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Question #	Recode	Instrument Variable Name	FinalDocName	Processing Variable Label	Location	Length
IDN.000_00.000			RECTYPE	File type identifier	1 - 2	2
IDN.000_02.000			SRVY_YR	Year of National Health Interview Survey	3 - 6	4
IDN.000_04.000			HHX	HH identifier	7 - 12	6
IDN.000_25.000			INTV_QRT	Interview Quarter	13	1
IDN.000_30.000			ASSIGNWK	Assignment Week	14 - 15	2
IDN.000_35.000			FMX	Family Serial Number	16 - 17	2
IDN.000_40.000		FPX	FPX	Person Number (in family)	18 - 19	2
IDN.000_65.000			WTIA_SC	Weight - Interim Annual	20 - 26	7
IDN.000_70.000			WTFA_SC	Weight - Final Annual	27 - 32	6
UCF.000_00.000	R09	RECODE	REGION	Region	33	1
UCF.000_00.000	R15	RECODE	STRAT_P	Pseudo-stratum for public use file variance estimation	34 - 36	3
UCF.000_00.000	R16	RECODE	PSU_P	Pseudo-PSU for public use file variance estimation	37 - 38	2
HHC.110_00.000		SEX	SEX	Sex	39	1
HHC.180_00.000	R03	RECODE	HISPAN_I	Hispanic subgroup detail	40 - 41	2
HHC.200_01.000	R13	RECODE	RACERPI2	OMB groups w/multiple race	42 - 43	2
HHC.200_01.000	R21	RECODE	MRACRPI2	Race coded to single/multiple race group	44 - 45	2
HHC.200_01.000	R22	RECODE	MRACBPI2	Race coded to single/multiple race group	46 - 47	2
HHC.420_00.000	R01	RECODE	AGE_P	Age	48 - 49	2
CID.010_00.000		CSPAVAIL	CSRESPNO	Person # of available SC respondent	50 - 51	2
CID.030_00.000		CSRELTIV	CSRELTIV	Person's relationship to child	52 - 53	2
CHS.010_01.000		BWGT_LB	BWGTLB	Birth weight (lb)	54 - 55	2
CHS.010_02.000		BWGT_OZ	BWGTOZ	Birth weight (oz)	56 - 57	2
CHS.011_00.000		BWGT_GR	BWGTMGR	Birth weight (grams)	58 - 61	4
CHS.031_02.000		ADD1_2	AMR1	Ever told SC had mental retardation	62	1
CHS.031_03.000		ADD1_3	AODD1	Ever told SC had other developmental delay	63	1
CHS.032_01.000		ADD_1	ADD2	Ever told SC had ADHD/ADD	64	1
CHS.032_02.000		ADD_2	AMR2	Ever told SC had mental retardation	65	1
CHS.032_03.000		ADD_3	AODD2	Ever told SC had other developmental delay	66	1
CHS.060_01.000		CONDL1 - CONDL11	CONDL1	Ever told SC had Down syndrome	67	1
CHS.060_02.000		CONDL1 - CONDL11	CONDL2	Ever told SC had cerebral palsy	68	1

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CHS.060_03.000		CONDL1-CONDL11	CONDL3	Ever told SC had muscular dystrophy	69	1
CHS.060_04.000		CONDL1-CONDL11	CONDL4	Ever told SC had cystic fibrosis	70	1
CHS.060_05.000		CONDL1- CONDL11	CONDL5	Ever told SC had sickle cell anemia	71	1
CHS.060_06.000		CONDL1- CONDL11	CONDL6	Ever told SC had autism	72	1
CHS.060_07.000		CONDL1- CONDL11	CONDL7	Ever told SC had diabetes	73	1
CHS.060_08.000		CONDL1-CONDL11	CONDL8	Ever told SC had arthritis	74	1
CHS.060_09.000		CONDL1-CONDL11	CONDL9	Ever told SC had congenital heart disease	75	1
CHS.060_10.000		CONDL1- CONDL11	CONDL10	Ever told SC had other heart condition	76	1
CHS.070_00.000		CPOX	CPOX	Ever had chickenpox	77	1
CHS.072_00.000		CPOX12MO	CPOX12MO	Chickenpox, past 12 m	78	1
CHS.080_00.000		CASHMEV	CASHMEV	Ever been told SC had asthma	79	1
