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2009 National Health Interview Survey (NHIS)  
Disability Questions Tests 2008/2009 Public Use File (disbtest)  
IDN Variables                      Tuesday, March 8, 2011  
Unweighted Frequencies

Continuous variables in the frequency  
report only show the range of valid numbers

IDN.000\_00.000: File type identifier

RECTYPE	Frequency	Percent
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10 Household	0	0.00
20 Person	0	0.00
25 Income Imputation	0	0.00
30 Sample Adult	0	0.00
40 Sample Child	0	0.00
60 Family	0	0.00
63 Disability Questions Tests 2008/2009	99350	100.00
65 Paradata	0	0.00
70 Injury/Poisoning Episode	0	0.00
75 Injury/Poisoning Verbatim	0	0.00

IDN.000\_02.000: Year of National Health Interview Survey

SRVY_YR	Frequency	Percent
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Survey Year	99350	100.00

IDN.000\_04.000: Household Serial Number

HHX	Frequency	Percent
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Range of Values	99350	100.00

IDN.000\_25.000: Interview Quarter

INTV_QRT	Frequency	Percent
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1 Quarter 1	9443	9.50
2 Quarter 2	23093	23.24
3 Quarter 3	22375	22.52
4 Quarter 4	44439	44.73

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IDN.000\_30.000: Assignment Week

ASSIGNWK	Frequency	Percent
01 Week 1	5877	5.92
02 Week 2	7328	7.38
03 Week 3	7666	7.72
04 Week 4	8194	8.25
05 Week 5	7629	7.68
06 Week 6	7916	7.97
07 Week 7	7876	7.93
08 Week 8	8068	8.12
09 Week 9	7861	7.91
10 Week 10	8089	8.14
11 Week 11	7679	7.73
12 Week 12	7911	7.96
13 Week 13	7256	7.30

IDN.000\_35.000: Family #

FMX	Frequency	Percent
01-25 Family number 1 - 25	99350	100.00

IDN.000\_40.000: Person Number (Within family)

FPX	Frequency	Percent
01-25 Person number 1 thru 25	99350	100.00

IDN.000\_80.000: Weight - Five-quarter Disability Questions Tests file 2008/2009

WT5Q_DIS	Frequency	Percent
Range of Values	99350	100.00

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UCF.000\_00.000: Pseudo-stratum for public-use file variance estimation

STRAT_P	Frequency	Percent
001-300	99350	100.00

UCF.000\_00.000: Pseudo-PSU for public-use file variance estimation

PSU_P	Frequency	Percent
01-02	99350	100.00

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FDA Variables                      Tuesday, March 8, 2011  
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FDA.001\_00.000: Question Version

FDRN_FLG	Frequency	Percent
1 Family style (anyone/who is it) administration	49336	49.66
2 Person-level administration	50014	50.34

FDA.020\_00.000: Is--deaf or have serious difficulty hearing?

P1DFHEAR	Frequency	Percent
1 Yes	1657	3.41
2 No	46131	94.81
7 Refused	28	0.06
8 Not ascertained	838	1.72
9 Don't know	2	0.00

Frequency Missing = 50694

FDA.040\_00.000: Is--blind or have serious difficulty  
seeing even when wearing glasses?

P1DFSEE	Frequency	Percent
1 Yes	1004	2.06
2 No	46773	96.13
7 Refused	33	0.07
8 Not ascertained	843	1.73
9 Don't know	3	0.01

Frequency Missing = 50694

FDA.060\_00.000: Does--have serious difficulty concentrating,  
remembering, or making decisions?

P1DFCON	Frequency	Percent
1 Yes	1648	3.59
2 No	43369	94.60
7 Refused	28	0.06
8 Not ascertained	796	1.74
9 Don't know	6	0.01

Frequency Missing = 53503

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FDA.080\_00.000: Does--have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?

P1DFWALK	Frequency	Percent
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1 Yes	2843	6.20
2 No	42169	91.98
7 Refused	28	0.06
8 Not ascertained	801	1.75
9 Don't know	6	0.01

Frequency Missing = 53503

FDA.100\_00.000: Does--have difficulty dressing or bathing?

P1DFDRES	Frequency	Percent
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1 Yes	826	1.80
2 No	44189	96.38
7 Refused	24	0.05
8 Not ascertained	803	1.75
9 Don't know	5	0.01

Frequency Missing = 53503

FDA.120\_00.000: Does--have difficulty doing errands?

P1DFERR	Frequency	Percent
-----		
1 Yes	1732	4.49
2 No	36105	93.70
7 Refused	26	0.07
8 Not ascertained	666	1.73
9 Don't know	3	0.01

Frequency Missing = 60818

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FDB.020\_00.000: Is--deaf or have serious difficulty hearing?

P2DFHEAR	Frequency	Percent
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1 Yes	1834	3.72
2 No	46602	94.47
7 Refused	50	0.10
8 Not ascertained	842	1.71
9 Don't know	4	0.01

Frequency Missing = 50018

FDB.040\_00.000: Is--blind or have serious difficulty  
seeing even when wearing glasses?

P2DFSEE	Frequency	Percent
-----		
1 Yes	1196	2.42
2 No	47230	95.74
7 Refused	50	0.10
8 Not ascertained	848	1.72
9 Don't know	8	0.02

Frequency Missing = 50018

FDB.060\_00.000: Does--have serious difficulty concentrating,  
remembering, or making decisions?

P2DFCON	Frequency	Percent
-----		
1 Yes	2118	4.57
2 No	43349	93.58
7 Refused	55	0.12
8 Not ascertained	787	1.70
9 Don't know	12	0.03

Frequency Missing = 53029

FDB.080\_00.000: Does--have serious difficulty walking or climbing stairs?

P2DFWALK	Frequency	Percent
-----		
1 Yes	3152	6.80
2 No	42325	91.37
7 Refused	50	0.11
8 Not ascertained	790	1.71
9 Don't know	4	0.01

Frequency Missing = 53029

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FDB.100\_00.000: Does--have difficulty dressing or bathing?

P2DFDRES	Frequency	Percent
1 Yes	1011	2.18
2 No	44472	96.01
7 Refused	48	0.10
8 Not ascertained	790	1.71
9 Don't know	0	0.00

Frequency Missing = 53029

FDB.120\_00.000: Does--have difficulty doing errands?

P2DFERR	Frequency	Percent
1 Yes	1890	4.88
2 No	36127	93.29
7 Refused	46	0.12
8 Not ascertained	656	1.69
9 Don't know	5	0.01

Frequency Missing = 60626