

COVER SHEET
Health Insurance
SIPP Public Use Metadata Report

NOTE: Not in universe will be "." for numeric variables and blank for character variables.

Status Flag Values

0. Not in universe
1. In universe; as reported
2. Statistical imputation (hot deck)
3. Logical imputation
4. Model-based imputation
5. Cold deck
6. Imputed from a range
7. Combination of 1 and 2/3/5/6
8. Combination of 2/3/5/6
9. Can be determined from the allocation flags for the components of this recode.

Although most universe statements reference public use variables, some universes contain variables that are not available for public use. These variables include:

EPPMIS1:12: Respondent's interview status this month

HHINCSCR_MTH: Indicates whether a household member's monthly income falls below 200% of the poverty level*

HHINCSCR_YR: Indicates whether a household member's annual income falls below 200% of the poverty level*

HHPGMSCR: Indicates whether a household member participated in certain means-tested assistance programs such as SNAP, WIC, Medicaid, TANF, or GA

HHRESP: Person number of the household respondent

HHSTAT: Respondent's status within the household this wave (returning, deleted, new, inactive, or partial-period household member)

INC_SCRN: Indicates whether household member's income falls below 200% of the poverty level* (based on responses to HHINCSCR_YR and HHINCSCR_MTH)

LEAVE_MO: Month respondent left the household (for movers in Waves 2+)

LNO: Respondent's position on the household roster

SCREENER_CLUMP: Identifies a group or "clump" of household members likely to share resources among one another

* For household members who are part of a clump, the 200% poverty threshold is based on the number of people in the clump.

A note about weeks and XWKA(i) variables in select Labor Force Recodes:

Many labor force recodes describe values for certain weeks of the year (ex. RWKESR1, RJB1_WKSUM1, etc.). These recodes refer to weeks (Sunday through Saturday) that contain 4+ days in the reference month, starting with the first 4+ day week. This is very similar to what was done in older SIPP panels. Variables XWKA1-XWKA5 are used to set universes for these recodes. These variables indicate the week number of the reference year for each week in the reference month containing 4+ days, and are consistent across all records. For example, the first calendar week of August 2013 has only three days (the 1st-3rd), so XWKA1 for August 2013 is the week starting the 4th, and has a value of 32 (being defined the 32nd week of the year). Although not included as variables on the public files, a more detailed description of the XWKA(i) variables can be found in the User's Guide here: [<http://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/sipp/guidance/users-guide.html>]. Note that week 1 of the year will contain more than seven days when the first calendar week of the year has 3 or fewer days, such as occurred in January 2015. Similarly, week 52 of the year will contain more than seven days when the last calendar week of the year has 3 or fewer days, such as occurred in December 2013.

Additionally, for earnings variables where the last calendar week in the month has less than 4 days, values for those days are carried into the first week of the next month (and vice-versa to the previous month where the first calendar week has less than 4 days). Also note that this does not affect monthly sums (ex. RJB1_MSUM), which account for every day in the month.

Summary Statistic Variables

When topcoding assets, earnings, and medical expenditures, values at the top of the distribution are replaced by the mean (or median) of those values. Each variable has a set of corresponding summary statistic variables that display additional information about the distribution of topcoded values. These variables end in _MEAN (mean), _MED (median), and _STD (standard deviation) and are only in universe for topcoded cases.

Most summary statistic variables hold values that describe the overall distribution of topcoded cases, however, some variables display separate statistics by demographic group. These groups are defined differently depending on how the data was collected - at the person or person-month level, or at the household level.

Person and person-month level variables with summary statistics by demographic group include:

TJB(1-7)_ANNSAL(1-3), TJB(1-7)_HOURLY(1-3), TJB(1-7)_WKLY(1-3), TJB(1-7)_BWKLY(1-3),
TJB(1-7)_MTHLY(1-3), TTHR401VAL, TOICKINC, TOSAVINC, TOICKVAL, TOCHKVAL, TOSAVVAL,
TLIFE_FVAL, TLIFE_CVAL, TBSJ(1-7)VAL, TOEDDEBTVAL, TOOTDEBTVAL

Demographic groups for these variables are defined as follows:

- * Male, White non-Hispanic
- * Male, Black/Asian/Other or Hispanic
- * Female, White non-Hispanic
- * Female, Black/Asian/Other or Hispanic

Household level variables with summary statistics by demographic group include:

TPRVAL, TRENTMORT, TUTILS, TVEH(1-3)DEBTVAL, TVEH(1-3)VAL

Demographic groups for these variables are defined based on the following characteristics of the household reference person:

- * Married (spouse present), White non-Hispanic
- * Married (spouse present), Black/Asian/Other or Hispanic
- * Unmarried, White non-Hispanic
- * Unmarried, Black/Asian/Other or Hispanic

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Description: Whether employer offered health insurance to any of its employees.

