

# **NIJ National Study of Young Adults**

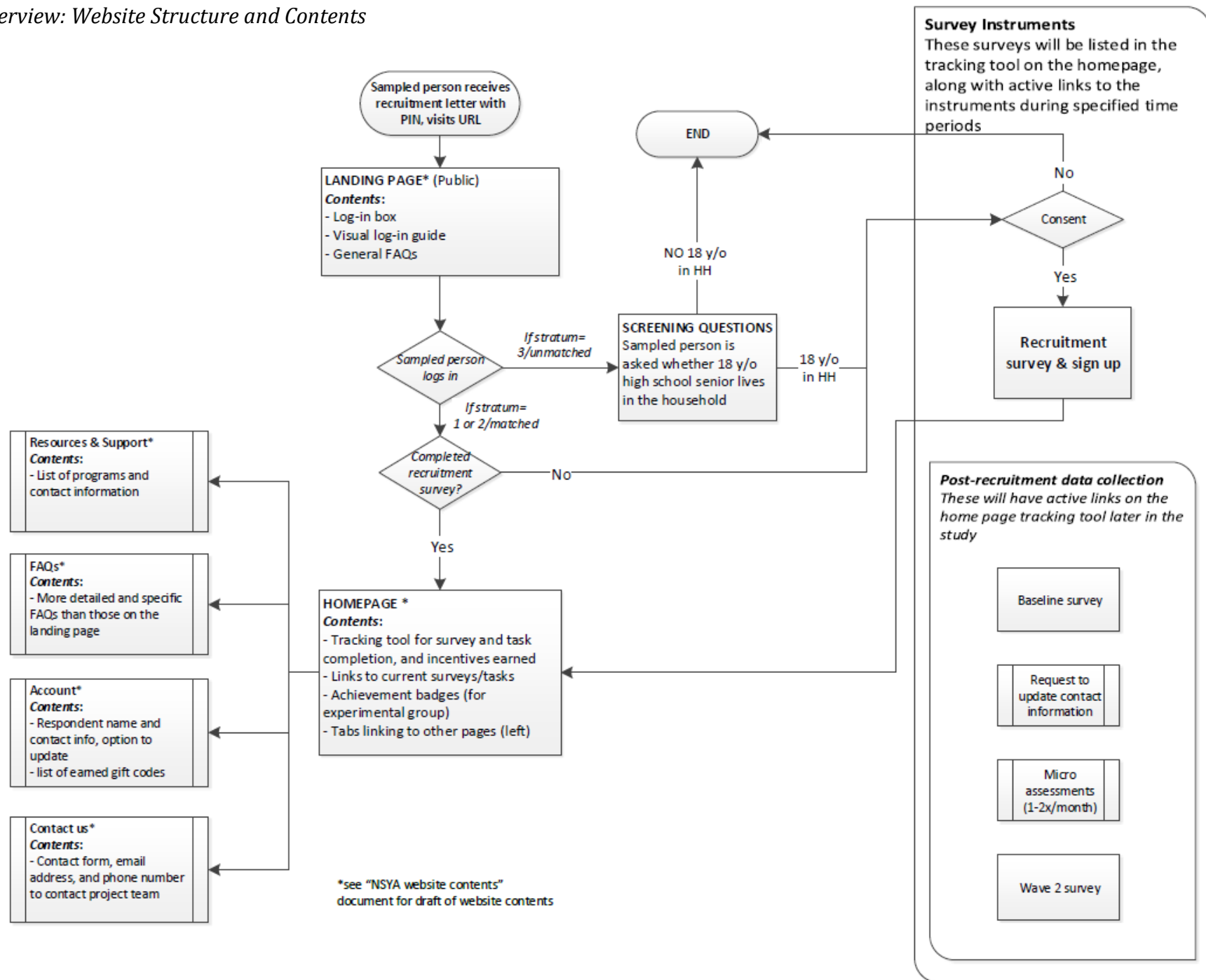
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## Overview: Website Structure and Contents



## Landing Page (public)

(Draft of landing page contents)



### Welcome to the National Study of Young Adults!

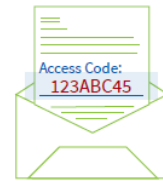
To start your survey, please enter the PIN which was included in your invitation letter

Enter your PIN to begin: \_\_\_\_\_

### Survey Guide

1

Log in using the Access Code which was included in red in your invitation letter.



2

Answer the questions to the best of your ability. There are no right or wrong answers.

3

Use the next or back button to go between questions.



4

When you have completed the survey, select "Submit Survey." You will see a pop up message thanking you for your participation. This message also verifies that the survey has been submitted.

## Frequently Asked Questions

Below are answers to some frequently asked questions about the National Study of Young Adults:

*[Expandable list, all questions visible, answers expand when the question is clicked]*

**Q: Why was I selected?**

Your address was randomly selected from all addresses in the country. Because we cannot invite all households to participate, you represent other households that were not selected.

**Q. What is the purpose of this study?**

The goal of this study is to learn about the experiences of young people as they transition into adulthood.