CHS.085_00.000		CASSTILL	CASSTILL	Still have asthma	80	1
CHS.090_00.000		CASHYR	CASHYR	Had an asthma episode/attack, past 12 m	81	1
CHS.100_00.000		CASMERYR	CASMERYR	Had visit to ER due to asthma, past 12 m	82	1
CHS.110_01.010		LUNGYR	LUNGYR	Had lung/breathing problem other than asthma, past 12 months	83	1
CHS.110_02.020		CANCERYR	CANCERYR	Had cancer, past 12 months	84	1
CHS.110_03.030		NEUROYR	NEUROYR	Had neurological problems, past 12 months	85	1
CHS.110_04.040		URINYR	URINYR	Had urinary problems/urinary tract infection, past 12 months	86	1
CHS.110_05.050		GUMYR	GUMYR	Had gum disease, past 12 months	87	1
CHS.110_06.060		FLUYR	FLUYR	Had influenza or pneumonia, past 12 months	88	1
CHS.110_07.070		SINUSYR	SINUSYR	Had sinusitis, past 12 months	89	1
CHS.110_08.080		STREPYR	STREPYR	Had strep throat/tonsillitis, past 12 months	90	1
CHS.111_01.000		CCONDT1_1	HAYF1	Had hay fever, past 12 m	91	1
CHS.111_02.000		CCONDT1_2	RALLG1	Had respiratory allergy, past 12 m	92	1
CHS.111_03.000		CCONDT1_3	DALLG1	Had food/digestive allergy, past 12 m	93	1
CHS.111_04.000		CCONDT1_4	SALLG1	Had eczema/skin allergy, past 12 m	94	1
CHS.111_05.000		CCONDT1_5	DIARH1	Had frequent diarrhea/colitis, past 12 m	95	1
CHS.111_06.000		CCONDT1_6	ANEMIA1	Had anemia, past 12 m	96	1
CHS.111_08.000		CCONDT1_8	EARINF1	Had 3+ ear infections, past 12 m	97	1
CHS.111_09.000		CCONDT1_9	SEIZE1	Had seizures, past 12 m	98	1

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CHS.112_01.010		ALOTHYR1	ALOTHYR1	Had other allergies, past 12 months	99	1
CHS.112_02.020		ABDOMYR1	ABDOMYR1	Had abdominal pain, past 12 months	100	1
CHS.112_03.030		BACKYR1	BACKYR1	Had back or neck pain, past 12 months	101	1
CHS.112_04.040		PNOTHYR1	PNOTHYR1	Had other chronic pain, past 12 months	102	1
CHS.112_05.050		FATIGYR1	FATIGYR1	Had fatigue, past 12 months	103	1
CHS.112_06.060		FEVRYR1	FEVRYR1	Had fever, past 12 months	104	1
CHS.112_07.070		COLDYR1	COLDYR1	Had head/chest cold, past 12 months	105	1
CHS.112_08.080		THOTHYR1	THOTHYR1	Had sore throat, other than strep/tonsillitis, past 12 months	106	1
CHS.112_09.090		ACIDYR1	ACIDYR1	Had acid reflux, past 12 months	107	1
CHS.112_10.100		NAUSYR1	NAUSYR1	Had nausea/vomiting, past 12 months	108	1
CHS.112_11.110		CONSPYR1	CONSPYR1	Had recurring constipation, past 12 months	109	1
CHS.112_12.120		OVRWTYR1	OVRWTYR1	Had prob. w/overweight, past 12 months	110	1
CHS.112_13.130		ACNEYR1	ACNEYR1	Had severe acne, past 12 months	111	1
CHS.112_14.140		WARTSYR1	WARTSYR1	Had warts, past 12 months	112	1
CHS.112_15.150		SKOTHYR1	SKOTHYR1	Had skin problems other than eczema/acne/warts, past 12 months	113	1
CHS.115_01.000		CCONDT_1	HAYF2	Had hay fever, past 12 m	114	1
CHS.115_02.000		CCONDT_2	RALLG2	Had respiratory allergy, past 12 m	115	1
CHS.115_03.000		CCONDT_3	DALLG2	Had food/digestive allergy, past 12 m	116	1
CHS.115_04.000		CCONDT_4	SALLG2	Had eczema/skin allergy, past 12 m	117	1
CHS.115_05.000		CCONDT_5	DIARH2	Had frequent diarrhea/colitis, past 12 m	118	1
