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## Respondent Questionnaire



Introduction:
Statistics Canada is conducting a national survey on the health of Canadians. This is a follow-up of a survey that we conducted in 1996 and 1997. The National Population Health Survey collects information on the health of people in Canada, on the use of health services and on some of the factors that can affect health.

Your answers will be kept strictly confidential and used only for statistical purposes. While participation is voluntary, your assistance is essential if the results are to be accurate.

## A. Status of Longitudinal Respondent

A1. Does . . . still live at (read information on label)?
AMI8_1
1 Yes
2 No Go to A3

A2. Is the address information on the label correct and complete?
AMI__2
3 Yes Go to A8
4 No (institution)
5 No (household)
Make corrections on the Institution Contr0X Formand go to A8
Go to A7 and Enter the complete correctaddress )

A3.
Where is . . . ?
AMI8_3
(Mark only one.)
01 Died
02 Private household
03 Nursing home
04 General hospital
05 Residential care facility
06 Other - Specify


A4. When did... die?
DHI8_DOD (2 chars.)
DHI8_MOD (2 ${ }^{-}$chars.)
DHI8 YOD
 (4 chars.)

A5. In what city and province?

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DHI8_DCY 1 City
    _--------------------_---_-_-_ (25 chars.)
DHI9_DPR 2 Province Code
    _ _ (2 chars.)
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Check "Dead" at Question 1- Location and "household / dead" at Question 2-Sequence No. on the front cover.
Thank respondent and END interview.

A6.

## What is the name of the institution?

IPI8_ADD

A7. What is the mailing address?
IPI8_NAM

IPI8_APT

IPI8_CTY

IPI8_PC

IPI8_PR

IPI8_TEL
_ _ (2 chars.)
6. Telephone Number (including area code)
_ _ _ _-_- -___ (10 chars.)

A8. Interviewer:
4. Postal Code
5. Province Code
(25 chars.)
3. City
(15 chars.)
2. Apartment

## _ - _ _ _ _ ( 6 chars.)

$\square$
(10

 Section B - Next-of-Kin Consent page 5.

Complete Location and Sequence No. on the front cover and Go to Section CC - Page 29.

Complete Location and Sequence No. on the front cover and END interview.

## INSTITUTION RESPONDENTS

## B. Next-of-Kin Consent AMI8_B0

Interviewer:
If the respondent is completing this questionnaire (non-proxy) $04 \square$

Go to Section C - Selected Respondent Information and complete the questionnaire with the respondent

If the next-of-kin agrees to complete the questionnaire

Go to Section C-Selected Respondent information and complete the quystionnaire with the next-of-kin about the respondent

If the next-of-kin does not agree to complete the questionnaire

B1. Do you agree to have information provided to Statistics Canada for the National Population

AMI8_PER Health Survey about . . . by a person appointedrby the institution?

1 Yes
2 No
Enter a final status cododr Refused on the front cover of the questionnaire and END interview.

B2.
We are also seeking your permission to link information collected during this interview with provincial health information Thiswould include information on past and continuing use of services such as visits to hospitals, clinics, physician's offices or other services provided by the province. This information will be used for statistical purposes only.

Do we have yourpermission?


B3. To avoid duplication, Statistics Canada intends to share the information from all interviews AMI8_SHR
conducted as part of this survey with provincial ministries of health, Health Canada and Human Resources Development Canada. These organizations have undertaken to keep this information confidential and use it only for statistical purposes.

Do you agree to share the information provided?
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}5 & \text { Yes } \\ 6 & \text { No }\end{array}\right\} \quad$ Thank respondent and contact the institution
C. Selected Respondent Information

C1. Interviewer:
DHI8_1 Who is completing the questionnaire?
(Mark one only.)
7 Selected respondent (Non-proxy)
8 Family member or Next-of-Kin (Proxy)
9 Institutional staff, Volunteer, Other (Proxy)

C2. I would like to confirm that I have the correct spelling of your (. . 's) name. Is it (read label)? (Correct below if necessary.)

| DHI__2 | 1 | Same as on label |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  |  | OR |

DHI8_LN
3 Last name

C3.
DHI8_MAR
(Mark one only.)
01 Married
02 Common-law
03 Living with a partner
04 Single (never marriedt)
05 Widowed


07 Divorced


Does your (. . .'s) husband / wife / partner also live in this facility?
C4.
DHI8_7

1 Yes
2 No

C5. Do you (Does . . .) have a room by yourself (him / herself)?
DHI8 8
3 Yes
4 No

C6. Do you (Does . . .) have a telephone in your (his / her) room?
DHI8 9
5 Yes
6 No

C7. When were you (was . . .) admitted to this facility?
(The most recent admission if admitted more than once.)

DHI8_MOA $\overline{\text { Month }} \quad$ (2 chars.)

DHI8_YOB
19__ (4 chars.)
Year


## D. General Health

This part of the survey deals with various aspects of your (. . .'s) health. By health, we mean not only the absence of disease or injury but also physical, mental and social well-being.

D1. In general, would you say your (. . .'s) health is:
GHI8_1
(Mark one only.)
01 excellent?
02 very good?
03 good?
04 fair?
05 poor?


## E. Health Status

The next set of questions asks about your (. . .'s) day-to-day health. The questions are not about illnesses like colds that affect people for short periods of time. They are concerned with a person's usual abilities. You may feel that some of these questions do not apply to you (. . .), but it is important that we ask the same questions of everyone.

## Vision

E1. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to see well enough to read ordinary newsprint without glasses or contact lenses?

1 Yes Go to E4
2 No

E2. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to see well enough to read ordinany newsprint with glasses or HSI8_2 contact lenses?

