

National Longitudinal Study of Adolescent Health: In-Home Questionnaire, Wave 3

Family Structure

Question	Response	Respondents	Codebook Location	Variable Name	Variable Notes	Unweighted Frequencies
Current Living Arrangement/Current Relationship						
PLEASE TELL ME THE NAMES, INITIALS, OR NICKNAMES OF THE PEOPLE WHO USUALLY LIVE WITH YOU.						
What is {HIS/HER} relationship to you?	1 Husband	All young adults	Section 2: Household Roster	H3HR10(A-S)		1,169
	2 Partner, boyfriend					818
	3 Son					419
	4 Brother					667
	6 Sister's husband					10
	7 Sister's male partner					5
	8 Father					1,940
	10 Mother's husband					73
	11 Mother's male partner					16
	12 Father-in-law					33
	13 Grandfather					50
	15 Uncle					48
	16 Cousin - male					65
	17 Nephew					15
	18 Other relative - male					38
	19 Non-relative - male					1,053
	20 Wife					769
	21 Partner, girlfriend					639
	22 Daughter					440
	23 Sister					593
	25 Brother's wife					3
	26 Brother's female partner					2
	27 Mother					2,946
	29 Father's wife					9
	30 Father's female partner					9
	31 Mother-in-law					33
	32 Grandmother					248
	34 Aunt					80
	35 Cousin - female					63
	36 Niece					18

What is {HIS/HER} relationship to you? cont.	37 Other relative - female	All young adults	Section 2: Household Roster	H3HR10(A-S)		28
	38 Non-relative - female					867
	73 Same-sex partner of another household member					4
	96 Refused					3
	97 Legitimate skip					1,999
	98 Don't know					2
	99 Not applicable					16
	• Missing					7
Which description best fits {HIS/HER} relationship to you?	39 Biological son			H3HR11(A-S)	1	409
	40 Adopted son					1
	41 Stepson					8
	43 Foster son					1
	44 Biological daughter					425
	45 Adopted daughter					3
	46 Stepdaughter					11
	49 Full brother					509
	50 Twin brother					63
	51 Half-brother					70
	52 Stepbrother					10
	53 Adoptive brother					13
	54 Foster brother					0
	55 Brother-in-law					2
	56 Full sister					449
	57 Twin sister					62
	58 Half-sister					59
	59 Stepsister					5
	60 Adoptive sister					18
	61 Foster sister					0
	62 Sister-in-law					0
	63 Biological father					1,793
	64 Adopted father					67
	65 Stepfather who has adopted you					14
	66 Stepfather					65
	68 Biological mother					2,849
	69 Adopted mother					78
	70 Stepmother who has adopted you					1
	71 Stepmother					16
	96 Refused					1
	97 Legitimate skip					8,185
	98 Don't know					1

Which description best fits {HIS/HER} relationship to you? cont.	99 Not applicable • Missing	All young adults	Section 2: Household Roster	H3HR11(A-S)	1	27
Does anyone in your household act as a mother to you?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing	Young adults who do not report a "mother" as a household member and there is at least one reported household member who is older than the respondent		H3HR12		3,871 565 1 10,698 3 7 52
Which person is that?	1 Person number 1 2 Person number 2 3 Person number 3 : : : 9 Person number 9 97 Legitimate skip • Missing			H3HR13		292 160 53 : : 1 14,580 62
Does anyone in your household act as a father to you?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing			Young adults who do not report a "father" as a household member and there is at least one reported household member who is older than the respondent	H3HR14	
Which person is that?	1 Person number 1 2 Person number 2 3 Person number 3 : : : 11 Person number 11 97 Legitimate skip • Missing	H3HR15				237 243 68 : : 1 14,490 104
AT YOUR LAST INTERVIEW, IN <PRYEAR>, YOU WERE LIVING WITH <PRMOMTX1>, AND NOW YOU ARE LIVING WITH <CRMOMTXT>. Are these the same person?	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip	Young adults who were not living with their biological mother at the last interview but living with a mother figure, and who are not currently living with their biological mother but are living with a mother figure, and sex of past and current mother figure is the same person	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP1	2	55 263 14,879

