Section   EL   [EARLY LIFE]   Sequence: 32

EL1PRE   **EL1PRE**   NOT ON FILE

QUESTION TEXT

> Now I want to ask a few questions about when {you were/SP was} younger.
>
> PRESS 1 AND ENTER TO CONTINUE

EL1   **el1borninus**   R1 EL1 WERE YOU BORN IN THE US

QUESTION TEXT:

> {Were you/Was SP} born in the United States?

CODES

1	YES	
2	NO	EL3
	REFUSED	EL3
	DON'T KNOW	EL3

EL2   **el1stateborn (Restricted)**   R1 EL2 WHAT STATE WERE YOU BORN

QUESTION TEXT:

> In what state {were you/was SP} born?
>
> TYPE THE FIRST LETTER OF THE STATE, THEN USE ARROW KEYS IF NEEDED TO LOCATE STATE, AND PRESS ENTER TO SELECT

REFUSED	EL5
DON'T KNOW	EL5

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

> Use lookup file of state names.
> Display response label for state name selected.
> All responses skip to EL5.

EL3   **el1cntryborn (Restricted)**   R1 EL3 WHAT CONTRY WERE YOU BORN

QUESTION TEXT:

> In what country {were you/was SP} born?
>
> TYPE THE FIRST 3 LETTERS OF THE COUNTRY. THEN USE ARROW KEYS TO LOCATE COUNTRY, AND PRESS ENTER TO SELECT. IF COUNTRY IS NOT LISTED, SELECT 'NOT ON LIST'

REFUSED
DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Use the 'Country List' as lookup file.
Enable alphabetic search.
Display response label for country selected
If "NOT ON LIST SELECTED", go to EL3a.
Otherwise, go to EL4a.

EL3A   EL3A   NOT ON FILE

QUESTION TEXT:

SPECIFY COUNTRY OF BIRTH

ENTER TEXT

ENTER TEXT

Length   50

EL4A   **el1dage2us**   R1 D AGE CAME TO US

QUESTION TEXT:

In about what year did {you/SP} first come to live in the United States?

ENTER YEAR [EL5]

ENTER NUMBER

REFUSED   EL5
DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Hard range CURRENT YEAR – 110
Soft range CURRENT YEAR – 65

If year entered is ≤ SP BIRTH YEAR from IS6, display error message "INVALID RESPONSE. YEAR CAME TO UNITED STATES CANNOT BE EARLIER THAN SP BIRTH YEAR."

EL4B   **el1dage2us**   R1 D AGE CAME TO US

QUESTION TEXT:

At about what age did {you/SP} first come to live in the United States?

IF LESS THAN 1 YEAR OLD, ENTER 0

ENTER AGE

ENTER NUMBER

Range   0 to 110
Soft Range   0 to 65
REFUSED
DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Hard range 0-110
Soft range 0-65

If age entered > SP AGE, display error message "INVALID RESPONSE. AGE CAME TO UNITED STATES CANNOT BE GREATER THAN CURRENT AGE."

EL5   **el1hlthchild**   R1 EL5 YOUR HELATH AS CHILD

QUESTION TEXT:

Thinking about when {you were/SP was} growing up, would you say that {you/his/her} health as a child was excellent, very good, good, fair, or poor?

CODES

1	EXCELLENT
2	VERY GOOD
3	GOOD
4	FAIR
5	POOR
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

EL6   **el1fingrowup**   R1 EL6 WELL OFF FINANLY GROWG UP

QUESTION TEXT:

SHOW CARD EL1

How well off financially {was your/was SP's} family when {you were/{he/she} was} growing up? Was it well off, above average, average, below average, or poor?

CODES

1	WELL OFF
2	ABOVE AVERAGE
3	AVERAGE
4	BELOW AVERAGE
5	POOR
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

EL7   **el1lvbhpar15**   R1 EL7 LIV W BTH PRNTS TO AGE 15

DISPLAY NSTRUCTIONS:
Display "both" in bold underlined text.

QUESTION TEXT:

Did {you/SP} live with both of {your/his/her} parents (birth or adopted) for most of {your/his/her} childhood up to the age of 15?

CODES

1	YES	BOX EL9
2	NO	
	REFUSED	BOX EL9
	DON'T KNOW	BOX EL9

EL8 **el1lvwmofaor** R1 EL8 LIV W MOTHER FATHR OR OTH

QUESTION TEXT:

Did {you/SP} live with {your/his/her} mother only, {your/his/her} father only, another relative, or with non-relatives?

CODES

1	MOTHER ONLY
2	FATHER ONLY
3	ANOTHER RELATIVE
4	NON-RELATIVES
5	VARIED/MOVED AROUND
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX EL9 **BOXEL9** NOT ON FILE

If (EL1=2 (NO, BORN OUTSIDE THE U.S.), DK, or RF) and (EL4b>15 or (EL4a-SP'S BIRTH YEAR>15)), go to EL10.
Otherwise, go to EL9a.

EL9A **el1lvctytn15 (Restricted)** R1 EL9A WHR LIV CITY/TOWN AGE 15

QUESTION TEXT:

Where did {you/SP} live when {you were/{he/she} was} age 15?

ENTER CITY/TOWN

CONFIRM SPELLING

ENTER TEXT

Length	25

EL9B **el1stlivag15 (Restricted)** R1 EL9B STATE LIVED AT AGE 15

QUESTION TEXT:

[Where did {you/SP} live when {you were/{he/she} was} age 15?]

TYPE THE FIRST LETTER OF THE STATE, THEN USE ARROW KEYS IF NEEDED TO LOCATE STATE, AND PRESS ENTER TO SELECT.

REFUSED
DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Use the lookup file of state names.
Display response label for state name selected.

EL10   **el1higstschl**   R1 EL10 HGHST DGREE SCOOL COMPLD

QUESTION TEXT:

SHOW CARD EL2

What is the highest degree or level of school {you/SP} completed?

CODES

1	NO SCHOOLING COMPLETED
2	1ST-8TH GRADE
3	9TH-12TH GRADE (NO DIPLOMA)
4	HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE (HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR EQUIVALENT)
5	VOCATIONAL, TECHNICAL, BUSINESS, OR TRADE SCHOOL CERTIFICATE OR DIPLOMA (BEYOND HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL)
6	SOME COLLEGE BUT NO DEGREE
7	ASSOCIATE'S DEGREE
8	BACHELOR'S DEGREE
9	MASTER'S, PROFESSIONAL, OR DOCTORAL DEGREE
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX EL11   **BOXEL11**   NOT ON FILE

If any HOUSEHOLD MEMBER RELATIONSHIP = 13 (MOTHER), set EL11=1 (YES) and go to BOX EL12.
Otherwise go to EL11

EL11   **el1mothalive**   R1 EL11 YOUR MOTHER STILL LIVING

QUESTION TEXT:

Is {your/SP's} mother still living?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

BOX EL12   **BOXEL12**   NOT ON FILE

If any HOUSEHOLD MEMBER RELATIONSHIP = 16 (FATHER), set EL12=1 (YES) and go to Section RL – Race, Ethnicity, Language.
Otherwise go to EL12

QUESTION TEXT:

Is {your/SP's} father still living?

CODES

1	YES
2	NO
	REFUSED
	DON'T KNOW

PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

Go to Section RL – Race, Ethnicity, Language.

Derived Variables from Items in EL Section	
el1dage2us	R1 D AGE CAME TO US
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