

**INSTITUTE FOR POLICY RESEARCH  
KENTUCKY HEALTH ISSUES POLL #9**

**FINAL VERSION**

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STANDARD INTRODUCTION: "Hello, this is \_\_\_\_\_ calling for the Kentucky Health Issues Poll. I'm calling from the University of Cincinnati. We are conducting a **CONFIDENTIAL** study of health issues with approximately 1,500 adults in Kentucky for the Foundation for a Healthy Kentucky and Interact for Health. I'd really appreciate your help and cooperation.

In order to determine who to interview in your household, I need to speak to the adult 18 or older -- including yourself -- who had the most recent birthday. Would that be yourself or is it someone else?"

**IF PERSON IS HESITANT, NOT INTERESTED, ETC:**

- This is strictly a public opinion study; there are no right or wrong answers.
- We are interested in your opinions and experiences. If there are any questions you feel you cannot answer, we can skip them.
- This is your opportunity to give your opinions on what you like or dislike about your community and how to improve your community.
- All information collected from the respondent is kept strictly confidential.
- You can call collect to speak with the Director of the Kentucky Health Issues Poll. Eric Rademacher can be reached at (513) 556-5028.

A. (IF RESPONDENT) -- "Then you're the one I want to talk to."  
SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE

B. (IF SOMEONE ELSE) -- "May I speak to him/her please?"

(IF RESPONDENT IS NOT HOME) ASK -- "Could you suggest a convenient time for me to call back when I might be able to reach him/her?" GIVE SHIFT TIMES IF NECESSARY. GET FIRST NAME OF RESPONDENT.

C. (DON'T KNOW ALL BIRTHDAYS, ONLY SOME) ASK -- "Of the ones that you do know, who had the most recent birthday?"

IF RESPONDENT, INTERVIEW THAT PERSON. SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.

IF SOMEONE ELSE, FOLLOW SAME PROCEDURE AS B.

D. DON'T KNOW ANY BIRTHDAYS OTHER THAN OWN. SKIP TO QUESTIONNAIRE.

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I know I am calling you on a cell phone. This is not a sales call.

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**SCREEN 1:** "We realize that we are contacting people on their cell phones. Your safety is important to me. Are you driving a car or operating another motor vehicle right now?"

- 1 Yes (SKIPTO CBACK)
- 2 No/Don't Know/Refused (SKIPTO SCREEN2)

**SCREEN 2:** "Are you in a location where talking on the phone could jeopardize your safety or confidentiality?"

- 1 Yes (SKIPTO CBACK)
- 2 No/Don't Know/Refused (SKIPTO SCREEN3)

**SCREEN 3:** "Thank you, are you 18 years of age or older?"

- 1 Yes (SKIPTO SCREEN4)
- 2 No/Don't Know/Refused (TERMINATE: "Thank you very much, but we are only interviewing people age 18 and older.")

**SCREEN 4:** "And are you a resident of Kentucky?"

- 1 Yes (SKIPTO QUESTIONNAIRE)
- 2 No/Don't Know/Refused (TERMINATE: "Thank you very much, but we are only interviewing people who are residents of Kentucky)."

**CBACK:** (IF RESPONDENT CANNOT CONDUCT INTERVIEW AT THIS TIME) READ/ASK – "Thank you. We will contact you at another time. Can I just have your first name so I know who to call back?"

FORM A

RECORD SEX OF RESPONDENT

- 1. MALE
- 2. FEMALE
- 9. UNSURE

Q 1. "First, please tell me in what county do you live?"

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 :\_\_ :\_\_ : RECORD

COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

**GENERAL HEALTH (1) / CHANGE (4)**

"Now I would like to ask you some questions about health and health reform ..."

Q 2. "Would you say that in general your health is . . . (READ 1 THRU 5)

- 1. excellent,
- 2. very good,
- 3. good,
- 4. fair, or
- 5. poor?"
  
- 8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking . . .")
- 9. NA/REFUSED

Q 3. "What is the MOST IMPORTANT healthcare issue facing MEN in Kentucky?"

[ALL ANSWERS MUST BE PROBED: "WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY..." then (IF NECESSARY) "Please be more SPECIFIC." or "Please give me an example."]

