National Study of Caregiving

Section   **CA**   **[CARE ACTIVITIES]**   Sequence: 1

CA1PRE   CA1PRE   NOT ON FILE

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Display date as "Month, day, year" with month spelled out.

QUESTION TEXT:

First we have a few questions about ways you may have helped {SP} in the last month, that is since {CURRENT DATE MINUS 1 MONTH}, because of {his/her} health and functioning.

PRESS 1 AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

CA1   cca5hwoftchs   C5 CA1 HOW OFT HELP WITH CHORES

QUESTION TEXT:

Let's start with chores you may do around {SP}'s home. This includes laundry, cleaning, or making hot meals.

In the last month, how often did you help {SP} with laundry, cleaning, or making hot meals or do these chores? Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

If a breakoff occurs at any time after a response is coded for CA1, the disposition for the case should be ST (Started).

CA2   cca5hwoftshp   C5 CA2 HOW OFTEN SHOPPED FOR SP

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you shop with {SP} for groceries or personal items or do {his/her} shopping for {him/her}? Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

CA3   cca5hlpordmd   C5 CA3 EVER HELP ORDER MEDICINES

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, did you ever help {SP} order {his/her} prescribed medicines or order these for him/her}?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
7	SP DOES NOT TAKE ANY PRESCRIBED MEDICINES
	DON'T KNOW

CA4   cca5hlpbnkng   C5 CA4 HELP WTH BILLS OR BANKING

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, did you ever help {SP} with handling bills or banking or do this for {him/her}?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX CA5   BOX CA5   NOT ON FILE

If CA2= 1, 2, 3, 4 (HELPS SHOP) or CA3=1 (YES, ORDER MEDS) or CA4=1 (YES, HANDLE BILLS), go to CA5.

Otherwise, go to CA6.

CA5   cca5cmpgrcry   C5 CA5A USE COMPUTR SHOP FR GROC

          cca5cmpordrx   C5 CA5B USE COMPUTR ORDER MEDS

          cca5cmpbnkng   C5 CA5C USE COMPUTR BILLS BANKNG

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

If CA2 = 1, 2, 3, or 4 (HELPS SHOP), display CA5a.
If CA3 = 1 (YES, ORDER MEDS), display CA5b.
If CA4 = 1 (YES, HANDLE BILLS), display CA5c.
Use "Same Question Stem" display.
If at first item, do not display question text in brackets.
Otherwise, display question text in brackets.

QUESTION TEXT:

{[} In the last month, did you use a computer to... {]}

{variable text [a-c]}

{RESPONSE [1] a. shop for groceries or personal items for {SP}?}
{RESPONSE [2] b. order medicines for {him/her}?}
{RESPONSE [3] c. handle bills or do banking for {him/her}?}

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Array the responses and variable text columns in the panel.
Display 'variable text' in the a-c sequence until all rows have been displayed.

CA6PRE   CA6PRE   NOT ON FILE

Next, I have a few questions about hands-on assistance that you may have given {SP} in the last month.

CA6   cca5hwoftpc   C5 CA6 HOW OFT HELP PERS CARE

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you help {SP} with personal care such as eating, showering or bathing, dressing or grooming, or using the toilet? Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

CA7   cca5hwofthom   C5 CA7 HOW OFT HLP GTNG ARD HOME

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you help {SP} get around, that is, getting in and out of bed, getting around inside {his/her} home, or leaving {his/her} home to go outside? Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX CA8   BOX CA8   NOT ON FILE

If CA6 = 5 (NEVER HELPED WITH PERSONAL CARE), RF, or DK and CA7 = 5 (NEVER HELPED GET AROUND HOME), RF, or DK, go to CA9.

Otherwise, go to CA8.

CA8

cca5hlplft	C5 CA8A HELP LIFT FRM SEATED POS
cca5hlpspt	C5 CA8B LEANED ON OR SUPPRT WGHT
cca5hlpstd	C5 CA8C HOLD STEADY WHILE WALK

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Use "Same Question Stem" display.
If at CA8a, do not display question text in brackets.
Otherwise, display question text in brackets.

QUESTION TEXT:

{[} In the last month, when you helped {SP} with personal care, did you ever... {]}

{variable text [a-c]}

RESPONSE [1] a. lift {him/her} from a seated or lying position?
RESPONSE [2] b. let {him/her} lean on you or support {his/her} weight?
RESPONSE [3] c. hold {him/her} steady while {he/she} walked or stood?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
Array the responses and variable text columns in the panel.
Display 'variable text' in the a-c sequence until all rows have been displayed.

If CA8a = 1, go to CA8d.
Else if CA8b = 1, go to CA8e.
Else if CA8c = 1, go to CA8f.
Otherwise go to CA9.

