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# NHATS Round 1

Section HL [HELPERS]

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**BOX HL1PRE**

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## QUESTION TEXT

If no PERSON ROSTER MEMBERS are flagged = 1 (YES) for  
HELPSGOOUTSIDE and  
HELPSAROUNDINSIDE and  
HELPSOUTOF BED and  
TOOKPLACESMOSTOFTEN and  
TOOKPLACES and  
HELPSWITHEATING and  
HELPSWITHBATHING and  
HELPSWITHTOILETING and  
HELPSWITHDRESSING and  
HELPEDWITHLAUNDRY and  
HELPEDWITHSHOPPING and  
HELPEDWITHMEALS and  
HELPEDWITHBANKING and  
HELPEDWITHMONEYMATTERS and  
HELPEPTRACKMEDS and  
SATINWITHDOCTOR and  
HELPEDMAKEINSURANCEDECISIONS, go to Section LS.

Else if PERSON ROSTER MEMBER flagged = 1 (YES) for  
HELPSGOOUTSIDE and  
HELPSAROUNDINSIDE and  
HELPSOUTOF BED and  
TOOKPLACESMOSTOFTEN and  
TOOKPLACES and  
HELPSWITHEATING and  
HELPSWITHBATHING and  
HELPSWITHTOILETING and  
HELPSWITHDRESSING and  
HELPEDWITHLAUNDRY and  
HELPEDWITHSHOPPING and  
HELPEDWITHMEALS and  
HELPEDWITHBANKING and  
HELPEDWITHMONEYMATTERS and  
HELPEPTRACKMEDS and  
SATINWITHDOCTOR and  
HELPEDMAKEINSURANCEDECISIONS  
are STAFF PERSON FROM PLACE SP LIVES or RESTAURANT/TAKE OUT SERVICES (for  
HELPEDWITHMEALS), or MEALS ON WHEELS (for HELPEDWITHMEALS), go to Section LS.

Otherwise, go to HL1PRE.

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Next I have a few questions about the people who you said help {you/SP} with daily activities.

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For each PERSON ROSTER MEMBER flagged = 1 (YES) for  
HELPSGOOOUTSIDE or  
HELPSAROUNDINSIDE or  
HELPSOUTOF BED or  
TOOKPLACESMOSTOFTEN or  
TOOKPLACES or  
HELPSWITHEATING or  
HELPSWITHBATHING or  
HELPSWITHTOILETING or  
HELPSWITHDRESSING or  
HELPEWITHLAUNDRY or  
HELPEWITHSHOPPING or  
HELPEWITHMEALS or  
HELPEWITHBANKING or  
HELPEWITHMONEYMATTERS or  
HELPETRACKMEDS or  
SATINWITHDOCTOR or  
HELPEMAKEINSURANCEDECISIONS  
who is not a STAFF PERSON FROM PLACE SP LIVES or RESTAURANT/TAKE OUT SERVICES (for  
HELPEWITHMEALS), or MEALS ON WHEELS (for HELPE WITH MEALS), set HELPER flag=1 (YES).

Write HELPER flag to PERSON ROSTER for each roster member.

Loop through HL1 and HL8 for each PERSON ROSTER MEMBER with a HELPER flag =1 (YES).

**HL1**

**op1helpsched**

R1 HL1 HELP IS REG SCHEDULED

**QUESTION TEXT:**

Does {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRSTNAME LASTNAME} have a regular schedule, or does his/her  
schedule vary?

**CODES**

1	REGULAR	
2	VARIED	HL3
	REFUSED	HL3
	DON'T KNOW	HL3

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write HELPSCHEDULE response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

**HL2**

**op1numdayswk**

R1 HL2 NUM DAYS HELP PER WK

**QUESTION TEXT:**

In the last month, on how many days per week did {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRST NAME LASTNAME}  
help {you/SP}?

ENTER NUMBER OF DAYS

**ENTER NUMBER**

Range	1 to 7
REFUSED	
DON'T KNOW	

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write # DAYSHELPWEEK response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

All responses go to HL4.

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**HL3**

**op1numdaysmn**

R1 HL3 NUM DAYS HELP PER MON

**QUESTION TEXT:**

In the last month, on how many days did {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRST NAME LASTNAME} help {you/SP}?

ENTER NUMBER OF DAYS

**ENTER NUMBER**

Range

1 to 31

REFUSED

DON'T KNOW

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write # DAYSHELPMONTH response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

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**HL4**

**op1numhrsday**

R1 HL4 NUM HRS HELP PER DAY

**QUESTION TEXT:**

On days when {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRST NAME LASTNAME} helped, about how many hours per day did (he/she) help {you/SP}?

ENTER NUMBER OF HOURS

IF LESS THAN 1 HOUR, ENTER ZERO

**ENTER NUMBER**

Range

0 to 24

REFUSED

DON'T KNOW

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write # HOURSHelp response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

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**BOX HL5**

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If PERSON ROSTER member relationship = 2 (SPOUSE/PARTNER), go to BOX HL9.  
Otherwise, go to HL5.