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(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

- 998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
- 999. NA/REFUSED

Q 4. "What is the MOST IMPORTANT healthcare issue facing WOMEN in Kentucky?"

[ALL ANSWERS MUST BE PROBED: "WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY..." then  
(IF NECESSARY) "Please be more SPECIFIC." or "Please give me an example."]

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(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)

999. NA/REFUSED

Q 5. "What is the MOST IMPORTANT healthcare issue facing CHILDREN in Kentucky?"

[ALL ANSWERS MUST BE PROBED: "WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY..." then  
(IF NECESSARY) "Please be more SPECIFIC." or "Please give me an example."]

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(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)

999. NA/REFUSED

**ACA (5)**

"Next ..."

Q 6. "As you may know, a health reform bill called the Affordable Care Act was signed into law in 2010. Do you feel you have enough information about the health reform law to understand how it will impact you personally, or not?"

1. YES, HAVE ENOUGH INFORMATION
2. NO, DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH INFORMATION
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 7. "Given what you know about the health reform law, do you have a generally favorable or generally unfavorable opinion of it?"

(IF FAVORABLE): "Would you say your opinion is VERY favorable or that it is SOMEWHAT favorable?"

(IF UNFAVORABLE): "Would you say your opinion is VERY unfavorable or that it is SOMEWHAT unfavorable?"

(PROBE DON'T KNOW: "Generally speaking . . .")

1. VERY FAVORABLE
2. SOMEWHAT FAVORABLE
  
3. SOMEWHAT UNFAVORABLE
4. VERY UNFAVORABLE
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 8. "As you may know, the health care law creates health insurance exchanges or marketplaces where people who don't get coverage through their employers can shop for insurance and compare prices and benefits. How much, if anything, have you heard about this new health insurance marketplace, also known as KYNECT, or Kentucky's Healthcare Connection in your state? Have you heard . . . (READ 1 THRU 4)

1. A lot
2. Some
3. Only a little
4. Nothing at all?"
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 9. "Overall, which of the following statements would you say best describes the impact of the health reform law on you and your family personally . . . (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 3)

1. The health reform law has positively affected me and my family,
2. The health reform law has negatively affected me and my family, or
3. The health reform law has not had an impact on me and my family."
  
4. BOTH POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE (VOL.)
8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 10. "This fall Governor Bevin plans to close KYNECT, Kentucky's online health insurance marketplace and replace it with the federal health insurance marketplace at HealthCare.gov. Do you think the change from KYNECT to HealthCare.gov ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 3)

1. Will INCREASE the number of people who are UNINSURED in Kentucky,
2. Will DECREASE the number of people who are UNINSURED in Kentucky, or
3. Will MAKE NO DIFFERENCE in the number of people who are UNINSURED in Kentucky?"

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

#### **SMOKING/E-CIGARETTES (4)**

"Now I would like to ask you some questions about smoking ..."

Q 11. "Would you favor or oppose a state law in Kentucky that would prohibit smoking in most public places, including workplaces, public buildings, offices, restaurants and bars?"

(IF FAVOR): "Would you say that you STRONGLY favor such a law or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF OPPOSE): "Would you say that you STRONGLY oppose such a law or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW): "Would you say that you lean a little more toward FAVORING or OPPOSING this?"

1. STRONGLY FAVOR
2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
3. LEAN TOWARD FAVORING
  
4. NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW
  
5. LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING
6. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
7. STRONGLY OPPOSE
  
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 12. “And ... some people favor increasing the minimum legal age to purchase tobacco products from 18 years of age to 21 years of age ... while others do not.

What about you? Do you favor or oppose increasing the minimum legal age to purchase tobacco products from 18 years of age to 21 years of age?”

(IF FAVOR): “Would you say that you STRONGLY favor this or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF OPPOSE): “Would you say that you STRONGLY oppose this or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?”

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW): “Would you say that you lean a little more toward FAVORING or OPPOSING this?”

1. STRONGLY FAVOR
2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
3. LEAN TOWARD FAVORING
  
4. NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW
  
5. LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING
6. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
7. STRONGLY OPPOSE
  
9. NA/REFUSED

“On another topic ...:

“Electronic cigarettes or e-cigarettes are battery-powered devices used to inhale vaporized liquid. The vaporized liquid often contains nicotine, and some have flavorings and other ingredients. Users of e-cigarettes sometimes refer to the activity as “vaping,” as opposed to smoking.”