3 Yes Go to E4
4 No

E3. Are you (ls . . .) able to see at all?
HSI8_3
5 Yes
6 No
Go to E6 - Hearing

E4. Are you (Is . . .) able to see wellenough without glasses or contact lenses to recognize a HSI8_4 friend on the other side of the street (across the room)?

7 Yes
Go to ES Hearing
8 No

E5. Are you (Is . . N) $u$ unally able to see well enough with glasses or contact lenses to recognize a HSI8_5 friend on the other side of the street (across the room)?


## Hearing

E6. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a group conversation with at least three HSI__6 other people without a hearing aid?
3 Yes Go to E11-Speech
4 No

E7. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a group conversation with at least three HSI8_7 other people, with a hearing aid?
5 Yes Go to E9
6 No

E8. Are you (Is . . .) able to hear at all?
HSI8_8
7 Yes
8 No
Go to E11- Speech

E9. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in aconversation with one other person in a HSI8_9 quiet room without a hearing aid?
1 Yes
Go to E11- Speech
2 No

E10. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a conversation with one other person in a HSI8_10 quiet room, with a hearing aid?

3 Yes


## Speech

E11. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to be understood completely when speaking with strangers in HSI8_11 your (. . .'s) own language?
5 Yes
Go to E15-Getting Around
6 No

E12. Are you (ls . . .) able to be understood partially when speaking with strangers?

## HSI8_12

7 Yes
8 No
E13. Are you (Is . . .) able to be understood completely when speaking with those who know you HSI8_13 (him / her) well?

1 Yes
Go to E15-Getting Around
2 No

E14. Are you (Is . . .) able to be understood partially when speaking with those who know you (him HSI8_14 I her) well?
$\begin{array}{ll}3 & \text { Yes } \\ 4 & \text { No }\end{array}$

## Getting Around

E15. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to walk around without difficulty and without mechanical support HSI8_15 such as braces, a cane or crutches?
5 Yes
Go to E22 - Agility
6 No

E16. Are you (Is . . .) able to walk at all?
HSI8_16
7 Yes
8 No
Go to E19

E17. Do you (Does ...) require mechanical support such as braces, a cane or crutches to be able HSI8_17 to walk around?

1 Yes
2 No

E18. Do you (Does ...) require the help of another personto be able to walk? HSI8_18

3 Yes
4 No

E19. Do you (Does . . .) require a wheelchair to get around?

5 Yes
6 No

E20. How often do you (does. . Yuse a wheelchair?
HSI8_20
(Mark one only.)


E21. Do you (Does . . .) need the help of another person to get around in the wheelchair? HSI8_21

5 Yes
6 No

E22. Do you (Does...) have any physical difficulty cutting your (his / her) own toenails?
HSI8_22
7 Yes
8 No

## Hands and Fingers

E23. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to grasp and handle small objects such as a pencil or scissors?
HSI8_23
1 Yes Go to E27-Feelings

2 No

E24. Do you (Does . . .) require the help of another person because of limitations in the use of HSI8_24 hands or fingers?
3 Yes
4 No Go to E26
4 No Go to E26


E25. Do you (Does . . .) require the help of another person with:
HSI8_25 (Mark one only.)

5 some tasks?
6 most tasks?
7 almost all tasks?
8 all tasks?

E26. Do you (Does ...) reguire special equipment, for example, devices to assist in dressing HSI8_26 because of limitations in the use of hands or fingers?

1 Yes
2 No

## Feelings

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { E27. } & \text { Would you describe yourself (. . .) as being usually: } \\ \text { HSI8_27 } & \text { (Mark one only.) }\end{array}$
3 happy and interested in life?
4 somewhat happy?
5 somewhat unhappy?
6 unhappy with little interest in life?
7 so unhappy that life is not worthwhile?

Memory
E28. How would you describe your ( . . 's) usual ability to remember things? Are you (Is . . .):
HSI8_28 (Mark one only.)

01 able to remember most things?
02 somewhat forgetful?
03 very forgetful?
04 unable to remember anything at all?


E29. Is this a problem with short-term memory, with-long-term memory, or both short and longterm memory? (By short-term, we mean yesterday and today. By long-term, we mean remembering events that happened ast year or many years ago.)
(Mark one only.)
05 Short-term memory only
06 Long-term memory only
07 Both short-term ano Tong-term memory

## Thinking

E30. Howy yould you describe your (. . .'s) usual ability to think and solve day-to-day problems? HSI8_30

Are soul(is. .):
(Mark one only.)
1 able to think clearly and solve problems?
2 having a little difficulty?
3 having some difficulty?
4 having a great deal of difficulty?
5 unable to think or solve problems?

## Pain and Discomfort

E31. Are you (ls . . .) usually free of pain or discomfort?
HSI8_31
6 Yes Go to Section F - Chronic Conditions
7 No

E32. How would you describe the usual intensity of your (. . .'s) pain or discomfort?
HSI8_32 (Mark one only.)

1 Mild
2 Moderate
3 Severe

E33. How many activities does your (. . .'s) pain or discomfort prevent?
HSI8_33
(Mark one only.)
4 None
5 A few
6 Some
7 Most


## F. Chronic Conditions

Now l'd like to ask about any chronic health conditions you (. . .) may have that have been diagnosed by a health professional. Chronic or "long-term conditions" refer to conditions that have lasted, or are expected to last, 6 months or more.

F1. Do you (Does . . .) have any of the following long-term conditions that have been diagnosed by a health professional?


## G. Restriction of Activities

The next few questions deal with any health limitations which affect your (. . .'s) daily activities. Again, "Iong-term conditions" refer to conditions that have lasted or are expected to last 6 months or more.

