### **TENNESSEE**

### 2020 Land Line and Cell Phone State Added Question Codebook Report

Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System

August 31, 2021





**State FIPS Code** 

Section: 0.1 Record Identification Type: Num

Column: 1-2 SAS Variable Name: \_STATE

Prologue:

**Description:** State FIPS Code

ValueValue LabelFrequencyPercentageWeighted Percentage47Tennessee4661100.00100.00

### How difficult to get advice about health

Section: 1.1 Health Literacy Type: Char

Column: 901 SAS Variable Name: MEDADVIC

Prologue:

Description: How difficult is it for you to get advice or information about health or medical topics if you need it?

Would you say it is...

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Very easy	2562	69.51	68.44
2	Somewhat easy	663	17.99	18.14
3	Somewhat difficult	141	3.83	3.69
4	Very difficult	62	1.68	1.63
5	I don't look for health information	220	5.97	6.64
7	Don't know/Not sure	33	0.90	1.22
9	Refused	5	0.14	0.23

### How difficult to understand information from doctors

Section: 1.2 Health Literacy Type: Char

Column: 902 SAS Variable Name: UNDRSTND

Prologue:

Description: How difficult is it for you to understand information that doctors, nurses and other health professionals tell you?

Would you say it is...

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Very easy	2290	62.28	62.14
2	Somewhat easy	1051	28.58	28.90
3	Somewhat difficult	194	5.28	4.70
4	Very difficult	39	1.06	1.15
5	I don't look for health information	82	2.23	2.36
7	Don't know/Not sure	16	0.44	0.58
9	Refused	5	0.14	0.17

#### How difficult to understand written health information

Section: 1.3 Health Literacy Type: Char

Column: 903 SAS Variable Name: WRITTEN

Prologue:

Description: You can find written information about health on the Internet, in newspapers and magazines, and in brochures

in the doctor's office and clinic. In general, how difficult is it for you to understand written health information?

Would you say it is...

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Very easy	2198	60.05	60.28
2	Somewhat easy	978	26.72	26.56
3	Somewhat difficult	208	5.68	4.97
4	Very difficult	58	1.58	2.14
5	I don't look for health information	200	5.46	5.30
7	Don't know/Not sure	15	0.41	0.61
9	Refused	3	0.08	0.14

### Have little interest or pleasure

Section: 2.1 Depression/Anxiety Type: Char

Column: 904 SAS Variable Name: ADPLEAS1

Prologue:

Description: Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by having little interest or pleasure in doing things.

Would you say this happens...

Val	lue	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	L	Never	2512	68.86	67.76
2	2	For several days	562	15.41	15.64
3	3	For more than half the days	236	6.47	7.00
4	1	Nearly every day	257	7.04	7.53
7	7	Don't know/Not sure	71	1.95	1.78
9	9	Refused	10	0.27	0.28

Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless

Section: 2.2 Depression/Anxiety Type: Char

Column: 905 SAS Variable Name: ADDOWN1

Prologue:

Description: Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by feeling down, depressed, or hopeless? Would

you say this happens...

71.27	71.07
16.72	15.74
5.69	6.34
4.73	5.15
1.21	1.26
0.38	0.43
	16.72 5.69 4.73 1.21

Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge

Section: 2.3 Depression/Anxiety Type: Char

Column: 906 SAS Variable Name: FEELNERV

Prologue:

Description: Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by feeling nervous, anxious or on edge? Would you

say this happens...

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Never	2334	64.44	63.93
2	For several days	746	20.6	19.64
3	For more than half the days	234	6.46	7.27
4	Nearly every day	252	6.96	7.62
7	Don't know/Not sure	44	1.21	1.14
9	Refused	12	0.33	0.39

### Prescription pain drugs used

Section: 3.1 Drug Abuse Type: Char

Column: 907 SAS Variable Name: DUPAIN

Prologue: The next health topic is about the use of prescription pain relievers and drugs. Please keep in mind that you can

ask me to skip this question if you do not want to answer

**Description:** In the last 12 months, have you taken any prescription pain relievers or tranquilizers including (Codeine,

morphine, Lortab, Vicodin, Tylenol #3, Percocet, OxyContin) when it was NOT prescribed to you by a doctor, dentist, nurse practitioner, or other healthcare provider? We only want to know about prescription medication

NOT medication that is available over the counter.

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0.35
2.05

#### Live with Someone who was Depressed

Section: 4.1 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 908 SAS Variable Name: ACEDEPRS

Prologue: I'd like to ask you some questions about events that happened during your childhood. This information will allow

us to better understand problems that may occur early in life, and may help others in the future. This is a sensitive topic and some people may feel uncomfortable with these questions. At the end of this section, I will give you a phone number for an organization that can provide information and referral for these issues. Please keep in mind that you can ask me to skip any question you do not want to answer. All questions refer to the time period before you were 18 years of age. Now, looking back before you were 18 years of age...