Q 13. “Have you ever used an electronic cigarette or e-cigarette?”

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 14. “From what you have seen or heard, would you say (READ NUMBERS 1 to 3) ...

1. e-cigarettes are SAFER to use than tobacco cigarettes,
2. e-cigarettes are LESS SAFE to use than tobacco cigarettes, or
3. there is no difference between e-cigarettes and tobacco cigarettes.”
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “In general ...”)
9. NA/REFUSED

## PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (5)

“Now thinking about your level of physical activity ...”

Q 15. “In general, would you say you are. . . (READ 1 TO 4)

1. very physically active,
  2. somewhat physically active,
  3. not very physically active, or
  4. not at all physically active? ”
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8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)
  9. NA/REFUSED

“And ...”

Q 16. “Suppose you were to increase your level of physical activity. Do you think increasing your level of physical activity would ... (READ 1 TO 3)

1. improve your overall health,
  2. make your overall health worse, or
  3. not make much difference in your overall health? ”
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8. DON'T KNOW (REREAD QUESTION)
  9. NA/REFUSED

Q 17. “And ... how would you rate your neighborhood as a place to walk, jog or bike ... (READ 1 TO 5)

1. excellent,
  2. very good,
  3. good,
  4. fair, or
  5. poor?”
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8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking . . .”)
  9. NA/REFUSED

Q 18. “How would you rate the condition of sidewalks and shoulders in your neighborhood ... (READ 1 TO 5)

1. excellent,
  2. very good,
  3. good,
  4. fair, or
  5. poor?”
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8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Generally speaking . . .”)
  9. NA/REFUSED

Q 19. "And ... how safe is it to walk, jog or bike in your neighborhood ... (READ 1 TO 4)

1. very safe,
2. somewhat safe,
3. somewhat unsafe, or
4. not safe at all?"
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "Generally speaking . . .")
9. NA/REFUSED

**SUBSTANCE ABUSE/NEEDLE EXCHANGE (3)**

"Next ..."

Q 20. "Thinking about your friends and family ... have any of your family members or friends experienced problems as a result of **abusing** prescription pain relievers such as OxyContin, Vicodin, Percocet, or codeine?"

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 21. "And ... thinking about your friends and family ... have any of your family members or friends experienced problems as a result of **using heroin**?"

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 22. "Thinking about your friends and family ... have any of your family members or friends experienced problems as a result of **using methamphetamine**?"

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 23. "Now I'd like to ask you about needle exchange programs offering clean needles to IV drug users in exchange for used needles. How familiar are you with needle exchange programs which have been implemented in a number of cities across the Commonwealth... (READ 1 TO 4)

1. very familiar,
2. somewhat familiar,
3. not very familiar,
4. or not familiar at all?"

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "In general...")
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 24. "Some people favor needle exchange programs because they feel these programs help reduce the spread of AIDS. Others oppose needle exchange programs because they feel these programs send the message that it's okay to use illegal drugs. What about you ...do you favor or oppose needle exchange programs?"

(IF FAVOR): "Would you say that you STRONGLY favor this or that you favor it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF OPPOSE): "Would you say that you STRONGLY oppose this or that you oppose it only SOMEWHAT?"

(IF NEITHER/ NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW): "Would you say that you lean a little more toward FAVORING or OPPOSING this?"

1. STRONGLY FAVOR
2. FAVOR SOMEWHAT
3. LEAN TOWARD FAVORING
  
4. NEITHER/NOT SURE/DON'T KNOW
  
5. LEAN TOWARD OPPOSING
6. OPPOSE SOMEWHAT
7. STRONGLY OPPOSE
  
9. NA/REFUSED

### MENTAL HEALTH (3)

"Next I would like to ask you some questions about mental health ..."

Q 25. "Suppose a family member or friend asked you for help finding services or treatment for depression. Would you know who to contact to help them find services or treatment?"

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 27**
  
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIPTO Q 27**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 27**

Q 26. "Who would you tell them to contact?"