CA8d   cca5hwoftlft   C5 CA8D HOW OFTEN HELPED LIFT

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you lift {him/her} from a seated or lying position? Would you say every day, most days, some days, or rarely?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
If CA8b = 1, go to CA8e.
Else if CA8c = 1, go to CA8f.

Otherwise go to CA9.

CA8e   cca5hwoftspt   C5 CA8E HOW OFT LEANED ON4 SPPRT

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you let {him/her} lean on you to support {his/her} weight? [Would you say every day, most days, some days, or rarely?]

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
If CA8c = 1, go to CA8f.

Otherwise go to CA9.

CA8f   cca5hwoftstd   C5 CA8F HOW OFT HELD STEADY

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you hold {him/her} steady while {he/she} stood or walked? [Would you say every day, most days, some days, or rarely?]

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

CA9   cca5hwoftdrv   C5 CA9 HOW OFTEN DROVE SP

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you drive {SP} places? Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

CA10   cca5hwoftott   C5 CA10 OFTN WENT ON OTH TRANSPR

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last month, how often did you go with {SP} in a van, shuttle or cab, or take public transportation (the bus, subway, train, or light rail) with {him/her}?

[Would you say every day, most days, some days, rarely, or never?]

CODES

1	EVERY DAY
2	MOST DAYS
3	SOME DAYS
4	RARELY
5	NEVER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

CA11PRE   CA11PRE   NOT ON FILE

The next few questions are about help related to {SP}'s health care.

PRESS 1 AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

CA11   cca5hlpmed   C5 CA11A KEEP TRACK OF MEDS

                       cca5hlpshot   C5 CA11B TAKE SHOTS OF INJECTNS

ca5hlpmdtk	C5 CA11C MANAGE MEDICAL TASKS
cca5hlpexrcs	C5 CA11D HELP WITH EXERCISES
cca5hlpdiet	C5 CA11E HELP WITH A SPECIAL DIET
cca5hlpteeth	C5 CA11F HELP CARE FOR TEETH
cca5hlpfeet	C5 CA11G HELP CARE FOR FEET
cca5hlpskin	C5 CA11H HELP W SKIN CARE WOUNDS

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Use "Same Question Stem" display.
If at CA11a do not display question text in brackets.
Otherwise, display question text in brackets.

QUESTION TEXT:

{[} In the last month, did you ever help {SP}… {]}

{variable text [a-h]}

RESPONSE [1] a. keep track of {his/her} medications?
RESPONSE [2] b. take shots or injections?
RESPONSE [3] c. manage medical tasks like ostomy care, IVs, or testing blood?
RESPONSE [4] d. with exercises {he/she} was supposed to do?
RESPONSE [5] e. with a special diet?
RESPONSE [6] f. care for {his/her} teeth or dentures?
RESPONSE [7] g. care for {his/her} feet, like clipping nails?
RESPONSE [8] h. with skin care related to wounds or sores?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Array the responses and variable text columns in the panel.
Display 'variable text' in the a-h sequence until all rows have been displayed.

CA12PRE	**CA12PRE**	NOT ON FILE

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Display date as "Month day, year" with month spelled out.

Now please think about the last year, that is, since {CURRENT DATE MINUS 1 YEAR}.

PRESS 1 AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

CA12	**cca5hlpmdapt**	C5 CA12A HELP MAKE MEDICAL APPTS
	cca5hlpspkdr	C5 CA12B HLP SPEAK TO MED PROVDR
	cca5hlpinsrn	C5 CA12C HELP ADD HEALTH INS PLN
	cca5hlpothin	C5 CA12D HELP W OTHR HEALTH INS

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:

Use "Same Question Stem" display.
If at CA12a, do not display question text in brackets.
Otherwise, display question text in brackets.

Display "year" in bold and underlined text.

QUESTION TEXT:

{[} In the last year, did you ever...{]}

{variable text [a-d]}

RESPONSE [1] a. make appointments for {SP} with a medical provider?
RESPONSE [2] b. speak to or e-mail {SP}'s medical provider about {his/her} care?
RESPONSE [3] c. help {him/her} change or add a health insurance or prescription drug plan?

IF NEEDED: For example, changed or helped {him/her} change a Medicare supplemental plan or prescription drug plan, or helped {him/her} decide to join or leave a managed care plan.

RESPONSE [4] d. handle any other health insurance matters related to {his/her} medical care?

IF NEEDED: This includes contacting Medicare or another insurer to find out what is covered, comparing plans or providers, finding out about bills, or filing a claim.

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
Array the responses and variable text columns in the panel.
Display 'variable text' in the a-d sequence until all rows have been displayed.

