

**NSFG 2011-2013 Female Questionnaire:
Detailed Outline by Section**

| Section | Main Topics |
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| Section A | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respondent demographic characteristics (age; DOB; opposite-sex marital/cohabitation status; race and Hispanic origin; primary language) • Household roster (age; sex; relationship of each member to respondent) • Introduction to Life History Calendar • Education (degrees; date of high school and college graduation; highest grade completed; date last attended) • Basic information about her childhood family background and her parents • Her experience as a minor with living in a foster home |
| Section B | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Age at first menstrual period (menarche) • Current pregnancy status • Number of pregnancies • Detailed pregnancy history (more details for pregnancies in last 5 years) • Confirmation of pregnancy history • Care of nonbiological children (women 18–44) • Adoption (current plans to adopt; child characteristics she prefers; previous attempts to adopt) (women 18–44) |
| Section C | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Marital history and characteristics of each husband; more details for 1st and/or current husband • Details on current cohabiting partner, if there is one • Cohabitation history and selected details on each former cohabiting partner • Whether the respondent has had biological children with each of her husbands and cohabiting partners • Expectations to marry or cohabit (if not married or cohabiting) • Ever had sexual intercourse (directly asked if never married, never pregnant and never cohabited) • Main reason why respondent has not had sexual intercourse (if she reported never having had intercourse) • Age and date of first intercourse • Details on first sexual partner (if not already discussed in the interview) • Date and age of first intercourse after menarche • Sex education (R younger than 25 only), including timing relative to first sex • Number of sexual partners (in lifetime; in past 12 months; before 1st marriage) • Recent (last 12 months) partner history (or last partner ever, if none in the past 12 months); more details on current partners |

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| Section D | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sterilizing operations (respondent and current husband/cohabiting partner) • Desire for sterilization reversal (only for tubal ligations and vasectomies) • Nonsurgical sterility and fertility problems (respondent and husband/cohabiting partner) |
| Section E | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ever-use of contraceptive methods, how emergency contraception was obtained, discontinuation of use, and reasons for dissatisfaction with selected methods • Details on first method ever used (even if before first sexual intercourse) • Method use at first sexual intercourse • Months during which she had intercourse for past 3-4 years or since first intercourse (if within the last 3-4 years) • Contraceptive method history by month, for past 3-4 years or since first method used • Method used at first and last sex, with up to 3 partners in the last 12 months • Wantedness of each pregnancy (by respondent and by father of pregnancy) • Happiness to be pregnant scale • Further details on circumstances surrounding pregnancies in last 3 years (including wantedness <u>with that partner</u>) • Current method use, reasons for current nonuse • Reasons for recent pill use and type of IUD used recently • Consistency of contraceptive use (including frequency of sex in past 4 weeks; condom use; any method use) |
| Section F | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use of medical services related to birth control and reproduction <i>in the last 12 months</i> (services include receipt of: birth control method; checkup or medical test related to using birth control; counseling about birth control; sterilization; counseling about getting sterilized; emergency contraception; information about emergency contraception; pregnancy test; abortion; Pap smear; pelvic exam; prenatal care; post-pregnancy care; testing or treatment for sexually transmitted disease (STD)) • Provider and payment information for each visit for these services in last 12 months (more detail if specific clinic is cited) • Activation of clinic lookup if service was received at a clinic • First service ever received is asked of women 15-24 years of age, including when received, and type of provider • If clinic is regular source of medical care • Asked about Pap, Pelvic, and HPV test (timing of last test, main reason for last test, age at first test, abnormal results, how often will need test, ever visited a clinic) |

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| Section G | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Desire for (wanting) a/another baby (respondent and current husband/cohabiting partner) • Intentions to have a/another baby, asked individually or jointly, as appropriate • Number of additional children (respondent/respondent and husband) intend to have • When expect next child to be born, asked individually or jointly, as appropriate |
| Section H | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Infertility services (to help get pregnant; to help prevent miscarriage) • Infertility diagnoses received, if ever pursued medical help • Vaginal douching • Health problems related to child-bearing (pelvic inflammatory disease; diabetes, both gestational and nongestational; uterine fibroids; endometriosis; problems with ovulation or menstruation) • Physical disabilities/limitations • Experience with cancer • Breast cancer screening and risk • HIV testing experience (some items limited to last 12 months) • Clinic where HIV test was received, if within the last 12 months • HPV vaccine-related knowledge (all respondents) and experience (respondents 15-24) |
| Section I | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Usual source of health care • Health insurance coverage in last 12 months • Residence as of April 1, 2010 • Place of birth (date came to U.S., if born outside of the U.S.) • Religion and attendance of religious services, at age 14 and currently • Work in past 12 months and current work status (respondent and current husband/cohabiting partner) • Attitudes: including relationships, sex, condom use, gender roles, and parenthood |

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| <p>Section J (ACASI)</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General health, including height and weight • Numbers of pregnancies ending in live birth, abortion, or other outcomes in the past 5 years • School suspension/expulsion (for respondents 15-24 years old) • Substance use (cigarettes; alcohol; marijuana; cocaine; crack; crystal meth, illicit injected drugs) • Sexual experience with males (vaginal intercourse, oral sex, and anal sex; condom use at last occurrence of each type of sex; timing of oral sex relative to vaginal intercourse (for respondents 15-24 who have had both types of sex); non-voluntary intercourse with males (asked only for respondents 18 or older); numbers of male partners in lifetime; numbers of male partners in last 12 months (including numbers by specific type of sex); and other HIV/STD risk behaviors) • Sex with females, including number of female partners • Sexual orientation and attraction • Whether doctor had asked specific questions in last 12 months about sexual risk-related behaviors • STD experience (some items limited to last 12 months) • Individual earnings, family income, sources of income, types of public assistance, and economic insecurity during the previous year |
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