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**HL5**

**op1paidhelp**

R1 HL5 HELPER IS PAID

**QUESTION TEXT:**

Is {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRSTNAME LASTNAME} paid to provide this help?

**CODES**

1	YES	
2	NO	BOXHL9
	REFUSED	BOXHL9
	DON'T KNOW	BOXHL9

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write PAIDHELP response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

<b>HL6</b>	<b>op1sppayshlp</b>	R1 HL6 SP PAYS FOR HELP
	<b>op1govpayhlp</b>	R1 HL6 GOVT PAYS FOR HELP
	<b>op1inspayhlp</b>	R1 HL6 INSUR PAYS FOR HELP
	<b>op1othpayhlp</b>	R1 HL6 OTHER PAYS FOR HELP

**QUESTION TEXT:**

Is {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRST NAME LASTNAME} paid by {you/SP}, {your/his/her} family, by a government program, by {your/his/her} insurance, or what?

SELECT ALL THAT APPLY

**CODES**

1	SP AND/OR FAMILY	BOX HL7
2	GOVERNMENT PROGRAM	BOX HL7
3	INSURANCE	BOX HL7
91	OTHER (SPECIFY)	
	REFUSED	BOX HL7
	DON'T KNOW	BOX HL7

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Allow code all that apply.

Write WHOPAYS response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

<b>HL6a</b>	<b>HL6a</b>	NOT ON FILE
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**QUESTION TEXT:**

SPECIFY WHO PAYS FOR PERSON WHO HELPS {SP}.

Text 50 char

**ENTER TEXT**

Length 50

<b>BOX HL7</b>	<b>BOXHL7</b>	NOT ON FILE
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If HL6=1 (SP AND/OR FAMILY), go to HL7.

Else if HL6=2, go to HL8.

Otherwise, go to BOX HL9.

<b>HL7</b>	<b>op1payunit</b>	R1 HL7 PAYMENT UNIT
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**QUESTION TEXT:**

How much did {you/SP} (and {your/his/her} family) pay {PERSON ROSTER MEMBER FIRST NAME LASTNAME} last month?

INDICATE RESPONSE UNIT

**CODES**

1	HOURLY	HL7A
2	WEEKLY	HL7B
3	MONTHLY	HL7C
	REFUSED	BOXHL8
	DON'T KNOW	BOXHL8

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write PAYUNIT response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

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**HL7a**

**op1hourlypay**

R1 HL7A HOURLY AMOUNT PAID

**DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:**

Collect response using dollars and cents mask (\$xxx.xx)

**QUESTION TEXT:**

ENTER HOURLY AMOUNT PAID

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**ENTER NUMBER**

Range	1 to 999.99
Soft Range	5 to 50

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write HOURLYAMOUNT response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.  
If valid amount given, skip to Box HL8.

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**HL7b**

**op1weeklypay**

R1 HL7B WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID

**QUESTION TEXT:**

ENTER WEEKLY AMOUNT PAID

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**ENTER NUMBER**

Range	1 to 9999
Soft Range	50 to 1000

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write WEEKLYAMOUNT response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.  
If valid amount given, skip to Box HL8.

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**HL7c**

**op1monthlypay**

R1 HL7C MONTHLY AMOUNT PAID

**QUESTION TEXT:**

ENTER MONTHLY AMOUNT PAID

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**ENTER NUMBER**

Range	1 to 9999
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Soft Range

50 to 5000

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Write MONTHLYAMOUNT response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

**BOX HL8**

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If HL6=2 (GOVERNMENT PROGRAM), go to HL8.

Otherwise, go to Box HL9.

**HL8**

**op1progmpaid**

R1 HL8 PROGRAM PAID FOR HELPER

**DISPLAY INSTRUCTIONS:**

Display “, also known as {STATE NAME FOR MEDICAID PROGRAM}” if state name for Medicaid is not “Medicaid”.

**QUESTION TEXT:**

Do you know whether this program is Medicaid {, also known as {STATE MEDICAID PROGRAM NAME}}, Medicare, a state program, or something else?

**CODES**

1	MEDICAID	BOXHL9
2	MEDICARE	BOXHL9
3	STATE PROGRAM	BOXHL9
91	OTHER (SPECIFY)	
	REFUSED	BOXHL9
	DON'T KNOW	BOXHL9

**PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:**

Use NHATS State Name for Medicaid file for {STATE NAME FOR MEDICAID PROGRAM} display.  
Write PROGRAMPAID response to PERSON ROSTER for roster member.

**HL8a**

**HL8a**

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**QUESTION TEXT:**

SPECIFY OTHER PROGRAM

Text 50 char

**ENTER TEXT**

Length

50

**BOX HL9**

**BOXHL9**

NOT ON FILE

Go to HL1 for next PERSON ROSTER MEMBER with HELPER flag=1 (YES).

If no additional PERSON ROSTER MEMBER with HELPER flag=1 (YES), go to Section CC – SP and Caregiver Eligibility for National Study of Caregiving (NSOC)

<b>Derived Variables from Items in HL Section</b>	
<b>op1dhrsmth</b>	R1 D HL2 HL3 HL4 HRS HELP MONTH