Is <PRPOPTX2> from <PRYEAR> still alive?	0 No 1 Yes 5 Question not asked of this respondent 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing	Young adults [whose father figure at the last interview and current father figure is not the same person] or [who had a father or a father figure at the last interview]	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP5		317 10,392 120 4 4,323 29 11 1
In what (month and) year did {HE/ SHE} die?	1 January 2 February 3 March . . . 95 Question not asked of this respondent 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know 99 Not applicable • Missing			H3WP6M		27 20 25 . . 120 5 14,715 29 16 1
In what (month and) year did {HE/ SHE} die?	1984 1984 1987 1987 1989 1989 . . . 2002 2002 9995 Question not asked of this respondent 9996 Refused 9997 Legitimate skip 9998 Don't know 9999 Not applicable • Missing			H3WP6Y	3	1 1 2 . . 1 120 5 14,715 25 16 4
IN <PRYEAR> YOU WERE LIVING WITH <PRPOPTX1>. Are you still in touch with {HIM/ HER}?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 9 Not applicable	Young adults who were living with a father figure at the last interview (and this person is not the same as a father figure they are currently living with), and the father figure at the last interview is still alive		H3WP36	2	365 6,282 1 8,542 7

Do <PRMOMTX2> and <PRPOPTX2> still live together in the same household?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults whose mother and father or a mother figure and a father figure at the last interview are still alive	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP42	2	1,128 8,625 3 5,422 7 12
Are you in touch with your biological mother?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing	Young adults who were not living with their biological mother and who are not currently living with their biological mother who is still alive		H3WP43		147 1,368 2 13,678 0 2 0
Are you in touch with your biological father?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing	Young adults who were not living with their biological father and who are not currently living with their biological father who is still alive		H3WP50		997 3,301 3 10,880 2 2 12
Do your biological parents live together in the same household?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults who were not living with their biological mother and father and who are not currently living with their biological mother and father who are still alive		H3WP57		505 172 0 14,514 5 1
Is your biological father currently married to, or the partner of, someone who is not your biological mother?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults [who were living with their biological father at the last interview and mother (or a mother figure) and father (or a father figure) at the last interview do not live together now], or [those who are not living with their biological father now and were not living with their biological father at the last interview but in touch with their biological father, and their biological parents are not currently living together]		H3WP58		608 481 0 14,087 20 1
Is this person male or female?	1 Male 2 Female 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know			H3WP59		4 476 14,716 1
Have you ever lived in a household with this person?	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip			H3WP60		359 122 14,716

Is your biological mother currently married to, or the partner of, someone who is not your biological father?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know • Missing	Young adults [who were living with their biological mother at the last interview and their non-biological father currently living with and who were living with at the last interview is not the same person] or [who are in touch with their biological mother, and their biological parents are not living together now]	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP66		931
Is this person male or female?	1 Male 2 Female 7 Legitimate skip					545
Have you ever lived in a household with this person?	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip					1
Are you still married ? [1st to 3rd marriage]	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know	Ever married young adults	Section 14: Marriage/Cohabitation History and Attitudes	H3MR3_A(-C)	5	13,712
Are you still living together? [1st to 10th cohabitation]	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable • Missing					8
Relationship History						
In what month (and year) did you and <PARTNER> marry?	1 January 2 February 3 March . . . 95 Question not asked of this respondent 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know 99 Not applicable • Missing	Young adults who report marriage as current or former relationship	Section 19: Relationships in Detail	H3RD12M	7	0
						35
						35,721
						29
						47
						1

In what (month and) year did you and <PARTNER> marry ?	1977 1977	Young adults who report marriage as current or former relationship	Section 19: Relationships in Detail	H3RD12Y	7	2
	1982 1982					1
	1988 1988					1
	.					.
	.					.
	2002 2002					18
	9996 Refused					34
	9997 Legitimate skip					35,721
	9998 Don't know					30
	99 Not applicable					46
	• Missing					2
Did you and <PARTNER> ever live together in the same residence as romantic or sexual partners before you married?	0 No	Young adults who report current or former cohabitation		H3RD13	7	1,033
	1 Yes					1,570
	6 Refused					22
	7 Legitimate skip					35,721
	8 Don't know					12
	9 Not applicable					17
Family Background						
Were you ever adopted?	0 No	All young adults		H3OD23		14,473
	1 Yes					713
	6 Refused					1
	8 Don't know					9
	9 Not applicable					1
Were you adopted by a blood relative?	0 No	Young adults who were ever adopted		H3OD24		553
	1 Yes					157
	7 Legitimate skip					14,484
	8 Don't know					3
Were you adopted by a new spouse of one of your biological parents?	0 No	Young adults who were ever adopted by other than a blood relative	Section 1: Overview and Demographics	H3OD25		373
	1 Yes					181
	7 Legitimate skip					14,641
	8 Don't know					2
How old were you when you were adopted? [If less than one year, enter 0.]	0 less than 1 year old	Young adults who were ever adopted by other than a blood relative or a new spouse of one of their biological parents		H3OD26		285
	1 1 year old					41
	2 2 years old					35
	.					.
	.					.
	17 17 years old					2
	96 Refused					2
	97 Legitimate skip					14,667
	98 Don't know					5