[ALL ANSWERS MUST BE PROBED: "WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY...?" then  
(IF NECESSARY) "Please be more SPECIFIC." or "Please give me an example."]

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(RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)

998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "In general...")

999. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 27. "And ... has a family member or friend ever behaved in a way that made you think they had a serious problem with depression?"

1. YES

2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)

9. NA/REFUSED

## INSURANCE COVERAGE AND DEMOGRAPHICS (13)

“Thinking about your health care coverage ...”

Q 28. “Do you have any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as HMOs, or government plans such as Medicare or Medicaid?”

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 40**
  
7. YES, PLAN THROUGH PARENTS/MOTHER/FATHER (VOL.) → **SKIPTO Q 34**
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIPTO Q 40**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 4040**

Q 29. “Which type of health insurance do you now have? Is it ...  
(READ NUMBERS 1 TO 9)

1. a plan through your employer,
2. a plan through your spouse's employer,
3. a plan you purchased yourself,
4. MEDICARE, the insurance program for people over 65 and some people with disabilities,
5. MEDICARE ADVANTAGE, a private insurance program that is paid for by Medicare for some people who are over 65
6. MEDICAID, the insurance program for people with lower incomes, children and some people with disabilities, → **SKIPTO Q 31**
7. both MEDICARE AND MEDICAID, → **SKIPTO Q 31**
8. a military plan such as TRI-CARE or CHAMP-VA, or
  
9. do you get your health insurance from somewhere else?"  
[RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE] \_\_\_\_\_
  
97. YES, PLAN THROUGH PARENTS/MOTHER/FATHER (VOL.) → **SKIPTO Q 34**
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
99. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

[INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT NAMES MORE THAN ONE SOURCE OF INSURANCE, ENTER RESPONSE CHOICE '9' AND TYPE IN SOURCES OF INSURANCE VERBATIM]

[INTERVIEWER NOTE]: MEDICAID includes Kentucky Health Choices, Anthem, PASSPORT, Coventry Cares, Humana/CareSource, Wellcare and Medicaid waiver programs.

Q 30. “Are you covered by MEDICAID, the government assistance program that includes Kentucky Health Choices, Anthem, PASSPORT, Coventry Cares, Humana/CareSource, Wellcare or Medicaid waiver programs?”

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF ‘COVERED’: “Are you enrolled in the program now?” Or “Are you eligible to receive benefits now?”]

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

**PROGRAMMER:**

**IF (Q 29 EQ 3, 6, 7 or Q 30 eq 1) CONTINUE TO Q 31**

**ALL OTHERS SKIPTO Q 38**

Q 31. “Is your health insurance coverage through KYNECT, or Kentucky’s Healthcare Connection?”

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF ‘COVERAGE’: “Are you enrolled in the program now?” Or “Are you eligible to receive benefits now?”]

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 32. “Is there a monthly premium for this plan?”

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF ‘MONTHLY PREMIUM’: “A monthly premium is a fixed amount of money people pay each month to have health coverage. It does not include copays or other expenses such as prescription costs.”]

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 38**
  
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIPTO Q 38**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 38**
0. INAP

Q 33. “Is the cost of the premium subsidized based on your income and/or your family's income?”

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF ‘SUBSIDIZED’: “Subsidized health coverage is insurance with a reduced premium. Low and middle income families are eligible to receive tax credits that allow them to pay lower premiums for insurance bought through healthcare exchanges or marketplaces.”]

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

**[SKIPTO Q 38]**

**RESPONDENTS WHO SAY YES, PLAN THROUGH PARENTS/MOTHER/FATHER (VOL.) TO Q28 OR Q29 ONLY**

Q 34. "Is your parent's health insurance coverage ... (READ NUMBERS 1 TO 9)

1. a plan through your parent's employer, → **SKIPTO Q 38**
2. a plan your parents purchased themselves,
3. a military plan such as TRI-CARE or CHAMP-VA, or → **SKIPTO Q 38**
4. do your parents get health insurance from somewhere else?"

[RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE] \_\_\_\_\_

98. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)

99. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

[INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT NAMES MORE THAN ONE SOURCE OF INSURANCE, ENTER RESPONSE CHOICE '4' AND TYPE IN SOURCES OF INSURANCE VERBATIM]

Q 35. "Is your parent's health insurance coverage through KYNECT, or Kentucky's Healthcare Connection?"