CHS.115_06.000		CCONDT_6	ANEMIA2	Had anemia, past 12 m	119	1
CHS.115_07.000		CCONDT_7	FHEAD	Had frequent headaches/migraines, past 12 m	120	1
CHS.115_08.000		CCONDT_8	EARINF2	Had 3+ ear infections, past 12 m	121	1
CHS.115_09.000		CCONDT_9	SEIZE2	Had seizures, past 12 m	122	1
CHS.115_10.000		CCONDT_10	STUTTER	Stuttered/stammered, past 12 m	123	1
CHS.120_01.010		ALOTHYR2	ALOTHYR2	Had other allergies, past 12 months	124	1
CHS.120_02.020		HEADYR2	HEADYR2	Had non-migraine headache, past 12 months	125	1
CHS.120_03.030		ABDOMYR2	ABDOMYR2	Had abdominal pain, past 12 months	126	1
CHS.120_04.040		BACKYR2	BACKYR2	Had back or neck pain, past 12 months	127	1
CHS.120_05.050		PNOTHYR2	PNOTHYR2	Had other chronic pain, past 12 months	128	1

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CHS.120_06.060		FATIGYR2	FATIGYR2	Had fatigue, past 12 months	129	1
CHS.120_07.070		FEVRYR2	FEVRYR2	Had fever, past 12 months	130	1
CHS.120_08.080		COLDYR2	COLDYR2	Had head/chest cold, past 12 months	131	1
CHS.120_09.090		THOTHYR2	THOTHYR2	Had sore throat other than strep/tonsillitis, past 12 months	132	1
CHS.120_10.100		ACIDYR2	ACIDYR2	Had acid reflux, past 12 months	133	1
CHS.120_11.110		NAUSYR2	NAUSYR2	Had nausea/vomiting, past 12 months	134	1
CHS.120_12.120		CONSPYR2	CONSPYR2	Had recurring constipation, past 12 months	135	1
CHS.120_13.130		INSOMYR2	INSOMYR2	Had insomnia, past 12 months	136	1
CHS.120_14.140		OVRWTYR2	OVRWTYR2	Had prob. w/overweight, past 12 months	137	1
CHS.120_15.150		ACNEYR2	ACNEYR2	Had severe acne, past 12 months	138	1
CHS.120_16.160		WARTSYR2	WARTSYR2	Had warts, past 12 months	139	1
CHS.120_17.170		SKOTHYR2	SKOTHYR2	Had skin problems other than eczema/acne/warts, past 12 months	140	1
CHS.210_00.000		CHSTATYR	CHSTATYR	Health better, worse, or about the same	141	1
CHS.220_00.000		SCHDAYR	SCHDAYR1	Days missed due to illness/injury, past 12 m	142 - 144	3
CHS.230_00.000		CCOLD2W	CCOLD2W	Had a head/chest cold, 2 week reference period	145	1
CHS.240_00.000		CINTIL2W	CINTIL2W	Had stomach illness with vomiting/diarrhea, 2 week reference period	146	1
CHS.250_00.000		CHEARST	CHEARST	Hearing without hearing aid	147	1
CHS.260_00.000		CVISION	CVISION	Trouble seeing	148	1
CHS.270_00.000		CBLIND	CBLIND	Blind/unable to see at all	149	1
CHS.290_00.000		IHSPEQ	IHSPEQ	Need special equipment due to impairment/health problem	150	1
CHS.300_00.000		IHMOB	IHMOB	Impairment/health problem limit crawl/walk/run/play	151	1
CHS.310_00.000		IHMOBYR	IHMOBYR	Impairment/health problem lasted/will last 12+ m	152	1
CHS.311_00.000		PROBRX	PROBRX	Taken RX medication for 3+ m	153	1
CHS.312_00.000		LEARND	LEARND	Ever told SC had a learning disability	154	1
CHS.321_04.000		CMHAGM11_4	CMHAGM15	Been unhappy/depressed, past 2 m	155	1
CHS.321_04.000	R01	RECODE	MHIBOY2	Mental health indicator (MHI) scale score	156 - 157	2
CHS.361_04.000		CMHAGF11_4	CMHAGF15	Been unhappy/depressed, past 2 m	158	1
CHS.361_04.000	R01	RECODE	MHIGRL2	Mental health indicator (MHI) scale score	159 - 160	2
