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24 Data, Data Collection Instrument and User
Guide

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Frequency	Code	Response	Variable Name	Type/Length
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Section 24: Live Births

[Generate a Live Births Data Set (LBDS), containing one record for each live birth reported in: (1) the variable RPNB in the Recent Pregnancies Data Set, and (2) the variable OPNB in the Old Pregnancies Data Set, with the constraint that, if RPNB > 2 or OPNB > 2, generate only two records. Store in BRELNO the value of RRELNO or ORELNO, as appropriate, and in BSOURCE an R if the record came from the RPDS, an O if it came from the OPDS. Copy into BPARTNER the value of RPARTNER or OPARTNER, as appropriate; into BPEMTH, the value of RPEMTH or OPEMTH, as appropriate; into BPEYR, the value of RPEYR or OPEYR; into SOURCENO, the value of RPNO or OPNO. Store a 1 in NUMBERB if the RPNB or OPNB value equals 1, a 2 if it is greater than 1. Store in BPEMTHN the numeric equivalents of BPEMTH values, and in BPEMTHT the complete month names. Sort the records by BPEYR and by BPEMTHN. Assign consecutive values of BPNO to the records. Store the highest value of BPNO in AGGIE. If AGGIE < 1, skip to Section 22.]

The next questions are about the live {BIRTH/ BIRTHS} you have reported. [If any pertinent RPNB or OPNB value > 2, add: "We realize that a multiple birth can be the birth of three or even more children at one time, not just the birth of twins. Nevertheless, in this interview we will ask about only two children in any multiple birth. If {<PARTNER>/YOU} in fact gave birth to triplets or quadruplets, and this were recorded in the data set, the rarity of the event would make it difficult to safeguard {HER AND YOUR/YOUR AND YOUR PARTNER'S} confidentiality."]

[For each record in the LBDS, ask Q.1 to Q.14.]

Display the Live Births Data Set (LBDS).

For each record in the LBDS, ask:

Is this the correct birth date of your {BABY/ FIRST BABY/ SECOND BABY}?
If yes, skip to the next child listed.

If no, ask:

What is the correct birth date of your {BABY/ FIRST BABY/ SECOND BABY}?

Have the interviewer correct the date and continue to the next child.

Respondent identification number.	AID	num 8
Range 10000000 - 99999999		
Romantic relationship number.	RRELNO	num 2
1357 Range 1 to 19		
Relationship pregnancy number.	RPREGNO	num 1
1357 Range 1 to 5		
Pregnancy birth number.	BIRTHNO	num 1

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Frequency	Code	Response	Variable Name	Type/Length
1310	1	1st birth listed		
47	2	2nd birth listed		
1.		Did the {BABY/ FIRST BABY/ SECOND BABY} [If AGGIE > 1, add: "born on <BPEMTHT> of <BPEYR>"] eventually go home with you?	H3LB1	num 1
60	0	no		
1270	1	yes [skip to Q.3]		
7	6	refused		
1	8	don't know		
16	9	not applicable		
3	●	missing		
2.		Why not?	H3LB2	num 2
7	2	put up for adoption		
4	3	died in the hospital		
39	4	went to live with <PARTNER>		
1	5	went to live with another relative		
2	6	still in the hospital		
5	7	other		
1294	97	legitimate skip		
2	99	not applicable		
3	●	missing		
3.		Was {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY} a boy or a girl?	H3LB3	num 1
687	1	boy		
644	2	girl		
6	6	refused [skip to Q.5.]		
3	8	don't know [skip to Q.5.]		
15	9	not applicable		

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2	●	missing		
<i>[If Q.2 ≠ 1, 2, or 3, skip to Q.5.]</i>				
4.		Did you name this baby?	H3LB4	num 1
38	0	no		
1248	1	yes		
69	7	legitimate skip		
2	●	missing		
5.		What was {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY}'s birth weight (pounds)?*	H3LB5A	num 2
9	1	1 pound		
8	2	2 pounds		
16	3	3 pounds		
37	4	4 pounds		
126	5	5 pounds		
338	6	6 pounds		
438	7	7 pounds		
253	8	8 pounds		
63	9	9 pounds		
22	10	10 pounds		
9	96	refused		
27	98	don't know		
9	99	not applicable		
2	●	missing		
5.		What was {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY}'s birth weight (ounces)?	H3LB5B	num 2
96	0	0 ounces		
78	1	1 ounce		
77	2	2 ounces		