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Universe: During any month in calendar year: JBORSE=1 AND (EHEMPY1 NE 1 or EHIOWNER1 NE PNUM (self)) AND (EHEMPY2 NE 1 or EHIOWNER2 NE PNUM (self)) AND (EMILITYPE NE 1 or MHIOWNER NE PNUM (self))

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AEMPNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Too expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Haven't worked for this employer long enough)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Part-time, temporary, or Contract employee)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Not eligible - for any other reason)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Healthy -haven't needed health insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Able to get care elsewhere - such as a health clinic)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Already covered under someone else's plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Dissatisfied or don't believe in insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Missed enrollment window)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent didn't sign up for employer-sponsored health insurance coverage. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who were offered employer-sponsored health insurance, but did not take it up.

Universe: EEMPNOESI=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOESI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Too expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance coverage (including Medicare). (Denied or not eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Healthy - haven't needed health insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Able to get care elsewhere (such as a health clinic))

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Have another kind of coverage)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Dissatisfied or don't believe in insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Missed enrollment window)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Too difficult or confusing to apply)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had at least one month with no private health insurance (including Medicare). (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had at least one month with no private health insurance or employer sponsored health insurance (including Medicare).

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMILITYPE NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPRI

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (Denied or not eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (Healthy - haven't needed health insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (Able to get care elsewhere -such as a health clinic)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month.
(Dissatisfied or don't believe in insurance)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (In waiting period or missed enrollment window)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (Too difficult or confusing to apply)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Reason(s) respondent had no public health insurance in at least one month. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had no employer-sponsored, private or public insurance coverage for at least one month during the reference period.

Universe: At least one month where (EPR1MTH NE 1 AND EPR2MTH NE 1 AND ECRMTH NE 1 AND EMDMTH NE 1 AND EMLMTH NE 1 AND EOTMTH NE 1)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AYNOPUB

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Coverage on Private Line 1

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APR1MTH

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Coverage on Private Line 2

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APR2MTH

Description: Begin month of the Private health insurance spell (line 1).

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 1 coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: APR1BMONTH

Description: Begin month of the Private health insurance spell (line 2).

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 2 coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: APR2BMONTH

Description: Health Insurance Coverage Unit (Private line 1); unique within a household. Members sharing the same coverage plan are identified by the same numeric unit value in a month.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 1 health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 - 999 | Identifying number of health insurance unit. (All members on a shared coverage plan are identifiable by the same numeric value.) |

Status Flag: AHIUNT1

Description: Health Insurance Coverage Unit (Private line 2); unique within a household. Members sharing the same coverage plan are identified by the same numeric unit value in a month.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 2 health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
|---------------|---------------------|

| | |
|---------|--|
| 1 - 999 | Identifying number of health insurance unit. (All members on a shared coverage plan are identifiable by the same numeric value.) |
|---------|--|

Status Flag: AHIUNT2

Description: End month of the Private health insurance spell (line 1).

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 1 coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: APR1EMONTH

Description: End month of the Private health insurance spell (line 2).

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private line 2 coverage in this month.

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: APR2EMONTH

Description: Edited policyholder of Private line 1 insurance.

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 1 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| 101-499 | Person Number |
| 70 | Someone outside the household |

Status Flag: AOWNINS1

Description: Edited policyholder of Private line 2 insurance.

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 2 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| 101-499 | Person Number |
| 70 | Someone outside the household |

Status Flag: AOWNINS2

Description: Source of Private health insurance plan line 1 (Employer or job, Former Employer, Union or Association, Bought it directly, School, or something else)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private coverage on private line 1 in this month.