BOX CA12　　　　　**BOX CA12**　　　　　NOT ON FILE

If CA12B = 1 (YES), go to CA12E.
Otherwise, go to Box CA13.

CA12E　　　　　**cca5hlpdramt**　　　　　C5 CA12E AMT HLP SPEAK TO MED PROVDR

QUESTION TEXT:

In the last year, how much did talking to {SP's} medical providers help you with caring for {him/her}? A lot, somewhat, a little, or not at all?

CODES

1	A LOT
2	SOMEWHAT
3	A LITTLE
4	NOT AT ALL
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX CA13　　　　　**BOX CA13**　　　　　NOT ON FILE

If INHOUSEHOLD flag = 1 (YES, CAREGIVER LIVES WITH SP) for CG, go to BOX CA15.

Otherwise, go to CA13.

CA13   cca5hwget2sp   C5 CA13 MODE OF TRANS TO VIST SP

QUESTION TEXT:

When you visit {SP} how do you usually get there?

CODES

1	WALK	CA14
2	DRIVE	CA14
3	SOMEONE DRIVES ME	CA14
4	TAXI	CA14
5	BUS	CA14
6	SUBWAY/TRAIN/LIGHT RAIL	CA14
7	TRAIN	CA14
8	AIRPLANE/FLY	BOX CA15
91	OTHER (SPECIFY)	
	REFUSED	CA14
	DON'T KNOW	CA14

CA13a   CA13a   NOT ON FILE

QUESTION TEXT:

SPECIFY MODE OF TRANSPORATATION

ENTER TEXT

Length	75

CA14   cca5tm2spunt   C5 CA14 UNIT TIME GET 2 SP HOME

QUESTION TEXT:

How long does it normally take you to get to {SP}'s home from where you live?

INDICATE RESPONSE UNIT

CODES

1	MINUTES	
2	HOURS	CA14b
	REFUSED	BOX CA15
	DON'T KNOW	BOX CA15

CA14a   cca5tm2spmin   C5 CA14A MINUTES GET 2 SP HOME

QUESTION TEXT:

ENTER NUMBER OF MINUTES

ENTER NUMBER

Range	1 to 60

CA14b   cca5tm2sphrs   C5 CA14B HOURS GET 2 SP HOME

QUESTION TEXT:

ENTER NUMBER OF HOURS

ENTER NUMBER

Range	1 to 24
Soft Range	1 to 6

BOX CA15

BOX CA15

NOT ON FILE

> If CA1 = 5 (NEVER HELP WITH HH ACTIVITIES), DK, or RF and CA2 = 5 (NEVER HELP WITH SHOPPING), DK, or RF and CA3 = 2 (NO HELP WITH MEDS), 7 (SP DOES NOT TAKE MEDS), DK, OR RF and CA4 = 2 (NO HELP WITH HANDLING BILLS), DK, or RF and CA6 = 5 (NEVER HELP WITH PERSONAL CARE), DK, or RF AND CA7 = 5 (NEVER HELP WITH GETTING AROUND), DK or RF AND CA9 = 5 (NEVER HELP DRIVING), DK or RF and CA10 = 5 (NEVER GO WITH SP), DK, or RF and CA11a-g = 2 (NO), DK or RF and CA12a-c = 2 (NO), RF or DK, go to CA15.
>
> Otherwise, go to Section DC - Duration of Care.

CA15

cca5hlplstyr

C5 CA15 HLPED W ACTIVITY IN LAST YR

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:
Display date as "Month day, year" with month spelled out.

QUESTION TEXT:
> You said that in the last month you didn't help {SP} with any of the activities we just talked about. Did you help {SP} with any of these activities in the last year, that is since {CURRENT DATE MINUS 1 YEAR}?

CODES

1	YES	
2	NO	CA17
	REFUSED	CA17
	DON'T KNOW	CA17

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
If CA15 = 1 (YES HELPED IN LAST YEAR), set HELPED IN PREVIOUS MONTHS flag = 1 (YES)

CA16

cca5lstmhlpd

C5 CA16 LAST MONTH HELPED

DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:
Display date as "Month, day year" with month spelled out.

QUESTION TEXT:
> What was the last month since {CURRENT DATE MINUS 1 YEAR} that you helped {SP} with any of these activities?

CODES

1	JANUARY
2	FEBRUARY
3	MARCH
4	APRIL
5	MAY
6	JUNE
7	JULY
8	AUGUST
9	SEPTEMBER
10	OCTOBER
11	NOVEMBER
12	DECEMBER
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

CA17   CA17   NOT ON FILE

QUESTION TEXT:

Those are all of the questions I have for you about helping {SP}.

PRESS 1 AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:
Set CATI Disposition Code to IE, Ineligible - Did not help SP in last year.
Go to Section CN - Closing