**Q. Who is behind this study?**

This study is sponsored by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ), part of the U.S. Department of Justice. It is being conducted by Westat, a social science research organization and New York University.

**Q. What would we like the young adult to do?**

Participation involves agreeing to complete a 10-minute survey. Before they fill out the survey, the young adult will be told what is on the survey and that they can decline to participate. The young adult will receive a \$[20/30] Amazon gift card as a thank-you for completing the survey.

The NSYA will continue for another year. After completing this survey, we will ask the young person to participate in future surveys and other activities. The young person will receive additional gift cards for participating in future activities.

**Q: What if there is more than one person at my address who is eligible?**

Have one of the persons who is eligible fill out the survey, using the PIN in the letter sent to your address. Ask the other eligible young adults to call this toll free number XXX-XXX-XXXX and we will provide additional PINs to take the survey.

**Q. Am I required to participate?**

No – participation is voluntary. However, this study collects information which may help policymakers and ultimately may benefit young adults. That's very important, so we hope you will want to participate.

**Q. Will I ever be identified? Will my answers be kept confidential?**

All information obtained during this study will be treated as confidential. Your answers will be combined with responses from other study participants when writing up reports and conducting analyses. The data are collected under federal statute (42 U.S.C. § 3789g and 28 CFR Part 22) meaning we cannot release your answers if we get any request from a government agency, private organization or individual. 3

Q. What if I don't have any young adults in my household?

Please use the PIN in your invitation letter to log in to the website and let us know. You will receive a \$5 Amazon gift code for providing us with this information.

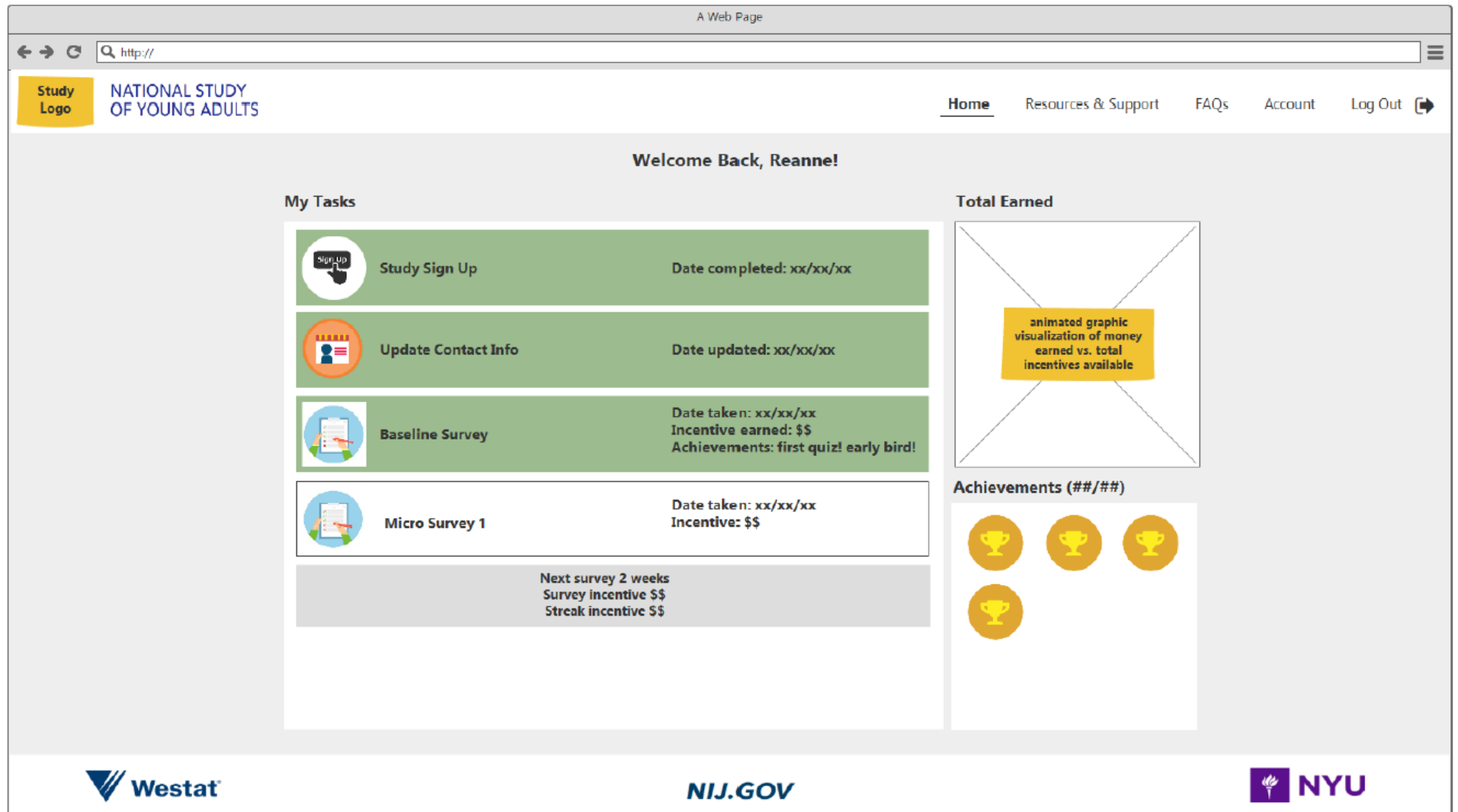
Q. I still have questions.