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Employer or Job ^DURINGTHISTIME |
| 2 | Former Employer |
| 3 | Union or Association |
| 4 | Bought it directly |
| 5 | School |

Status Flag: AHEMPLY1

Description: Source of Private health insurance plan line 2 (Employer or job, Former Employer, Union or Association, Bought it directly, School, or something else)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Private coverage on private line 2 in this month.

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Employer or Job ^DURINGTHISTIME |
| 2 | Former Employer |
| 3 | Union or Association |
| 4 | Bought it directly |
| 5 | School |

Status Flag: AHEMPY2

Description: Determines whether employer or union pays all, part, or none of the health insurance policy premium.

Universe Description: Respondents who have private insurance through a current or former employer or through a union.

Universe: EHEMPY1 in (1:3)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | All |
| 2 | Part |
| 3 | None |

Status Flag: AHICOST1

Description: Determines whether employer or union pays all, part, or none of the health insurance policy premium.

Universe Description: Respondents who have private insurance through a current or former employer or through a union.

Universe: EHEMPY2 in (1:3)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | All |
| 2 | Part |
| 3 | None |

Status Flag: AHICOST2

Description: Determines if this private line 1 health insurance plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe Description: Respondents who report a policy holder in the household for private health insurance line 1

Universe: EOWNINS1=101-499

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIOTHR1

Description: Determines if this private line 2 health insurance plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe Description: Respondents who report a policy holder in the household for private health insurance line 2

Universe: EOWNINS2=101-499

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIOTHR2

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child under 18)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 1

Universe: EHIOTHR1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI1WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child under 18)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 2

Universe: EHIOTHR2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI2WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child 18-25)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 1

Universe: EHIOTHR1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI1WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child 18-25)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 2

Universe: EHIOTHR2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI2WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child 26 or over)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 1

Universe: EHIOTHR1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI1WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Child 26 or over)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 2

Universe: EHIOTHR2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI2WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Spouse/partner)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 1

Universe: EHIOTHR1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI1WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Spouse/partner)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 2

Universe: EHIOTHR2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI2WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 1

Universe: EHIOTHR1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI1WHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - is/are covered under this Private health insurance spell. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated someone outside the household was covered on the private health insurance on line 2

Universe: EHIOTHR2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHI2WHO

Description: Type of private health insurance plan (e.g. HMO, PPO, POS, fee-for-service, etc).

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 1 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 | an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization)/IPA (Individual Practice Association) |
| 2 | a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) |
| 3 | a POS (Point-of-service) |
| 4 | a Fee-for-service/Indemnity |
| 5 | some other kind of plan |

Status Flag: APRIVPLAN1

Description: Type of private health insurance plan (e.g. HMO, PPO, POS, fee-for-service, etc).

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 2 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 | an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization)/IPA (Individual Practice Association) |
| 2 | a PPO (Preferred Provider Organization) |
| 3 | a POS (Point-of-service) |
| 4 | a Fee-for-service/Indemnity |
| 5 | some other kind of plan |

Status Flag: APRIVPLAN2

Description: Identifies whether the private health insurance plan is a high deductible plan.

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 1 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR1MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHDEDPLN1

Description: Identifies whether the private health insurance plan is a high deductible plan.

Universe Description: Respondents who had private line 2 coverage in this month

Universe: EPR2MTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHDEDPLN2

Description: Determines if Private health insurance "high deductible plan" is also a "Health Savings Account (HSA)".

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated they have a high deductible plan (private line 1).

Universe: EHDEDPLN1=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHLTHSAV1

Description: Determines if Private health insurance "high deductible plan" is also a "Health Savings Account (HSA)".

Universe Description: Respondents who indicated they have a high deductible plan (private line 2).