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF 'COVERAGE': "Are you enrolled in the program now?" Or "Are you eligible to receive benefits now?"]

1. YES

2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)

9. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 36. "Is there a monthly premium for this plan?"

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF 'MONTHLY PREMIUM': "A monthly premium is a fixed amount of money people pay each month to have health coverage. It does not include copays or other expenses such as prescription costs."]

1. YES

2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 38**

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIPTO Q 38**

9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 38**

0. INAP

Q 37. “Is the cost of the premium subsidized based on your income and/or your family's income?”

[IF RESPONDENT IS UNSURE ABOUT THE MEANING OF ‘SUBSIDIZED’: “Subsidized health coverage is insurance with a reduced premium. Low and middle income families are eligible to receive tax credits that allow them to pay lower premiums for insurance bought through healthcare exchanges or marketplaces.”]

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

**[SKIPTO Q 38]**

Q 38. "Next ... during the past 12 months, was there any time that you did not have any health insurance or health care coverage?"

1. YES
2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 39. "Are you concerned that you may lose your coverage within the next 12 months?"

1. YES
2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 40. "Next ... not including yourself ... is there anyone else in your household who is not currently covered by health insurance?"

1. YES
2. NO

8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

## MEDICAL BILLS (1)

"And ..."

Q 41. "In the past 12 months, was there a time when you or another member of your household needed medical care but did not get it, or delayed getting it BECAUSE OF THE COST?"

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

## HEALTHY EATING (5)

"Now I would like to ask you about healthy eating ..."

Q 42. "In general, how healthy is your overall diet? Would you say . . .(READ 1 TO 5)

1. excellent,
2. very good,
3. good,
4. fair, or
5. poor?"
  
8. DON'T KNOW (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED

"These next questions are about the foods you usually eat. Please include all foods *you* eat, both at home and away from home."

Q 43. "A serving of vegetables is a half cup of any vegetable (not including potatoes) or 1 cup of salad greens. In the past week, how many servings of vegetables did you eat, on average, daily?"

1. Average Daily Servings (RECORD NUMBER OF SERVINGS)
  
997. NEVER
998. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (PROBE: "Approximately...")
999. NA/REFUSED

Q 44. "A serving of fruit is defined as a half a cup of sliced fruit or one medium piece of fruit. In the past week, how many servings of fruit did you eat, on average, daily?"

1. Average Daily Servings (RECORD NUMBER OF SERVINGS)
  
997. NEVER
998. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (PROBE: "Approximately...")
999. NA/REFUSED

Q 45. "To what degree would you agree with the statement, "It is easy to purchase healthy foods in my neighborhood such as whole grain foods, low fat options, and fruits and vegetables." Would you... (READ 1 TO 5)

1. strongly agree,
2. agree,
3. neither agree nor disagree,
4. disagree or
5. strongly disagree?"
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 46. "And thinking about your primary source for fruits and vegetables ... how would you rate the COST of fruits and vegetables they have available ... (READ 1 TO 5)

1. excellent,
2. very good,
3. good,
4. fair, or
5. poor?"
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: "In general . . .")
9. NA/REFUSED

### **FIREARMS (3)**

"The next questions are about firearms. In your answers, please include weapons such as pistols, shotguns, and rifles; but not BB guns, starter pistols, or guns that cannot fire. Include those kept in a garage, outdoor storage area, or motor vehicle."

Q 47. "Are any firearms kept in or around your home?"

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 51**
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIPTO Q 51**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO SKIPTO Q 51**

Q 48. "Are any of these firearms now loaded?"

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 51**
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE) → **SKIPTO Q 51**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 51**
0. INAP

Q 49. "Are any of these loaded firearms also unlocked? By unlocked, we mean you do not need a key or combination to get the gun or to fire it. We don't count a safety as a lock."

1. YES
2. NO
  
8. DON'T KNOW/NOT SURE (DO NOT PROBE)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

"Now, some final questions . . ."