G1. Because of a long-term physical or mental condition or a health problem, are you (is . . .) limited in the kind or amount of activity you (he / she) can do:

> Yes No

RAI8_1A

RAI8_1B
a) within the residence or institution?
b) outside the residence or institution in activities such as travel, recreation or leisure?

Do you (Does . . .) have any long-term disabilities or handicaps?
5 Yes

G2.
RAI8_2

6 No

Interviewer:
If "YES" to at least one of G1a, G1b, or G2
Otherwise


Go to G3
Go to G8

12

3
4


G3. What is the main condition or health problem causing you (. . .) to be limited in your (his / her)

G4. Which one of the folowing is the best description of the cause of this condition?
RAI8_4

## 1

2 Existed at birth
3 Work environment
4 Disease or illness
5 Natural aging process
6 Psychological or physical abuse
7 Other - Specify
$\qquad$

G5. Do you (Does . . .) have another long-term condition or health problem causing you (. . .) to

RAI8_5 RAI8CIC2 RAI8G12B RAI8G25B be limited in your (his / her) activities or to have a long-term disability or handicap?

8 Yes
9 No Go to G8

G6. What is this condition or health problem?
RAI8_5C
(Specify the second main condition / health problem)
$\qquad$

G7. Which one of the following is the best description of the cause of this condition?
(Mark main cause only.)
1 Injury
2 Existed at birth
3 Work environment
4 Disease or illness
5 Natural aging process
6 Psychological or physical abuse
7 Other - Specify


G8. The next few questions may not apply toyour(. . ) but we need to ask the same questions of everyone. Because of any condition orhealth problem, do you (does . . .) need the help of another person with:


Yes No

RAI8_7A
RAI8_7B
RAl8_7C
RAI8_7D
RAI8_7E

G9.
RAI8_8
a) personal care such as bathing, dressing or eating? 0102
b) moving aboutNNSIDE the residence or institution? 0304
c) moving about OUKSIDE the residence or institution? 0506
d) getting in and out of bed?

0708
e) getting in or out of a chair or wheelchair?

09
10

Are you (ls . . .) usually confined to a bed or chair for most of the day because of your (his / her) health?

1 Yes
2 No

## H. Balance

H1. During the past $\mathbf{1 2}$ months, have you (has ...) fallen?
FLI8_1
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}3 \\ \text { Yes } \\ 4 \\ \text { No } \\ 5\end{array} & \text { Don't know }\end{array}\right\}$ Go to Section I - Smoking
H2. How many times have you (has . . .) fallen?
FLI8_2
(Mark one only.)
6 Once
7 Twice
83 to 5 times
96 or more times
H3. Remember, we are talking about falls that occurred in the past 12 months. Were you FLI__3 (Was . . .) injured as a result of falling?

1 Yes
2 No
Go to H 5
H4. What was the most serious injury you (...) had as a result of falling?
FLI8_4
(Mark one only.)
3 Broken or fractured hip
4 Break or fracture of bone or joint other than hip
5 Bruise, scrape or cut
6 Sprain or strain of joint or back
7 Lost consciousness or sqffered a concussion
8 Other injury - SpecifK


H5. What caused you (...) to fall?
(Mark all that apply.)

FLI8_5A
FLI8_5B
FLI8_5C
FLI8_5D
FLI8_5E
FLI8_5F
FLI8_5G
FLI8_5H
FLI8_5I
FLI8_5J

01 Dizzinesslyainted
02 liness
03 Weakness / frailty
04 Problems with balance
05 Fell asleep
06 Reaction to medication
07 Poor eyesight
08 Tripped over or bumped into an object
09 Misjudged distance
10 Other cause - Specify

## I. Smoking

The next few questions are about smoking.
J1. At the present time do you (does . . .) smoke cigarettes daily, occasionally or not at all? SMI8_1 (Mark one only.)

1 Daily
2 Occasionally Go to 15
3 Not at all Go to I4
I2. At what age did you (...) begin smoking cigarettes daily? SMI8_2
(3 chars.)
997 Don't know

13. How many cigarettes do you (does . . .) smoke each day now?

SMI8_3
(3 chars.)
997


Have you (Has . . .) ever smoked cigarettes atan?
SMI8_4
4 Yes
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}5 & \text { No } \\ 6 & \text { Don't know }\end{array}\right\}$ Go to Section J Alcond
15. SMI8_5

| 16. |
| :--- |
| SM18_6 |

Have you (Has . . .) ever shaked cigarettes daily?
7 Yes
8 No
9 Don't known $\}\}$

- Alcohol

At what age did you (. . .) begin to smoke (cigarettes) daily?
(3 chars.) years old

997 Don't know
17. SMI8_7

At what age did you (. . .) stop smoking (cigarettes) daily?
(3 chars.)
997 Don't know

## J. <br> Alcohol

Now, some questions about alcohol consumption. When we use the word "drink" it means:
one bottle or can of beer or a glass of draft;
$\square \quad$ one glass of wine or wine cooler;
$\square \quad$ one drink or cocktail with 1 and $1 / 2$ ounces of liquor.

J1 During the past 12 months, have you (has . . ) had a drink of beer, wine, liquor or any other ALI8_1 alcoholic beverage?
1 Yes Go to J3
2 No

J2. Have you (Has . . .) ever had a drink?
ALI8_3
$\left.\begin{array}{lll}3 & \text { Yes } \\ 4 & \text { No } \\ 5 & \text { Don't know }\end{array}\right\}$ Go to J4 $\begin{aligned} & \text { Go to Section K - Social Support }\end{aligned}$

J3. ALI8_2

During the past 12 months, how often did yoû. drink alcoholic beverages? (Mark one only.)

