

Disclosure Review Board Minutes
8/24/09

1. Adaptive sampling and confidentiality

There is some interest in using this for surveys on crime and on Micronesians. There is a confidentiality concern in that a respondent who gave names of potential other respondents could find them in the data products. (b) (6) will keep us apprised of this work. Our initial thought was that microdata may not be possible, but perhaps weighted estimates would be. If the work looks promising, the issue will be taken to OAES and DSEP. We would like to know if other agencies have used this, and if so, how did they protect confidentiality?

2. ACS 2006-2008 PUMS part 1 for advice

This looks fine so far. There may be a desire to synthesize age for people ages 65+ for the 2006 data. The request will come to us if that is the case.

3. ACS 2008 paper for PAA

This was approved.

4. DRB tables for (b) (6) --- SIPP Beta file verification

This was approved.

5. One page table for FOIA document

This was approved.