Q 50. DEMOGRAPHIC SCREENER

**[LANDLINE SAMPLE ONLY: SKIPTO Q 51 ]**

**[CELL SAMPLE: SKIPTO Q 54]**

Q 51. "Not counting business lines, extension phones or cellular phones -- on how many different telephone numbers can your household be reached?"

1. ONE → **SKIPTO Q 53**
2. TWO
3. THREE
4. FOUR
5. FIVE
6. SIX
7. SEVEN
8. EIGHT
9. NINE
10. TEN OR MORE

98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION) → **SKIPTO Q 53**

99. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 53**

Q 52. "How many of those (insert number) telephone numbers are used ONLY for electronic equipment--such as computers and fax machines . . . and never answered for personal calls?"

RECORD # \_\_\_\_ (ENTER NUMBER OF LINES)

96. NONE
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
99. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

**[LANDLINE SAMPLE ONLY]**

Q 53. "Now thinking about your telephone use... Do you have a working cell phone?"

1. YES, HAVE CELL PHONE
2. NO, DO NOT HAVE CELL PHONE
  
9. DON'T KNOW/NA/REFUSED (VOLUNTEERED)
0. INAP

**[CELL PHONE SAMPLE ONLY]**

Q 54. "Now thinking about your telephone use... Is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working and is not a cell phone?"

1. YES HOME TELEPHONE
2. NO, HOME TELEPHONE
  
9. DON'T KNOW/NA/REFUSED (VOLUNTEERED)
0. INAP

**[IF CELL PHONE ONLY OR LANDLINE ONLY SKIP OUT OF REMAINING QUESTIONS]**

Q 55. "Of all the telephone calls that you receive, do you get . . . (READ 1 TO 5)

**[READ AND RANDOMIZE OPTIONS 1 AND 5 -- KEEP 3 ALWAYS IN THE MIDDLE]**

1. all calls on a cell phone,
2. almost all calls on a cell phone,
3. some on a cell phone and some on a regular home phone,
4. almost all calls on a regular home phone, or
5. all calls on a regular home phone?"
  
9. DON'T KNOW/NA/REFUSED [VOLUNTEERED DO NOT READ]
0. INAP

Q 56. "Last week . . . were you working full-time, part-time, going to school, keeping house, or what?" (CIRCLE ONE CODE ONLY. IF MORE THAN ONE RESPONSE, GIVE PREFERENCE TO SMALLEST [LOWEST] CODE NUMBER THAT APPLIES.)

1. WORKING FULL-TIME
2. WORKING PART-TIME
3. WITH A JOB BUT NOT AT WORK BECAUSE OF TEMPORARY ILLNESS, VACATION, STRIKE
4. UNEMPLOYED, LAID OFF, LOOKING FOR WORK
5. DISABLED, TOO ILL TO WORK (PERMANENT)
6. RETIRED
7. IN SCHOOL
8. KEEPING HOUSE
  
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 57. “Have you smoked at least 100 cigarettes in your entire life?”

[NOTE: 5 packs contain 100 cigarettes]

1. YES
2. NO → **SKIPTO Q 59**
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “In general . . .”) → **SKIPTO Q 59**
9. NA/REFUSED → **SKIPTO Q 59**

Q 58. “Do you smoke cigarettes every day, some days, or not at all?”

1. EVERY DAY
2. SOME DAYS
3. NOT AT ALL
  
8. DON’T KNOW (PROBE: “In general . . .”)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 59. “Next, are you currently married, widowed, divorced, separated, or have you never been married?”

1. MARRIED
2. WIDOWED
3. DIVORCED
4. SEPARATED
5. NEVER MARRIED (INCLUDING ANNULMENTS)
6. PARTNERS NOT MARRIED (VOLUNTEERED)
  
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 60. “GENERALLY SPEAKING, do you usually think of yourself as a REPUBLICAN, a DEMOCRAT, an INDEPENDENT or what?”

(IF REPUBLICAN): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Republican or a NOT VERY STRONG Republican?”

(IF DEMOCRAT): “Would you call yourself a STRONG Democrat or a NOT VERY STRONG Democrat?”

(IF INDEPENDENT, NO PREFERENCE, OR OTHER): “Do you think of yourself as closer to the Republican or to the Democratic party?”