We are happy to talk with you. If you have any questions, please contact our study team at [example[helpdesk@nsya.com](mailto:helpdesk@nsya.com)] or [1-800-EXAMPLE].

If you have questions about your rights and welfare as a research participant, please call the Westat Human Subjects Protections office at 888-920-7631. If no one is available to take your call, please leave a message with your full name, the name of the research study that you are calling about (The National Study of Young Adults), and a phone number beginning with the area code. Someone will return your call as soon as possible.

## Homepage

(Draft of study homepage after login)



## Resources & Support

### Resources & Support

These services are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Callers can connect free of charge to the phone hotlines and will be directed to local agencies in their area. Individuals can also connect with trained hotline staff online through a secure chat messaging system.

### Phone Hotlines

National Sexual Assault Phone Hotline (RAINN).....1-800-656-HOPE(4673)

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline.....1-800-273-TALK(8255)  
(Press 2 for Spanish)

New York City Anti-Violence Project Hotline (LGBTQ community)..... 212-714-1141  
(hotline will assist LGBTQ community nationwide- not limited to New York City)

### Websites, Text Lines, and Online Hotlines

Crisis Text Line..... text 741741

National Sexual Assault Online Hotline (RAINN):  
<http://www.rainn.org/get-help/national-sexual-assault-online-hotline>  
Website: <http://www.rainn.org/>

National Domestic Violence Hotline  
Website: <http://www.thehotline.org/>

One Love  
Website: <http://www.joinonelove.org/>

Loveisrespect  
Website: <http://www.loveisrespect.org/>  
*Loveisrespect provides a confidential chat (IM-style) with a peer advocate available 24/7.  
Get a quick response from one of LoveisRespect's peer advocates by texting "loveis" to 22522.*

## FAQs

### THE NATIONAL STUDY OF YOUNG ADULTS (NSYA) FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

#### **Q. What is the purpose of this study?**

The goal of this study is to learn about the experiences of young people as they transition into adulthood. This study is particularly interested in understanding risks for, experiences with, and consequences of interpersonal violence of young adults.

#### **Q. Who is behind this study?**

This study is sponsored by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ), part of the U.S. Department of Justice, and is conducted by New York University (NYU) and Westat.

#### **Q: Why was I selected?**

You were randomly selected from among all 18 year old high school seniors in the country. Since we cannot invite all young adults to participate, your participation represents other young adults who have not been selected.

#### **Q. How do I participate? What will I receive for participating?**

The NSYA study will continue for about a year. After completing the initial survey, we will ask you to participate in future surveys and other activities, but you can say no at any time. You can receive additional gift cards for participating in study activities.

#### **Q. Am I required to participate?**

You may refuse to participate in any interviews and you can stop at any time. You can also refuse to answer any questions on the survey. However, this study collects confidential and unbiased information which may help policymakers and ultimately may benefit young adults. That's very important, so we hope you will want to participate.

#### **Q. Will I ever be identified? Will my answers be kept confidential?**

All information obtained during this study will be treated as confidential. Your answers will be combined with responses from other study participants when writing up reports and conducting analyses. The data are collected under federal statutes (42 U.S.C. § 3789g and 28 CFR Part 22) meaning we cannot release your answers if we get any request from a government agency, private organization or individual.



**Q. What are the benefits and risks?**

Participating in the study may not help you individually, but it may provide useful information on new ways to reduce violence. Some of the language used in this survey is explicit and some people may find it uncomfortable, but it is important that we ask the questions in this way so that you are clear what we mean. A “Resources” tab will be present throughout the survey to identify support options should you need them.

**Q. I still have questions.**

We are happy to talk with you. If you have any questions, please contact our study team at [example[helpdesk@nsya.com](mailto:helpdesk@nsya.com)] or [1-800-EXAMPLE].

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## *Account*

(The Account page will show respondent contact information with an option to update. It will also have an option for respondents to find their previously issued amazon gift codes. Draft of page content is below.)

### **Your Contact Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone number \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes, you can text me

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Not right? [Update contact information](#) [link]

### **Your Gift Codes**


XX-XXXX-XXXX-XXXX

XX-XXXX-XXXX-XXXX

XX-XXXX-XXXX-XXXX

## Contact Us

Example of standard “contact us” form used by Westat. Will be updated with NSYA specific information (below).




**Contact us with any questions or comments about the Health Information National Trends Survey!**


If you need assistance, you can contact the HINTS team by phone at 1-800-738-6805


Name

Email\*


Reason for Contact\*

☒  General Inquiry

☐  Technical Issue

☐  Other

Message\*

 Send

\*Required field

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