01 Less than once a month
02 Once a month
032 to 3 times a month
04 Once a week
052 to 3 times week
064 to 6 times a week
07 Every day

J4. ALI 4

Did you (. . ) ever regularly drink more than 12 drinks a week?


8 Dont know
K.

## Social Support

Now, some questions about your (. . .'s) contact with different groups and support from family and friends.

K1. Do you (Does . . .) belong to any groups or participate in group activities INSIDE this facility sSI8_1 such as a social club, a hobby group, or religious services or meetings?

1 Yes
2 No Go to K3

K2.
SSI8_2
How often did you (. . .) participate in meetings or activities of these groups in the past 12 months? If you belong (. . . belongs) to many, just think of the one in whichyou are (he / she is) most active. (Mark one only.)

3 Every day
4 At least once a week
5 At least once a month
6 Less than once a month
7 Not at all

K3. Do you (Does . . .) take part in any one-to-one activities with a volunteer, therapist or other SSI8_3A staff member?

8 Yes
9 No

K4. How often did you (. . ) participate in these one-to-one activities in the past $\mathbf{1 2}$ months?
(Mark one only.)
1 Every day
2 At least once a week
3 At least once a month
4 Lessthan once a month
5 Notatall

K5. How many relatives do you (does . . .) feel close to?
SSI8_4
__ close relatives
(2 chars.)

If None Enter 00 and Go to K7

K6. During the past 12 months how often did you (. . .) see any of these relatives?
ssi8_5 (Mark one only.)
1 Every day
2 At least once a week
3 At least once a month
4 Less than once a month
5 Not at all
K7. Now a few questions about close friends. By close friends, we mean people that you feel SSI8 6 (. . . feels) at ease with, can talk to about private matters or can call upon for help. Not counting relatives or staff, how many close friends do you (does . . .) haveliving INSIDE this facility?
close friends living INSIDE this facility (2 chars.)

If None Enter 00

K8. Again, not counting relatives or staff, how many close friends do you (does . . .) have living SS18 7 OUTSIDE this facility?
_close friends living OUTSIDE this facility (2 chars.)

If None Enter 00 and Go to K9i

K9. During the past 12 months, how offen did you (. . .) see your (his / her) close friends living
OUTSIDE this facility? That is, how often did they visit you (. . .) or you (. . .) visit them?
(Mark one only.)
1 Every day
2 At least once a week
3 At least once a month
4 Less thaponce a month
5 Not at all

K9i.
Interviewer:
If $K 5=00$ AND $K 8=00 \quad \square \quad$ Go to K11

K10. Of your (. . .'s) friends or relatives living OUTSIDE this facility, whom did you (did . . .) see ssi8_9 most often during the past 12 months?
(Mark one only.)
01 Husband / wife / partner
02 Daughter / daughter-in-law
03 Son / son-in-law
04 Parent / parent-in-law
05 Brother / sister
06 Grandchild
07 Other family member
08 Friend
09 Neighbour
10 Other - Specify


K11.
SSI8_10

How many staff members of this facility do you (does. have a close relationship with, that is, feel at ease with or can talk to about private matters?

$$
\overline{\text { (2 chars.) }} \text { staff members }
$$

If none Enter 00


K12. During the past 12 months, how often did you ( . . .) leave this facility for social or sSI8_11 recreational purposes, such as gatings, visits or trips. Do not include trips to obtain medical care or treatment.
(Mark one only.)
1 Every day
2 At least oncera weeek
3 At least once a month
4 Less thaf once a month


K13. While you were (. . . was) outside the facility during these outings, did you (. . .):


## L. Socio-demographic Characteristics

Now l'd like to ask some general questions which will allow us to study the relationship between health and factors which may be related to health.

## Income

L1. Thinking about your (. . 's) own personal income, from which of the following sources did you (. . .) receive any income in the past 12 months? (Mark all that apply.)

## INI8 1A

INI8 1B
INI8 1C
INI8 1D

INI8 1E

INI8 1F

INI8 1G

INI8 1H

INI8 1L

L2.
INI8 2

01 Old Age Security
02 Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan
03 Guaranteed Income Supplement
04 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities
05 Dividends and interest on bonds, deposits and savings, stocks, mutual funds, etc.
06 Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare
07 Wages, salaries, or income from self empleyment
08 Other income (e.g. Worker's Compensation, Employment Insurance, rental
income, scholarships, other government income, alimony, child support, etc.)
09 None
10 Don't know
What is your best estimate ofyour (. . .'s) total personal income before taxes and deductions from all sources in the past 12 months? Was your (. . .'s) total personal income:
(Mark one only.)

1 Less than \$5,000?
2 \$5,000 to less than $\$ 10,000$ ?
3 \$10,000 to less than $\$ 15,000$ ?
4 \$15,000 to less than $\$ 20,000$ ?
5 \$20,000 to less than $\$ 30,000$ ?
6 \$30,000 to less than $\$ 40,000$ ?
7 \$40,000 or more?
8 Don't know

## M. Contact Information

This survey is part of a longer-term study to look at the health of Canadians. We will need to re-contact you (. . ) two years from now to ask a few more questions about your ( . . 's) health. We would like the name, address and phone number of two friends or relatives (of . . .) we could call in case there are difficulties in reaching you (. . .). This would only be used to help us make contact with you (. . .).

