

MEPS HC-230
 2021 FOOD SECURITY FILE CODEBOOK
 Date: Jun 14, 2023

Alphabetical Listing of Variables

<u>Start</u>	<u>End</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Description</u>
10	16	DUID	PANEL # + ENCRYPTED DU IDENTIFIER
24	25	FSAFRD42	HOW OFTEN COULDN'T AFFORD BALANCED MEALS
32	33	FSHGRY42	DID YOU EVER GO HUNGRY
22	23	FSLAST42	HOW OFTEN DID FOOD NOT LAST
30	31	FSLESS42	DID YOU EVER EAT LESS
36	37	FSNEAT42	DID YOU EVER NOT EAT
38	39	FSNEDY42	HOW MANY DAYS DID YOU NOT EAT
21	21	FSOUT42	HOW OFTEN HAVE YOU RUN OUT OF FOOD
28	29	FSSKDY42	HOW MANY DAYS WERE MEALS SKIPPED
26	27	FSSKIP42	DID YOU EVER SKIP MEALS
40	52	FSWT42	FOOD SECURITY WEIGHT
34	35	FSWTLS42	LOW FOOD MONEY CAUSE WEIGHT LOSS
1	9	HOMEIDX	HOME ID NUMBER (DUID + RU + ROUND)
17	18	PANEL	PANEL NUMBER
19	20	RULETR42	RU LETTER - R4/2
57	57	VARPSU	VARIANCE ESTIMATION PSU - 2021
53	56	VARSTR	VARIANCE ESTIMATION STRATUM - 2021

Positional Listing of Variables

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Variable Codebook

Name: HOMEIDX
Description: HOME ID NUMBER (DUID + RU + ROUND)
Format: 9.0
Type: Char
Start: 1
End: 9

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
VALID ID	12,714	139,142,489
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: DUID
Description: PANEL # + ENCRYPTED DU IDENTIFIER
Format: 7.0
Type: Num
Start: 10
End: 16

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
VALID ID	12,714	139,142,489
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: PANEL
Description: PANEL NUMBER
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 17
End: 18

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
PANEL 23	3,162	31,570,841
PANEL 24	3,094	31,650,156
PANEL 25	2,810	34,720,875
PANEL 26	3,648	41,200,616
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: RULETR42
Description: RU LETTER - R4/2
Format: 2.0
Type: Char
Start: 19
End: 20

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
A	11,789	127,223,858
B	761	9,742,370
C	136	1,803,642
D	21	271,957
E	7	100,662
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSOUT42
Description: HOW OFTEN HAVE YOU RUN OUT OF FOOD
Format: 1.0
Type: Num
Start: 21
End: 21

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
1 OFTEN TRUE	233	2,016,285
2 SOMETIMES TRUE	951	9,146,129
3 NEVER TRUE	11,530	127,980,074
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSLAST42
Description: HOW OFTEN DID FOOD NOT LAST
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 22
End: 23

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	2	19,696
1 OFTEN TRUE	208	1,737,604
2 SOMETIMES TRUE	874	7,960,580
3 NEVER TRUE	11,630	129,424,608
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSAFRD42
Description: HOW OFTEN COULDN'T AFFORD BALANCED MEALS
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 24
End: 25

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	2	19,312
1 OFTEN TRUE	317	3,227,590
2 SOMETIMES TRUE	913	8,701,471
3 NEVER TRUE	11,482	127,194,115
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSSKIP42
Description: DID YOU EVER SKIP MEALS
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 26
End: 27

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	3	17,924
-1 INAPPLICABLE	11,048	123,023,624
1 YES	600	5,733,561
2 NO	1,063	10,367,379
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSSKDY42
Description: HOW MANY DAYS WERE MEALS SKIPPED
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 28
End: 29

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	15	129,197
-7 REFUSED	1	6,946
-1 INAPPLICABLE	12,114	133,408,927
1 - 30 NUMBER OF DAYS	584	5,597,418
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSLESS42
Description: DID YOU EVER EAT LESS
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 30
End: 31

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	2	11,603
-1 INAPPLICABLE	11,048	123,023,624
1 YES	602	5,740,906
2 NO	1,062	10,366,355
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSHGRY42
Description: DID YOU EVER GO HUNGRY
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 32
End: 33

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	2	5,162
-1 INAPPLICABLE	11,048	123,023,624
1 YES	374	3,458,938
2 NO	1,290	12,654,764
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSWTLS42
Description: LOW FOOD MONEY CAUSE WEIGHT LOSS
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 34
End: 35

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	34	308,775
-1 INAPPLICABLE	11,048	123,023,624
1 YES	245	2,173,268
2 NO	1,387	13,636,821
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSNEAT42
Description: DID YOU EVER NOT EAT
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 36
End: 37

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-1 INAPPLICABLE	12,069	133,061,682
1 YES	162	1,451,112
2 NO	483	4,629,695
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSNEDY42
Description: HOW MANY DAYS DID YOU NOT EAT
Format: 2.0
Type: Num
Start: 38
End: 39

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>	<u>Weighted by FSWT42</u>
-8 DK	1	7,597
-1 INAPPLICABLE	12,552	137,691,376
1 - 30 NUMBER OF DAYS	161	1,443,516
Total:	12,714	139,142,489

Name: FSWT42
Description: FOOD SECURITY WEIGHT
Format: 13.6
Type: Num
Start: 40
End: 52

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>
320.592958 - 100493.145824	12,714
Total:	12,714

Name: VARSTR
Description: VARIANCE ESTIMATION STRATUM - 2021
Format: 4.0
Type: Num
Start: 53
End: 56

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>
2001 - 2117 VARSTR	12,714
Total:	12,714

Name: VARPSU
Description: VARIANCE ESTIMATION PSU - 2021
Format: 1.0
Type: Num
Start: 57
End: 57

<u>Value</u>	<u>Unweighted</u>
1 - 8 VARPSU	12,714
Total:	12,714