How many months old were you when you were adopted? [If less than one month, enter 0.]	0 less than 1 month 1 1 month old 2 2 months old . . 11 11 months old 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know	Young adults who were adopted by other than a blood relative or a new spouse of one of their biological parents when they were less than 1 year old	Section 1: Overview and Demographics	H3OD27		121 31 25 . . 3 14,912 4
How old were you when you found out that you had been adopted?	0 0 years 1 to 26 years 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know • Missing	Young adults who were adopted by other than a blood relative or a new spouse of one of their biological parents		H3OD28		8 395 2 14,775 16 1
Was this a transracial adoption —that is, are you of a different race from both of your adoptive parents?	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know	Young adults who were adopted by other than a blood relative or a new spouse of one of their biological parents when they were 6 years old or older		H3OD29		310 58 14,825 4
Was this an international adoption—that is, were both of your adoptive parents living in the United States and you were living in another country?	0 No 1 Yes 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know			H3OD30		320 51 14,825 1
Did you ever live in a foster home?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	All young adults		H3OD31		14,819 362 2 13 1
In how many foster homes have you lived ?	1 1 home 2 2 homes 3 3 homes . . . 13 13 homes 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know	Young adults who ever lived in a foster home		H3OD32		227 61 29 . . 1 14,835 3
WERE YOU EVER IN AN ADOPTIVE PLACEMENT OR FOSTER PLACEMENT...in which you experienced neglect, or physical or sexual abuse?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know	Young adults who are ever adopted or lived in a foster home		H3OD33		648 77 1 14,468 3

How long did you live there (months)?	0 less than 1 month 1 1 month 2 2 months . . 11 11 months 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know 99 Not applicable	Young adults who experienced neglect, or physical or sexual abuse in an adopted or a foster home		H3OD34A	15 8 7 . . 9 1 15,120 6 2
How long did you live there (years)?	0 less than 1 year 1 1 year 2 2 years . . . 16 16 years 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know 99 Not applicable			H3OD34B	41 9 4 . . . 1 1 15,121 5 1
Did you ever live with either of your biological parents?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults who were ever adopted or lived in a foster home	Section 1: Overview and Demographics	H3OD35	329 387 1 14,468 11 1
In what month (and year) did you first live with either of your biological parents?	1 January 2 February 3 March . . . 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know			H3OD36M	36 25 34 . . . 1 14,810 31
In what (month and) year did you first live with either of your biological parents?	1975 1975 1976 1976 1977 1977 . . . 2000 2000 9996 Refused 9997 Legitimate skip 9998 Don't know			H3OD36Y	5 24 48 . . . 1 1 14,810 15

In what month (and year) did you most recently live with either of your biological parents?	1 January 2 February 3 March : : : 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know 99 Not applicable	Young adults who were ever adopted or lived in a foster home	Section 1: Overview and Demographics	H3OD37M		26 13 17 : : : 1 14,810 53 1
In what (month and) year did you most recently live with either of your biological parents?	1976 1976 1977 1977 1978 1978 : : : 2002 2002 9996 Refused 9997 Legitimate skip 9998 Don't know 9999 Not applicable					1 3 6 : : : 3 1 14,810 16 1
Do you know anything about your biological mother?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults who were not living with their biological mother at the last interview and who are not currently living with their biological mother	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP7		293 1,862 6 13,032 2 2
Is she still alive?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know					271 1,519 1 13,335 71
How old were you when she died?	0 0 years Age range 1 to 59 years 96 Refused 97 Legitimate skip 98 Don't know			H3WP9	4	5 261 2 14,926 3
Do you know anything about your biological father?	0 No 1 Yes 6 Refused 7 Legitimate skip 8 Don't know 9 Not applicable	Young adults who were not living with their biological father at the last interview and who are not currently living with their biological father		H3WP11		1,096 5,147 12 8,930 10 2

Is he still alive?	0 No	Young adults who were not living with their biological father at the last interview and who are not currently living with their biological father	Section 3: Parental Support and Relationships	H3WP12		722
	1 Yes					4,317
	6 Refused					0
	7 Legitimate skip					10,050
	8 don't know					108
How old were you when he died?	0 0 years			H3WP13		17
	Age range 1 to 25 years					700
	96 Refused					1
	97 Legitimate skip					14,475
	98 Don't know					4
Did you ever live with your biological mother?	0 No	Young adults who were not living with their biological mother and who are not currently living with their biological mother who is still alive		H3WP49		196
	1 Yes					1,320
	6 Refused					1
	7 Legitimate skip					13,678
	8 Don't know					1
Did you ever live with your biological father?	9 Not applicable			H3WP56		1
	0 No					1,650
	1 Yes					2,655
	6 Refused					2
	7 Legitimate skip					10,880
	8 Don't know					8
	9 Not applicable					2

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