Universe: EHDEDPLN2=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHLTHSAV2

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Too expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 1

Universe: EPR1EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR1EMONTH=12 & RPR1_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV1END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Too expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 2

Universe: EPR2EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR2EMONTH=12 & RPR2_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV2END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Layoff or job loss)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 1

Universe: EPR1EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR1EMONTH=12 & RPR1_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV1END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Layoff or job loss)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 2

Universe: EPR2EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR2EMONTH=12 & RPR2_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV2END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (No longer eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 1

Universe: EPR1EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR1EMONTH=12 & RPR1_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV1END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (No longer eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 2

Universe: EPR2EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR2EMONTH=12 & RPR2_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV2END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Unhappy with plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 1

Universe: EPR1EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR1EMONTH=12 & RPR1_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV1END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Unhappy with plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 2

Universe: EPR2EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR2EMONTH=12 & RPR2_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV2END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 1

Universe: EPR1EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR1EMONTH=12 & RPR1_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV1END

Description: Reason(s) Private health insurance coverage ended. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had coverage that ended during the calendar year in private health insurance line 2

Universe: EPR2EMONTH in (1:11) or (EPR2EMONTH=12 & RPR2_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRV2END

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Medicare Coverage

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: ACRMTH

Description: Begin month of Medicare spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AMC_BMONTH

Description: End month of Medicare spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AMC_EMONTH

Description: Type of Medicare plan (Part A)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMCPART

Description: Type of Medicare plan (Part B)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMCPART

Description: Type of Medicare plan (Medigap)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMCPART

Description: Type of Medicare plan (Part C)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMCPART

Description: Type of Medicare plan (Part D)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicare health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: ECRMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMCPART

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Medical Assistance (Medicaid) Coverage

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMDMTH

Description: Begin month of Medicaid spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMDMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AMD_BMONTH

Description: Medical Assistance (Medicaid) Coverage Unit; unique within a household. A guardian and children who have Medical Assistance are identified by the same numeric unit value in a month.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medical Assistance (Medicaid) coverage in this month.

Universe: EMDMTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 - 999 | Identifying number of health insurance unit. (All members on a shared coverage plan are identifiable by the same numeric value.) |

Status Flag: AMDUNT

Description: Last month of Medicaid spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMDMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AMD_EMONTH

Description: Type of Medical Assistance (Medicaid or S_CHIP) plan (e.g. HMO, fee-for-service, etc.)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMDMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 | an HMO (Health Maintenance Organization) |
| 2 | a Fee-for-service Plan |
| 3 | another Managed-care Type Program |
| 4 | some other kind of plan |

Status Flag: AMDPLAN

Description: Reason(s) Medical Assistance (includes Medicaid or S-CHIP) coverage ended. (No longer eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EMD_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EMD_EMONTH=12 & RMD_CONTF LG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMDEND

Description: Reason(s) Medical Assistance (includes Medicaid or S-CHIP) coverage ended.
(Unhappy with plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EMD_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EMD_EMONTH=12 & RMD_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMDEND

Description: Reason(s) Medical Assistance (includes Medicaid or S-CHIP) coverage ended. (In waiting period or missed enrollment window.)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EMD_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EMD_EMONTH=12 & RMD_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMDEND

Description: Reason(s) Medical Assistance (includes Medicaid or S-CHIP) coverage ended.
(Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Medicaid coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EMD_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EMD_EMONTH=12 & RMD_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMDEND

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Military Coverage

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMLMTH

Description: Begin month of Military health insurance spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMLMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AML_BMONTH

Description: Military Health Insurance Coverage Unit; unique within a given household. All members sharing the same coverage plan are identifiable by the same numeric unit value in a given month.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMLMTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

Value: **Description:**

1 - 999 Identifying number of health insurance unit. (All members on a shared coverage plan are identifiable by the same numeric value.)

Status Flag: AMLUNT

Description: End month of military health insurance spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMLMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AML_EMONTH

Description: Type of Military health insurance coverage (TRICARE or CHAMPUS, CHAMPVA, VA, or other).

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMLMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | TRICARE or CHAMPUS |
| 2 | CHAMPVA |
| 3 | VA |
| 4 | Other |

Status Flag: AMILITYPE

Description: Determines if this person, someone else in the hh, or if someone outside the hh, is the policyholder of the Military TRICARE or CHAMPVA coverage.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EMLMTH=1

Length: 3

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| 101-499 | Person Number |
| 70 | Someone outside the household |

Status Flag: AMOWNINS

Description: Did this Military plan cover someone outside of the household?

Universe Description: Respondents who reported either TRICARE or CHAMPUS, or CHAMPVA health insurance coverage.