## First Contact Person



## Second Contact Person

| M10. | First name |
| :--- | :--- |
| CII8 7A |  |

CII8 7A

## M11.

CII8 7B
M12.
CII8 8A
M13.
CII8 8B
M14.
CII8 9
M15.
CII8 10
M16.
CII8 10P
M17.
CII8 11

M18.
CII8 12
_-__-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-__-_ (25 chars.)
Last name
_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_-_(25 chars.)
Street / R.R.

Apartment
-------------(15 chars.)
City

## Postal Code

------ (6 chars.)
Province Code
_ _ (2 chars.)
Telephone Number (including area code)

-     -         - --- - -_-_ (10 chars.)

How is this person related to you (. . .)? (Mark one only.)

01 Husband / wife / partner
02 Daughter / daughter-in-law
03 Son / son-in-law
04 Parent / parent-in-law
05 Brother / sister
06 Grandchild
07 Other family member
08 Friend
09 Employee of facility
10 Other-Specify

Interviewer:
If interviewing the RESPONDENT or a "next-of-kin proxy"

If interviewing a "staff member or other proxy" $4 \square$
Refer to the consent information in Section B to complete N1 (=B1), N2 (=B2) and N3 (=B3)

N1. We are asking your permission to obtain the following information from the staff of this facility (the facility in which . . . lives).

First, we would like to ask the number and names of the medications you take (. . . takes), both prescription and over-the-counter.

Second, we would like to ask about how often you see or contact (. sees or contacts) health professionals, such as doctors, therapists and dentists.

Do we have your permission?
1 Yes
2 No

N2. We are also seeking your permission to lin贝information collected during this interview with such as visits to hospitals, clinics, physician's offices or other services provided by the province. This information will be used for statistical purposes only.

Do we have your permission?
3 Yes
4 No

N3. To avoid duplication, Statistics Canada intends to share the information from all interviews conducted as part of this survey with provincial ministries of health, Health Canada and Human Resources Development Canada. These organizations have undertaken to keep this information confidential and use it only for statistical purposes.

Do you agree to share the information provided?
5 Yes
6 No

## Interviewer:

Thank respondent and END interview.
If N1 is "yes" $\quad$ Arrange and complete an interview with a staff member of the facility to collect information on drug use and health care utilization (Sections $O$ and $P)$.
O. Drug Use

We have the permission of Name of resident (. . .'s next of kin) to obtain information from you about his / her use of medications and contact with health professionals.

O1. Now, I am referring to yesterday and the day before yesterday. During those two days, how DGI8 2 many different medications, both prescription and over-the-counter, did . . . take?
different medications
(2 chars.)
If None Enter 00 and Go to Section P - Health Care Utilization

O2. What is the exact name of the medication that . . . took in the last two days? (Ask the person to look at the bottle, tube, or box.) Report a maximum of 12 medications.)

DGI8 BA
a) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)
b) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)
c) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)

DGI8 3D
d)

e)

P.

## Health Care Utilization

P1. Now some questions on contacts with health care professionals. In the past 12 months how often has ... seen or talked to the following types of health care providers about his / her physical, emotional or mental health:

HCl8 1A
HCl8 1B

HCl8 1C

HCl8 1D
HCI8 1E
HCl8 1F
HCl8 1G
HCl8 1 H
HCl8 11

## HCl8 1J

HCl8 1K
a) general practitioner?

0102
b) eye specialist (such as ophthalmologist or optometrist)? 0607
c) other medical doctor (such as geriatrician, surgeon, psychiatrist)?1112
d) nurse for care or advice?
e) physiotherapist?
f) speech or audiology therapist?
g) occupational therapist?
h) respiratory therapist?
i) dentist, denture therapist or dental hygienist?
j) psychologist?
k) social worker or counselor?
k) social worker or counselor? 51

| Every | At |
| :--- | :--- |
| day | least |
|  | once |
|  | a week |


| At | Less | Not |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| least | than | at |
| once a | once a | all |
| month | month |  |

P2.
HCl8 2
In the past 12 months has . been temporarily transferred to an acute (short-term) care facility for a period of lessthan 21 days?

1 Yes
2 No

## HOUSEHOLD RESPONDENTS

## CC. Selected Respondent Information

CC1. Interviewer:
DHI8_1 Who is completing the questionnaire?
(Mark one only.)
7 Selected respondent (Non-proxy)
8 Family member (Proxy)
9 Other (Proxy)

CC2. I would like to confirm that I have the correct spelling of your (. . .'s) name. Is it (read label)? (Correct below if necessary.)

DHI8 21 Same as on label

CC3. What is your (. . .'s) current marital status?
DHI8 MAR
(Mark one only.)
01 Married
02 Common-law
03 Living with a partner
04 Single (never harried)
05 Widowed 06 Separated
07 Divorced
08 port know

## DD. General Health

This part of the survey deals with various aspects of your (. . .'s) health. By health, we mean not only the absence of disease or injury but also physical, mental and social well-being.

DD1. In general, would you say your (. . .'s) health is:
GHI__1
(Mark one only.)
01 excellent?
02 very good?
03 good?
04 fair?
05 poor?


## EE. Health Status

The next set of questions asks about your (. . .'s) day-to-day health. The questions are not about illnesses like colds that affect people for short periods of time. They are concerned with a person's usual abilities. You may feel that some of these questions do not apply to you (. . .), but it is important that we ask the same questions of everyone.

## Vision

EE1. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to see well enough to read ordinary newsprint without glasses HSI8 1 or contact lenses?

1 Yes Go to EE4
2 No

EE2. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to see well enough to read ordinary nevsprint with glasses or HSI8_2 contact lenses?