1. STRONG DEMOCRAT
2. NOT VERY STRONG DEMOCRAT
3. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO DEMOCRAT
4. INDEPENDENT--CLOSER TO NEITHER
5. INDEPENDENT, BUT CLOSER TO REPUBLICAN
6. NOT VERY STRONG REPUBLICAN
7. STRONG REPUBLICAN
9. OTHER/ NA/REFUSED

Q 61. “We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. What about yourself— that is, in politics, do you GENERALLY think of yourself as a liberal, a moderate, or conservative?”

(IF LIBERAL): “Would you say you are EXTREMELY liberal, FAIRLY liberal, or just SOMEWHAT liberal?”

(IF CONSERVATIVE): “Would you say you are EXTREMELY conservative, FAIRLY conservative, or just SOMEWHAT conservative?”

(IF MODERATE, MIDDLE OF THE ROAD): “Would you say that you LEAN a little more toward the LIBERAL side or the CONSERVATIVE side?”

1. EXTREMELY LIBERAL
2. FAIRLY LIBERAL
3. SOMEWHAT LIBERAL
4. MODERATE--LEANS LIBERAL
5. MODERATE--LEANS NEITHER
6. MODERATE--LEANS CONSERVATIVE
7. SOMEWHAT CONSERVATIVE
8. FAIRLY CONSERVATIVE
9. EXTREMELY CONSERVATIVE
97. REFUSED
98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “In general . . .”)
99. NA

Q 62. "In what state were you born?"

RECORD STATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE

97. NOT BORN IN US (**VOLUNTEERED**) (**SKIPTO** Q 64)

98. DON'T KNOW (**SKIPTO** Q 64)

99. NA/REFUSED (**SKIPTO** Q 64)

Q 63. "In what county were you born?"

[VERIFY THE SPELLING OF THE COUNTY IF NECESSARY]

RECORD COUNTY OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE

IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE A CITY OF BIRTH, RECORD CITY HERE:

\_\_\_\_\_

97. OTHER

98. DON'T KNOW

99. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 64. "In what state was your father born?"

RECORD STATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE

97. NOT BORN IN US (**VOLUNTEERED**) (**SKIPTO** Q 66)

98. DON'T KNOW (**SKIPTO** Q 66)

99. NA/REFUSED (**SKIPTO** Q 66)

Q 65. "In what county was your father born?"

[VERIFY THE SPELLING OF THE COUNTY IF NECESSARY]

RECORD COUNTY OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

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|\_|\_|

CODE

IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE A CITY OF BIRTH, RECORD CITY HERE:

\_\_\_\_\_

97. OTHER

98. DON'T KNOW

99. NA/REFUSED

0. INAP

Q 66. "In what state was your mother born?"

RECORD STATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

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CODE

97. NOT BORN IN US (VOLUNTEERED) (SKIPTO Q 68)

98. DON'T KNOW (SKIPTO Q 68)

99. NA/REFUSED (SKIPTO Q 68)

Q 67. "In what county was your mother born?"  
[VERIFY THE SPELLING OF THE COUNTY IF NECESSARY]

RECORD COUNTY OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_


CODE

IF RESPONDENT CAN ONLY GIVE A CITY OF BIRTH, RECORD CITY HERE:

\_\_\_\_\_

- 97. OTHER
- 98. DON'T KNOW
- 99. NA/REFUSED
- 0. INAP

Q 68. "What is your current age?"

\_\_\_ \_\_\_ (RECORD EXACT NUMBER OF YEARS OLD -- E.G., 45)

- 95. NINETY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
- 97. REFUSED (**DO NOT PROBE**)
- 98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
- 99. NA

Q 69. "Are you, yourself, of Hispanic origin or descent, such as Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, or some other Latin American background?"

- 1. YES
- 2. NO
  
- 8. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
- 9. NA/REFUSED

Q 70. "Do you speak a language other than English in your home?"

- 1. YES
- 2. NO
  
- 8. DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
- 9. NA/REFUSED

Q 71. "What is your race? Is it black, white, or some other race?"

1. BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICAN
2. WHITE
  
4. NATIVE AMERICAN
5. ASIAN-PACIFIC ISLANDER
  
6. MULTI-RACIAL
7. OTHER (PROBE) \_\_\_\_\_ (RECORD VERBATIM RESPONSE)
9. NA/REFUSED
0. INAP

Q 72. "INCLUDING YOURSELF, how many people aged 18 or older, CURRENTLY live in your household?"