Universe: EMILITYPE=(1,2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIOTHER

Description: Determines who outside the household - children, spouse or partner, or other - is/are covered under this Military health insurance spell.(Child under 18)

Universe Description: Respondents who reported that their Military plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe: EMHIOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIWHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - children, spouse or partner, or other - is/are covered under this Military health insurance spell. (Child 18 -25)

Universe Description: Respondents who reported that their Military plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe: EMHIOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIWHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - children, spouse or partner, or other - is/are covered under this Military health insurance spell. (Child 26 or over)

Universe Description: Respondents who reported that their Military plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe: EMHIOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIWHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - children, spouse or partner, or other - is/are covered under this Military health insurance spell. (Spouse/Partner)

Universe Description: Respondents who reported that their Military plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe: EMHIOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIWHO

Description: Determines who outside the household - children, spouse or partner, or other - is/are covered under this Military health insurance spell. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who reported that their Military plan covers someone outside of the household.

Universe: EMHIOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMHIWHO

Description: Reason(s) Military coverage ended.(Too Expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EML_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EML_EMONTH=12 & RML_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMILIEND

Description: Reason(s) Military coverage ended. (Military Service Ended)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EML_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EML_EMONTH=12 & RML_CONTF LG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMILIEND

Description: Reason(s) Military coverage ended. (No longer eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EML_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EML_EMONTH=12 & RML_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

Value: **Description:**

1 Yes

2 No

Status Flag: AMILIEND

Description: Reason(s) Military coverage ended. (Unhappy with plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EML_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EML_EMONTH=12 & RML_CONTF LG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMILIEND

Description: Reason(s) Military coverage ended. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Military coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EML_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EML_EMONTH=12 & RML_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMILIEND

Description: Edited Monthly Indicator for Other Health Coverage

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOTMTH

Description: Begin month of "Other" health insurance coverage spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EOTMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AOT_BMONTH

Description: End month of "Other" health insurance coverage spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EOTMTH=1

Length: 2

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | January |
| 2 | February |
| 3 | March |
| 4 | April |
| 5 | May |
| 6 | June |
| 7 | July |
| 8 | August |
| 9 | September |
| 10 | October |
| 11 | November |
| 12 | December |

Status Flag: AOT_EMONTH

Description: Type of Other health insurance coverage spell.

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other health insurance coverage in this month.

Universe: EOTMTH=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 | Government/Public Assistance |
| 2 | Someone Else (Parent, Relative) |
| 3 | Foreign Government/country |
| 4 | Indian Health Services |

Status Flag: AOTHCOVTYPE

Description: Reason Other health insurance coverage ended. (Too expensive)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EOT_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EOT_EMONTH=12 & ROT_CONTF LG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOTHEND

Description: Reason Other health insurance coverage ended. (No longer eligible)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EOT_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EOT_EMONTH=12 & ROT_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOTHEND

Description: Reason Other health insurance coverage ended. (Unhappy with plan)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EOT_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EOT_EMONTH=12 & ROT_CONTF LG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOTHEND

Description: Reason Other health insurance coverage ended. (Other)

Universe Description: Respondents who had Other coverage that ended during the calendar year.

Universe: EOT_EMONTH in (1:11) or (EOT_EMONTH=12 & ROT_CONTFLG=2)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOTHEND

Description: Recode - Monthly Private coverage (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIMTH

Description: Recode - Monthly Medicaid coverage (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: ACDMTH

Description: Recode - policyholder during the month (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|--|
| 1 | Covered in own name |
| 2 | Covered by someone else's plan |
| 3 | Covered both in own name and someone else's plan |
| 4 | Not covered |

Status Flag: AHOWNER

Description: Recode - indicating coverage by plan owned by someone outside household during the month (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: ANONHH

Description: Recode - indicating if anyone outside household was covered by this insurance plan (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: Respondents age 15+ covered by an insurance plan in own name, or covered both in own name and by someone else's plan.

Universe: TAGE ge 15 & RHIOWNER=(1 or 3)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIOOTHER

Description: Recode - indicates if spouse outside the household was covered by this insurance plan (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: Respondents age 15+ covered by an insurance plan in own name, or covered both in own name and by someone else's plan, who indicated the plan also covered anyone outside the household.

Universe: RHIOther=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHISPSE

Description: Recode - indicates if child under 18 outside the household was covered by this insurance plan (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: Respondents age 15+ covered by an insurance plan in own name, or covered both in own name and by someone else's plan, who indicated the plan also covered anyone outside the household.