3 Yes Go to EE4
4 No

EE3. Are you (ls . . .) able to see at all?
HSI8_3
5 Yes
6 No
Go to EE6 - Hearing

EE4. Are you (Is . . .) able to see wetienoygh without glasses or contact lenses to recognize a

## HSI8_4

 friend on the other side of the street (across the room)?7 Yes
Go tOEEG-Hearing
8 No
EE5. Are you (ls. Uusually able to see well enough with glasses or contact lenses to recognize a HSI8 5 friend on the other side of the street (across the room)?

## Hearing

EE6. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a group conversation with at least three
HSI8 6 other people without a hearing aid?
3 Yes
Go to EE11-Speech
4 No

EE7. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a group conversation with at least three HSI8_7 other people, with a hearing aid?
5 Yes
Go to EE9
6 No

EE8. Are you (Is . . .) able to hear at all?
HSI8_8
7 Yes
8 No
Go to EE11-Speech

EE9. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in aconversation with one other person in a H.SI8 9 quiet room without a hearing aid?

1 Yes Go to EE11-Speech
2 No

EE10. Are you (ls . . .) usually able to hear what is said in a conversation with one other person in a HSI8 10 quiet room, with a hearing aid?

3 Yes
4 No

## Speech

EE11. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to be understood completely when speaking with strangers in HSI8 11 our (. . .'s) own language?

5 Yes Go to EE15-Getting Around
6 No

EE12. Are you (ls . . .) able to be understood partially when speaking with strangers? HSI8 12

7 Yes
8 No

EE13. Are you (Is . . .) able to be understood completely when speaking with those who know you HSI8 13 (him / her) well?

1 Yes
Go to EE15-Getting Around
2 No

EE14. Are you (Is . . .) able to be understood partially whenspeaking with those who know you (him HSI8 14 / her) well?


## Getting Around

EE15. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to walk around without difficulty and without mechanical HSI8 15 support such as braces, a cane or crutches?

5 Yes Go to EE22 -Agility
6 No

EE16. Are you (Is . . .) able to walk at all?
HSI8 16
7 Yes
8 No
Go to EE19

EE17. Do you (Does ...) require mechanical support such as braces, a cane or crutches to be able HSI8 17 to walk around?

1 Yes
2 No

EE18. Do you (Does . . .) require the help of another personto be able to walk?
3 Yes
4 No

EE19. Do you (Does . . .) require a wheelchair to get around?
HSI8 $19 \quad 5$ Yes
6 No
Go to EE22 Acidity
EE20. How often do you (does. . Y use a wheelchair?
HSI8 20 'Mark one only.)


EE21. Do you (Does . . .) need the help of another person to get around in the wheelchair? HST 21

5 Yes
6 No

EE22. Do you (Does. . .) have any physical difficulty cutting your (his / her) own toenails?
HSI8_22
7 Yes
8 No

## Hands and Fingers

EE23. Are you (Is . . .) usually able to grasp and handle small objects such as a pencil or scissors?
HSI8 23
1 Yes
Go to EE27-Feelings
2 No

EE24. Do you (Does . . .) require the help of another person because of limitations in the use of HSI8 24 hands or fingers?

3 Yes
4 No Go to EE26


EE25. Do you (Does . . .) require the help of anotherkerson with:
HSI8_25 (Mark one only.)

5 some tasks?
6 most tasks?
7 almost all tasks?
8 all tasks?
EE26. Do you (Does . . ) require special equipment, for example, devices to assist in dressing HSI8_26 because of limitations in the use of hands or fingers?


## Feelings

EE27. Would you describe yourself ( . . .) as being usually:
HSI8 27
(Mark one only.)
3 happy and interested in life?
4 somewhat happy?
5 somewhat unhappy?
6 unhappy with little interest in life?
7 so unhappy that life is not worthwhile?

Memory
EE28. How would you describe your ( . . .'s) usual ability to remember things? Are you (Is . . .):
HSI8_2
(Mark one only.)
01 able to remember most things?
02 somewhat forgetful?
03 very forgetful?
04 unable to remember anything at all?


EE29. Is this a problem with short-term memory, with-long-term memory, or both short and longHSI8_2 term memory? (By short-term, we mean yesterday and today. By long-term, we mean remembering events that happened ast year or many years ago.)
(Mark one only.)
05 Short-term memory onky
06 Long-term memory only
07 Both short-term and Tong-term memory


## Thinking

EE30. How would you describe your (. . .'s) usual ability to think and solve day-to-day problems?
HSI8_3 Are you (ls . . .):
(Mark one only.)
1 able to think clearly and solve problems?
2 having a little difficulty?
3 having some difficulty?
4 having a great deal of difficulty?
5 unable to think or solve problems?

## Pain and Discomfort

EE31. Are you (Is . . .) usually free of pain or discomfort?
6 Yes Go to Section FF - Chronic Conditions
7 No

EE32. How would you describe the usual intensity of your (...'s) pain or discomfort? HSI8 3 (Mark one only.)

1 Mild
2 Moderate
3 Severe

EE33. How many activities does yourl. .'s) pain or discomfort prevent? HSI8 33 (Mark one only.)

4 None
5 A few
6 Some


## FF. Chronic Conditions

Now l'd like to ask about any chronic health conditions you (. . .) may have that have been diagnosed by a health professional. Chronic or "long-term conditions" refer to conditions that have lasted, or are expected to last, 6 months or more.