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89	3	3 ounces		
87	4	4 ounces		
88	5	5 ounces		
91	6	6 ounces		
71	7	7 ounces		
116	8	8 ounces		
82	9	9 ounces		
63	10	10 ounces		
80	11	11 ounces		
105	12	12 ounces		
60	13	13 ounces		
67	14	14 ounces		
55	15	15 ounces		
9	96	refused		
32	98	don't know		
9	99	not applicable		
2	●	missing		
6. How many inches long was {HE/ SHE} at birth?*			H3LB6	num 2
3	1	1 inch		
1	5	5 inches		
1	7	7 inches		
1	8	8 inches		
3	9	9 inches		
3	10	10 inches		
3	12	12 inches		
3	13	13 inches		
6	14	14 inches		

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12	15	15 inches		
18	16	16 inches		
39	17	17 inches		
113	18	18 inches		
337	19	19 inches		
223	20	20 inches		
343	21	21 inches		
95	22	22 inches		
20	23	23 inches		
10	24	24 inches		
2	25	25 inches		
2	26	26 inches		
2	27	27 inches		
3	28	28 inches		
2	29	29 inches		
1	30	30 inches		
9	96	refused		
93	98	don't know		
8	99	not applicable		
1	●	missing		
7. Was {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY} born too early—that is, after a pregnancy of less than 40 weeks?			H3LB7	num 1
1047	0	no [skip to Q.9]		
281	1	yes		
9	6	refused		
8	8	don't know		
11	9	not applicable		

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Frequency	Code	Response	Variable Name	Type/Length
1	●	missing		
8.		How many weeks early?	H3LB8	num 2
40	1	1 week		
77	2	2 weeks		
42	3	3 weeks		
55	4	4 weeks		
12	5	5 weeks		
14	6	6 weeks		
6	7	7 weeks		
14	8	8 weeks		
1	10	10 weeks		
15	12	12 weeks		
1075	97	legitimate skip		
5	98	don't know		
1	●	missing		
9.		<i>[If the respondent is male:]</i> Were you present at {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY}'s birth? <i>[If the respondent is female:]</i> Was <PARTNER> present at {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY}'s birth?	H3LB9	num 1
279	0	no		
1055	1	yes		
6	6	refused		
4	8	don't know		
12	9	not applicable		
1	●	missing		
10.		Did {THE BABY/ THE FIRST BABY/ THE SECOND BABY} have any major health problems at birth?	H3LB10	num 1
1212	0	no		

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119	1	yes		
6	6	refused		
8	8	don't know		
11	9	not applicable		
1	●	missing		
<i>[If Q.2 ≠ 3, ask Q.11 and Q.12.]</i>				
11. Is {HE/ SHE} still living?			H3LB11	num 1
9	0	no		
1323	1	yes <i>[skip to Q.13]</i>		
5	6	refused		
4	7	legitimate skip		
4	8	don't know		
12	9	not applicable		
12. In what month (and year) did {HE/ SHE} die?			H3LB12M	num 2
2	2	February		
1	4	April		
1	5	May		
2	7	July		
1	9	September		
1	11	November		
1	12	December		
1348	97	legitimate skip		
12. In what (month and) year did {HE/ SHE} die?			H3LB12Y	num 4
1	1993	1993		
1	1996	1996		
1	1997	1997		
2	1999	1999		

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Frequency	Code	Response	Variable Name	Type/Length
2	2000	2000		
2	2001	2001		
1348	9997	legitimate skip		
13. Is {YOUR/ <PARTNER>'S} name on {<Q.5>/ THE BABY}'s birth certificate?			H3LB13	num 1
233	0	no		
1096	1	yes		
6	6	refused		
9	8	don't know		
13	9	not applicable		
14. Did {<ROO5>/ THE BABY} get {YOUR/ <PARTNER>'S} last name?			H3LB14	num 1
270	0	no		
1034	1	yes		
30	2	partly—the child has a hyphenated or combination name that includes {YOUR/ <PARTNER>'S} name		
7	6	refused		
3	8	don't know		
13	9	not applicable		

*** H3LB5A, H3LB6**

The response range for height and weight was not restricted, therefore there are some cases which appear to be out of range for one or both variables.