Universe: RHIOther=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIYNGKD

Description: Recode - indicates if child over 18 outside the household was covered by this insurance plan (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: Respondents age 15+ covered by an insurance plan in own name, or covered both in own name and by someone else's plan, who indicated the plan also covered anyone outside the household.

Universe: RHIOOTHER=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHOLDKD

Description: Recode - indicates if other person(s) (besides spouse, or younger child, or older child) outside the household was covered by this insurance plan (comparable to prior SIPP Panels)

Universe Description: Respondents age 15+ covered by an insurance plan in own name, or covered both in own name and by someone else's plan, who indicated the plan also covered anyone outside the household.

Universe: RHIOther=1

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHIOTHR

Description: Recode - Indian Health Services Coverage during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AIHSMTH

Description: Recode - Private Coverage during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRIMTH

Description: Monthly recode- Public Coverage during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APUBMTH

Description: Recode - Monthly Non-Military Employer-related Private Coverage (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRITYPE1

Description: Recode - Monthly Direct-Purchase Private Coverage (includes school-based coverage) (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRITYPE2

Description: Recode - Monthly Medigap (Supplemental Insurance) Private Coverage (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APRITYPE3

Description: Recode - Monthly Medicare Public Coverage at any point during the month, excludes Part A only (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APUBTYPE1

Description: Recode - Medical Assistance Public Coverage at any point during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APUBTYPE2

Description: Monthly recode - Military-Related Public Coverage (TRICARE or CHAMPUS) at any point during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APUBTYPE3

Description: Recode - Military Related Public Coverage (CHAMPVA or VA care) at any point during the month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APUBTYPE4

Description: Recode - indicating respondent is insured (private or public coverage) in month (New as of 2014 Panel)

Universe Description: All persons

Universe: All persons

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AHLTHMTH

Description: Recode variable indicating Private line 1 health insurance coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Private Line 1 health insurance in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EPR1EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: APR1_CONTFLG

Description: Recode variable indicating Private line 2 health insurance coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Private Line 2 health insurance in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EPR2EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: APR2_CONTFLG

Description: Recode variable indicating Medicare coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Medicare in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EMC_EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: AMC_CONTFLG

Description: Recode variable indicating Medical Assistance (Medicaid) coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Medical Assistance (Medicaid) in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EMD_EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: AMD_CONTFLG

Description: Recode variable indicating Military coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Military health insurance in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EML_EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: AML_CONTFLG

Description: Recode variable indicating Other coverage continued beyond month 12.

Universe Description: All respondents covered by Other health insurance in the last month (month 12) of the reference period.

Universe: EOT_EMONTH=12

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---|
| 1 | Spell continued into the interview year |
| 2 | Spell ended in month 12 |

Status Flag: AOT_CONTFLG

Description: Edited indicator for Private Lines 1 & 2 health insurance coverage at any time during the reference period (person-level variable).

Universe Description: All respondents in the sample housing unit except where the respondent is a noninterview.

Universe: HHSTAT in (1,3,5)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: APR_SCRNR

Description: Edited indicator for Medicare insurance coverage at any time during the reference period (person-level variable).

Universe Description: All respondents in the sample housing unit except where the respondent is a noninterview.

Universe: HHSTAT in (1,3,5)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMC_SCRNR

Description: Edited indicator for Medical Assistance (Medicaid) coverage at any time during the reference period (person-level variable).

Universe Description: All respondents in the sample housing unit except where the respondent is a noninterview.

Universe: HHSTAT in (1,3,5)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AMD_SCRNR

Description: Edited indicator for Military health insurance coverage at any time during the reference period (person-level variable).

Universe Description: All respondents in the sample housing unit except where the respondent is a noninterview.

Universe: HHSTAT in (1,3,5)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AML_SCRNR

Description: Edited indicator for "Other" health insurance coverage at any time during the reference period (person-level variable).

Universe Description: All respondents in the sample housing unit except where the respondent is a noninterview.

Universe: HHSTAT in (1,3,5)

Length: 1

Answer List:

| Value: | Description: |
|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Yes |
| 2 | No |

Status Flag: AOT_SCRNR