FF1. Do you (Does . . .) have any of the following long-term conditions that have been diagnosed by a health professional?

|  |  |  | Yes | No | Don't know |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CCI8_1A |  | Arthritis or rheumatism | 01 |  | 03 |
| CC18_1B |  | High blood pressure (hypertension) |  |  | 06 |
| CCI8_1C |  | Asthma |  |  | 09 |
| CCI8_1D |  | Chronic bronchitis or emphysema |  |  | 12 |
| CC18_1E |  | Diabetes | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| CCl8 1F |  | Epilepsy | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| CC18_19 | g) | Heart disease | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| CCI8_1H |  | Effects of stroke (such as paralysis or speech problems) | 22 | 23 | 24 |
| CCI8_11 |  | Paralysis, partial or complete, other than the effects of a stroke | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| CCI8_1J | j) | Urinary incontinence, that is, difficulty controlling bladder | 28 | 29 | 30 |
| CCI8_1K |  | Difficulty controlling bowels | 31 | 32 | 33 |
| CC18_1L |  | Alzheimer's disease or any other dementia | 34 | 35 | 36 |
| CCI8_1M | m) | Osteoporosis or brittle bones | 37 | 38 | 39 |
| CC18_1N |  | Cataracts | 40 | 41 | 42 |
| CCl8_10 |  | Glaucoma | 43 | 44 | 45 |
| CC18 1 P |  | Stomach or intestinalulcers | 46 | 47 | 48 |
| CCI8_1Q |  | Kidney failure or disease | 49 | 50 | 51 |
| CCl8_1R |  | A bowel disordersuch as Crohn's disease or colitis | 52 | 53 | 54 |
| CCI8_1s |  | A thyroid condition |  |  |  |
| CC18_1T |  | A develobmental delay | 55 | 56 | 57 |
|  |  | (such as autism, Down's Syndrome, mental retardation) | 58 | 59 | 60 |
| CCI8_1U |  | Schizophrenia, depression, psychosis or |  |  |  |
|  |  | other mental illness | 61 | 62 | 63 |
| CCl8_1w |  | Cancer | 64 | 65 | 66 |
| CClı_1V |  | Any other long-term condition that has been diagnosed by a health professional | 67 s | cify68 | 69 |

## GG. Restriction of Activities

The next few questions deal with any health limitations which affect your (. . .'s) daily activities. Again, "Iong-term conditions" refer to conditions that have lasted or are expected to last 6 months or more.

G1. Because of a long-term physical or mental condition or a health problem, are you (is . . .) limited in the kind or amount of activity you (he / she) can do:

Yes No

RAI8_1A

RAI8_1B

GG2.
RAI8_2
a) at home? 1
b) in activities such as travel, recreation or leisure?

Do you (Does . . .) have any long-term disabilities or handicaps?
5 Yes
6 No

Interviewer:
If "YES" to at least one of GG1a, GG1b, or GG2
Otherwise

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4

GG5.
RAl8_5 RAI8CIC2 RAI8G12B RAI8G25B

Do you (Does . . .) have another long-term condition or health problem causing you (. . .) to be limited in your (his / her) activities or to have a long-term disability or handicap?

8 Yes
9 No Go to GG8

GG6. What is this condition or health problem?
RAI8_5C
(Specify the second main condition / health problem)


GG7. Which one of the following is the best description of the cause of this condition?
RAI8_6 (Mark main cause only.)
1 Injury
2 Existed at birth
3 Work environment
4 Disease or illness
5 Natural aging process
6 Psychological or physical abuse
7 Other - Specify
$\qquad$

The next few questions may not apply toyou(...) but we need to ask the same questions of everyone. Because of any condition orhealth problem, do you (does . . .) need the help of another person with:
a) personal caresuch as bathing, dressing or eating?0102
b) moving about INSHE your home?0304
c) moving about OUTSIDE your home?
d) getting in and out of bed?

GG9.
RAI8_8

Are you (Is . . .) usually confined to a bed or chair for most of the day because of your (his / her) health?

1 Yes
2 No

## HH. Balance

HH1. During the past 12 months, have you (has . . .) fallen?
FLI8_1
3 Yes
$\left.\begin{array}{ll}4 & \text { No } \\ 5 & \text { Don't know }\end{array}\right\}$ Go to Section II - Smoking
HH2. How many times have you (has . . .) fallen?
FLI8_2 (Mark one only.)
6 Once
7 Twice
83 to 5 times
96 or more times
HH3. Remember, we are talking about falls that occurred in the past 12 months. Were you FLI8_3 (Was . . .) injured as a result of falling?

1 Yes
2 No
Go to HH5
HH4. What was the most serious injury you (...) had as aresult of falling?

## FLI8_4 (Mark one only.)

3 Broken or fractured hip
4 Break or fracture of bone or joint other than hip
5 Bruise, scrape or cut
6 Sprain or strain of joint or back
7 Lost consciousness or suffered a concussion
8 Other injury - Specify

HH5. What caused you (..) to fall?
(Mark all that apply.)
RAI8_5A
RAI8_5B
RAI8_5C
RAI8_5D
RAI8_5E
RAI8_5F
RAI8_5G
RAI8_5H
RAI8_5I
RAI8_5J

## II. Smoking

The next few questions are about smoking.
II1. At the present time do you (does . . .) smoke cigarettes daily, occasionally or not at all?

SMI8_1 (Mark one only.)

1 Daily
2 Occasionally Go to II5
3 Not at all Go to II4
II2. At what age did you (...) begin smoking cigarettes daily? SMI8_2
( $\overline{\text { chenars. }}$ )
997 Don't know
III. How many cigarettes do you (does . . .) smoke each day now?
years old
(3"chars.)
997 Don't know $\}$
114.

SMI8_4

## JJ. <br> Alcohol

Now, some questions about alcohol consumption. When we use the word "drink" it means:
one bottle or can of beer or a glass of draft;
$\square$ one glass of wine or wine cooler;
$\square$ one drink or cocktail with 1 and $\mathbf{1 / 2}$ ounces of liquor.