CHS.370_01.010		DEPRSYR	DEPRSYR	Had depression, past 12 months	161	1
CHS.370_02.020		PHOBYR	PHOBYR	Had phobia or fears, past 12 months	162	1

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CHS.375_01.010		C_ANXYR	C_ANXYR	Had anxiety or stress, past 12 months	163	1
CHS.375_02.020		INCONTYR	INCONTYR	Had incontinence/bed wetting, past 12 months	164	1
CHS.380_00.010		MENSTYR	MENSTYR	Had menstrual problems/PMS, past 12 months	165	1
CAU.020_00.000		CUSUALPL	CUSUALPL	Place USUALLY go when sick	166	1
CAU.030_00.000		CPLKIND	CPLKIND	Place to go when sick (most often)	167	1
CAU.035_00.000		CHCPLROU	CHCPLROU	USUALLY go there for routine/preventive care	168	1
CAU.037_00.000		CHCPLKND	CHCPLKND	Place USUALLY go for routine/preventive care	169	1
CAU.040_00.000		CHCCHGYR	CHCCHGYR	Change health care place, past 12 m	170	1
CAU.050_00.000		CHCCHGHI	CHCCHGHI	Change related to health insurance	171	1
CAU.080_01.000		CHCDLYR1_1	CHCDLYR1	Couldn't get through on phone, past 12 m	172	1
CAU.080_02.000		CHCDLYR1_2	CHCDLYR2	Couldn't get appointment soon enough, past 12 m	173	1
CAU.080_03.000		CHCDLYR1_3	CHCDLYR3	Wait too long in doctor's office, past 12 m	174	1
CAU.080_04.000		CHCDLYR1_4	CHCDLYR4	Not open when you could go, past 12 m	175	1
CAU.080_05.000		CHCDLYR1_5	CHCDLYR5	No transportation, past 12 m	176	1
CAU.130_00.000		CHCAFYR	CHCAFYR	Can't afford prescription medicine, past 12 m	177	1
CAU.135_01.000		CHCAFYR1_1	CHCAFYR1	Can't afford prescription medicine, past 12 m	178	1
CAU.135_02.000		CHCAFYR1_2	CHCAFYR2	Can't afford mental care/counseling, past 12 m	179	1
CAU.135_03.000		CHCAFYR1_3	CHCAFYR3	Can't afford dental care, past 12 m	180	1
CAU.135_04.000		CHCAFYR1_4	CHCAFYR4	Can't afford eyeglasses, past 12 m	181	1
CAU.160_00.000		CDENLONG	CDNLONGR	Time since last saw dentist	182	1
CAU.170_01.000		CHCSYR1_2	CHCSYR11	Seen/talked to eye doctor, past 12 m	183	1
CAU.170_02.000		CHCSYR1_3	CHCSYR12	Seen/talked to foot doctor, past 12 m	184	1
CAU.170_03.000		CHCSYR1_5	CHCSYR13	Seen/talked to therapist (PT/OT/etc), past 12 m	185	1
CAU.170_04.000		CHCSYR1_6	CHCSYR14	Seen/talked to a NP/PA, past 12 m	186	1
CAU.175_01.000		CHCSYR_1	CHCSYR1	Seen/talked to mental health professional, past 12 m	187	1
CAU.175_02.000		CHCSYR_2	CHCSYR2	Seen/talked to eye doctor, past 12 m	188	1
CAU.175_03.000		CHCSYR_3	CHCSYR3	Seen/talked to foot doctor, past 12 m	189	1
CAU.175_04.000		CHCSYR_4	CHCSYR4	Seen/talked to chiropractor, past 12 m	190	1
CAU.175_05.000		CHCSYR_5	CHCSYR5	Seen/talked to therapist (PT/OT/etc), past 12 m	191	1
CAU.175_06.000		CHCSYR_6	CHCSYR6	Seen/talked to NP/PA/midwife, past 12 m	192	1

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CAU.230_00.000		CHCSYR7	CHCSYR7	Seen/talked to obstetrician/gynecologist, past 12 m	193	1
CAU.240_01.000		CHCSYR8_1	CHCSYR81	Seen/talked to a medical specialist, past 12 m	194	1
CAU.240_02.000		CHCSYR8_2	CHCSYR82	Seen/talked to a general doctor, past 12 m	195	1
CAU.260_00.000		CHCSYR10	CHCSYR10	Doctor treats both children and adults	196	1
