphone | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| B19F | B19F. ICT: Telephone (Fixed) | DISCRETE | 5 – Had access to Telephone (Fixed) in the last month | PERSON\_REC | landphone | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| B19I | B19I. ICT: Internet | DISCRETE | 1 – Had access to Internet in the last month  0 – No | PERSON\_REC | internet | DISCRETE | 1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| D1 | D1. Literacy | DISCRETE | All persons 5 years and above  read and write a message in any language with understanding?  1 – Yes; 0 – No | PERSON\_REC | literacy | DISCRETE | All persons 6 years and above  read and write a message in any language with understanding?  1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| D2 | D2. Ever Attended School | DISCRETE | All persons 5 years and above  ever attended school?   * 1 – Never attended (map to 0) * 2 – Pre-primary (map to 1) * 3 – Adult Education Programme (map to 1) * 4 – Attending School (map to 1) * 5 – Left School (map to 1) * 9 – Don’t Know (NA) | PERSON\_REC | everattd | DISCRETE | All persons 6 years and above  ever attended school?  1 – Yes; 0 – No | Done |
| D3 | D3. Highest Grade Completed | DISCRETE | All persons 5 years and above  highest grade/standard or level of education completed?   * 0 – no formal (map to 1) * 1 – incomplete primary (map to 2) * 2 – complete primary (map to 3) * 3 – Complete secondary (map to 4) * 4 – complete tertiary (map to 5) * 5 – other (NA) * 9 – don’t know (NA) | PERSON\_REC | educat5 |  | * 1 = No education, * 2 = Primary incomplete, * 3 = Primary complete but Secondary incomplete, * 4 = Secondary complete, * 5 = Tertiary (completed or incomplete) | Done |
| E1 | E1. Work | DISCRETE | All persons 8 years and above  During the last seven days, worked for at least one hour for pay, profit, or family gain?   * 1 – employed (map to 1) * 2 – unemployed (map to 2) * 3 – inactive (map to 3) * 9 – don’t know (NA) | PERSON\_REC | lstatus | DISCRETE | * 1 = Employed, * 2 = Unemployed, * 3 = Not in labor force | Done |
| E2 | E2. Occupation | DISCRETE | * 1 - Armed force (map to 10) * 2 - Legislators, senior officials and Managers (map to 1) * 3 – Professionals (map to 2) * 4 - Technician and associate professionals (map to 3) * 5 – Clerk (map to 4) * 6 - Service Workers (map to 5) * 7 - Skilled Agricultural and Fishery workers (map to 6) * 8 - Craft and Related trades workers (map to 7) * 9 - Plant and Machine operators and assemblers (map to 8) * 10 - Elementary occupations (map to 9) * 99 – Don’t Know | PERSON\_REC | occup\_year | DISCRETE | * 1 = Managers, * 2 = Professionals, * 3 = Technicians and associate professionals, * 4 = Clerical support workers, * 5 = Service and sales workers, * 6 = Skilled agricultural, forestry and fishery workers, * 7 = Craft and related trades workers, * 8 = Plant and machine operators, and assemblers, * 9 = Elementary occupations, * 10 = Armed forces occupations, * 99 = Other/unspecified | Done |
| E3 | E3. Industry | DISCRETE | * 1 - Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing (map to 1) * 2 - Mining And Quarrying (map to 2) * 3 – Manufacturing (map to 3) * 4 - Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air conditioning supply (map to 4) * 5 - Water Supply, Sewerage, Waste Management and Remediation Activities (map to 4) * 6 – Construction (map to 5) * 7 - Wholesale and Retail trade; Repair of motor vehicles and Motorcycles (map to 6) * 8 - Transportation and Storage (map to 7) * 9 - Accomondation and Food Service activities (map to 10) * 10 - Information and Communication Storage (map to 7) * 11 - Financial Insurance Activities (map to 8) * 12 - Real estate Activities (map to 8) * 13 - Professional, Scientific and Technical activities (map to 8) * 14 - Administrative and Support service activities (map to 8) * 15 - Public Administration and Defence; compulsory social security (map 9) * 16 – Education (map to 10) * 17 - Human Health and Social work activities (map to 10) * 18 - Arts, Entertainment and Recreation (map to 10) * 19 - Other Services activities (map to 10) * 20 - Activities of Private Households (map to 10) * 21 - Activities of extraterritorial organisation and bodies (map to 10) * 99 – Don’t know | PERSON\_REC | industrycat10\_year | DISCRETE | * 1 = Agriculture, Hunting, Fishing, etc., * 2 = Mining, * 3 = Manufacturing, * 4 = Public Utility Services, * 5 = Construction, * 6 = Commerce, * 7 = Transport and Communications, * 8 = Financial and Business Services, * 9 = Public Administration, * 10 = Others Services, Unspecified | Done |
| PWGT | Person weight | DISCRETE | 1 – 5.3%  5 – 94.7% | PERSON\_REC | wta\_pop |  |  | Done |