JJ1. During the past 12 months, have you (has . . .) had a drink of beer, wine, liquor or any
ALI8_1 other alcoholic beverage?
1 Yes
Go to JJ3
2 No

JJ2. Have you (Has . . .) ever had a drink? ALI__3

3 Yes
Go to JJ4
4 No
5 Don't know $\}$
Go to Section LL - Socio-demographic characteristics


JJ3. During the past 12 months, how often did yous. )drink alcoholic beverages?
ALI__2 (Mark one only.)

01 Less than once a month
02 Once a month
032 to 3 times a month
04 Once a week
052 to 3 times week
064 to 6 times a week
07 Every day

JJ4. Did you ( ALI8_4 ever regularly drink more than 12 drinks a week?

7 No
8 Don't know

## LL.

## Socio-demographic Characteristics

Now l'd like to ask some general questions which will allow us to study the relationship between health and factors which may be related to health.

Income

LL1. Thinking about your (. . .'s) own personal income, from which of the following sources did you (. . .) receive any income in the past 12 months? (Mark all that apply.)

INI8_1A
INI8_1B

INI8_1C

INI8_1D

INI8_1E
INI8_1F
INI8_1G
INI8_1H

INI8_1L

L2. What is your best estimate ofyour (. . .'s) total personal income before taxes and deductions
INI8_2
01 Old Age Security
02 Benefits from Canada or Quebec Pension Plan
03 Guaranteed Income Supplement
04 Retirement pensions, superannuation and annuities


05 Dividends and interest on bonds, deposits and savings, stocks, mutual funds, etc.
06 Provincial or municipal social assistance or welfare
07 Wages, salaries, or income from self employment
08 Other income (e.g. Worker's Compensation, Employment Insurance, rental income, scholarships, other government income, alimony, child support, etc.)
$\left.\begin{array}{l}09 \text { None } \\ 10 \text { Don't know }\end{array}\right\}$ Go to Section MM CQntact Information from all sources in the past 12 months? Was your (. . .'s) total personal income:
(Mark one only.)

1 Less than \$5,000?
2 \$5,000 to less than $\$ 10,000$ ?
3 \$10,000 to less than \$15,000?
4 \$15,000 to less than $\$ 20,000$ ?
5 \$20,000 to less than \$30,000?
6 \$30,000 to less than \$40,000?
7 \$40,000 or more?
8 Don't know

## MM. Contact Information

This survey is part of a longer-term study to look at the health of Canadians. We will need to re-contact you (. . .) two years from now to ask a few more questions about your ( . . .'s) health. We would like the name, address and phone number of two friends or relatives (of . . .) we could call in case there are difficulties in reaching you (. . .). This would only be used to help us make contact with you (. . .).

## First Contact Person

MM1. First name


## MM9. How is this person related to you (.. $)$ ?

CII8 6
(Mark one only.)
01 Husband / wife / partner
02 Daughter / daughter-in-taus
03 Son / son-in-law
04 Parent / parênt-in-law
05 Brother/sister
06 Grandckild
07 Qther family member
08 Friend
09 Employee of facility
10 Other - Specify

## Second Contact Person



## OO. Drug Use

OO1. Now, I have a few questions about your (. . .'s) use of medications, both prescription and over-the-counter. I am referring to yesterday and the day before yesterday. During those two days, how many different medications, both prescription and over-the-counter, did you (. . .) take?
DG18 2 (2 chars.) $\quad$ different medications

If None Enter 00 and Go to Section PP - Health Care Utilization

OO2. What is the exact name of the medication that you (. . .) took in the last two days?
(Ask the respondent to look at the bottle, tube, or box.) (Report a maximum of 12 medications.)

## DGI8 3A

a) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)


DGI8 3B
b) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)
c)
 (25 chars.)
d) (25 ctars.
DGI8 3D
$\qquad$
e)



DGI8 3F

DGI8 3G

DGI8 3H
f) (25 chars.)
g)
 (25 chars.)
h)
 (25 chars.)

DGI8 31
j) (25 chars.)
i)
 (25 chars.)
k) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)
I) $\qquad$ (25 chars.)

## PP. Health Care Utilization

PP1. Now some questions on contacts with health care professionals. In the past $\mathbf{1 2}$ months how often has ... seen or talked to the following types of health care providers about his / her physical, emotional or mental health:

| At least | Less than | Not |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| once | once | at |
| a month | a month | all | HCl8 1K

k) social worker or counselor?

## HCl8 1A

HCl 81 B

HCl8 1C
a) general practitioner?

0102
b) eye specialist (such as ophthalmologist or optometrist)? 0607
c) other medical doctor (such as geriatrician, surgeon, psychiatrist)?11 12

HCl8 1D
HCl8 1E
d) nurse for care or advice? $16 \quad 17$
) nurse for care or advice? $16 \quad 17$
e) physiotherapist? 21
f) speech or audiology therapist?

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g) occupational therapist? 31
h) respiratory therapist? 36
i) dentist, denture therapist or dental hygienist?

HCl8 1J
j) psychologist?

Every At least day once a week 2 17
 HCl8 1G HCl8 1H HCl8 11
2227

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03
0405


QQ. Agreements

QQ2. We are seeking your permission to link information collected during this interview with AMI8 LNK provincial health information. This would include information on past and continuing use of services such as visits to hospitals, clinics, physician's offices or other services provided by the province. This information will be used for statistical purposes only.

Do we have your permission?
3 Yes
4 No

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Do you agree to share the information provided?


5 Yes
6 No

Interviewer:
Thank respondent and END interview.