**Description:** Did you live with anyone who was depressed, mentally ill, or suicidal?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Yes	707	19.95	21.14
2	No	2775	78.3	76.87
7	Don't know/Not sure	21	0.59	0.65
9	Refused	41	1.16	1.34

#### Live with Someone who Abused Alcohol

Section: 4.2 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 909 SAS Variable Name: ACEDRINK

Prologue:

**Description:** Did you live with anyone who was a problem drinker or alcoholic?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Yes	849	24	24.86
2	No	2655	75.04	73.98
7	Don't know/Not Sure	7	0.2	0.24
9	Refused	27	0.76	0.92

#### Live with Someone who Abused Drugs

Section: 4.3 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 910 SAS Variable Name: ACEDRUGS

Prologue:

**Description:** Did you live with someone who used illegal street drugs or who abused prescription medications?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Yes	374	10.57	12.83
2	No	3121	88.24	85.81
7	Don't know/Not sure	21	0.59	0.58
9	Refused	21	0.59	0.78

Live with Someone who was a Prisoner

Section: 4.4 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 911 SAS Variable Name: ACEPRISN

Prologue:

Description: Did you live with someone who served time or was sentenced to serve time in a prison, jail, or other

correctional facility?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Yes	297	8.4	10.72
2	No	3201	90.58	87.94
7	Don't know/Note sure	11	0.31	0.32
9	Refused	25	0.71	1.02

**Parents Divorced** 

Section: 4.5 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 912 SAS Variable Name: ACEDIVRC

Prologue:

**Description:** Were your parents separated or divorced?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Percentage
1	Yes	1037	29.36	33.21
2	No	2388	67.61	63.37
8	Parents not married	49	1.39	1.66
7	Don't know/Not sure	27	0.76	0.77
9	Refused	31	0.88	0.99

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#### **Parents Hurt Each Other**

Section: 4.6 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 913 SAS Variable Name: ACEPUNCH

Prologue:

**Description:** How often did your parents or adults in your home ever slap, hit, kick, punch or beat each other up?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Never	2851	80.81	79.60
2	Once	155	4.39	4.60
3	More than once	434	12.3	12.81
7	Don't know/Not sure	41	1.16	1.39
9	Refused	47	1.33	1.60

**Parents Hurt You** 

Section: 4.7 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Char

Column: 914 SAS Variable Name: ACEHURT

Prologue:

Description: Before age 18, how often did a parent or adult in your home ever hit, beat, kick, or physically hurt you in any

way? Do not include spanking. Would you say--

Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
Never	2680	75.96	74.11
Once	202	5.73	6.08
More than once	584	16.55	17.56
Don't know/Not sure	20	0.57	0.50
Refused	42	1.19	1.75
	Never Once More than once Don't know/Not sure	Never 2680 Once 202 More than once 584 Don't know/Not sure 20	Never       2680       75.96         Once       202       5.73         More than once       584       16.55         Don't know/Not sure       20       0.57

**Parents Swear at You** 

Section: 4.8 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 915 SAS Variable Name: ACESWEAR

Prologue:

Description: How often did a parent or adult in your home ever swear at you, insult you, or put you down?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Never	2344	66.52	64.27
2	Once	181	5.14	4.98
3	More than once	935	26.53	28.79
7	Don't know/Not sure	25	0.71	0.65
9	Refused	39	1.11	1.31

### **Anyone Touch You**

Section: 4.9 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 916 SAS Variable Name: ACETOUCH

Prologue:

Description: How often did anyone at least 5 years older than you or an adult, ever touch you sexually?

V	/alue	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
	1	Never	2974	84.44	85.00
	2	Once	162	4.6	4.27
	3	More than once	312	8.86	8.23
	7	Don't know/Not sure	11	0.31	0.26
	9	Refused	63	1.79	2.25

### **Anyone Make You Touch Them**

Section: 4.10 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 917 SAS Variable Name: ACETTHEM

Prologue:

**Description:** How often did anyone at least 5 years older than you or an adult, try to make you touch them sexually?

Value	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1	Never	3130	88.87	89.04
2	Once	111	3.15	2.89
3	More than once	216	6.13	5.94
7	Don't know/Not sure	12	0.34	0.27
9	Refused	53	1.5	1.87

#### **Force Sex**

Section: 4.11 Adverse Childhood Experiences Type: Num

Column: 918 SAS Variable Name: ACEHVSEX

Prologue:

**Description:** How often did anyone at least 5 years older than you or an adult, force you to have sex?

Valu	ue	Value Label	Frequency	Percentage	Weighted Percentage
1		Never	3262	92.64	92.44
2		Once	60	1.7	1.72
3		More than once	135	3.83	3.64
7		Don't know/Not sure	9	0.26	0.18
9		Refused	55	1.56	2.02