CAU.265_00.000		CHCSYREM	CHCSYREM	Seen/talked to doctor for emotional/behavioral problem	197	1
CAU.270_00.000		CHPEXYR	CHPEXYR_C	Had well-child checkup, past 12 m	198	1
CAU.280_00.000		CHERNOYR	CHERNOY2	# times in ER/ED, past 12 m	199 - 200	2
CAU.290_00.000		CHCHYR	CHCHYR	Received home care from health professional, past 12 m	201	1
CAU.300_00.000		CHCHMOYR	CHCHMOYR	# of months of home care, past 12 m	202 - 203	2
CAU.310_00.000		CHCHNOYR	CHCHNOY2	Total number of home visits	204 - 205	2
CAU.320_00.000		CHCNOYR	CHCNOYR2	Total number of office visits, past 12 m	206 - 207	2
CAU.330_00.000		CSRGYR	CSRGYR	Had surgery/surgical procedure, past 12 m	208	1
CAU.340_00.000		CSRGNOYR	RSRGNOYR	# of outpatient surgeries, past 12 m	209 - 210	2
CAU.345_00.000		CMDLONG	CMDLONGR	Time since last seen/talked to health professional	211	1
CFL010_00.000		CSHFLUYR	CSHFLUYR	Flu shot past 12 m	212	1
CFL015_01.000		CSHFLU_M	CSHFLU_M	Month of most recent flu shot	213 - 214	2
CFL015_02.000		CSHFLU_Y	CSHFLU_Y	Year of most recent flu shot	215 - 218	4
CFL020_00.000		CSPFLUYR	CSPFLUYR	Flu nasal spray past 12 m	219	1
CFL025_01.000		CSPFLU_M	CSPFLU_M	Month of most recent flu nasal vaccine	220 - 221	2
CFL025_02.000		CSPFLU_Y	CSPFLU_Y	Year of most recent flu nasal vaccine	222 - 225	4
CMB.020_01.000	R01	RECODE	RSCL2_C2	Well behaved/does what requested, past 6 m	226	1
CMB.020_02.000	R02	RECODE	RSCL2_E2	Many worries/often seems worried, past 6 m	227	1
CMB.020_03.000	R03	RECODE	RSCL3_E3	Unhappy/depressed/tearful, past 6 m	228	1
CMB.020_04.000	R04	RECODE	RSCL5_P5	Gets along better w/adults than children/youth, past 6 m	229	1
CMB.020_05.000	R05	RECODE	RSCL5_H5	Good attention/completes chores, homework, past 6 m	230	1
CMB.030_00.000	R06	RECODE	RSCL6	Difficulties w/emotions/concentration/behavior/getting along	231	1
CMS.010_00.000		SEEDIFF	SEEDIFF	See/Talk to provider about difficulties	232	1
CMS.020_00.000		MRVSEE	MRVSEE	Most recent conversation/visit about difficulties	233	1
CMS.030_00.000		MEDDIFF	MEDDIFF	Medication ever prescribed for difficulties	234	1
CMS.040_00.000		MRVMED	MRVMED	Most recent medication prescribed	235	1



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CMS.050_00.000		MEDWHY	MEDWHY	Medication prescribed for concentration/hyperactivity/impulsivity	236	1
CMS.060_00.000		TRETDIFF	TRETDIFF	Received treatment or help for difficulties	237	1
CMS.070_00.000		MRVTRET	MRVTRET	Most recent treatment/help received	238	1
CMS.080_01.000		TRETWHR1- TRETWHR5	TRETWHR1	Treatment/help at pediatric/general medical care practice	239	1
CMS.080_02.000		TRETWHR1- TRETWHR5	TRETWHR2	Treatment/help at mental health private practice	240	1
CMS.080_03.000		TRETWHR1- TRETWHR5	TRETWHR3	Treatment/help at mental health clinic/center	241	1
CMS.080_04.000		TRETWHR1- TRETWHR5	TRETWHR4	Treatment/help at child's school	242	1
CMS.080_05.000		TRETWHR1- TRETWHR5	TRETWHR5	Treatment/help at other place	243	1

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