RECORD # \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_

8. EIGHT OR MORE
9. NA/REFUSED/DON'T KNOW

Q 73. "How many of the persons who CURRENTLY live in your household are under 18 years of age, including babies and small children?"

RECORD # \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_

7. SEVEN OR MORE
8. NONE
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 74. "Some people are registered to vote and others are not. Are you CURRENTLY registered to vote at your PRESENT address?"

1. YES
2. NO / DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 75. "And, did you vote in the 2015 election for KENTUCKY GOVERNOR?"

1. YES
2. NO/DON'T KNOW (**DO NOT PROBE**)
9. NA/REFUSED

## HOUSEHOLD SIZE CATI CALCULATION

Q 76. “Was the TOTAL income you and your family received in 2015, not just from wages or salaries but from all sources . . . was it . . .

1. [INSERT APPROPRIATE 138% POVERTY FOR HHSIZE] OR LESS ,
2. BETWEEN [INSERT 138% + \$1.00] AND [INSERT APPROPRIATE 200% POVERTY FOR HHSIZE], or
3. MORE THAN [INSERT 200% + \$1.00]?

97. REFUSED

98. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: “Approximately . . . “)

99. NA

### NOTE: INCOME SOURCES TO BE INCLUDED:

- |                        |                              |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Wages & Salaries    | 6. Welfare                   |
| 2. Interest on Savings | 7. Unemployment Compensation |
| 3. Dividends           | 8. Alimony                   |
| 4. Social Security     | 9. Child Support             |
| 5. Pensions            |                              |

Q 77. “What is the highest grade or year of school you completed?”

1. NEVER ATTENDED SCHOOL OR ONLY ATTENDED KINDERGARTEN
2. GRADES 1 THROUGH 8 (ELEMENTARY)
3. GRADES 9 THROUGH 11 (SOME HIGH SCHOOL)
4. GRADE 12 OR GED (HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE)
5. COLLEGE 1 YEAR TO 3 YEARS (SOME COLLEGE OR TECHNICAL SCHOOL)
6. COLLEGE 4 YEARS OR MORE (COLLEGE GRADUATE)
  
8. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)
9. NA/REFUSED

Q 78. “And, can you please tell me your zip code?”

\_\_\_\_\_ (CODE EXACT ZIP CODE -- E.G., 45111)

99998. DON'T KNOW (PROBE: REREAD QUESTION)

99999. NA/REFUSED

**“IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS PROJECT, PLEASE CONTACT DR. ERIC RADEMACHER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI INSTITUTE FOR POLICY RESEARCH AT (513) 556-5028. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR RIGHTS AS A RESEARCH PARTICIPANT, YOU MAY CONTACT THE UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD AT (513) 558-5259 OR EMAIL THE IRB OFFICE AT [IRB@UCMAIL.UC.EDU](mailto:IRB@UCMAIL.UC.EDU).**

As a reminder, if you have any questions about this project, please contact Dr. Eric Rademacher at 513-556-5028.”

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“That's all the questions I have -- You've been very helpful.  
Thank you for your cooperation. Goodbye.”

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**INTERVIEWER SUPPLEMENT**

Q 79.CIRCLE SEX OF RESPONDENT

- 1. MALE
- 2. FEMALE

Q 80. ENTER AREA CODE FROM CALL RECORD

- (270)
- (502)
- (606)
- (859)

Q 81.RECORD CATI CODE

— — — —

Q 82.RECORD NUMBER OF CALLS FOR THIS COMPLETION

— — — —

Q 83.RECORD DATE INTERVIEW COMPLETED

— — -- — — (E.G. 9-18)

Q 84. RECORD YOUR INTERVIEWER NUMBER

— — — —

. RECORD FINAL STATUS CODE

- 0. COMPLETION FROM RAW NUMBER
- 1. COMPLETION FROM APPOINTMENT
- 2. COMPLETION FROM REFUSAL
- 3. COMPLETION FROM PARTIAL (REG OR RF)
- 4. FINAL PARTIAL